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TWENTY-FIRST
ANNUAL REPORT
OF
THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN

COLLEGE STREET, TORONTO,

AND

THE LAKESIDE HOME

FOR LITTLE CHILDREN,

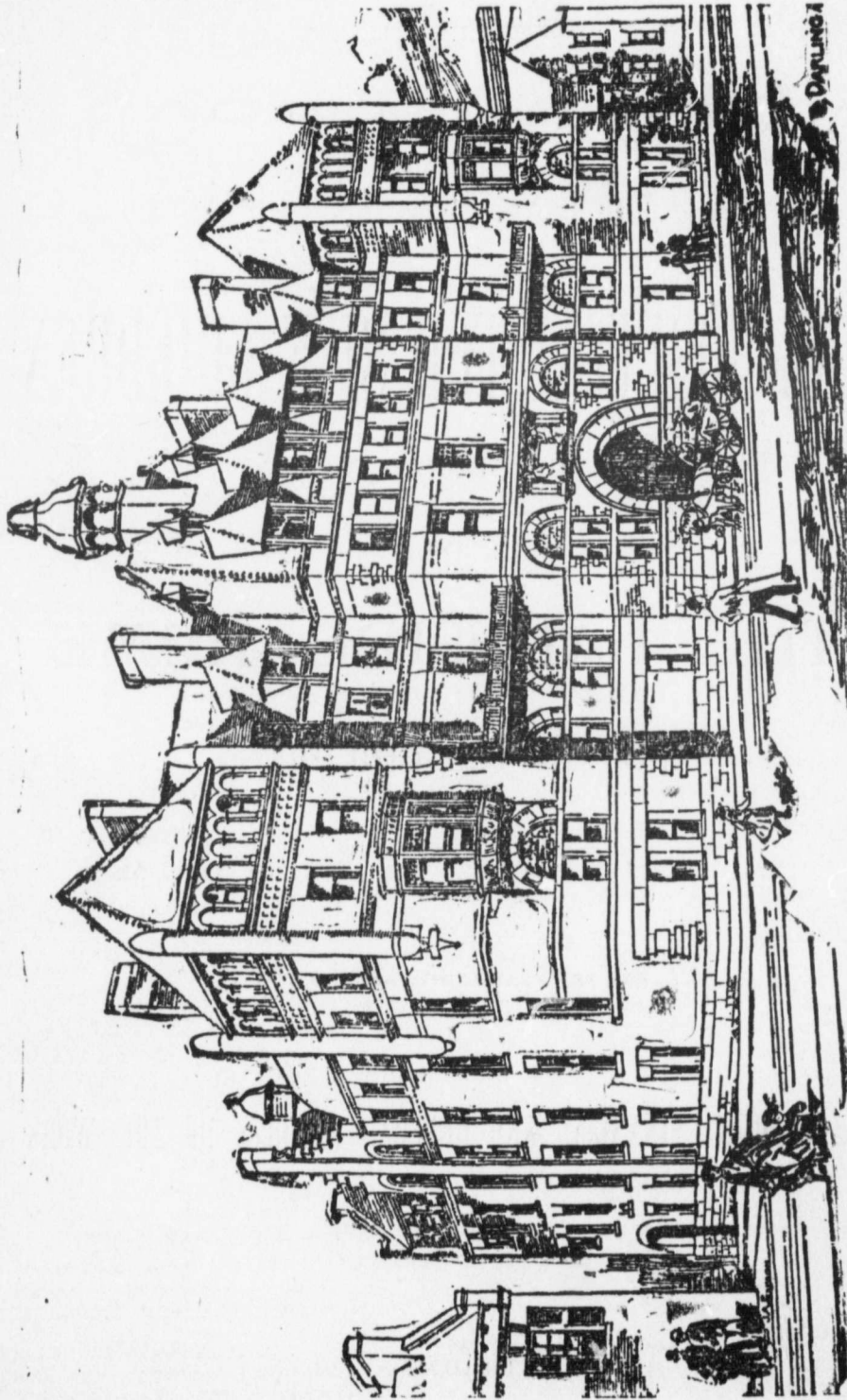
THE POINT PARK, TORONTO ISLAND,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING SEPT. 30, 1896,

EMBRACING

THE MEDICAL, FINANCIAL AND GENERAL REPORTS OF THE WORK.

1896:
TORONTO.



THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN, COLLEGE STREET, TORONTO.

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DO YOU WANT TO ENDOW A COT?

You may perpetuate a kindly memorial of those who have passed away by the founding and naming of a cot in the Hospital for Sick Children.

PRIVILEGES OF SUBSCRIBERS.

Each donor of five thousand dollars shall be entitled to name a ward.

Each donor of two thousand dollars to endow a cot in The Hospital for Sick Children, College street, shall be entitled to have it permanently inscribed in regulation form.

Annual subscribers of one hundred dollars for the purpose of maintaining a cot shall be entitled to have the cot named as long as the annual subscription is continued. This subscription may be paid monthly, in payments of \$8.50 per month, which shall include the expense of inscription on the cot.

That any person desirous of founding a ward by the payment of \$5,000 or a cot by the payment of \$2,000, may pay such sums in instalments, providing that for the ward these instalments be paid within five years, and for the cot within three years.

The representatives of any church, Sabbath school, public work, lodge, society or benefit organization shall be entitled to the same privileges as an individual subscriber of the same amount.

ENDOWED COTS AT HOSPITAL, COLLEGE STREET.

- "Richard Dunbar Cot" — Mrs. Richard Dunbar.
- "Canadian Children's Cot" — The Children of Canada.
- "The Freemasons' Cot" — Mr. J. Ross Robertson.
- "The Boilermakers' Cot" — Mr. Neil Currie.
- "Maria Louisa Robertson Cot" — Mr. J. Ross Robertson.
- "Newsboys' Cot" — Mr. J. Ross Robertson.
- "East Toronto Cot" — Mr. J. Ross Robertson.

ENDOWED COTS AT THE LAKESIDE HOME.

- "Allan Norman Cot" — Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mackenzie.

\$500 endows a cot in The Lakeside Home on the Island.

COURSE OF LECTURES DELIVERED TO NURSES DURING YEAR

Oct. 1st, 1895, to Sept. 30th, 1896.

DR. THISTLE—Six lectures.

1. Bacteria and its Relation to Diseases.
2. Typhoid Fever.
3. Treatment of Typhoid Fever.
4. Diphtheria (the nursing).
5. Treatment of Diphtheria.
6. Tuberculosis.

DR. WILSON—Three lectures.

Obstetrical Nursing.

DR. PRIMROSE—Four lectures.

1. Antiseptic Surgery.
2. Healing of Wounds.
3. Gangrene Ulceration.
4. Process of Inflammation.

DR. MCKENZIE—Four lectures.

1. How to Treat Children.
2. Massage, with practical demonstration.
3. Hemorrhage, and How to Control.
4. The Use and Application of Splints, with practical demonstration.

DR. WINNETT—Three lectures.

1. Inflammation.
2. Scalds and Burrs.
3. Emergencies.

DR. PETERS—Three lectures.

1. Principles of Antiseptic Surgery.
2. Care of a Patient Before and After Operation.
3. The Nurse's Duty in the Operating Room.

DR. BOYD—Four lectures.

1. Scarlet Fever.
2. Measles.
3. Measles (continued).
4. Pulse in Health and Disease.

DR. RICHARDSON, House Surgeon.

Lectures on Anatomy and Physiology, illustrated by magic lantern.

Course of twelve lessons in theory and practice of invalid cookery—Miss Bell, graduate from Cookery School, Glasgow.

Think of the Good You Can Do

It was Charles Dickens—the friend of the fatherless and the oppressed—who said: “The two grim nurses—poverty and sickness—who bring these children before you, preside over their births, rock their wretched cradles, and nail down their coffins.”

A Sick Child

Appeals to your love, your pity and your gold.

When to the little one's sickness is added the misfortune of dire poverty there is no stronger claimant for charity—no stronger appeal to your heart's sympathy, your practical charity.

When you are making your WILL think of the great charity on College street, Toronto, where 4,000 sick children every year are cared for.

The Hospital Needs Money---Needs It Badly,

And this appeal is for you.

As many enquiries are made as to the terms on which persons may leave money by will to the Hospital for Sick Children, it has been thought well to publish the conditions. 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 \$15,000, 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 AND BEQUEATH TO THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN AT TORONTO, THE SUM OF..... DOLLARS,” and also, if lands be given, this clause to read: “I GIVE AND DEVISE TO THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN AT TORONTO, THE FOLLOWING IN LANDS (describing them.)”

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.”

The corporate name of the Hospital is “The Hospital for Sick Children,” Toronto.

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THE TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

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LADY SUPERINTENDENT.
 MISS LOUISE C. BRENT.

SOLICITOR.

WM. MACDONALD, of Messrs. Kerr, Macdonald, Davidson & Paterson.

AUDITORS.

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MEDICAL STAFF.

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DR. U. OGDEN, 18 Carlton street.	DR. J. THORBURN, 406 Bloor street West.
DR. W. T. AIKINS, 280 Jarvis street.	DR. J. F. W. ROSS, Sherbourne and Wellesley
DR. H. H. WRIGHT, 111 Avenue road.	DR. CHAS. SHEARD, 314 Jarvis street.
DR. J. E. GRAHAM, 70 Gerrard street East.	DR. W. B. GEIKIE, 52 Maitland street.

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MR. I. H. CAMERON, 307 Sherbourne street.	DR. H. C. SCADDING, 311 Sherbourne street.
DR. H. MACHELL, 95 Bellevue place.	DR. W. B. THISTLE, 160 McCaul street.
DR. R. B. NEVITT, 176 Jarvis street.	DR. ALLEN M. BAINES, 194 Simcoe street.
DR. A. MCPHEDRAN, 84 College street.	DR. B. E. MCKENZIE, 14 Bloor street West.
DR. G. A. PETERS, 171 College street.	DR. G. A. BINGHAM, 62 Isabella street.
DR. A. PRIMROSE, 196 Simcoe street.	DR. W. P. CAVEN, 70 Gerrard street East.

DAYS OF ADMISSION HAVE BEEN DIVIDED AS FOLLOWS:--

Day.	Physician.	Surgeon.	Day.	Physician.	Surgeon.
MON.....	DR. MACHELL.	MR. CAMERON.	THUR.....	DR. THISTLE.	DR. PRIMROSE.
TUES.....	DR. MCPHEDRAN.	DR. NEVITT.	FRI.....	DR. BAINES.	DR. MCKENZIE.
WED.....	DR. SCADDING.	DR. PETERS.	SAT.....	DR. W. P. CAVEN.	DR. BINGHAM.

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DR. R. A. REEVE, 26 Shuter street.
 DR. G. S. RYERSON, 60 College street.

LARYNGOLOGISTS.

DR. G. R. McDONAGH, 329 Church street.

DR. T. G. WISHART, 47 Grosvenor street.

PATHOLOGIST.

DR. J. CAVEN, 239 Carlton street.

ELECTRICIAN.

DR. C. R. DICKSON, 159 Bloor street East.

ANÆSTHETIST.

DR. SCADDING, 311 Sherbourne street.

MEDICAL REGISTRAR.

DR. R. J. WILSON, 30 Bloor street West.

SURGICAL REGISTRAR.

DR. FREDERICK WINNETT, 525 Sherbourne st

OUT-DOOR STAFF.

DR. R. J. WILSON, 30 Bloor street West.

DR. FREDERICK WINNETT, 525 Sherbourne st.

DR. BERTRAM SPENCER, 8 Bloor street East.

DR. F. N. G. STARR, 471 College street.

DR. J. FOTHERINGHAM, 39 Carlton street.

DR. GEOFFREY BOYD, 119 Bloor street East.

OCULIST AND AURIST.

DR. J. H. MACCALLUM, 13 Bloor street West.

LARYNGOLOGIST.

DR. D. J. G. WISHART, 47 Grosvenor street.

RESIDENT SURGEONS.

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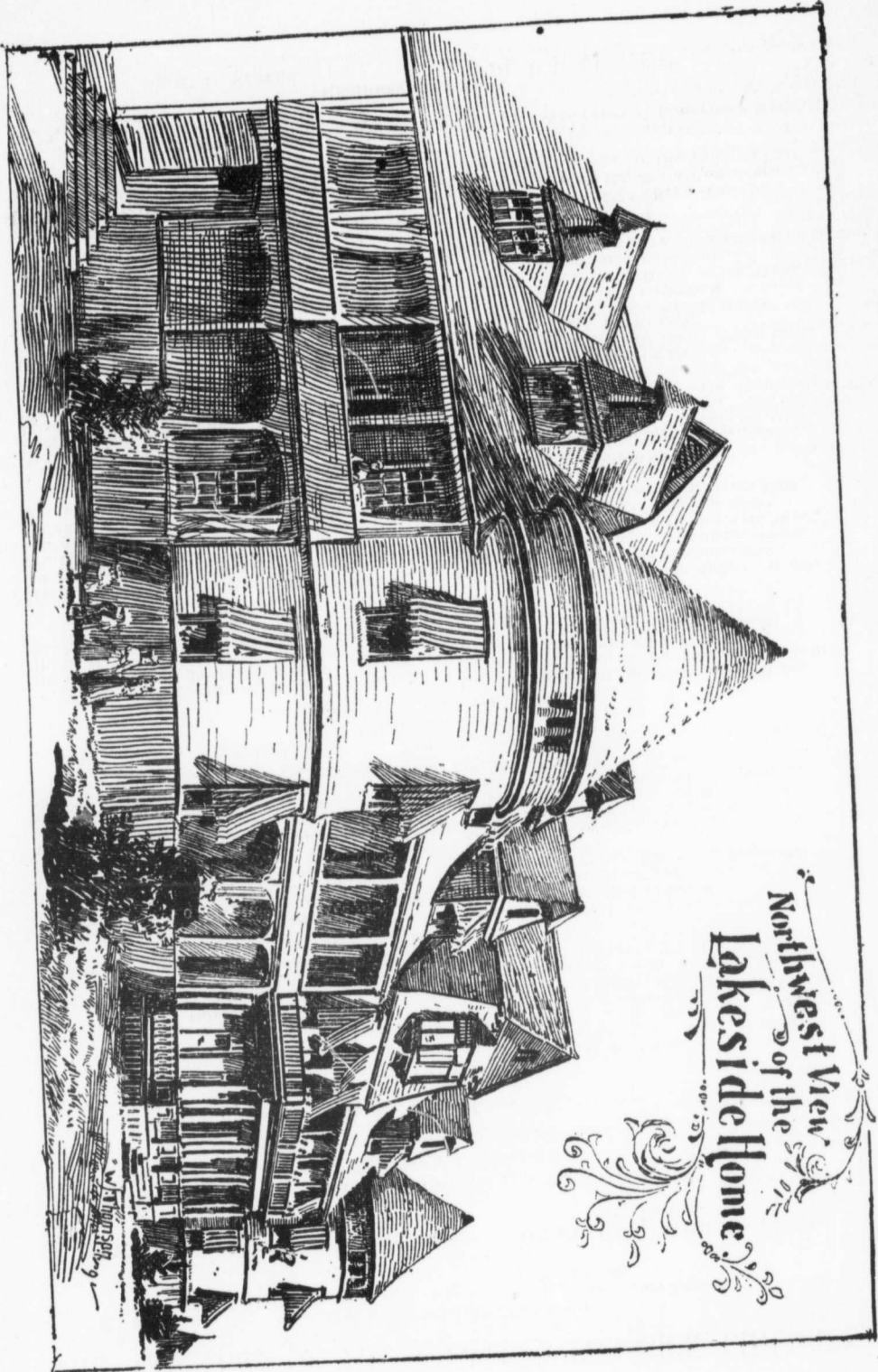
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Northwest View
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THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

The Trustees of the Hospital for Sick Children present the twenty-first annual report of the Hospital, and in so doing call the special attention of the public to the resume of the results attained and the amount of good accomplished in the twenty-one years during which the work has been carried on.

The Hospital opened on the 1st of March, 1875, in a small house, No. 31 Avenue street, Toronto, with six cots. The revenue for the first year was \$1,573.20, all expended on maintenance and treatment of 31 patients, being an average of \$50.77 for each. There is no data for the average daily number for the year, but it must have been small, not more than three or four patients.

From 1875 the record is one of progress in the various locations and capacity of the Hospital buildings, until it was established in its present handsome building in 1891, with accommodation for nearly 200 patients.

From 1875 to 1891 there had been spent in maintenance and professional treatment of 1,874 children in the Hospital, and in free advice and medicine, etc., to 2,042 outdoor patients, the sum of \$76,201.65. Apportioned amongst the fourteen and a half years, this represents an annual outlay of \$5,255.28, or a daily expenditure of \$14.40. Of the internal patients 741 were cured, 685 were improved and 378 were unimproved, and there were 70 deaths.

It is, however, from October 1st, 1891-96, that we can more plainly justify the wisdom and beneficence of a generous public in so freely giving to that "sweetest of all charities," the support of sick and suffering children.

The record already compared is one of fourteen and a half years; that which we have now to consider is one of six, viz., 1891-6.

From 1st October, 1891, to 30th September, 1896, the amount expended for maintenance and treatment of 2,717 children in the Hospital and for free advice and medicines, etc., to 10,135 outdoor patients, aggregated the sum of \$138,175.09, representing a yearly outlay of \$23,029.18, or a daily expenditure of \$63.00.

Of the intern patients 1,611 were cured, 365 improved, 128 unimproved, and there were 113 deaths.

The results of these twenty and a half years are summarized as follows:

Expended for maintenance and treatment of 4,591 intern patients, and for free advice and medicine to 12,177 outdoor patients the sum of \$211,352.59, being an average yearly expenditure of \$10,309.88, or a daily outlay of \$28.25.

Of these 4,591 intern patients there were cured 2,352; improved, 1,550; unimproved, 506, and 183 died.

Of this army of sick children, amounting to 16,768, including indoor and outdoor patients, much the greater number have been cured or improved, and but a very small percentage unimproved, while the proportion of deaths among intern patients is in the ratio of only 4 to 100.

Since its establishment, in 1891, in the present building on College street, the work of the Hospital has greatly extended, as shown by the figures for the last three years, viz.:

Year	No. of patients	Cost of maintenance	Average daily cost per patient	Cost of per year	Daily per capita
1894..	528	\$26,242	80	\$328	89.86c
1895..	534	25,481	78	324	88.76c
1896..	597	26,067	90.45	288	78.90c

The cost of maintenance would be one-fifth less if the debt were liquidated and the trust relieved of the interest thereon.

The reduction of expenditure per patient per annum effected in 1896 is due partly to lower prices obtained by an improved system of purchase, partly to a proper method of distribution, and also to a close oversight of the consumption of all supplies.

For the year ending September 30th, 1896, there were received from the city of Toronto 474 patients, and from other portions of the country 123. The aggregate number of days for the 474 city patients is 23,505, which, at the usual hospital rate of 40 cents per patient per day, comes to \$9,402. The grant received from the city is \$5,000 for the year; so that if the city were paying at the usual rate, it would have to provide a further \$4,402. A similar calculation for the past five years shows that if city patients had been paid for at the hospital rate, it would have involved an expenditure by the city of \$15,000 over and above the city grants. It is gratifying to note that the Hospital is increasing in the esteem of the people of the province. There is a certain amount of prejudice with

many, and thus objection to sending patients, especially children, to an hospital. It is, therefore, satisfactory to know from patients in different parts of the province that the prejudice is not only being removed, but that the work of the Hospital in connection with patients while under treatment has been in the highest degree satisfactory.

The Trustees have received valuable assistance in carrying on the work from the committee of ladies in their oversight in connection with the care of the children.

The liabilities at September 30th, 1891, were—

Mortgage to British Empire Life Assurance Co.....	\$75,000 00
The Imperial Bank account.....	2,994 40
Representing a total of.....	77,994 40
In 1891—	
Cost of the Hospital, College st., and land.....	\$116,595 49
Lakeside Home.....	25,725 49
Furniture, both buildings.....	5,735 62
	\$148,056 60
Debt.....	77,994 40

Amount of property paid for..... 70,062 20

The indebtedness has increased because of permanent additions and improvements to the building and a large addition to furniture, surgical instruments, etc., so that it stands at date (Sept. 30th, 1896) as under.

British Empire Life Assurance Co....	\$75,000 00
Imperial Bank overdraft.....	14,819 33
Due Trustees.....	2,161 70

Or a total of..... \$91,981 03
for all of which the Trustees are personally liable.

The increase in the number of patients since the new building on College street has been occupied has taxed to the utmost the energy of the Board of Trustees to find the money requisite for properly carrying on the business of the Hospital, and it has, therefore, been impossible for them during the past year to reduce the liabilities.

In reviewing the indebtedness it is well to remember the proportion this now bears to the present cost of the land and buildings.

The Hospital, College st., and land....	\$146,166 25
The Lakeside Home Building.....	30,489 99
Furniture in both buildings.....	22,929 78

The net debt..... \$199,586 02
91,981 03

Amount of property paid for..... \$107,604 99

Thus, in 1891, the amount of property paid for was \$70,062.20, while at the present time it is \$107,603.99, being an increase of \$37,541.79.

While these figures are a cheering evidence of past efforts, the trustees appeal to a generous public to help them in largely decreasing and, ultimately wiping out out this debt, so that all contributions may be applied to the maintenance of an always increasing number of patients, and that they may be enabled to extend to suffering and indigent childhood that aid and comfort which is the object and endeavour of this institution.

The financial statement shows in two tables the income and expenditure and the assets and liabilities.

The first statement (a) gives the income from all sources \$30,606.69, and the working expenses for the year, including the expenditure in the building, and the deficit from 1895, a total of \$46,283.56.

The second statement (b) contains the assets of the Trust, \$200,890.18, and the liabilities of \$95,681.63, showing a balance in favour of the Trust of \$105,209.15.

The amount \$105,209.15 is represented by the

Balance of general donations over working expenses.....	\$15,432 62
Spec'l donations, land and build'g fund.....	60,568 40
The Lakeside Home.....	29,208 13

A total of..... \$105,209 15

Our need is for early aid to meet the \$30,000, which goes every year to keep the doors of the Hospital open to every ailing child in the province, help to serve the ever-growing needs and to extend the Hospital's power to minister to the healing of the children.

Last year 597 children were cared for, and of these 340 were cured and 204 improved; 4,321 were aided by medicine distributed free at the out-door department.

The Trustees have not only a general, but personal, responsibility for every dollar of the indebtedness in connection with the work. It is, therefore, hoped that you, the reader of this report, will give.

Every dollar helps the Hospital to soothe the suffering and often rescue the dying, and your dollar may send the aid of the Hospital's mercy to the children of the poor.

Your dollar can help to strengthen the crippled body of suffering childhood, and your dollar can aid in giving first rest and then health to the weary little folk who fret in wretched beds in the homes of poverty.

For the Trust.
J. ROSS ROBERTSON,
Chairman.

MEDICAL REPORT.

	In Hospital Oct. 1st, 1895	DISCHARGED.					In Hospital Sept 30th, 1896
		Cured	Impr'v'd	Unimproved.	Died.	Total.	
Medical	26	178	81	9	15	283	28
Surgical	40	162	123	23	6	314	64
Total.....	66	340	204	32	21	597	92

Highest number in Hospital 108—Aug. 11th, 1896
 Lowest number in Hospital 63—Oct. 1st, 1895
 Average daily number during 12 months 90.45

Average residence of Patients 55.30 days
 " " " discharged alive 51.68 days
 " " " who died. 39 4-5 days
 Percentage of deaths to total discharged 4½ per cent

Patients treated at out-door clinics from Oct. 1st, 1895, to Sept. 30th, 1896 :

Medical.....	3180
Surgical	1141
Total.....	4321

TABLE SHOWING AGES AND SEX OF PATIENTS ADMITTED.

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Under 1 year	3	2	5
1 year and under 2 years	10	3	13
2 years " " 3 "	31	22	53
3 " " 4 "	26	12	38
4 " " 5 "	14	18	32
5 " " 6 "	22	27	49
6 " " 7 "	20	18	38
7 " " 8 "	31	27	58
8 " " 9 "	24	15	39
9 " " 10 "	29	30	59
10 " " 11 "	23	25	48
11 " " 12 "	25	25	50
12 " " 13 "	15	19	34
13 " " 14 "	26	24	50
14 " and above.....	16	15	31
	315	282	597

SURGICAL OPERATIONS.

TABLE SHOWING NATURE OF SURGICAL OPERATIONS
DURING YEAR FROM OCT. 1ST, 1895, TO SEPT. 30TH, 1896.

Adenoids removed.....	26	Hydrocephalus (lumbar puncture).....	1
Abscesses opened—		Amputations.....	7
Iliac.....	5	Amygdalotomy.....	2
Psoas.....	5	Tonsils removed.....	16
Rectal.....	1	Breaking down adhesion.....	7
Hip diseases.....	8	Injection of Iodoform Emulsion.....	8
General.....	21	Aspiration—	
Necrosis of bone.....	13	Chest.....	
Strabismus (tenotomy).....	5	Scrotum.....	1
Cataract.....	5	Flat foot.....	1
Talines (plasters applied).....	17	Nævus removed.....	10
Osteotomy for bow legs.....	1	Forcible extension of parts.....	4
Trephining skull.....	2	Tentotomy.....	8
Lithotomy, supra pubic.....	1	Phlegmon removed.....	2
Hernia (radical cure).....	5	Ingrowing toe nail.....	2
Curetting—		Appendix removed.....	3
In Bone.....	14	Tumors removed.....	7
In Soft Parts.....	25	Foreign bodies extracted.....	5
Entropion.....	4	Spina Bifida.....	1
Glands removed.....	9	Excisions—	
Fractures reduced.....	12	Hip.....	1
Circumcision.....	12	Astragalus.....	1
Plastic Operations—		Carpus.....	1
Hare lip and cleft palate.....	6	Dressings and examinations, etc.....	84
Ptosis.....	2		
Deflected septum.....	1	Total.....	320

TABLE SHOWING DISEASES IN FATAL CASES

WITH LENGTH OF STAY IN HOSPITAL FOR YEAR FROM OCT. 1ST, 1895, TO SEPT. 30TH, 1896.

NO. ON REG	AGE.		SEX.	DISEASE.	ADMITTED.	DIED.	STAY IN HOSPITAL.
	Y.	M.					
63	2	6	M.	Meningitis.....	Sept. 25, 1895	Nov. 9, 1895	45 days.
172	2	....	F.	Scald of head and arms.....	Dec. 24, 1895	Dec. 25, 1895	1 "
50	9	....	M.	Morbus Coxæ.....	Sept. 13, 1895	Jan. 4, 1896	113 "
186	5	....	F.	Tubercular Meningitis.....	Dec. 31, 1895	Jan. 11, 1896	11 "
203	2	6	M.	Broncho Pneumonia.....	Jan. 10, 1896	Jan. 16, 1896	6 "
207	11	....	F.	Tuberculosis.....	Jan. 14, 1896	Jan. 17, 1896	3 "
218	2	6	F.	Convulsions.....	Jan. 17, 1896	Jan. 17, 1896	
230	7	....	M.	Meningitis.....	Jan. 25, 1896	Feb. 2, 1896	8 "
221	11	....	M.	Meningitis.....	Jan. 19, 1896	Feb. 5, 1896	17 "
137	1	5	M.	Broncho Pneumonia.....	Nov. 20, 1895	Apr. 8, 1896	140 "
290	6	....	F.	General Tuberculosis.....	Mar. 14, 1896	Apr. 30, 1896	47 "
312	12	....	M.	Cardiac.....	Mar. 31, 1896	June 1, 1896	62 "
36	9	....	F.	Morbus Coxæ.....	Aug. 7, 1895	June 2, 1896	289 "
396	5	....	F.	Tubercular Meningitis.....	May 28, 1896	June 5, 1896	8 "
409	5	....	M.	Tubercular Meningitis.....	June 2, 1896	June 13, 1896	11 "
444	3	....	F.	Extensive burn of second deg.....	June 26, 1896	June 27, 1896	1 "
129	8	....	M.	Morbus Coxæ.....	Nov. 15, 1895	July 19, 1896	247 "
524	3	....	F.	Acute Necrosis of left femur.....	Aug. 14, 1896	Aug. 20, 1896	6 "
519	5	....	M.	Tubercular Meningitis.....	Aug. 11, 1896	Aug. 23, 1896	12 "
506	14	....	F.	Congenital Pulmonary Regurg.....	Aug. 5, 1896	Aug. 27, 1896	22 "
550	11	....	F.	Typhoid.....	Sept. 2, 1896	Sept. 23, 1896	21 "

THE HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN.

MEDICAL REPORT, 1ST OCT., 1895, TO 30TH SEPT., 1896.

ANALYSIS OF DISEASES AND RESULTS.

No. of Patients treated from Oct. 1st, 1895, to Sept. 30th, 1896.....	597
" " " still in Hospital.....	92
" " " died.....	21
" " " discharged.....	484
Average days' stay in Hospital.....	55-30

TECHNICAL NAME OF DISEASE.	HOUSEHOLD NAME.	C.	I.	U.	D.	T'
Acne.....	Pimples.....	1		1		1
Anæmia.....	Paleness.....	1				1
Abscess.....	Gathering.....	9	5			14
Adenitis.....		5	4			9
Adherent Prepuce.....		1				1
Adherent Soft Palate.....		1				1
Appendicitis.....		4	1			5
Arthritis.....	Inflammation of a joint.....	1	1			2
Adenoids.....		11	1			12
Amputations.....		5				5
Blepharitis.....			1			1
Bronchitis.....	Inflammation of tubes.....	11	3			14
Broncho Pneumonia.....	Inflammation of lungs.....				2	2
Burns.....	Burns.....	3	1		2	6
Bronchosis.....	Fœtid sweats.....	2				2
Bruises.....		7	1			8
Congenital Absence of Tibia.....		1				1
Chorea.....	St. Vitus' Dance.....	13	6			19
Caries.....	Gradual decay of bone.....	1	1			2
Cataract.....	Cataract.....	1	5			6
Cystitis.....	Inflammation of bladder.....	1	1			2
Convulsions.....	Fits.....				1	1
Cellulitis.....	Inflammation of skin.....	1				1
Conjunctivitis.....	Inflammation of eye.....	6	10			16
Cardiac.....					1	1
Dyspepsia.....	Indigestion.....	4	2			6
Disease of Aortic Valve.....			1			1
Disease of Mitral Valve.....			3	1	1	5
Disease of Pulmonary Valve.....						
Dislocation of Elbow.....	Dislocation of elbow.....	2	1			3
Dislocation of Knee.....	Dislocation of knee.....	1				1
Dislocation of Femur.....	Dislocation of shoulder.....			1		1
Dislocation of Patella.....	Dislocation of knee cap.....	2				2
Debility.....		7	9			16
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Exuberant Granulations.....		1				1
Enteritis.....	Inflammation of intestines.....	5				5
Epilepsy.....		3	6	1		10
Epulis.....		1				1
Empyema.....	Pus in the chest external to lungs.....	1				1
Eczema.....	Salt Rheum.....	5	2			7
Erythema.....		2	1			3
Epiphysitis.....		1				1
Erysipelas.....	Inflammation of skin.....	1				1
Ectropia Vesiculæ.....	Absence of anterior wall of bladder and abdomen.....			1		1
Eneuresis.....	Incontinence of urine.....	2				2
Fractures—	Broken bones—					
Femur.....	Thigh.....	1				1
Humerus.....	Upper arm.....	5				5
Radius.....	Lower arm.....	2	1			3
Tibia.....	Lower leg.....	2				2
Clavicle.....	Collar bone.....	3		1		4
Gastritis.....	Inflammation of stomach.....	1				1
Glaucoma.....				1		1
Genu Varum.....	Bow legs.....	1	3			4
Genu Valgum.....	Knock knee.....	1				1
General Tuberculosis.....	Consumption.....		2	2	2	6
Hepatitis.....	Inflammation of liver.....		1			1
Hydrocele.....			1			1
Hypopadius.....				1		1
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MEDICAL REPORT, 1896—ANALYSIS OF DISEASES AND RESULTS.

TECHNICAL NAME OF DISEASE.	HOUSEHOLD NAME.	C.	I.	U.	D.	Tl.
Hydrocephalus	Water on the brain	2	1	1		2
Hare Lip and Cleft Palate		1	2	1		5
Hydrops Articulii	Water in a joint	1	1			2
Hernia	Rupture	5	5	5		13
Hæmophilia	Bleeders		1			1
Hypertrophy Turbinatis		1				1
Iritis	Inflam. of coloured part of the eye	1				1
Influenza	LaGrippe	1				1
Ischio, Rectal Abscess		1				1
Ichthyosis	Fish skin	1				1
Ingrowing Toe Nail		3				3
Injuries not classed		2	1			3
Infantile Paralysis		1	2	1		4
Laryngitis		1				1
Lumbricoides	Intestinal worms	1				1
Lipoma	Fatty tumor	1				1
Keratitis		6	7			15
Measles		2				2
Myxasmus		1				1
Meningitis	Inflammation of brain				3	3
Mastoiditis		2	2			4
Morbus Coxæ	Hip joint disease	12	19	4	3	38
Necrosis	Death of bone	3	2		1	12
Nævus	Birth mark	2	2			4
Osteo Myelitis		2	2	1		5
Otitis Media	Inflammation of middle ear	7	7	1		15
Ophthalmia	Inflammation of eye	2	2			5
Otitis Externa	Inflammation of external ear	2	1			3
Orchitis		1	1			1
Phlebitis		1				1
Paraplegia	Paralysis of lower half of body			1		1
Periostitis		3		1		4
Ptosis	Dropping of upper eyelid	1				1
Phlegmon		2				2
Pneumonia	Inflammation of lungs	28				28
Pleurisy	Water in chest		2			2
Pediculi	Lice	1				1
Psoriasis		1				1
Phymosis		7	1	1		9
Pyæmia		2				2
Paralysis of Muscles of Forearm				1		1
Prolapsus Recti		1				1
Pericarditis		2				2
Pott's Disease	Spinal disease	2	7			9
Paralysis of rt. abd. and gluteal mus.			1			1
Perityphlitis		1				1
Rheumatism		5				5
Stomatitis	Inflammation of mouth	2				2
Spina Bifida		1				1
Spinal Curvature		1	8	1		10
Staphyloma		1	1			2
Strabismus	Squint	1	3			4
Syphilis			4			4
Sprains		3				3
Synovitis		3				3
Spastic Paralysis				2		2
Spina Ventosa		1	1			2
Septicæmia	Blood poisoning	1				1
Tonsillitis	Inflammation of tonsils	7				7
Tubercular Meningitis					4	4
Typhoid Fever		28			1	29
Torticollis	Wry neck		1			1
Tubercular Peritonitis		1				1
Talipes	Club foot	5	12	1		18
Tubercular Ankle		1	1			2
Tubercular Knee		4	6			10
Tubercular Adenitis		3	3			6
Traumatic Epilepsy			1			1
Tenia Tonsurans			1			1
Tumor		1				1
Ulcer of Cornea		3	2			5
Ulcers		4				4
Vaginitis		5	3			8
Wounds		4	6			10

[C.—Cured. I.—Improved. U.—Unimproved. D.—Died.]

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P. G. GOLDSMITH, F. C. STEELE, House Surgeons.

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LIST OF COTS MAINTAINED IN HOSPITAL FOR SICK CHILDREN FOR 1896.

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	<i>Est'd.</i>	<i>By Whom Maintained.</i>
1 Rolleston Cot	1875	Mrs. Neville's School.
2 Violet Cot	1878	Judge Ardagh, Barrie.
3 Orillia Cot	1880	People of Orillia.
4 Consolidated Cot	1880	The Ladies' Committee.
5 Faith Cot	1880	Half by St. Peter's S.S.
6 Queen Street Methodist S.S. Cot	1883	Queen Street Methodist S.S.
7 I.O.O.F. Cot	1883	I.O.O.F. of Toronto.
8 St. Paul's S.S. Cot	1886	St. Paul's S.S.
9 Mary Helen Cot	1887	Mrs. J. I. Davidson.
10 Isabelle Cot	1887	Mrs. W. G. P. Cassels.
11 Ministering Children's League Cot	1887	M.C.L.
12 All Saints' Alpha Cot	1888	All Saints' S.S.
13 Birdie Cot	1888	Mrs. R. A. McLelland.
14 Tommie Cot	1888	Mrs. T. G. Blackstock.
15 Cooke's Church S.S. Cot	1889	Cooke's Church S.S.
16 Mary Pollard Cot	1889	Mrs. Pollard's Bequest.
17 Henry Martyn Cot	1891	Knox Church Bible Class.
18 The Fotheringham Cot	1891	Bloor Street Presbyterian S.S.
19 The Good Cheer Cot	1891	Hon. Chancellor Boyd.
20 The Toronto Police Cot	1891	Toronto Police Force.
21 Richard Dunbar Cot	1891	Endowed by Mrs. Dunbar.
22 Margaret Cot	1891	Mrs. W. A. Baldwin.
23 James Hervey Price Cot	1891	Miss Price.
24 Euclid Avenue Methodist S.S. Cot	1891	Euclid Avenue Methodist S.S.
25 Mary Ethel Cot	1891	Mrs. R. J. Tackaberry.
26 Charlotte Lewis Cot	1891	Mr. Amilius Irving.
27 The Boilermakers' Cot	1892	Mr. Neil Currie's Bequest.
28 St. Andrew's Church Institute Cot	1892	St. Andrew's Church Institute.
29 The Dean Cot	1892	Mrs. George Gooderham.
30 Ella and Lily Cot	1892	The Misses Gooderham.
31 The Lily Bacon Cot	1892	Mrs. John Bacon.
32 Little Wil's Cot	1892	Mrs. William Laidlaw.
33 The Dorothy Cot	1892	Mrs. William Goulding.
34 The Canadian's Children's Cot	1892	Children of Canada.
35 The Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M. Cot	1892	Mr. J. Ross Robertson.
36 Thangsgiving Cot	1893	Mrs. Walter S. Lee.
37 Grummy Cot	1893	Mrs. D'Alton McCarthy.
38 "God is Love" Cot	1893	Mrs. William Davies, jr.
39 The Worts Cot	1893	Mrs. E. A. Smart.
40 Newmarket Junior Epworth League Cot	1894	Junior Epworth League, Newmarket
41 Cot in Memory of Sarah McLelland Boswell	1895	Master R. M. Boswell, Fergus.
42 The B. Frank Bull Cot	1895	Mrs. T. H. Bull.
43 Maria Louisa Robertson Cot	1895	Mr. J. Ross Robertson.
44 Ruth Lillian Cot	1896	Mr. W. E. H. Massey.
45 Newsboys' Cot	1896	Mr. J. Ross Robertson.
46 The East Toronto Cot	1896	Mr. J. Ross Robertson.

THE LAKESIDE HOME COTS, 1896.

1 Allan Norman Cot	Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Mackenzie.
2 Adelaide Cot	"A Sympathizer," Brockville.
3 Port Hope M.C.L. Cot	Ministering Children's League.
4 The Birch Cliff Cot	Mr. H. L. Stark.
5 The Gordon Cot	Mr. F. J. Stewart.
6 I. A. A. Cot—for boys	Island Amateur Aquatic Association.
7 I. A. A. Cot—for girls	
8 Newsboys' Cot	Mr. James Wood.

DONATIONS, Etc., IN CASH.

Oct. 1, 1895, to Sept. 30, 1896.

OCTOBER.

From a Friend	\$5 00
W. H. S.	25
Cent Box	25
A Freak	25
Bottle	20
John M. Gander.....	5 00
Rebato on gas account.....	82 75
Collected at Sunday ser- vices, Otter Island Camp, Stoney Lake	2 00
Contribution boxes	24 34
Nurses' books	5 96

Students' fees	40 00
Pay patients	165 18

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<i>For Maintaining Cots--</i>	
Consolidated Cot	10 50
Gordon Cot, L. H.....	4 00
Isabelle Cot	50 00

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NOVEMBER.

Rebecca Hepburn, per Mrs. C. H. Nelson	\$1 00
J. D. Nasmith, in trust...	5 00
W. H. S.	25
Mrs. H. E. Clarke.....	8 00
A Friend, O'Hara ave.....	3 00
J. Ross Robertson.....	88 56
Rev. A. H. Baldwin.....	10 00
R. B. Street.....	5 00
Miss A., Cobourg.....	100 00
Barrels	60
Newmarket Pres. S. S.....	12 50
Offertories, St. Andrew's, on I land	67 45
Contribution boxes	24 92
Nurses' books	8 52
Students' fees	6 00
Pay patients	169 00

<i>From Masonic Lodges--</i>	
Collection June 24, Stan- ley and Mimico Lodges ...	10 00

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<i>For Maintaining Cots--</i>	
Consolidated Cot	11 50
Toronto Mission Union S.S. Cot	25 00
Queen St. Meth. S.S. Cot...	55 00
Margaret Cot	25 00
Grummy Cot,	50 00
M. C. L. Cot	50 00

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<i>Bequest--</i>	
Final payment on Mr. Alex- ander Lawrie's	795 43

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DECEMBER.

Mrs. G. J. Cook	10 00
Mrs. R. Irving Walker ...	12 00
Master Macbeth	1 30
W. H. S.	25
Miss Jane Patrick	250 00
Concert by Masters Jackes Gzowski, etc.	6 50
Grenadier Ice & Coal Co.	7 50
Bottles	05
Iden Goble, Port Sandfield	2 00
A stranger at the Queen's...	1 00
Sale of work, M. B.	1 00
W. McGill, Thorold	2 00
H. B., for Christmas	1 00
Toronto No. 1 Branch C. A. S. E.	5 00
Local Union No. 23, Book- binders	5 00
A Machinist	2 00
Canada Paper Co.	50 00
S. S. Y.	50
Alfred Wood	10 00
A. W. Oroll	25 00
B. Homer Dixon	10 00
Christie, Brown & Co.	50 00
Gamble Geddes	1 00
Rev. Dr. McLaren	2 00
Timothy Eaton	100 00
E. Y. Eaton.....	100 00
Chas. W. Robertson.....	10 00
Mrs. Chas. Cockhutt.....	50 00
Sir Oliver Mowat.....	10 00
Mrs. Nell Currie.....	10 00
A. D. Benjamin.....	50 00
Rev. Louis H. Jordan.....	5 00
F. X. Cousineau.....	5 00
Millichamp, Coyle & Co.....	5 00
Mrs. Henry Brock.....	5 00
J. Ross Robertson.....	133 03
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<i>"The Hospital for Sick Children'</i>	
A. A. Davis, Cayuga.....	1 00
Miss E. White.....	2 00
"Best wishes from Santa Claus'	10 00
C. H. Willson.....	1 00
A friend of the children, Cornwall	1 00
In aid of the Sick Chil- dren's Hospital	5 00
A. White, Guelph.....	10 00
D. Robertson, Walkerton...	2 00
Willie and Olive Craw- ford, Dungannon	2 00
"One who loves them," Elmvale	1 00
Jacob R. Muir, Avonbank	2 00
T. R. Bain.....	5 00
Mrs. T. R. Bain.....	5 00
Miss A. E. Bain.....	5 00
Lizzie A. Boyd, London.....	1 00
A Friend, St. Catharines...	1 00
"For the Sick Children's Fund'	1 00
Mrs. Freeland	1 00
J. J. McManus.....	3 00
"A nite for the children'"	1 00
Yours, etc., etc., Oshawa...	1 00
Mrs. J. Wrist.....	1 00
Five little friends.....	1 00
Jas. O'N. Ireland.....	20 00
Day's wages corporation labourer	1 53
H. R.	5 00
A Sympathizer	50
Canada Printing Ink Co...	5 00
Florry and Nellie.....	14
W. W. Colwell, jr.....	10 00
Five friends	5 00

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DECEMBER,--Continued.

	"In loving memory of Irene".....	2 00
	E. A. Simpson.....	10 00
	M. Cook.....	1 00
31 18	A little girl's Saturday coppers saved.....	52
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	Yonge st. Fire Hall.....	6 38
	James Carruthers.....	50 00
	J. K. Osborne.....	10 00
	A friend.....	2 00
64 50	Osgrove Brewery Co.....	5 00
	"Two of us".....	45
95 68	Barlow Cumberland.....	5 00
	Dr. Millman.....	10 00
	Joe. Henderson.....	10 00
	J. H. G. Hagarty.....	20 00
	Thomas Dunnett.....	50 00
	A. E. S.....	1 00
	Irene McCann.....	2 00
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	A sympathizer.....	1 00
	A friend.....	2 00
	Jessie Johnston.....	5 00
	A. Myers.....	15 00
	Thos. Crawford.....	10 00
	Geo. W. Jackes.....	2 00
	"Good-will".....	1 00
	Geo. Hy. Thompson.....	1 00
216 50	W. J. McGuire & Co.....	10 00
	Geo. W. Burton.....	10 00
	B. Jennings.....	5 00
	Rose.....	2 00
	Mrs. Becher.....	5 00
	Dr. J. F. W. Ross.....	5 00
	Miles Vokes.....	5 00
	F. K.....	1 00
	F. E. B.....	2 00
	Henry Pellatt.....	10 00
	W. K. McNaught.....	10 00
	G. W. Allan.....	5 00
	Mrs. A. G. Buckham.....	1 00
	Shipplaster.....	25
	A Friend, Lindsay.....	5 00
	Ironmoulders' Union No. 28.....	5 00
	Christmas Eve.....	5 00
	Jno. McDonald, Tilsonburg.....	1 00
	Dr. Allen Baines.....	20 00
	Crossley and Hunter.....	1 00
	Geo. Robertson, Trenton... ..	1 00
	Geo. Smeath.....	1 00
	Sir Donald Smith, Montreal.....	100 00
	Isabel A. Fairbairn, Dungan- gannon.....	4 00
	H. Goeman.....	7 00
	A. S. Irving.....	10 00
	Robt. D. Perry.....	20 00
	Dr. John Hoskin.....	20 00
	E. A. Chown.....	3 00
	G. McCulloch, Harwood.....	3 00
	Bessie, Lois and Belle.....	3 00
	A Friend.....	2 00
	F. T. Price.....	5 00
	A Friend.....	1 00
	A. Gowler, jr.....	2 00
	Drawer 4, Minden.....	1 00
	Mrs. Margaret Lohead.....	2 00
	Marion Aylward, Queens- ville.....	1 00
	John Pratt, Heathcote... ..	1 25
	A. J. Boyd.....	5 00
	Well Wi her, Alliston.....	1 00
	H. P. Lawrence, Watford... ..	2 00
	Jno. M. Elliott, Sykeston.....	1 00
	"A Scotch Family, per "Thi tie".....	2 50
	The Mortgage Fund, from Irene.....	60

Arthur Hale.....	19
"Little Ethel Henderson"...	1 00
A Member of the Brother- hood of St. Andrew.....	2 00
Bracondale.....	1 00
Sir David Macpherson.....	10 00
Boys of No. 5 Cottage, Mimico Industrial School.....	1 00
H. W. S.....	1 00
David McGee.....	2 00
Amilius Irving.....	10 00
M. Sweetnam.....	5 00
Ellen and Bella McCallum.....	50
Rev. M. G. Poole.....	1 00
Geo. B. Nicol.....	5 00
Well Wi her.....	1 00
The Apple Blossom Club... ..	6 00
A mother and daughter.....	2 00
David on B. Manley.....	2 00
A Scot-man.....	5 00
Alex. Manning.....	20 00
James, Fred and Arthur... ..	40
Mrs. W. Gibbons.....	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Caldwell.....	5 00
T. A. Mulholland & Co.	5 00
A sympathizer.....	50
Hy. S. Walker.....	35 00
John Paton.....	10 00
Mrs. C. Page.....	25 00
A. Swelter.....	1 00
Auguste Bolte.....	5 00
St. Mary's S.S., Dovercourt.....	2 25
Children's Mission Service, by a student of Knox Col... ..	2 00
Duchess St. Miss. S.S.....	10 00
Through All Saints' Church.....	1 00
Walmer Rd. Baptist S.S.... ..	2 11
Bathurst St. S.S.....	27 40
Broadview ave. S.S.....	3 00
Primary Class, St. Andrew's Pres. Miss., Brantford.....	2 32
Primary Class, Carlton St. Methodist S.S.....	4 39
Class 21, West Pres. S.S.,	5 00
Shelbourne Meth. S.S.,	8 50
Eglinton Meth. S.S.,	10 00
Colborne St. Meth. S.S., Brantford.....	5 00
Poplar Bank S.S., Holland Landing.....	5 00
New Richmond Methodist Church.....	5 00
Contribution Boxes.....	55 61
Nurses' Books.....	3 83
Pay Patients.....	94 80

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From Masonic Lodges--

A Collingwood Mason.....	5 00
A Freemason.....	50 00
Blair Lodge, No. 314, Pal- merston.....	5 00
Clinton Lodge, No. 84, Clin- ton.....	21 50
Windsor Lodge, No. 403, Windsor.....	5 00
Wilmot Lodge No. 318, Baden.....	5 00
Tecumseh Lodge No. 144, Stratford.....	10 00
Union Lodge, No. 380, Lon- don.....	5 00
Guelph Lodge, No. 258, Guelph.....	5 00
St. John's Loage, No. 104, Norwich.....	10 00
St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 16, Toronto.....	25 00
Wellington Lodge, No. 271, Eria.....	5 00
Ionic Lodge, No. 25, To- ronto.....	50 00

DECEMBER.—Continued.

Ashlar Lodge, No. 247, Toronto	10 00
The Builders' Lodge, No. 177, Ottawa	10 00
St. John's Lodge, No. 68, Ingersoll	5 00
Petrolea Lodge, No. 184, Petrolea	10 00
Rehoboam Lodge, No. 65, Toronto	5 00
Kerr Lodge, No. 230, Barrie	5 00
Kilwinning Lodge, No. 64, London	5 00
Ontario Lodge, No. 26, Pt. Hope	5 00
Doric Lodge, No. 316, Toronto	10 00
Alexandria Lodge, No. 158, Oil Springs	5 00
Lebanon Forest Lodge, Exeter	5 00
Rising Sun Lodge, No. 85, Athens	5 00
Mountain Lodge No. 221, Thorold	5 00
Cassia Lodge, No. 116, Theford	5 00
Scott Lodge, No. 421, Grand Valley	6 10
Bernard Lodge, No. 225, Listowel	10 00
Doric Lodge, No. 121, Brantford	5 00
St. John's Lodge, No. 63, Carleton Place	10 00
Orono Lodge, No. 325, Orono	5 00

Faithful Brethren Lodge No. 77, Lindsay	5 00
Burns Lodge, No. 153, Wyoming	5 00
Strong Lodge, No. 423, Sundridge	5 00
Nipissing Lodge, No. 420, North Bay	5 00
The Spry Lodge, Fenelon Falls	5 00
Palmer Lodge, No. 372, Bridgeburg	5 00
Coinchian Lodge, No. 101, Peterboro'	5 00
Peterboro' Lodge, No. 155, Peterboro'	5 00
Ionic Lodge No. 229, Brampton	5 00
Sharon Lodge No. 97, Queensville	5 00
Great Western Lodge No. 47, Windsor	10 00
<i>For Maintaining Cots—</i>	
Consolidated Cot	8 00
Henry Martyn Cot	100 00
Cooke's Ch. S. S. Cot	75 00
All Saints' Alpha Cot	25 00
Toronto Police Cot	100 00
St. Paul's S. S. Cot	100 00
Birdie Cot	25 00
Rollston Cot	53 00
I. O. O. F. Cot	100 00
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<i>For Maintaining Cots—</i>	
Consolidated Cot	8 00
Henry Martyn Cot	100 00
Cooke's Ch. S. S. Cot	75 00
All Saints' Alpha Cot	25 00
Toronto Police Cot	100 00
St. Paul's S. S. Cot	100 00
Birdie Cot	25 00
Rollston Cot	53 00
I. O. O. F. Cot	100 00
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JANUARY.

W. E. Watson	\$10 00
Mrs. J. A. Halsted, Mount Forest	4 00
J. A. Lancaster, Petrolea	5 00
From a Friend	2 00
Mrs. Gladman	1 00
Annie, Harry and Willie	60
"A lad who wishes to contribute"	20
George and Cecil	28
Ernest and Rosie Webb	25
"From man and wife"	3 00
Phyllis	25
W. H. S.	50
For Sick Children	1 00
E. Magee, Fairbank	2 00
From Chester	12
Miss Leary	2 00
A Friend, Wellesley st.	5 00
Ernest and Ethel Pim	2 00
F. R. S. and B. C.	25
Johnston & Rcs.	10 00
A Friend	1 00
A Friend	1 00
Edith Yates	1 00
For the S. C. H.	1 00
A Friend	4 00
G. W. Booth	10 00
Mrs. Reginald Lockhart	25 00
Ora Wright	20
Stratton, May and Kathleen	3 00
C. H. Oler	7 00
Luta E. Schofield	3 52
Little Norma	1 00
Johnnie and Willie	50
Jas. Campbell	2 00
Mrs. C. H. Nelson	5 00
Mrs. E. W. Leeds	5 00
Rebecca Hepburn	1 00
E. G. L.	50

W. C.	50
In memory of Malcolm	5 69
H. J. Lytle, Fenelon Falls	10 00
Mrs. H. P. Shephard, Primrose	2 00
Harold Austin's pocket money	26
Dorcas' Seaforth	1 00
A Friend, Laning	1 00
Mrs. Ardagh, Orilla	5 00
Mrs. J. Greene, Fullarton	4 50
S. R.	5 00
R. H. Lear & Co.	5 00
Jennie Odmore, Windsor	2 00
Shiela Neil on	1 51
John Homath	5 00
Harry, Annie, Nelson and Winnie	1 00
J. & A. Gordon	5 00
John Douglas	5 00
Left in Telegram	1 00
Mrs. Wright	2 00
John Massey	5 00
Mr. Edmund Wragge	10 00
Gertie and Ethel	1 50
A. B. Lee	50 00
From a Friend	5 00
N. M. Livingstone, Georgetown	10 00
M. E. W., sick child, Fort Erie	50
J. T. Rolph	2 00
Rev. R. Hamilton, Motherwell	2 00
M. S. Beall, Brooklin	5 00
J. Walker Curry	10 00
Miss Jennie Taylor	2 00
A Friend from the city	10 00
Mrs. C. W. Brown, Glenceo	1 00
From two friends	2 00
Wm. McKenzie	100 00

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Friend from the country...	5 00
Miss Josie Lundy, Sharon ...	1 00
Telephone money	41
Elliott Thornton Grasett...	5 00
J. L.	1 00
Dr. A. H. Perfect, Toronto Junction	1 00
John Laxton	10 00
Rev. John McFarlane, Pine River	5 00
John Barber	50 00
A "Hiram" Guelph.....	4 00
An E. A.....	1 00
A Friend	1 00
Prof. Goldwin Smith.....	50 00
Chas. Bott, Vallantyne	1 00
Rev. Geo. Jackson, Exeter	2 00
G. H. M.	5 00
Edward Gurney	100 00
A Friend, St. David's ...	1 00
Eric McLaughlin	3 00
Mrs. H. McLaren, Hamilton	20 00
Mrs. Goldwin Smith	50 00
For barrels	40
Bricklayers' Union, No. 28, Ontario	25 00
Toronto Curling Club	12 00
Hebrew Benevolent Society	2 50
Employes Dom. Transportation Co	15 00
Toronto Musical Protective Association	5 00
Amalgamated Society Carpenters and Joiners	2 00
Toronto Typo. Union	25 00
Stone Cutters' Union	17 60
Bakers' Union No. 1	2 50
Brotherhood of Varnishers and Polishers, Local Union No. 1	5 00
Eastern Star Council, No. 29, R.L. of T.	1 00
Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Div. 295.	10 25
Concert by Huron St. Public School	50 00
South Plympton Society of Christian Endeavourers ...	1 00
Preston Meth. S.S.	2 25
Crediton S.S.	2 27
St. John's South Ward Mission S.S., Peterboro.....	3 42
Knox Church S.S., Tara ...	2 00
Meth. S.S., Wingham	2 75
St. John's Church S. S., Belleville	3 20
St. John's Pres. S.S., Toronto	11 11
Pt. Credit Meth. S.S. ...	10 00
Glamis Bapt. S.S.	4 00
Fullarton S.S.	2 50
William St. Mission	5 33
Walton S.S.	2 00
Norwood Pres. S.S.	1 00
Walmer Rd. Baptist S.S. Birthday Box	10 00
Beamsville Pres. S.S.	6 00
St. John's Pres. S.S. Grimsby	9 00
St. James S.S. Guelph.....	4 60
Class 45, West Pres. S.S.	5 00
Bruce Mines S. S.....	1 25
Listowel S. S.....	2 00
St. John's S. S., York ...	2 25
Delhi Mission Band.....	3 00
Wyoming Pres. S. S.....	3 50
Bloor St. Baptist S. S.....	20 00
Erskine Ch. Bible Class.....	5 00
Brooklin Pres. S. S.....	7 00

Meth. S. S., Penetang.....	2 00
East Pres. S. S.....	5 00
Hope Cong. S. S.....	5 50
Victoria S. S., Ravenna.....	1 41
Primary Class, First avenue Baptist S. S.....	1 00
Allandale Pres. S. S.....	2 00
Bible Class, Christ Ch, Lyn	3 00
Christ Ch. S. S., Gananoque	1 60
Morning Infants' Class, All Saints' S. S.....	2 08
Class of Six Little Girls, All Saint's Morning S. S...	1 00
St. Matthias S. S., East London	3 00
St. Luke's S. S., Mulmur...	70
Trinity S. S., Adjara.....	40
St. David's S. S., Enrith...	1 45
Cowan ave. Pres. S. S.....	3 00
Christ Ch. S. S., Glanworth	1 50
Baptist S. S., Delhi.....	2 50
Union Mission S. S., Toronto Junction	5 50
Columbus Pres. S. S.....	3 80
Westminster S. S. Ass'n...	5 00
Durham Pres. S. S.....	5 00
Kenmore S. S. for L. H.....	1 36
Front street Meth. S. S., Strathroy	4 00
James st. S. S., Exeter.....	3 00
Pres. S. S., Port Credit...	2 50
Contribution boxes	39 87
For nurses' books	9 66
Students' fees	4 00
Pay patients	191 30

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From Masonic Lodges—

Muskoka Lodge, No. 360, Bracebridge	20 00
Old Light Lodge, No. 184, Lucknow	5 00
Zetland Lodge, No. 326.....	25 00
Forest Lodge No. 263, Forest	5 00
Maple Leaf Lodge No. 119, Bath	5 00
Corinthian Lodge No. 96, Barrie	10 00
Huron Lodge No. 392, Camlachie	5 00
Leeds Lodge No. 201, Gananoque	5 00
Stratford Lodge No. 332, Stratford	5 00
St. John's Lodge No. 75, Toronto, L. H.	7 50
St. John's Lodge No. 75, Toronto, H. S. C.	7 50
Howard Lodge No. 391, Ridgetown	5 00
Georgina Lodge No. 343, Toronto	10 00
Rameses Temple A. A., order M. S.	25 00
King Solomon's Lodge No. 378, London	5 00
Georgian Lodge No. 348, Penetang	5 00
Northern Light Lodge No. 93, Kincardine	5 00
Northern Light Lodge No. 266, Stayner	5 00
River Park Lodge No. 356, Streetsville	10 00
Perth Lodge No. 14, Perth	5 00
Vienna Lodge No. 237, Vienna	3 00

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JANUARY-Continued.

St. Lawrence Lodge No. 131, Southampton	5 00
Humber Lodge No. 305, Weston	10 00
King Solomon's Lodge, Toronto	25 00
Beaver Lodge No. 234, Clarksburg	5 00
Verulam Lodge No. 268, Bobcaygeon	3 00
Speed Lodge No. 130, Guelph	5 00
Evergreen Lodge No. 209, Lanark	5 00
St. John's Lodge No. 209a, London	10 00
Pythagoras Lodge No. 137, Meaford	10 00
Plattsville Lodge No. 173, Plattsville	5 00
Chapter, Lodge, Preceptory of Dunnville	5 00
King Solomon's R. A. Chap. No. 8, Toronto	5 00
Occident Lodge, No. 339, Toronto	10 00
St. John's Lodge, No. 17, Cobourg	5 00
Prince of Wales Lodge, No. 146, Newburgh	5 00
Florence Lodge, No. 190, Florence	5 00
Antiquity, R. A., Chapter No. 91, Toronto	10 00
Brougham Union Lodge, No. 269, Whitevale	5 00
Norfolk Lodge, No. 10, Simcoe	5 00
Scotland Lodge, No. 193, Scotland	10 00
Members of Scotland Lodge No. 193	7 00
Mattawa Lodge, No. 405, Mattawa	10 00

Niagara Lodge, No. 2, Niagara	10 00
King Hiram Lodge, No. 73, Tilsonburg	10 00
Stevenson Lodge, No. 218, Toronto	10 00
Seymour Lodge, No. 272, Ancaster	5 00
Doric Lodge, No. 424, Pickering	5 00
Lyn Lodge, No. 416, Lyn Harris Lodge, No. 216, Orangeville	5 00
Ionic Lodge, No. 203, Elora	5 00
	398 00

For Maintaining Cots-

Consolidated Cot	10 00
Violet Cot	25 00
Good Cheer Cot	50 00
Mary Pollard Cot	30 00
Charlotte Lewis Cot	100 00
Newsboys' Cot, J.R.R.	277 87
Newsboys' Cot, James Wood	25 00
Mary Helen Cot	100 00
Ruth Lillian Cot	100 00
Mary Ethel Cot	100 00
James Hervey Price Cot ...	100 00
Margaret Cot	25 00
Thanksgiving Cot	20 00
	962 87

For Building Fund-

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. George	25 00
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Bequest-

Miss Agnes Dick	200 00
Further payment Mr. Kerterson's	200 00
	400 00
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FEBRUARY.

Sympathizer, Gananoque ...	1 00
W. H. S.	25
Geo. Robinson	50 00
A. R. Lewis	5 00
A. Friani, Thorold	2 00
D. Kelly	5 00
Mrs. Thos. Stewart, Belleville	5 00
B. and W. Embree	5 00
"Contents of our dear little Arthur's purse"	33
Mrs. Lorne Campbell	10 00
Mrs. Crooks	1 00
Three little girls, Orono..	80
A. V. DeLaporte	5 00
Addie White	05
Mrs. Homer Dixon	10 00
Charles Gamble	2 00
Chief Justice Hagarty	10 00
Timothy Eaton	1,000 00
Com. Trav. Mut. Ben. Soc. Federated Coun. of Building Trades	13 00
United Assn. Plumbers and Gasfitters, Local 46	5 00
The Mendelssohn Choir of Toronto	80 00
Northern Cong. S. S.	10 00
St. Andrew's S. S.	15 00
Sarnia Township Baptist S. S.	3 00
Ossington ave. Bap. S. S.	3 67
College st. Bap. S. S.	6 00
Methodist S. S., Chesley...	4 00

Ora Station Circuit Meth. Church	3 00
Bethesda Congregation	1 50
Miss Harwood's S. S. Class ..	35
Christ Ch. S. S., Petrolia...	1 00
Baptist S. S., Sault Ste. Marie	2 00
Contribution boxes	21 46
Nurses' books	11 19
Pay patients	92 30
	1,404 90
From Masonic Lodges-	
Murray Lodge No. 408, Beaverton	5 00
Prince Edward Lodge No. 18, Picton	25 00
Keewatin Lodge No. 417, Keewatin	10 00
Members of Keewatin Ldg. Britannia Lodge No. 170, Seaforth	16 50
	5 00
Hope Lodge No. 114, Port Hope	5 00
Lake Lodge No. 215, Ameliasburg	5 00
Dominion Lodge No. 205, Hamburg	5 00
Malahide Lodge No. 140, Aymer	10 00
St. John's Lodge No. 20, London	5 00
Richmond Lodge No. 23, Richmond Hill	5 00
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<i>For Maintaining Cots—</i>	
Consolidated Cot	6 00
Isabelle Cot	50 00
Orillia Cot	27 00

Cooke's Ch. S.S. Cot	25 00	
		108 00
		<u>\$8,507 12</u>

MAY.

W. H. S.	25
A. S. Irving, (fees as Grand Juror)	22 00
G. K.	5 00
Jas. B. Baxter	2 00
Grenadier Ice & Coal Co. The Boiler Insurance and Inspection Co.	3 00
Mrs. Hay's Ambulance Class	15 00
Mrs. Gibson's Ambulance Class	2 00
Mrs. Davidson's Ambulance Class	2 00
Concert, Miss Rena Cowley and Miss L. Ashton-Fletcher	2 50
Rebate, Fees on Bill	20 00
Interest	94 30
Simpson Ave. S.S.	18 66
Apsley Mission S.S.	6 42
Grahamsville S. S.	1 45
Methodist S.S. Ashworth ...	1 09
Bogarttown S.S., ...Whit-church	1 00
	10 00

Contribution Boxes	19 55	
Thermometers	1 50	
Pay Patients	314 04	541 76

From Masonic Lodges—

Blackwood Lodge, No. 311, Woodbridge	6 00	
Howard Lodge, No. 391, Ridgetown	5 00	
Doric Lodge, collection at Annual Service	74 14	85 14

For Maintaining Cots—

Consolidated Cot	12 50	
Fotheringham Cot	91 00	
Margaret Cot	25 00	
Newsboys' Cot	415 18	
Grummy Cot	50 00	
M. G. L. Cot	50 00	
Orillia Cot	23 00	666 68
		<u>\$1,293 58</u>

JUNE.

W. H. S.	25
Rev. E. T. Fox,	5 00
Blake, Lash, & Cassels	50 00
Mrs. Gibson's Ambulance Class	8 00
Bottles	19
Y. P. S. of Old St. Andrew's Church	5 00
Berkeley St. S.S.	10 00
Maple St. Methodist S.S. Collingwood	3 00
St. Clarens Ave. Meth. S.S.	4 50
Contribution Boxes	19 78
Pay Patients	128 15

For Maintaining Cots—

Consolidated Cot	11 00	
Thanksgiving Cot, Mrs. W. S. Lee	10 00	
"God is Love" Cot	100 00	
Violet Cot	50 00	
Birdie Cot	25 00	
I. A. A. Cot, No. 1, L. H.	25 00	
I. A. A. Cot, No. 2, L. H.	25 00	246 00

Request—

Adrian H. Abbott, for Lake-side Home	25 00	25 00
		<u>\$504 87</u>

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JULY.

From a Friend	1 00
Bet on East Toronto election, V. L.	5 00
W. H. S.	25
"Street Car Passenger," per J. R. R.	1 00
Mr. Holborn, Queensville, Ont.	1 50
Telephone	14
Metropolitan Sch. of Music Concert	9 43
Contribution boxes	23 45
Nurses' books	3 40
Wages	4 00
Bottles	1 64
Thermometers	1 50
Pay patients	84 70

From Masonic Lodges—

Shuniah Lodge No. 287, Port Arthur	5 00	5 00
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For Maintaining Cots—

Consolidated Cot	2 50	
Mary Polard Cot	20 00	
All Saints' Alpha Cot	25 00	
Newmarket Ep. League Cot	15 00	
Newsboys' Cot	320 13	
Thanksgiving Cot	5 00	
Rollston Cot	20 00	407 63

Request—

Robert Gilmer	300 00	300 00
		<u>\$849 64</u>

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AUGUST.

A Lover of Children, Toronto	10 00
W. H. S.	25
Rev. John E. Moyle, Bracebridge	2 00
Children's Concert at Ward's Island	4 78

Concert by Edith Crown and Jessie Carter	5 04	
Contribution Boxes	26 91	
Wages	8 00	
Bottles	1 64	
Thermometers	1 00	
Pay Patients	132 25	191 87

AUGUST—Continued.

<i>From Masonic Lodges—</i>		Good Cheer Cot 50 00	
King Hiram Lodge, No. 78,		Margaret Cot 25 00	
Tilsonburg 15 00	15 00	Cooke's Ch. S.S. Cot 25 00	
		Newsboys' Cot 253 18	
<i>For Maintaining Cots—</i>			363 18
Consolidated Cot 10 00			<u>\$570 06</u>

SEPTEMBER.

W. H. S. 25	Pay patients 111 00		5,156 06
Ten per cent. of prize			
money won by "Dolly" ... 2 00			
Concert at 536 Ontario st.			
Concert at 310 Sackville			
street 56			
Contribution Boxes 28 82			
City Corporation Grant....5,000 00			
Bottles 1 24			
Telephone 34			
Thermometers 3 00			
Dispensary 5 00			
			2,786 61
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RECEIVED FROM BEQUESTS DURING YEAR.

Alexander Lawrie \$795 43	Robert Gilmor 300 00
Keterson Estate 200 00	Adrian H. Abott 25 00
Agnes Dick 200 00	

DONATIONS OF \$500 AND OVER.

Timothy Eaton \$1,000 00	J. Ross Robertson \$5,000 00
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DONATIONS IN KIND.

OCTOBER, 1895.

A Fruit Jar Boller—Mr. George Meadows & Co. Clothing—Mrs. Gzowski, Mrs. Walter Cassels, Mrs. Mara, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. C. Nelson. Fruit and Flowers—Mrs. Temple Robinson, Mrs. Lytle, Agnes st. Meth, Ch. C. E., Eglinton Boys' Guild of Sympathy, Mrs. Dunsmore, Miss Price, Mrs. Whiteside, Mrs. Stewart, St. Paul's S. S., Bowmanville. Books and Papers—Mrs. Ch. Baines, Dr. Johnston, Miss Kelly, Deaconess H. H., London, Miss Keenan, Miss Smillie's Room, Dewson st. School, Joy and Phyllis Langlois, Agnes Baile, Miss Shoults, Mr. Clarkson. Food—T. Eaton. Currant Bread—Mrs. Coleman. The World donation for four years.

From October, 1895, to August, 1896. Gzowski, Mrs. G. A. Sweny, Mrs. George per Albert Butson, Gertrude Street, Mr. of third forms, Collegiate Institute, Flora

NOVEMBER, 1895.

Clothing, etc.—Miss Murray, Needlework Guild, Miss Wardrop, Ministering Children's League, Mount Forest Pres. Ch. M. Band, Mrs. Kirkpatrick. Food—Mrs. J. Worthington, Mr. and Mrs. Leitch and boarders, Bartolo Malorana, Christie, Brown & Co. Toys—Eglinton Pres. S. S., Harold Austin, Ministering Children's League, Mrs. Carnaghan, Almira, per Miss T. Bruce, Melville Church Mission Band, Cooperstown. Books and Papers—James B. Hunt, Mrs. Coulson, J. M. Band, St. Andrew's Ch., Mrs. Semple, Dr. Withrow, Minnie A. Pyke. Flowers, Fruit and Sweets—Northern Congregational Church, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Lattimer, Western Pres. Ch., Jenny Galbraith, Clara and Breden Galbraith, Mr. and Mrs. Leitch and boarders, Mr. Simmers, Misses L. and B. Blackstock, Mr. Gilchrist.

DECEMBER.

Clothing, etc.—Mrs. Edward Jones, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Bousefield, Mrs. Armour, Manning avenue school, junior 3rd class, Mrs. Northcote, Messrs. Caldecott, Burton & Spence. Food—Mrs. Coleman, every week, Mrs. H. M. Pellatt, Mrs. George Reynolds, Mrs. W. H. Beatty, Mrs. Smart, Mr. Roberts, Mrs. Campbell Macdonald, Mrs. Gzowski, Mrs. G. A. Sweeney, Mrs. George Bethune, Mrs. M. Doyle, Mrs. G. Beardmore, Mrs. Walter Lee, Clemes Bros., Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Smith, Christie, Brown & Co., Mrs. George A. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene O'Keefe, Mrs. Cowie, Hammond & Orford, Mr. A. E. Badenach's rink, Granite Club, Insp. Awde. Books, pictures, etc.—Christina Rolly, Hugh Johnstone, Fred. Rolly, Mrs. Robert Darling, Mrs. John Pringle's class, Markham, Forest Baptist Mission Band, West Presbyterian Church Junior Christian Endeavour, Mrs. Tolton, Mrs. Bousefield, Miss Westman, Arnprior; Manning avenue school, junior 3rd class, Miss Dallas, Kilgour Bros., Alice Buggs, Mrs. J. McManas, Mrs. Kirkpatrick, A. Russell Forfar, Ida Snarr, Methodist S. S., per Albert Butson, Gertrude Sheet, Mr. Dwight, Mrs. Macintosh, Beatrice Muckle, Miss Morrison, Boys of the Mining Union, Junior Endeavour Society, Miss E. M. Howland, Clarence, Rose and Victor Sloan, Miss Ferguson's class, Walmer road Baptist S. S. Flowers, Fruit, etc.—Mrs. Snider, Preston; Mr. Timothy Eaton, Miss Dray-

ton, Miss Price, Flower Mission Band, Miss Page, Mrs. James Campbell, boys and girls of third form, Collegiate Institute, Flora and Fred Macdonald, Miss Dean's class, St. Stephen's S. S., Alice Buggs, Misses Smith, Mrs. Davis, Messrs. R. & T. Watson, Mr. Norman, Mrs. A. Gooderham, Mrs. Alberti, Mrs. John Abell, Wm. Forrester, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Price, Miss M. J. Webber, Mrs. Ames, Mrs. Marks, Mrs. Awde, Mrs. W. G. Gooderham, Mrs. McConkey, Jack Frost, Mrs. Elerby, Weston, Mrs. Farr, Weston, Percy and Katie, Mrs. Shuter, Mrs. Collett, Mrs. Draper, Miss Handcock. Toys—Edith Mason, Ethel Herod, Miss Cawthra, Mrs. Bousefield, Teeswater, Jack Armour, Dalton Macbeth, Jack Ryerson, Miss Clarkson, Eaby and Herbert Tebbs, Mrs. T. Eaton, Beeton, Welland Third Ward School, Miss Dallas, Rhoda Weston, Mrs. Preston, Miss Bessie Adams, 275 Jarvis st., Miss Rebb's class, Bloor st. P, S. S., Miss Mollington's class, St. Phillip's S. S. Mrs. Davidson, Frank Oliver, Tom McNab, Arthur Duncan, Mrs. A. E. Gooderham, Mrs. M. Robinson, Nelly Florence, Mrs. Stewart, Messrs. Walker, St. James' infant class, Orilla, David, Tom, and May Armitage, Watford, Mrs. W. A. Baldwin, Miss Agnes Drynan, James W. Goddes, Mrs. Ames, Pussy Warner, Miss B. Smith's class, St. Peter's S. S., Mrs. Willison, Miss Edith Wright, Eva Parker, Mrs. Hough, Miss Edith Kay, Mrs. Gzowski, Mrs. Best, Mrs. Macintosh, Miss Morrison, Mildred Bassett, E. and N. Van Rostrand, Miss Purse's class, per Janet, and Madge Anderson, Minnie and Fred, Miss Bessie Adams, Rhoda Weston, Hazel McCoy, Elbert Boundy, Port Hope, Junior E. League, Broadway Tabernacle, Mrs. W. G. Gooderham, Mother Goose entertainment, Florence and Eddy, Geo. E. Bradshaw, Lillie Prangnell, Mrs. Galbraith, many other friends.

JANUARY, 1896.

Sundries—Mr. E. Coatsworth, Mrs. Sutcliffe. Clothing—Miss Henderson and Miss Marshall, Cheltenham, Miss Dundas, Miss Kelly, Stratford Baptist Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Grasett. Toys—Mrs. T. G. Blackstock, Carry Phillips, Jack Robinson, Harold M. Teskey. Food—Hammond & Orford, Mr. Peatty, Mr. A. E. Briggs, Christie Brown & Co. Flowers, Fruits, etc.—Mrs. Rutter, Dunlope, Aggie McAlpin, Miss Daniels, Brockton, Mrs. Snider, Mrs. Score. Books, Pictures, etc.—Mrs. Perrins, Mrs. Kelly, Ethel Long, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Osler, Alliston Band of Hope, Master Sydney Bunting, Three little Orilla Friends, Heber, Alan and Kathleen, Miss Dawkin's Class Zion Church.

FEBRUARY.

Flowers, Fruit, etc.—Mrs. McLennan, Mrs. Richardson, Miss M. E. Oxy, Mrs. Chi-holm, Dumbarton. Books, Pictures, etc.—Mr. G. W. Lewis, Ethel Bartlett and Kathleen Bredin, Cobourg, Ida, Artie and Eddie Yorston, Willie Smith, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. McOurdy, Mrs. S. D. Carver, Peterboro'. Clothing—Mrs. R. H. Green, St. Phillip's S. S. Sewing Circle, All Saints' Willing Workers. Sundries—Babette Fitzgibbon, Fletcher Manufacturing Co.

MARCH.

Toys—Miss Helena Hatty, Mrs. Anthony Hart, Mrs. McEvoy, King's Daughters.

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Clothing—Miss Fowlds, Miss Paton, Wellesley st. Sch., junior class. Flowers, Fruit, etc.—Mrs. Redmond, Miss Nora Lamb, third class Model School. Books, etc.—Denison ave. Christian Workers' Ch., Bain Book and Stationary Co., Girls' Junior League, Clinton, Miss Hildred Rose, Clarence Riches. Food—Game Warden of Ontario, Richmond Hill, Fletcher McPhedron, J. Mayo, Edward Tinsley, Mr. Sinclair, W. J. Lloyd & Co., Christie, Brown, every week from Mr. Coleman.

APRIL.

Toys—Pansy Band, Mrs. McKenzie Keene, J. C. E., per Miss Campbell, Agnes Street J. C. E., Mrs. Heron, Misses Patching, Amy Rogers. Mrs. Bridges, Estate of the late Henry Smith. Clothing, etc.—Mrs. L. Newton, Mrs. W. Davis, All Saints' Church, Mrs. Deane, Mrs. Bacon, Mrs. Lalor. Books, Pictures, etc.—Mrs. Stump, Mrs. Parry, Mrs. Coleman, Miss Hedley, Zion Church J. C. E., per Miss Dawkins, Woodbridge Pub. School, Carlton St. Meth. Church, Epworth League J. C. E., Wesley Church, Mrs. E. Garrett, Woodbridge, Mrs. Coulson, Mrs. Burkeholder, Melville and Adelaide Pearson, Mayor Harper, Whitby, Mrs. Lett, Guelph, Mr. Hammond. Flowers, Fruits, Sweets—5th form Wellesley St. School, Miss Crooks, Richmond Hill, Erskine Church, Christ Church, Deer Park, Miss Dyke's Class, Miss Hogg's Class, Olivet S.S., Miss Smith's Class, Mr. Hembrow, Davisville, Box 32 Deer Park, H. Oben, L. Howell, Senior 4th Book Sackville St. School, Pansy Band, Mr. Orr, St. John's S.S., York Mills, Rosedale School, Hastings, East Toronto Pub. School, Swansea Pub. School. Sundries—Mrs. Gracie Doncaster, Mrs. Blumber, Mrs. Ebby, Miss Minore, Mrs. Squires, Mrs. W. F. Foster, Prof. Baker.

MAY.

Flowers, Fruit, etc.—Pansy Band, Manton, Miss M. E. Oxby, Annette st. J. C. E., Mr. Merrick, Mrs. Walker, Bracondale Meth. Ch., St. Luke's Ch., Ashburnham, Trinity Ch., Thornhill, A. W. McIntosh, Algoma, Mrs. Robertson, Summerhill, Mrs. Snider, St. Ann's Ch. S. S., Elm st. Flower Mission.

JUNE.

Books, etc. — Misses Patching, Mrs. Brydges, Mr. Hait, Elsie and Orrie High,

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JULY.

Books, etc.—Harold Patterson, Gladys Abbot, Edith and Arthur Hooper, many other Friends. Sundries—Mrs. Morrow, Miss Marguerite Baines, East Toronto Pres. S.S., Messrs. Warrick Bros. Flowers, Fruits, etc.—Mr. Gilchrist, Mr. Simpson, Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Henderson, Miss Nairn, St. Barnabas Church, Chester, A. W. McIntosh, Algoma, C. P. R. Work Shops, Toronto Junc.

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Toys—Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Winchester, Mrs. McIntosh, Hargraft children, many other Friends. Fruit and Flowers.—Mrs. Bremner, Mrs. Dies, Meth. Church, Bathurst Street, Mr. Gilchrist, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Daniel, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. Parkinson, Mrs. Walter Scott, Nattawa, Mrs. Thorne, Mrs. Oeehran, Mrs. Huggans, Mrs. Snider, Misses Keiley, Mrs. Dennison, Fisherville Pres. Church, Mrs. Beatty, St. Clement's many other Friends.

SEPTEMBER.

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* This amount is represented by balance of general donations over working expenses \$15,432.62; special donations, land and building fund \$90,568.40; Lakeside Home, \$29,208.13—\$105,209.15.

Signed, MARIA BUCHAN, Treasurer.

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Signed, JOHN STARK, EDWARD B. FREELAND, } Auditors.

TRAINING SCHOOL—LIST OF NURSES WHO HAVE OBTAINED CERTIFICATES.

1888.
 Josie Hamilton, private nurse, Philadelphia.

1889.
 Jennie McDonald.
 Annie McGarvey, private nurse, Toronto.
 Gertrude Field, private nurse, Barrie.
 Eliza Leveratt, private nurse, Toronto.

1892.
 Olivia Moore, lady superintendent, Children's Hospital, Buffalo.
 Jennie Chaplin, lady superintendent, Isolation Hospital, Toronto.
 Pauline Sterland, head nurse private hospital, Chicago.
 Mina Slattery, married.
 Jennie Smedley, private nurse, Toronto.
 Addie Clendenning, at home, Canbary.

1893.
 Florence Briggs, private nurse, Chicago.
 Eleanor Bailey, superintendent Nursing At Home, Toronto.
 Susie Graves, died at Brockville Hospital, 1893.
 Jennie Reynolds, private nurse, Boston, U. S.
 Jane L. Grey, private nurse, Toronto.
 Sara T. Barnhardt, private nurse, Toronto.
 Hanna D. Shipley, private nurse, Cheltenham.

1894.
 Cecelia MacDonald, private nurse, Cincinnati.
 Lina L. Rogers, charge of operating room, Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal.
 Hattie Woodland, private nurse, Toronto.
 Bel McMurchy, private nurse, Boston, U. S.
 Maggie Haines, private nurse, Woodstock.

Ella Alton, head nurse, Isolation Hospital, Montreal.
 Christina McTaggart, head nurse Children's Hospital, Buffalo.
 Christina Campbell, private nurse, Toronto.
 Edith M. Woods, at home, Brockville.

1895.
 Margaret Ewing, private nurse, Toronto.
 Marian L. Dobbie, private nurse, Brockville.
 Ella I. Shepherd, Lying-in-Hospital, Boston, U. S., post graduate course.
 Bella Johnson, private nurse, Toronto.
 Jennie Richardson, private nurse, Toronto.
 Sylva Bell, Woman's Hospital, New York, post graduate course.
 Barbara Goodall, private nurse, Toronto.
 Alice M. Booth, private nurse, Detroit.
 Minnie L. Hunter, private nurse, Chicago.
 May M. Moody, private nurse, Toronto.
 Eva L. Miller, nurse Children's Hospital, Ottawa.

1896.
 Agnes Scott, private nurse, Toronto.
 Jennie Allan, Woman's Hospital, New York, post graduate course.
 Mabel E. Neale, private nurse, Toronto.
 Ella J. Jamieson, private nurse, Toronto.
 Hattie L. Bayley, at home, Bothwell.
 Margaret McKenzie, private hospital, Toronto.
 Mary Hally, at home, Toronto.
 Martha L. Legge, private nurse, Toronto.
 Mary R. Matches, private nurse, Hamilton.
 Julia H. Wilson, private nurse, Toronto.
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MAKING CHILDREN HAPPY.

How the Invalids of The Hospital for Sick Children Were Taken to the Island—Incidents by the Way.

"That's the Sick Children's Hospital going to the Island," said an urchin on College street on Wednesday, the 10th of June, explaining to his mother why such a crowd was gathered there. A string of twenty carriages and two ambulances wound its way up Elizabeth street, around the Hospital, and along College street to Yonge.

It was the annual moving day to The Lakeside Home on the Island. The flitting had been fixed for Tuesday, June 9, but the rain and the darkened sky forbade, and a great pall of sorrow and disappointment enshrouded the little ones who had been so eagerly looking forward to their gala day. Their dolls and toys and books had been packed, their new summer hats were in hand and the tearful sky outside contrasted with tearful faces inside.

A good friend, thoughtful about these baffled excursionists, engaged one of the best piano-organs in the city and had it and its peripatetic operator brought into the corridors where merry tunes rang out all the afternoon. Gradually the tears were dried and laughter succeeded; the great wave of disappointment receded and the inspiring strains of the really good music made the children glad again.

As sunshine always succeeds shower so yesterday dawned bright and blue and smiling. Its early beams of sunlight fell across the little white cots and brought to the sick ones glad messages of greeting. Soon all was activity and bustle, for there was to be no disappointment this time.

As patiently as possible the noon hour was awaited. Then the two city ambulances, B and C, in charge of Ambulance Officer Geddes, for whom the helpless invalids have a high regard, independently of the blue coat and shining buttons. He was assisted by Officer John Davidson. Mattresses, pillows and blankets were arranged and ten children, unable even to sit up, were snugly and comfortably stowed away.

Following the ambulances came nineteen carriages. As each stopped at the main entrance of the building the chairman of the Board of Trustees, who supervised the removal, called the name of a nurse. A handsome young lady in a blue dress and white apron responded. She had pinned upon her dress her own name and the names

of the invalids in her charge. One after another these little groups were tucked away in the carriages, and the procession started.

Although year by year these removals and returns are described, yet they are always interesting, attractive, and, withal, pitiful. The condition of the children in that novel procession is altogether different from that of the sound-limbed, free and active, rosy-cheeked boys and girls that we see in our school processions. These were all sick children—not one sound one among them. Heads were bandaged, arms were in slings, legs were in boxes and splints, crutches helped along distorted bodies, and all manner of deformity and ailment was to be seen there.

And yet they were happy children. The joy of the day for the time suppressed the pain of the body. Could one not see the bandages and crutches and splints, he would consider it a happy, almost merry, crowd of children. The moral effect of the outing is incalculable, and goes a great way to sustain the excellent medical and surgical treatment given all the inmates of this institution.

"I wish I was sick so I could go," remarked a little boy to his mother as they stood in the great crowd that had gathered on College street.

Twenty children have just been discharged from the Hospital cured, or very nearly so. This left 76 to be taken to the Island; a few, too ill to be removed, are still in the Hospital. Miss Underhill, the matron, assisted by Mrs. Heron, of the Board of Lady Managers, and the company of nurses prepared the children for the trip. Drs. Goldsmith, Richardson, Robinson and Martin, Mr. Coleman, of the Children's Aid Society, Mr. Casimir Gzowski and Mr. Wilkie, ex-secretary of the Y.M.C.A., assisted in the removal.

Mr. Robert Bond, who furnished the carriages, led the procession down Yonge street to King, to Bay, to the water front. This mid-day procession, with the ambulances preceding, attracted a great deal of attention, as it always does. Crowds gathered at principal corners—not a noisy crowd; there was something in the sight of those little invalids that subdued the crowd, and very many kind and pitying words were said for them, with many expressions of praise for the blessed charity that is so dear to the hearts of the people because it loves and cares for and cures, if possible, the children of the people.

At the foot of Bay street Capt. Thos. Clark had in readiness a clean, roomy

barge, well canopied. Here, upon mattresses and pillows, the sick ones were carefully laid. The Clark Bros.' tug was alongside; the embarkation was safely made, another great crowd of persons eagerly watching the transfer. The moorings were cast off, gently the tug moved, as if it knew how unusually precious was its cargo, and the cruise to the Island began.

As the city slowly glided by the children quietly drew in, in evident enjoyment, the invigorating breeze, and gladly hailed the glint of the sunshine kindling the blue waters of Ontario into a thousand diamonds. Out through the western gap, around Hanlan's Point, along the western shore the tug puffed its way until the glorious flag was seen gaily fluttering from the staff of the Home.

Just off Gibraltar Point the tug came to anchor while the barge was poled ashore to the walk leading up to the building. Here Mr. J. Sinclair Robertson and attendants already at The Lakeside Home were on hand to receive the guests and conduct them to the cool rooms and verandahs where, for many a long summer's day, they will be helped back to health and home.

It took just one hour from the embarkation until the little ones were housed in their summer home.

Ample provision has been made for the summer outing of the sick children. Boating, bathing, lakeside rambles, sports in the sand and all else needed to make them happy is at hand. But their mental and moral upbuilding will not, meanwhile, be neglected. Miss E. Y. Sams, the teacher, expects at once to resume the school work with an aggregate attendance of 40. At the Island, in the fall, a bazaar will be given by the children, and already they are making preparations for it.

At the Ridgeway celebration in Queen's Park the school of this Hospital was honoured by being put at the head of the procession through its representatives, the teacher, Dr. E. K. Richardson and five boys, Morden Martin, Alf. Clarke, Chas. Stewart, Lawrence Duern, Tommy Rouse.

Inspector Hughes called this school first to lay its offering on the monument, this literary gem, taught that week in the school, being attached:

Let little hands bring blossoms sweet
To brave men lying low;
Let little hearts to soldiers dead
Their love and honour show.
We'll love the flag they loved so well,
The dear old banner bright;
We'll love the land for which they fell,
With soul and strength and might.

Mr. Hughes came to the carriage,

where the loyal little children were fondly holding their bouquet, and tenderly carried little Tommy Rouse, with his crutches, his body encased in iron splints, through thousands of strong, healthy boys to the monument, whereon the bouquet was put. Major-General Gascoigne kissed the little sufferer, and thus ended a pathetic incident.

FROM THEIR ISLAND HOME.

Three Score Invalids — A Load of Little Immigrants—Their Summer is Over.

A strange procession wound its way up Yonge st. on Friday, Sept. 25. Twice a year this procession may be seen, one unique, interesting and, withal, pathetic. It consisted of two city ambulances containing twelve sick and helpless little children unable to walk, some even unable to hold up their heads. Following these came fifteen carriages in charge of ten nurses clad in the neat white and blue uniform of their vocation. Each nurse was ticketed with the names of her children. These were in all stages and varieties of deformity and illness. Some had their heads bandaged, others had limbs encased in splints and some were helped along by crutches and canes. But they were all cheerful and eagerly drank in what of the sights they saw along the busy street.

These little people were immigrants, not from sunny Italy, green Ireland, heathery Scotia or the by-ways of the world's English metropolis. They emigrated from "The Island," the summer Mecca of Toronto. They came from Gibraltar Point, out of The Lakeside Home for Little Children, and they were on their way to the Hospital for Sick Children on College street. They left the city last June, and they, aristocratic-like, have been "summering" ever since.

They didn't want to come very badly; it was only these last few frost-laden nights and the cool winds which whistled about their pretty summer home that reconciled them to the return. The long summer days have been jewelled with the most delightful memories of their outing. Fair faces grew brown; eyes often dim with tears of pain sparkled with new life as the cool breezes came from over the blue waters of Ontario and brought healing on their wings. Wasted limbs rounded out; cheeks sunken and lined with marks of suffering became beds of roses, and many a young life renewed its tenure of earth. The good done these little people by the last summer's Island residence is beyond expression. The

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happiness brought into their experience is, of itself, a sufficient reward for the beneficence back of the Home and permeating its management and care.

Usually the large flag streaming from the staff of The Lakeside has been the signal to the watchers on the tower of the Hospital. When it fluttered down that was a sign that the craft with its precious freightage was under sail for the city. The terrific storm the Saturday previous parted the halyards, and the flag was not in evidence.

Capt. Clarke and his son anchored their tug off the Home landing, and sent a scow in to the wharf. The children were snuggled down into its hold, being made comfortable with mattresses, pillows and blankets. Mr. J. H. Gordon, secretary of the Hospital, superintended the transportation. Efficient and willing service was given by Messrs. Stanley Gzowski and Dawson, Dr. Goldsmith, of the Home, and other gentlemen. Miss Underhill, the matron, assisted by the cheerful and patient nurses, dealt with the comfort of the children.

The cargo consisted of 62 children. This by no means illustrates the summer work of the institution. The daily average number of inmates was 90. They came and went. Some were so quickly benefitted that their stay was short. Others, with stubborn disease and chronic lameness, still linger. The average blessing of relief and health dealt out is beyond estimation.

The embarkation was made without incident. Yes, there were two incidents, "funny" in a way. A young man, who worked like a hero tugging away at the barge, got so far out of the line of gravity that a heavy swell caught him and sent a shower of spray over him from head to foot. Another ambitious gentleman over-estimated his longshoreman's ability, and took a "header," or, rather, a backer, and sat plump down into the lake while pushing the scow. He found comfort in the pity of the nurses.

The water was not rough, but there was a heavy swell on—something like that which, out on the ocean, induces a man to be unselfish and give up everything he has. However, our little voyagers were not seasick, and they found awaiting them, at the foot of Bay street, the carriage procession, in charge of the well known liveryman, Mr. Robert Bond. Mr. C. S. Gzowski and Drs. Robinson and Steele came down to the landing and gave valuable assistance in transferring the children to the carriages.

The route was up Bay to King, to Yonge, to College, to the Hospital,

where by 1.15 the patients were all safely housed. There were 32 children in the building, making the total number now being treated 94. The school term began September 1st, and work in this department will go forward regularly under the excellent direction of Miss E. Y. Sams, the teacher. The Home at the Island is now deserted and closed.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the Hospital for Sick Children and with reference to every phase of it. Here there is only room to speak of some improvements for the benefit of the children. The floors have all been thoroughly waxed. It has been found necessary to open another ward, "J," in the east wing, third floor. In this ward may be seen all the children seven years old and under—the nursery ward. It has been thought advisable to give the tots a ward of their own. The writer walked in and out among them yesterday, and found them lovable and interesting, despite their sufferings.

Upon the ground floor, under a verandah, at the central back area, a bacteriological department is being built. Above this area, opening out of the landing between the first and second floors, is the "Sun-bath Room," a most delightful retreat for the sick. It faces the south, so that for the greater part of the day the sun pours his healing beams down into it. It is cosily furnished with rugs, chairs, beds and lounges, besides ornamental screens—just the kind of a bower where a sick child would feel happy, to say nothing of the benefit of a sun-bath.

An additional boiler, the third, has been put into the building, for heating purposes, and the entire building is ready for the reception of patients.

The six large verandahs overlooking the central yard area have been extended, and are being enclosed with glass screens. Here the children can lie all day long, if need be, even during the winter, for they are all heated. Nothing that adds to the comfort of the inmates and to their restoration to health and strength is forgotten.

One might write of some skilful surgical operations done at this hospital. This summer there was the largest number of such in its history. One might relate a hundred incidents, touching, tender, humorous, running the entire gamut of human feeling, all growing out of the daily life of this blessed institution. Its work is noble, and always challenges the interest and practical help of the citizens of Toronto, who may well rejoice in this monument of its charity.

WITH THE SICK CHILDREN.

Where Wee Suffering Ones are Struggling Now to Regain Health, to Recover Strength and Grow Straight in Body.

A few days ago I was a privileged visitor to the Hospital for Sick Children on College street.

There is nothing more heart-touching than an hour with the patient, suffering little ones in the Hospital for Sick Children?

Lying on their backs, the long, long, weary hours of days that lengthen into weeks—struggling, fighting with disease, wounds, and inherited injury—hundreds of little tots await the healing of skill and kindness.

A visit to the Hospital appeals to the grander nature of mankind.

While one is moved by the sad sufferings of the little children, one cannot help rejoicing that there is in Canada such a splendidly equipped institution.

There is the pathos of looking into the cot of a golden-haired child, whose eyes dumbly speak of pain.

Then one is suddenly confronted by a dark-eyed urchin, who is full of glee and good health, for "mother is comin' to take me home to-day." In a battle with sickness the child had won.

I visited each ward, and in each the chief nurse took me in hand and told me of their charges, of the troubles and trials of children who become dear to them.

I watched the nurses. They seemed to take a deep, earnest interest in their little patients. To me they appeared to possess the spirit of that lady who has done more than all others to attain for woman a responsive recognition of the rights of woman—Florence Nightingale.

Mothers have faith, greater faith, in the results of a labour of love. To a nurse devoted to her calling one may confide their greatest treasures.

In the Boys' Surgical Ward there were many patients. The "Orillia Cot" was occupied by a little fellow who was having a club foot straightened by modern surgery. He had been in the Hospital some time, and proudly showed the improvement that had been made.

In the "Isabella Cot" there was a little chap who had fallen and injured his head and broken his wrist. He was a brave little fellow—never cried.

In the "East Toronto Cot" there was a little fellow lying with a broken leg, while in the corner of the ward, in the "Newsboys' Cot," sat Jim, a little butcher boy, who was glad that he

would soon be out again to "help mother." A lumber waggon had collided with Jim's cart about six weeks before.

The "James Harvey Price Cot" was occupied by a bright little chap, who had poor eyesight. Five weeks ago he fell down an elevator shaft in a printing office on Church street.

The "Toronto Police Cot" was occupied by a boy, who was being treated for club-foot. The little fellow said he would be well enough in time to go on a "beat" himself.

In the Baby Ward it was sad. Here are the little tots from three to five years—the dear ones who were just launched on the threshold of life. There was "Little Fred," three years old, the pet of the ward—a good little chap, who suffered much, but seldom cried. He was in the "Grummie Cot." Next to him there was another wee sufferer in "Little Will's Cot." The child had been sent down from Gravenhurst, and was murmuring softly, "I want to go home, please." Far away from home, that little four-year-old boy. Think of the child; and think of the mother, who had to part with her little one that the best medical skill in Canada might be had.

In the "Cot Emanuel" there was a wee white-haired chap, whom the nurses called "George III." He was the third George to arrive in the ward. And beside him there toddled "Little Billee," who was proud of the way he could walk, with his club-foot on stilts.

In the "Maria Robertson Cot" there was a small boy from Green River—Georgie Hutchings. And Georgie was nearly well. "I'll soon be took home," he said.

"Ah, here's our pet," said the nurse in the Girls' Surgical Ward, as a little girl named Leslie H. smiled sweetly. And the tiny child was proud of her name. She was in the cot supported by Rolland M. Boswell, jr.

From Parndale, Ont., there is a child who has been in the hospital for more than a year. She is being treated for curvature of the spine. Her mother comes to see her but seldom. "I got a letter from her yesterday, and nurse is going to answer it for me."

Another child, suffering from a like trouble is in the "Alpha Cot," of All Saints' church.

The Cooke's church Sabbath school support the cot where a delicate, flaxen-haired child of four years was lying. She is being treated for an abscess of the hip, but despite the pain she sings songs almost every waking hour of the day.

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And the new play-rooms are worthy of passing mention. They are glass-covered extensions, bright, cheerful, indoor winter playgrounds for the convalescents. And how the little ones enjoy their romps there.

Some of the children in this ward become so attached to the nurses that they do not want to go home. One child has adopted all the nurses as "mamas."

In the Girls' Medical Ward there were three sisters convalescing from typhoid fever. In this ward the children of St. Paul's Sabbath school support a cot.

Against the "Oddfellows' Cot," in the Boys' Medical Ward a little chap was crying bitterly. He would not be comforted, for his mother had promised to come and take him home that afternoon. It was five o'clock. Supper was over. One boy was putting a smaller boy to bed, and still the mother had not come for her boy.

Sickness, suffering and sorrow. Oh, it was pitiful.

And yet there is joy in knowing that such a Hospital, such a home, and such skilful nurses and physicians are at the disposal of infant sufferers.

Is it not a grand cause to remember with financial remembrance, as the year draws to its close? A. W. W.

SIGHTS IN THE HOSPITAL.

What a Visitor Among Sick Children Heard and Saw—How Charity Blesses the Lives of the Suffering.

Human suffering is pathetic. There is that in it which touches the divine pity that is resident in every human soul and calls out the tenderest solicitude. Especially so when little children suffer. The fellow feeling of sympathy is intensified because they are little children; their helplessness is an eloquent, though silent, appeal; they have a double claim upon human pity because they are tiny slaves of suffering, and because they can do naught to free themselves from the bondage.

Thrice blessed, then, is the charity that houses these lambs of the great human fold and brings to them ministrations of healing. No praise of such charity can ever be fulsome; no laudation of the love that nurses these little ones back to health and guides the slipping feet away from the shadow of the dark valley can be effusive.

Some such thought came to me one afternoon as I went in and out among groups of ailing and maimed ones in the Hospital for Sick Children on College street, Toronto. The fame of this institution has long since gone out through the land, and yet the half has

not been told. The splendid equipment, the newest and best appliances of modern art and science, the perfection of its management and the success which constantly crowns its work—these have been the theme of many a writer. And yet, unless one visits the place and thus comes into personal contact with its conduct he can hardly have an adequate idea of the excellence of the Hospital.

To show that the trustees are keenly alive to the progress of science, as applied to the healing art, it may be stated that the most improved surgical apparatus is introduced and used by the best surgical and medical skill available. An X Ray equipment has just been imported from Europe, and this wonderful evolution of the scientific genius of the 19th century is added to the fine mechanical appliances at hand. It will be sure to add to the marvellous cures already effected in this Hospital.

But I started to describe a visit to the inmates—the little prisoners. They are prisoners per force, by disease or lameness, but so far as I could see, willing prisoners. Indeed, what most impresses a visitor is the apparent happiness and content of the patients. Of the hundred seen this day only one seemed to be suffering, and that was a wee thing, a mere baby, torn by the pain of a cruel disease that all the gentleness and love of the mother-like nurse could not allay.

Ward "J," in the eastern wing, is the Boys' (Baby) Surgical Ward, containing little fellows below seven years of age. Here was one strapped down in his clean white cot, so that the buoyant body might not displace the surgeon's handiwork; but he was happy for all that, and his bright black eyes smiled back into mine as I leaned over him and told him a little joke. His laughter drew others around us. Here was one with a plaster jacket on. No, he said, he was not "fixed up as a baseball catcher," but he wished he were.

"Never mind, Bob, you keep wearing this jacket a while, and you'll soon be able to run around with the best of them," he was told.

"I can run now," and off he sped across the room, nearly upsetting "Billy," who, less fortunate, with both feet misshapen, could only creep over the floor.

The verandahs of the building have just been enclosed, with ventilating sash. They are heated, and afford excellent room for sun-bath and playground. Here the little fellows not confined to their cribs had toys, rocking horses, waggons, and all things that

please boys and take their thoughts from the pain that sometimes racks them. The boys were all happy, obedient, and gave evidence of careful treatment.

The Girls' Surgical Ward is "G," and it is even more interesting than that of the boys'. A sedate little matron, with golden hair curling down over her shoulders, and blue eyes shyly peeping up at the visitor, deigned to smile upon him, but resisted all further overtures.

Another bright-eyed cripple, being asked how she happened to come there, said: "I was running and fell down and broke my arm." "Why didn't you fall up and save your arm?" "Oh, what a funny man," she rippled out, with a merry laugh, as the "funny man" turned to see Eva, a mere doll herself, making paper dolls and setting them swinging on an improvised trapeze. Here there are little girls from Ottawa, Waubauskene, Owen Sound, and other towns in Ontario. There was one here from so far away a place as Manitoba, but she has gone home cured.

And some of the cures are wonderful. Distorted limbs are straightened, club feet made serviceable, crooked spines relieved, and body-consuming diseases driven out. One little girl was cured of a wry neck. The fact that this Hospital commands the services of the most distinguished surgeons and physicians is alone a guarantee of the remarkable success attending treatment here. The shifting character of the patients is another tribute in the same direction. Children do not remain long, because no incurable cases are received, and those curable are soon brought into that condition.

The writer well remembers that, at the last Christmas entertainment the children heard the President of the Board of Trustees say:

"I hope I'll never see you here again."

They couldn't believe their own ears. It was plainly to be seen that they wanted to stay there; and only when it dawned upon them that he meant he hoped they would soon be cured, and that he didn't want to see them there sick and lame, that they recovered from the shock of the apparent inhospitality.

Perhaps the most interesting patient in this ward was Kathleen, a plump, black-eyed baby, three years old, coming from Ottawa. In the depths of the dark eyes could be seen the ravages of the cruel pain-king; but the baby reached up its hands with a caressing motion as if eager to be lifted out from under the pinions of bandage and splint. A tiny gold ring glittered upon one little fat finger.

"Is this your ring, baby? And who gave it to you?"

"Mamma's ying," said the child with a tender accent on that word which, of all others in the English language, means so much to a little child.

In the next cot was Olive, most industriously engaged in an occupation the meaning of which I couldn't see. "My dear, what is this you are making?"

"A hospital."

"Oh, is that it? And I suppose this is a sick doll?" picking up a little "chiny" image.

"Yes sir, it's not well."

"And you are the nurse, are you?"

"Yes, sir," modestly whispered Olive who went on constructing her building out of pasteboard, patches and paper.

Out in the verandah were little girls, some with an arm in a sling, others with crutches, some on invalid chairs—but all merry and happy. On a little round table one had "set" the dishes for tea, while the guests (dolls in all sorts of conditions from full evening dress to dishabille) were waiting to be seated.

Opposite Ward "G" is the "quiet" or "overflow" ward, where patients are put who must not be disturbed by the merrymaking of the more favoured inmates. Here a mere shadow of a child lay prone, with her limbs extended high and held so by weights in order to master a hip disease. Even this child, imprisoned by this terrible malady, seemed content. Somehow the spirit of peace and homelikeness pervading all the wards brings every little sufferer within the pale of its benign and comforting influence.

From the medical wards fifteen patients had been dismissed just before this visit. In the Girls' Medical Ward twelve patients were seen. One would hardly call them patients were it not for the bandaged heads or limbs. The most interesting feature in this ward was a tete-a-tete composed of Ethel, of Oshawa, and May, of Georgetown. Seated by a window with a table between them, on which rested a dish of fruit and little tokens of girls' work, these young ladies were emulating the style of their elders to perfection. They knit and "tatted" and chatted and were having a delightful time. "Ethel" explained their nurse, "has been keeping a diary since '91."

"Let me see it, won't you?" at once suggested the visitor.

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a diary, "how nice it will be when you are old and gray to read what you did when you were a child," the girl, true to the instincts of her sex, thought she "wouldn't like the idea of gray hair."

Leaving them to the enjoyment of their refreshment and labour and rapid recovery from disease, the secretary of the Hospital, Mr. Gordon, next piloted the visitor to the Boys' Medical Ward.

Of the sixteen patients here, a little fellow with cataract in both eyes, "the pet of the ward," first came up for notice. He is an interesting boy, and they are doing their best to save his sight. In this Hospital a child of any age requiring a surgical operation is admitted. A babe only three months old is the youngest yet received. I saw one seven months old—or as much as could be seen of it from out of its mummy-like enclosure. Its own mother could not wait upon it with greater tact and skill than the nurse who has it in charge. The physicians of the city generally recommend parents to send their children to this Hospital when surgical treatment is necessary.

In this ward there are twenty-two inmates, with a genial nurse as the head centre. When I entered she was the centre of a group of boys in all stages of deformity and lameness. One

poor little fellow could only get around by sliding himself across the floor. One was a skilful hopper, and covered ground as rapidly with one leg as many boys do with two legs.

"Well, my boy, what brought you here?" I wanted to know of a bright eyed chap smilingly edging up to me.

"I broke my collar bone."

"Oh, what a pity! Now you can't wear a collar, can you?"

This far-fetched witticism so tickled the boy that the others hustled along to see what the fun was about. Thus I had a good opportunity to study their faces. Some of them showed the want of early culture and the stamp of that refinement that makes a little man of every little boy. And yet they were all well behaved, and seemed to be amenable to that silent love-power influence dominating the management of these patients.

Safely may we leave them there. All that can be done to make hours of pain less hard to bear, and cruel marks of deformity less burdensome to carry, is being done. Scientific treatment, patient and gentle nursing, a healthful moral inspiration, the comforts of home and all that kindness and love can dictate—these bless the lives of the unfortunate little ones who dwell within these walls of ministrations.

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