

# House of Industry

## Minute Books and Case Recommendations

### 1855-1874 and 1879-1882

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#### House of Industry Minute Books and Case Recommendations

Covering the period 1855 through 1882, the Minute Books and Case Recommendations of the House of Industry in Toronto record the details of families and individuals made vulnerable due to illness or injury; to age and ability; to an absent parent or spouse; to challenges finding employment; and sometimes due simply to temporary bad luck. The books contain over 20,000 entries originally captured in six large ledgers of minutes and preserved at the City of Toronto Archives: Fonds 1035, Series 802.

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Minutes and case recommendations from the missing years 1875 to 1878 in all likelihood were also captured in a single large minute ledger, which is not present in the collection — although references are made in later years to case entries from those years.

#### Digitization and Transcription of House of Industry Records

To celebrate the 50th Anniversary of the Toronto Branch of the Ontario Genealogical Society in 2017, the Toronto Branch joined with two partners to digitize records from the House of Industry. With the support of the City of Toronto Archives, the Branch funded digitization of Series 802 and Series 804 from

Fonds 1035 — a major portion of the House of Industry collection — and digitization was completed by the Internet Archive (archive.org) who also host the digitized and transcribed records.

Series 802, the records of aid applications and recipients, are all handwritten manuscript documents and registers that were digitized as images, but could not be digitized to text by automated means.

Volunteers organized by the Toronto Branch transcribed these records beginning in 2018. The Minute Books and Case Recommendations are the first records from the collection to be fully transcribed into searchable records.

Series 804, the trustee and annual reports, are all published, typeset documents that were digitized as images, and converted to searchable text by OCT.

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#### **Symbols used:**

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- ^...^ = text inserted by an author of the manuscript in the margin or above a line
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Jany. 12th 1855

Mrs. Smith of Yonge Street (No. 198) brought a note from the Mayor stating the fact of an infant having been left at her door a few days since. The Mayor requested that the Child should be received with the House until the Mother could be found. The request was acceded to and the Superintendent directed to find a proper Nurse for the infant out of doors on the best terms he may be able to make.

1. Mr. Beatty Trueman applies to take William Greig see No. 46 in Relief Book. the Weekly Committee have given up the child to Mr. Beatty Trueman himself after trial the usual Indenture to be entered into.

2. The Weekly Committee for the week ending 6th Jany. after examining the diff. [different] tenders for Bread, Meat, Groceries, Milk, [etc.] after decided as follows Mr. Edwd. Lawson Yonge Street Toronto to supply Grocery and Bread; Mr. Peter Huddy to supply Meat; Mr. Noble Harper to supply ~~Milk~~ the House with Milk.

January 6, 1855. J.P. Battersby

Jany. 26

3. Mrs. Dennis of Richmond Street No. 4 Doors West of York Street applied to the Weekly Committee to take in an infant that has been left with her by one of her boarders. The Committee recommended her to go to the Mayor to see whether the mother could not be found & if she failed in discovering the mother, then to come again.

4. Ellen Blakly was employed as wet nurse to a child in the House by the name of Mary Yonge aged about 3 months mother having abandoned it. Mother's name thought to be Secord from Markham, Husband sent to penitentiary for Forgery. The child is called Yonge because the mother left it in a house on Yonge St. E. Blakley lives 2nd house on Agnes East of Elizabeth St.

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5. I have examined Eliza Ward this day, & am of opinion that while her residence in the House of Industry is indispensable for a time, merely as a place of refuge. She being more imbecilic than affected with any more {decided} form of insanity, nonetheless, it would be advisable that she should be sent back to her friends in Dublin, as soon as the navigation would permit. It is clearly one of those cases in which certain members of a family or parish authorities at home send out incapables to Canada or the United States with a view to economy and the saving of trouble.

Feb. 9th

6. Superintendt. reports that a woman named Eliza Ward sent to the house of Mr. Brent, is not a proper person to retain in the house, being very troublesome, will not go to bed but sits up half-naked & acts other wise like a maniac. document produced signed by Medical Officer "that said Ward is a lunatic" referred back to Medical officers and if they give the necessary certificate, the Supt. will send her to the Lunatic Asylum

7. Superintendent reports the conduct of Jane Horan, as extremely bad, refusing to do what Mrs. Hancock ordered her, besides making use of very bad language to Mrs. Hancock. Commtt. will not allow her to remain in the house ordered to be discharged.

13th.

No wood for distribution

Notice to J.W. MacDonell Esq. of Jno. Murphy See [Case] 236 [1854?] February 5/55.

16th.

8. Committee met this day. Rev. S. Lett, Dr. Tolfree. there was no wood for distribution either this day or on last Tuesday and it is uncertain whether there will be a supply next week. Under these circumstances & considering the severity of the weather the Comee. directed the Superintendent to ~~see the~~ wait on the Treasurer & request him to make arrangement with the proprietor of some wood yard in the City to give a quarter cord of wood to each of the persons to whom the Committee may grant an order to that effect this day, & to those who received order last Friday.

20th.

9. The Superintendent is instructed to have the child Wm. Gregg restored to the house, the Committee not approving of his being bound to Trueman Beatty or remaining with him any longer.

Members of the Committee present this day, Mr. Mathers and Revd. Grasett

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10. The Superintendent is authorized to send Jane Waters to Mr. St. John of Brock.

11. The Superintendent reports Jane Granfield to the Weekly Comtt. who left the House on Sabbath Morning to go to Church and has not returned.

12. In reference to the above case the Committee recommend the Superintendent to Communicate with the agents of the female protection society to see what can be done to save her from her old habits.

13. The case of Thomas Lively was brought before the Committee who recommend that the boy be retained in the house for a fortnight longer and that if at the end of that time no applications are made by persons of his own denomination to be then placed out with any suitable applicant.



14. The Committee recommend the Superintendent to prepare a form to be printed of applications for children and of certificates from ministers or magistrates so as to facilitate the business of application and save trouble to the parties.

J.H. Robinson J. Lukin Robinson John Tyner

15. Notice sent this day to Rev. H.J. Grasett with reference to the boy Lively giving the information contained in minute No. 13. deliverd. by J. Smyth  
W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

16. Supt. reports that the father of Maria Innis has been to see the child and was informed he must see the Committee and with them make arrangements to give them up to the House, or to remove them ~~away~~ from the Institution. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

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March 2nd

Weekly Committee for Friday

Present J. Tyner Esq.

17. Mr. James Avery of Brock, Farmer, well recommended, applied for a boy. The Supt. informed the Committee that since Tuesday Committee sat, He has discovered a name amongst the applicants belonging to the Church of England who had not been supplied with a boy; one John Miller Esq. from Owen Sound. The Board ordered the supt. to write to Mr. Miller and wait a suitable time, and if no answer, then the boy Thos. Lively, must go to Mr. Avery Brock.

Tuesday 6 March 1855

6th Committee met.

Pr. [present] Rev. Dr. Burns, Mr. Richard Yates, Mr. Stayner

18. On a statement made by Rev. Mr. Grasett regarding the case of Thomas Lively refd. [referred] to in last and former minute, the Committee unanimously found that Mr. Clough the gentleman recommended by Mr. Grasett on the information of the Rev. Mr. Ardagh of Barrie has the prior right to the boy, and Rev. Grasett was requested to let him know this and to apologise in name of the Committee for any inconvenience he may have been put to by not receiving the boy yesterday when he had come in for the purpose in terms of communication which had been made to him.

Robt. Burns T.A. Stayner

7th

19. Notice to Dr. Bovell this morning by the Hands of the Porter of the gate, to visit the Sick.

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Friday 9th March 1855

Committee met

20. The case of Cogan and children (see Register) referred to the general board on Tuesday & they may remain in the mean time.

Case of M. McIntosh (see Reg. [Register]) reld. to the board on Tuesday.

Case of Julia Becher (see Reg. [Register]) reld. to the Monthly Committee

Robt. Burns

T.A. Stayner

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1855

March 12.

21. Ann Clarke got permission from Mrs. Hancock to visit her sister in the city on last Saturday & she went to see Dr. Aikins Queen St. who as Clarke says agreed to take her into the Hospital, at any time she would go without any certificate, as she could not get the Drs. to do anything for her, at the House of Industry.

The Superintendent reported this to Dr. Badgley who ordered the Supt. to discharge her on Monday morning so that she might go to Dr. Aikins.

With reference to the above case of Ann Clarke, the particulars having been related to me by the Superintendent, I recommended him to discharge her from this Institution.

Francis Badgely

22. I have this day visited Ann Gallagher with a view to offering an opinion as to the propriety of her being removed from this Institution. She is fast sinking under Pulmonary Consumption & her death will be much hurried by removal to a situation where she will stand in need of the comforts which she possesses here. Under these circumstances I cannot sanction her removal at this season or at this period of her {disease}.

15th March 1855

Francis Badgley, M.D.

23. Rose Folley an Inmate of the House partially blind. left the House ~~about~~ on Sunday afternoon last without leave. Applies to be readmitted into the House again. permission granted, provided she be in

future in subjection to the Superintendent, but if she be ^not^ in subordination the Superintendent has power to send her away.

16 March 1855

John Thom Chairman

Present also Mr. E. Hobson, Esq.)

Present also R. Woodsworth , Esq.)

Present also R. Cathcart, Esq.) Weekly Committee

Supt.

24. Read a letter from Mr. Geo. Wilson farmer of Medonte complaining of the bad conduct of James Hines apprenticed to him from this House in February 1854. This case had better be referred to the general committee.

H.J. Grasett J.P. Battersby

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25. Michael McClure & Thos. Paisley. Inmates of the House, applied to be discharged, have refused until after the receipt of their pension, due to them as Military Pensioners, on the 1st of April.

April 3rd

26. Read a letter from Mr. Howard Sect. Bible Society acceding to the request of the Superintendent & granting 24 copies of the Scriptures for the use of the Inmates. The Secretary is requested to acknowledge gratefully this gift.

27. Notice served this day on T.J. O'Neil, Esq. of three children now in House by the name of Cogan to be apprenticed out. children belonging to the Roman Catholic Ch.

Mary Elizabeth Cogan aged 9 years

William Cogan 6 [years]

Catharine Cogan 5 [years]

W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

April 9th

28. Anne Gallagher was seen by me this morning at the request of the Superintendent who stated that the Sisters of Charity were desirous of taking her under their own charge. She is very anxious herself to leave the Institution. I have accordingly advised the Supt. to allow her to be removed as soon as possible. N. Bethune, M.D.

29. The present inmates Bungard [Bongard] and Sexton having violated the rules of the Institution with reference to medical treatment out of the house, as evidenced by a notice sent to the Superintendent by Dr. Cadwell, I have recommended the Superintendent to discharge them.

N. Bethune, M.D.

April 13th

30. Letter from Newton Pool of Peterboro regarding the case of Mary Anne Swan. Paper to be kept. Agree to let Mr. Poole part with the girl for the reasons specified in his letter. He is thereby released from his obligations, if the General Committee confirm this.

30 1/2. Gibbons & Wife was at the House again last night Supt. wants them to do a little work but they refused. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

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1855

April 17

31. Case 465, of 1853. Mary Mason, whose child was placed by her in this House, 27th March 1853. Supt. reported that parents are now able to maintain the child & he was therefore authorised to take immediate steps for returning the child to them.

32. ([Case] No. 29, 226) Jeremiah Sexton & Charles Bongard. Supt. authorised to provide them lodgings and trifling necessities, pending the arrangement now making between the Mayor & medical attendant.

18th

33. John Gibbons and his wife are at the gate again for lodgings. The Superintendent refuses admitting them by order of the Committee.

34. Anne Jane Robinson is sufficiently well to be discharged.

N. Bethune, M.D.

35. Gibbons & Wife came to the House again on Sunday Evening was admitted.

John Gibbons and wife applied again for admission which was not allowed in consequence of an order made by another Committee.

36. Robert Ross seeking relief and lodging being sick of consumption order to the Superintendent to grant him lodging until examined by the medical gentleman in attendance, upon whose report his case will be decided.

37. Henry Gough a Pensioner of the Department of Public Instruction for Upper Canada, admitted to the house upon the condition of his giving the Superintendent of the house an order on the Superintendent

of education for the pension payable to him, the order to be given in advance; Ann Ryan allowed temporary relief with one loaf bread.

George Brooke

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1855

May 5th

38. I have examined Robert Ross this day & find him to be labouring under Consumption & likely to be a tax on the Institution. He has saved a little money & he is anxious to return to Scotland. I would strongly recommend that he should be assisted in his wishes, as a small outlay at present might be a considerable saving in the end.

F.M. Russell, M.D.

7th

39. As there is little prospect of affording relief to Adam Miller I would recommend to the Board his being sent back to Niagara.

F.W. Russell, M.D.

Weekly Committee T.J. O'Neil, E. Hobson and W.M. Westmacott, Esqrs.

8th

40. In the case (30 [39]) of Adam Miller, we have ordered that he be sent back to Niagara, that a sum of from seven & six pence to ten shillings be expended if necessary by the Superint. on paying his passage thereto & that his brother be informed of his removal being ordered. See [Case] 30 [39].

41. In the case of Robt. Ross Mr. Hobson promised to make application on his behalf to the St. Andrew's Society with a view to obtain some assistance towards getting him to Scotland which he was anxious to accomplish.

42. John Lewis allowed to remain in the House until Monday when the Superint. will endeavour to obtain a free passage for him by Steamer to Hamilton from whence he expects that the Rev. Mr. Geddes will forward him to his destination Grimsby. Paid 7/[shillings] 6 [pence]

43. Joseph Bloomfield ordered to be sent by railroad to Barrie to receive aid from that Municipality. In this case ten shillings may be expended.

44. Joseph Sanderson allowed to remain in the House for a short time.

45. Patrick Landrigan do. [ditto].

46. Sarah Glenn ordered Bread for a weeks time was recommended by Mrs. Grassett.

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1855

May 8th

47. Edward Wiley. aged 22 English. Church of Engld. Shoemaker was admitted into the temporary building about a week ago, but owing to his very dangerous condition was taken into the house, ordered to remain.

E. Hobson Terence J. O'Neill

11th Friday Committee

Present. E. Hobson Esq.

48. Margaret White See 1087 in old book the Superintendent is ordered to send Mrs. White back to St. Catherines where she has a Sister living & where she desires to go, and to get her a passage on the Steamer on the best terms he can.

E. Hobson.

49. Ann Jane Robinson see [Case] 343 1/2 old book March 8th 1853. This case referred to the General Meeting

E. Hobson

50. The Weekly Committee would suggest the necessity of some improvement in the drainage of the privy.

May 14th

Weekly Committee

Jno. Tyner, Jno. Doel and Thos. Storm, Esqrs.

Present Mr. Tyner & Doel

51. The Superintendent called upon the Weekly Committee To have them order Richard Clarke to be sent to St. Catherines where he had lived for the last ten years ordered to be sent down to the Niagara Boat along with Adam Miller who is also sent back to Niagara. So the Expence of one Cab may answer for both. See [Case] 149 (in 54 [1854]) for Clarke and [Case] 360 for Miller also this book [Case] 39 & 40.

52. Wm. Rees has been in the House since 13 April See 359 comes before the Committee to ask assistance to carry him back to Dundas. He is able to work and must do so and provide himself with means. is a blacksmith by trade. Supt. to pay his passage to Hamilton.

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not being able to get employment in the City.

53. Margt. Stewart. Bread to be continued.

54. Michael Cahill who was sent to the House by Dr. Bovill, was kept for the night Supt. brought his case before the attending Physician Dr. Russell who ordered him to leave the House in the morning as not being a fit case for this House Charity.

55. Jno. ~~Tanner~~ Trainer Widower R.C. Irish in Canada five years resided in Innisfil labourer lost his Sight and wanted to get down to Montreal the Committee ordered the Supt. to get him a passage on the best terms he can.

56. {blank} Evans two children brought to the House on Saturday evening by one of the police Mrs. Evans called for the children on Monday Committee order them to be given to the Mother.

57. The Weekly Committee would suggest the necessity of some drainage for the privy and would call the attention of the General Committee to this matter today.

57 1/2. Joseph Bloomfield to be sent back to East Gwillimsburry and 10/ [shillings] alld. [allowed] him to pay his fare.

John Doel John Tyner

May 22nd

Weekly Committee

Rev. A. Sanson, J. Tolfree, and Geo. Brooke, Esqrs.

58. Ann Jane Robinson See [Case] 34 & 49 the Committee have seen her this morning and she requested them to send her down to Whitby to her mother. Supt. ordered to pay for passage down to that place.

J. Tolfree

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1855

May 23rd

59. Adam Miller who was sent to Niagara as blonging to that Municipality; was sent down by the boat today with a letter to the Superintendent; stating that He has no claim upon them, and that they have no Institution for taking care of such cases.

He also brought a letter to the Mayor of this City. The Supt. took him in, until the Weekly Committee decide his case. See 39, 40 and 360 relief book.

29th

Weekly Committee

Rev. Dr. Green, P. Paterson and J.P. Battersby Esqrs.

Present none.

June 1st Friday Committee

Present Mr. Battersby

60. The case of Adam Miller will be best decided by the Genl. Committee.

61. Mary Gallagher, recommended by Mr. Cathcart, to be received temporarily into the House till the medical men decide upon her case.

62. Mary Donnelly, 15 years old, Irish, R.C, 1 year in Canada, no friends in Canada sent out by poor house, sent from Hospital here. Dr. Russell is requested to say if this case is one fit for this House.

J.P. Battersby

63. ~~Wm.~~ ^James^ Lawrance 25 years Irish R. Catholic, three years in Canada, two weeks in Toronto, from St. Johns' refused admission into the Hospital Sent to the House by Dr. Russell for admission Says he has no friends living either in the Country or in Ireland. He is in the last stages of consumption.

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1855

June 1

64. Mary Gallaher 17 years Irish R. Catholic four years in Canada and nearly all that time in Toronto, has been two or three times in Hospital. and now living with Capt. Dicks Lady but not sufficiently strong to keep her place, see [Case] 61.

The Superintendent will proceed at once to order the Lumber for the drain, at Burris' Steamsawmill, two inch plank for the sides, eight inches wide; & two inch plank fourteen inch wide for top; and one inch board for bottom, and to employ men to do the work.



E. Hobson

65. I consider James Lawrence a fit and proper person to be retained in the Institution on account of his delicate state of health, being in the last stages of consumption. W. Haswell

June 2

Weekly Committee

Rev. W.S. Darling, R. Cathcart and J. Harrington, Esqrs.

66. Alex Bird aged 64 years Irish. Church of England. Weaver. Four Years out from Ireland Wife Dead last summer. has 5 children two Girls at Holland Landing in Service at 4 Dollr. a Mo. One 19 yrs. one 16 yrs. one Girl at Weston aged 24. Gets [dollars] 4 a Mo. 1 boy aged 22 years went to the States last fall. One boy at home Aged 20 years. Simple. This Simple Boy gets work on the wharf and maintains himself. advised to give him a loaf of Bread a week & some wood when needed.

67. James Laurence. see case 63. Admitted into the house.

68. Michael Johnston aged 35 years partially blind. Wants to go to Montreal gave him a line to the Mayor to further his desires.

69. Ann Mullen aged 20 years R. Catholic Irish. Two years out. has an Illegitimate Child 6 weeks old. She is a healthy looking Girl. Wants to be admitted with her child into the House. refused admission but gave her a line for admission to Magdalen Asylum.

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70. The case of Adam Miller see [Case] 59. Came under Consideration when the Weekly Committee wrote a letter to the Mayor of Niagara and directed the Superintendent to forward it as concurred in by Mr. Battersby. Note of the 2nd Inst.

71. The Superintendent reports the death of Edward Whiley who died on the 4th inst. of consumption. See Case 47

Robert Cathcart. Weekly Committee

June 8th

Friday Committee

Present R. Cathcart and J. Harrington Esqrs.

72. The weekly committee had before them the application for the 3 children Wm., Catherine and Mary Elizth. Cogan. The committee have complied with the application of Patrick Doyle for Wm. Cogan. who expressed himself willing to comply with the terms of indenture, and leave over till next week the other two applications, untill Mr. Hancock the Superintendant visits the parties and ascertains whether they are willing to comply with the terms of indenture also

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73. Ann Anderson Col'd. [Coloured] Woman 36 years Widow has 3 children ^1 girl^ 10 years ^1 boy^ 6 years ^1 boy^ 10 months lives in Spadina Avenue near "Baxters". gave 1 loaf promised to give the Boy here to have him sent out. Refused any further assistance.

Robert Cathcart)

Jno. Carrington)

Weekly Committee

74. The Committee appointed at the last General Committee meeting of the House for making arrangements for painting and whitewashing the Building having considered the matter Report that as there are not men at present in the house able to paint or whitewash in a satisfactory manner and considering it necessary that the Rooms of the house should be kept clean, recommend that the Superintendent do see to the execution thereof and give the same out by contract for whitewashing only.

June 9th 1855

George Brooke

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1855

June 12th

Weekly Committee

Rev. H.J. Grassett, S. Spreull and J. Arnold Esqrs.

Present J. Arnold, Revd. J. Grassett

75. Charles Bongard appeared again before the Weekly Commee. Supert. to apply to Dr. Cadwell under whose care he is to learn if his case is hopeless. not admitted at present. {board} paid by the Mayor.

76. John Nicholson 32 yrs. of age. discharged from the Hospital. sick. unable to work. expects money from his friends to return to England. admitted

77. Wm. Blather 75 yrs. of age. from Co. [county] of Brock unable to work. admitted.

78. Ellen Rogers. husband dead. has received out door relief. has a son living with her, who appears capable of supporting her. further relief stopped for the present.

J. Arnold H.J. Grassett

13th

Committee for Friday

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no business

79. Supt. has not been able to see Dr. Cadwell, in C. Bongard's case. Allowed 6 [pounds] Bread.

80. Supt. reports the death of Jas. Lawrence see 63 & 65. died on the 14th Inst. of Consumption.

19th

Weekly Committee

Rev. J.H. Robinson, Jos. Lukin Robinson and Saml. Shaw, Esq.

Present. Mr. Shaw

81. Application ^of Margaret Salmon^ before the Committee this morning for the admission of a Col'd. [Coloured] Woman into this Institution, from Simcoe in Talbot District. The W. [weekly] Committee cannot entertain this case as being contrary to the rules of the charity, to admit persons from the country, who belong to other Municipalities.

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June 19th

82. Joseph Caton applied to the Committee for some assistance to get to Scotl. Supt. will give him 5/ [shillings] Saml. Shaw

83. The case of John Norris referred to the Genl. Committee wishes to be sent home at the expense of this Institution. The Superintendent would beg to suggest in this case, that as the Father is in comfortable circumstances, residing in the Township of Peel, and being the owner of two hundred acres of land, He is able to pay his sons expenses home; if not paying some thing handsome for his Son's maintenance in this charity for the last two years, or nearly so, being admitted September 1853.

22nd

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Shaw

84. The Weekly Committee in looking over the admissions for the last week, find that parties are being admitted to the Institution from different parts of the Country, and beg to refer the cases of John Nicholson, and Mr. Brithour, in [Case] No's 76 & 77 to the Genl. Meeting as being contrary to our Rules.

Approved J. Lukin Robinson, Saml. Shaw

June 26th

Weekly Committee

T.A. Stayner, R. Woodsworth, and R. Yates Esqrs.

Not any business this morning

29th Friday Committee

Present none

85. Evans' 3 children came to the House again this morning, Father & Mother having been sent to Jail. See [Case] 56. In the absence of the Committee considering the childn. destitute; the Superintendent took them in the House.

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July 3

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson, John Thom and R. Woodsworth, Esqr.

86. Patrk. Atkinson 18 years Canadian R. Catholic. Labourer was living at the river trent [Trent] 2 years from thence to London and living there since, came into the City last Wednesday. ~~Afflicted with Paralysis~~ Consumption. Atkinson has been residing six years in the country is now just down from London where he has lived the last 4 years, according to the Rules of the House is inadmissible.

87. The case of Mrs. Scott recommended by Dr. Bovell for admission into the House was admitted untill Friday when her case will be more fully investigated.

88. Ellen Rogers 78. applies again for Bread. Says her son is not in Toronto now. Supt. to enquire into the Case.

89. Evans Chiln. [children] are still in the House the Case left over till Friday, and Supt. to enquire after the parents. See [Case] 85.

90. James Peters 36 years of age English, Tailor by Trade, 2 years in Canada, only one leg and lately lost the use of the other by paralysis was 10 mos. in Toronto and the last place in Paris 9 mos. In Toronto Genl. Hospital 3 weeks, and was discharged on Monday last 2nd inst. belongs to the Ch. Of England. Admitted for a short time: and must make himself useful in the House as a Tailor.

90 1/2. By order of the Committee James Daugherty was to be allowed 5/ [shillings] pr. day for work at Privies. July 18, 1855

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July 6

Friday Committee

Present Messrs. Thom and Hobson Esqrs.

91. Moses Walker 34 yrs English Ch: of Eng. Laborer from Darlington C.W. [Canada West] was sent to the House by Police magistrate ^for admission into the House of Industry^ says he has no use of his Hands admitted for a short time, and the Supt. requested to call the Attention of the Medical officer to this Case.

92. Isabella Beard 37 and 2 children Wm. & Jno. 9 & 7 Just out from Ireland. Husband in Canada and a peddler but cannot be found at present, Mrs. Beard wishes to put the children under the direction of the Managers of this Institution to be apprenticed out according to the ByLaws. Admitted. C [Church] of Eng.

93. Thos. Killelee left the House this Spring intending to work for his own living, but being afflicted with Paralysis finds himself unable to get his own living. Wishes to be allowed some Bread. living now on the corner of Boulton and York Sts. with one Wm. Lappain. The Weekly Committee on consultation with the Treasurer find the funds to [too] low cannot take any more on the Bread List at present.

94. Jane Nash 68 years an out door pensioner for many years recommended for admission by Revd. H.J. Grassett. Admitted.

Cathr. Duke. Considered ~~not~~ now to able to do without Bread being continued.

John Thom E. Hobson

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July 7th

95. Dr. Bovell's application for the admission of Geo. Walton Scott, an infant child, (that would not be retained in the Orphan's home) was laid before the Weekly Committee; who declined admitting the child from that Institution. The Committee could not see it to be their duty to receive children from the orphan's Home; which they understand to be a public Institution for destitute children.

E. Hobson

July 10th

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Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, Alex McGlashan & Hon: J. Elmsley Esqrs.

Present none

96. Notice forwarded to E. Hobson, Esq. of the two children Wm. and Jno. Beard Ages 9 & 5 respectively; to give that Gentleman an opportunity of finding suitable places for them.

97. Richd. Clark 36 years of age English and Ch. of Eng. Recommended by Dr. Bovell for admission into the House of Industry. Came in on the 7th and died on the 11th.

98. James Johns 40 English & Ch. of Eng. Shoemaker by trade recommended by Rev. H.J. Grasett for admission into the House 4 years in Canada and from Chippawa. afflicted with Consumption.

99. Cath. Lannah 23 years of age deserted by Husband, who was a labourer on Railroad, Irish C. [Church] of Eng, recommended by Mrs. Grasett for admission. Committee think her able to work for her living at present and contrary to the rules to admit parties from other municipalities. Not admitted Ch. Of Eng.

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett, J.P. Battersby and Mr. Mathers Esqrs.

100. Ellen Rogers see [Case] 88. 78. She gave the Superintendent bad language, and said He got her off the books because she was a Catholic, case referred to Friday next.

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101. Margt. Eaton [Case] 667. 40. 284 [old book]. applies for bread left over till Friday.

102. The child of Rich'd. Clark [Case] 97 diseased [deceased] to be rec'd. into this Institution. Aged 5 years Ch. of England.

20th

Friday Committee

Present J.P. Battersby and J. Thom attending for Mr. Mathers

103. Ellen Rogers to be put on the books again for bread. Her son having gone to the States.

104. Notice forward'd to Mr. Hobson that Wm. Beard had got a place with a respectable party of the Ch. Of England. July 20.

July 24.

Weekly Committee

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Revd. Mr. Barclay, Jno. Arnold and D.K. Feehan Esqrs.

Present none

105. Sent to the House by Dr. Hallowell, Charles McCart a discharged Pensioner 25 years of age Irish & R.C. almost blind. Seeks admission into the House.

106. Jno. Coffie 25 Irish Roman Catholic 2 years in Canada. Just down from Brampton, sent to the House by Dr. Bovell as a case of incurable consumption.

107. Mary Fordan 18 years of age R.C. Irish living at Port Hope the last four years, has a young child about 3 months old, not married. Was sent to Toronto by the Mayor of Port Hope, who gave her five Dollars and telling her She could get her child into the Orphans Home, went there but was refused. Sent to the House by this Mayor requesting the Superintendent to bring the case before the Weekly Committee.

27th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. J. Barclay

108. Mary Forden ([Case] 107) The Superintendent to communicate ^to the Mayor of Port Hope^ a copy of the standing law of the House of Industry

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which forbids the admission of applicants from other Municipalities, and to make arrangements for sending the present applicant back to Port Hope

109. John Coffie ([Case] 106). In consideration of the proposed application to Government for increased means to meet cases of this sort, as referred to in Resolution of the General Board of the 17 July, the applicant be for the present received into the House with the view of the case being finally disposed of at the next general meeting.

110. Charles McCart ([Case] 105). recommended by Dr. Hallowell. Received temporarily, in consideration of the special circumstances of the case, but subject to the consideration and approval of the General Committee. John Barclay

July 31st

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns, D. Crawford & Hon. J. Elmsley

Present none

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111. Catharine Boyd recommended by The Treasurer for some assistance in the absence of the Committee supt. gave a loaf of bread, and also sent along with her one of the women of the House to help Mrs. Boyd to take care of the children, while Mrs. B. went out to work.

112. John Ellis was also sent by Mr. Grasett for admission. Catharine Gallaher was also seeking admission, was ordered to come back on Friday.

August 3rd

Friday morning Committee

Present none, no business

6th

Weekly Committee

Revd. J. Borland

W.J. MacDonell & R. Cathcart Esq.

Present

113. John Ellis aged 76 years from England. Member of the Church of England. Just from ~~the~~ England, sent to the House by the Rev. Mr. Grasett for admission. Cannot be received at present, the male ward being full, but will be allowed a loaf of bread each Week.

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114. John Maguire, aged 75 years, a member of the Roman Catholic Church, a Native of Ireland, but has resided in Barrie for the last twenty one years. Is desirous of proceeding to port Stanley to reside with a daughter there. Having no means for assisting him otherwise a note commending him to the charity of the public for assistance ^was given him^ to that effect.

115. A letter from Mr. Wm. Firstbrook was read requesting the cancelling of the indenture by which the girl Ann Jane Walsh has been apprenticed to him. The case was referred to the General Committee: a reply to that effect to be sent to Mr. Firstbrook.

116. The case of Rose Foley was brought before the committee by the Rev. Mr. Grasett, she having been expelled the house by the Superintendent for improper conduct as authorized by a Minute in the book under date of March the 12th. after a particular investigation it was determined that a place in the Country should be procured for her as speedily as possible; and that in the mean time ^she^ remain in this House.

117. Julia Brierty, a widow with two children, one living in Hamilton learning the painting business, and the other a babe of eight Months old. She lives in Adelaide Street; is a member of the Roman Catholic

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Church. Is believed able to support herself and in order to aid her an application is made on her behalf to the Sisters of Charity by the Chairman of the Committee.

August 10th.

Friday Committee

Present R. Cathcart Esq. and Revd. J. Borland

118. Oliver Healey twenty years of age, from Cincinnati recently. Originally from Ireland. Is a Roman Catholic. The state of his health is such that he is recommended to go to some seaboard Town, for which object, the Superintendent will endeavour to procure him a passage to Montreal.

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119. James Ryan is 19 years of age, From Ireland but has resided about four years in this Country. Is a member of the Roman Catholic Church; labourer. Came to Toronto to get into the Hospital. Wishes to obtain a residence in the House of Industry for the present. Is recommended to apply to the Clergy in order to obtain admission to the Hospital of the City, and failing in this application is advised to return to Chatham from whence he came as the rules of this house preclude his admission. See minutes of May 16. 1854 & July 17. 1855

120. Catherine Boyd. is a widow with two children. One is 2 years & 3 mos. old and the other a babe of four months. Is a Member of the Roman Catholic Church. Has lived for the last four years in Toronto. Originally from Ireland. Her husband was a protestant and was killed by a fellow workman about four Months ago. Applies for relief. Lives off Ann Street near Mr. McLears'. Is allowed a four pound loaf of bread per week.

121. The superintendent has reported to the Committee that a place at Capt. Baldwin's has been procured for Rose Foley and it is hoped from her turbulent and unruly spirit that she will not become an inmate again in this institution. It is therefore resolved that unless under very peculiar circumstances she shall not be readmitted.

John Borland Robert Cathcart

August 10th

122. Julia McEvoy died this Evening 8 o'clock of Dysentery. Aged 60 years Roman Catholic. See [Case] 567 in 1852.

14th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green G.W. Allan & Geo. Brooke Esqrs.

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No business this morning

122 1/2. The Superintendent was speaking with W.J. MacDonell Esq. on behalf of Oliver Healy to give him a passage to Montreal, or Quebec, or any other seaport Town. "Mr. McD. informed the Supt. that He had offered Healy a passage to Ireland" on board of one of Hayse's Ships", but that Healy refused. See [Case] 118.

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Aug 17th

Friday Committee

Present none

21st

Weekly Committee

Rev'd. Dr. Lett The Mayor & R.H. Brett Esq.

123. Joseph Caton, aged 69. English. An old inmate applies for admission. superintendent reports that, when in the house, he always made himself useful. Now suffering from drink. admitted.

124. Letter ^26^ July from Mr. Firstbrook desirous to be relieved from the obligation laid on him by indenture of apprenticeship of Anne Jane Walsh, also a letter from same to the same effect, date 17 Augt. & also a letter from her elder sister Elizabeth praying the board not to comply. The Supt. to write to Mr. Firstbrook, saying that ~~the terms of~~ the indenture of apprenticeship cannot be cancelled.

125. Three children of the name of Evans. Father & Mother living, but drunkards & constantly in Jail. referred to the Board whether these children should not be apprenticed.

Stephen Lett

24th

Friday Committee

Present none

22nd

126. James McDonald died this morning 10 o'clock. A.M. Aged 87 years disease general debility

126 1/2. Mary Brown [Case] 509 ([Case] 52) ^ and 904 in 1854^. left the House this morning by going over the fence, she is a great drunkard; and unless she can go out for drink at pleasure, she will go over the fence or any other way she can get it. Whiskey has been taken from her several times on returning

from the City. The Supt. has reported the bad conduct of this woman to the Committee, a number of times, and particularly as a person of no Charity. having property at Wellington Square. where she always goes for money when she leaves the House in this way, without leave; and always brings money back with her. See [Case] 695 1/2 in 1854

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August 28th

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson W.M. Westmacott & T.J. O'Neil Esqrs.

127. Patrick Atkinson see [Case] 86 sent to the House by Dr. Bovell for admission, is far gone in consumption admitted R.C.

128. Jesse Johnson 74. refugee. American M.C. His age and infirmaty unfit him for earning his living. Must make himself useful if he comes into the House admitted.

129. Thos. Killilee [Case] 93 ordered Bread

130. Eliza Wade (otherwise Wilkinson, wishing her infant child be taken into the house & willing to contribute towards its support. Her case referred to Dr. Lett by a note from Committee together with one brought from the Mayor.

131. Isaac Strachan's case postponed till Friday with a view to making inquiry.

132. Catharine Mara aged 15 Ireland. R. Catholic recommended by Dr. Bovell laboring under consumption admitted

133. Michael Scanlan. 24. Ireland. R. Catholic. both feet frozen recommended by Dr. Bovell admitted

134. Jane Chambers applied for admission till after her confinement. recommended by Commt. to go into the country.

Terence J. O'Neill E. Hobson

August 28th

135. Notice to T.J. O'Neil Esq. of Jane Killeelee aged 5 years and belonging to R.Catholic ch.

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136. The Superintendent was ordered by the weekly Committee to secure a copy of the new directory. now about to be published.

31st

Friday Committee

Present {blank}

137. The case of Mary Brown as reported by the Supt. in his notice of 22nd Inst. was taken up & the Supt. was ordered to refuse her re-admission should she apply.

138. Thomas Cook. Labourer. English. R. Catholic 50 years of age. Recommended by Mr. O'Neill for admission & admitted

139. In the case of Eliza Wade the Revd. D. Lett called to inform the Committee that the lady manager of the Orphan's Home declined to receive her child into their institution. & as she is employed at reasonable wages this Committ. deem her competent to support the child herself. The case was therefore refused.

Terence J. O'Neil E. Hobson

September 4th.

Weekly Committee

J. Tyner J. Doel and Thos. Storm Esquires

Present Messrs. Doel & Tyner

140. James Daily 60 Irish, R. Catholic has been many years in the United States. Came over to Canada three weeks ago. Recommended by Dr. Bovell for admission Admitted temporarily

141. John Nicholson wished to have his Draft, that he was able to manage his own business Committee thought him capable of doing the business himself.

142. Thos. Smith. Irish ~~English~~ Ch: of Eng. Applies this morning for admission to the House. not considered

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142. a fit person for admission, both Smith and wife are persons of unsteady habits.

143. Catharine Murray 24 Irish ^C of Eng^ R Catholic. has two children husband gone to look for work Just out from Ireland. Allowed a loaf and dismissed

144. Mary Leonard 69 Irish R. Catholic has been living on Bay St. one year wants admission into the House. Formerly from Picton. Allowed a loaf of bread at present. The House is already full.

145. Patrick Atkinson 19 years died this morning of Consumption See [Case] 127.

7th Friday Committee

Present Messrs. Tyner & Doel

146. Samuel Tuck 52 years of age living in Toronto many years, not able to work recommended by Dr. Haswell for admission into the House as being utterly destitute. Ch: of England. admitted

147. Jos. Brown 23 yrs. English Ch: of Eng. and a Single person 2 yrs. in Canada 8 weeks in the City. Recommended by Dr. Bovell for admission admitted.

148. Patrick Conroy 75. Irish R. Catholic from Richmond Hill living there 20 years sent to the to the House for a few days until he can recover a Box, lost on the rail way.

149. John Austen 48 yrs [Case] 1227 [old book] returned to the House recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett for admission

150. Two children Norwegens recommended for admission ^by Revd. Dr. Burns^ one 8 years & the other 14 Months. The Father has signed the usual letter and given them up to the Institution to be bound out. Protestants.

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September 7

151. Jane Chambers returned to the House contrary to the order of the Committee last week. but Mr. Hancock requiring some persons for sewing she is allowed to remain for the present

152. Jane Killallee aged 5 years was given up to the House by her Father who has signed the usual letter. admitted R.C.

John Tyner John E. Doel

11th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Alexd. Sanson. Tolfree and Geo. Brooke Esqrs.

153. Mary Davis has been an out pensioner on this Charity for many years, has two children and she wishes to put them into the House pursuant to them being bound out as apprentices. Admitted

154. James Daily see [Case] 140 died yesterday morning Sept 10th 1855. R.C.

Jane Chambers returned to the House and although the Committee had ordered her to go to the country, the Supt. considering she had no home, allowed her to remain until this morning when her case was again taken up, and it was decided she should remain in the House if she make herself useful to Mrs. Hancock. See {blank}

155. Mary Davis see [Case] 153 who has put her children into the House to be placed out under the provisions of the act of incorporation and By Laws of the Institution. When she understood that the committee would not bind themselves to retain the children in the City, she wish to removed them from the Institution; was allowed to do so.

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Sept 14

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Tolfree

156. A Letter was read from the Revd. Thos. B. Fuller of Thorald [Thorold] in reference to Elizabeth Ellis a little girl who had been sent out to one Charles Richards Port Robinson. ~~who Mr. Robinson~~ ^Richards^ is dead since the girl went there and Mrs. R. has married again to one Mr. Reiley and the husband dose [does] not wish to keep the child. Committee ordered Supt. to write to Revd. T.B. Fuller and request him to forward the child to Toronto at the expence of this Institution.

157. Alex Bird [Case] 66 was sent by Dr. Bovell for admission into the House C. [Church] of Eng. allowed some Bread.

158. Thos. Smith applied again for admission refused see [Case] 142

159. Mary Davis brought her children back to the House with a view to get them into the Orphan's Home may stay four weeks and if not taken away at that time let them be apprenticed out.

160. Joseph Brown [Case] 147 wants to go to Montreal and applies to the Committee this morning for assistance to get down. Supt. ordered to get him a passage on best terms he can.

161. Superintendent requested permission to go down to Cobourg to settle some business. granted.

J. Tolfree

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Sept 18th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Anson Green D.D. P. Paterson and J.P. Battersby Esqrs.

Present Mr. Battersby.

162. Charlotte Brandemer applies for admission to the House English, C. of E. [Church of England] 60 years old. Husband alive, lives opposite asylum on lakeshore. Sent here from Hospital, blind & in bad health. Says her husband is 49 years old, able to work, recommended by Dr. Haswell. Husband to be inquired for.

21st

Friday Committee

Present none

25th

Weekly Committee

Revd. W.S. Darling R. Cathcart and J. Harrington Esqrs.

Present Mr. Cathcart

163. Elizabeth Ellis, appeared before the Committee see [Case] 156. her Sister came with her in deference to her Sisters desire. The Committee wrote to her Brotherinlaw Mr. Frederick Walsh of Toledo, Ohio, who it is represented will send for her and take her to her sister his Wife. At present she is to remain in the House, and if after a reasonable time, her sister in Ohio does not send for her. A proper place will be procured in the City.

164. Alexander Bird Aged 64 Irish. Church of England. in this Country nearly 5 years. lived in the City. Wife dead, has 3 daughters and 2 Sons. All grown up. One boy in the States. One boy at Weston. One daughter at Holland Landing. One daughter at Thornhill and another in the City. All Earning Money. The daughters get each four Dollars a Month. Agreed to admit him if each daughter will pay this House one Dollar a Month each out of their Wages. In the meantime to remain in the outSheds.

165. The Superintendant reported that in compliance with the note of his Worship the Mayor, has had given up the children to Evans & his Wife who had demanded them. and the Committee approves of what the Superintendant has done in the Matter, and hope that as they have removed to the Country they may reform. See Mayors Note and Minutes of last Genl. Meeting

1855

September 28th

Weekly Committee Friday

Present R. Cathcart Esq.

166. Margaret White see [Case] 48. returned from her sister in St. Catharines. Is determined to force herself on the Charity of the House. Refused to allow her to come in, and desired her to return to her sister at St. Catharines.

167. Thomas Thorne aged 77 years from England. Came to this Country in 1832. has been living with Captn. Boyd ~~out Yonge Street~~ 17 years at Niagara, Stamford & St. Catharines. Captn. Boyd now lives in the City and evidently desires to get rid of the old Man. Refused because the old man is worth his Board & lodging to Captn. Boyd and he has had his Services for 17 years and has therefore a Claim on him for his support.

168. William Eldon an Inmate of the House see {blank} has been in the House since May. From a Sore leg. Aged 53 years from Ireland. Church of England has been in Canada since 1848. has lived in the city since he came. his leg is now nearly well and he is a healthy old man. And quite able to get his living. He is now discharged.

169. James John an Inmate see [Case] 98 is now well enough to Earn his living. is a shoemaker and is desirous of going out. discharged

170. The Superintendent reported his having received into the House Charles Collins aged 12 years and James Collins aged 10 years. Children of Thomas & Anne Collins of the City. from Ireland and in the City about two Months. Methodists in Connection with the Church of England. The father and Mother has signed a letter to the Trustees giving them power to Bind out the two Boys. The Superintendant to send notice of the Children to the Methodist Minister as the rules direct.

171. The following tenders for Bread was received Viz

Wm. Christie to supply for 3 mo. at 8 / [shillings] 4 [pence] per 4 [pound] loaf

Dodgson Shields & Morton to supply for 3 mo. at 9 [shillings] d. [pence] per 4 a loaf

George Coles to supply for 3 mo. at 9 [shillings] d. [pence] per 4 [pound] loaf

The contract to be given to Wm. Christie on his tender giving the Securitys

Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee



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172. The Superintendent forwarded notice to E. Hobson Esq. of the two children Charles & James Collins ^10 & 12 years of age^ as belonging to the Ch: of England and requesting him to find places for them with persons of that denomination as the rules require.

W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

Oct 2nd

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett S. Spreull and J. Arnold Esquires

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett

173. Eliza Wade's child to be admitted into the house, the mother having abandoned it & gone to the States. The father of the child is not known.

5th

Friday Committee

Present. S. Spreull Esq. Revd. H. J. Grasett

174. Wm. Scott 57 years of age, Irish C of England Just out this season; has two daughters living in City 17 & 19 yrs. of age and two Boys at home 11 & 9 yrs. wife in good health, and able to work alld. [allowed] 1 Ration of bread for a Short time, promises to bring the Eldest boy to the House to be apprenticed out.

175. Ann Lary 34 years of age Irish R. Catholic two months in City. Says she is out of health the House is full but may stay a little in the out building until the Dr. has decided her case.

176. Alex Whigham 28 Scotch Presbyterian, a Single person is a Clerk, but out of employment. May stay five days to see if Mr. S. Spreull Esq. can find him any work.

177. Joseph Hodgson See {blank} alld. [allowed] to get 20/ [shillings] to pay his Expences to Queensville in East Gwillamsbury [Gwillimbury] where He has got a situation as School Teacher. C of Eng

178. Mrs. Brown came to the gate this afternoon seeking to be re-admitted to the House. The Supt. was ordered to refuse her admission. See [Case] 137

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October 9th

Weekly Committee

Revd. J.H. Robinson, S. Shaw and J.L. Robinson Esquires

Present. J. Lukin Robinson

179. Ellen Fletcher. applied for wood. Irish. Church of England. 50 years old. can have wood as soon as Committee is giving it out.

180. Mary Browne. see page 23. ([Case] 126). applied for re-admission. was refused per statement given in No. [Case] 126

181. The superintendant reported that Mrs. Gibner Doyle was brought to the House by Mr. John Connors last night, that she is an infirm old woman who has been living for 20 years past in the Township of Vaughan and that her case comes within the resolution of a general meeting held the 21st of August last, deciding that "all cases coming from other municipalities should for the future be refused admittance to this charity, whereupon it was agreed that the Superintendant take measures to send Mrs. Doyle back to Vaughan, & that he write to J.W. Gamble Esqr. the Reeve of the Township of Vaughan ^informing him of^ the particulars of Mrs. Doyle's case, & of the resolution of this Charity.

182. Wm. Eldon. See No. 160 [168] page 30. was recommended to seek for service, to apply at Dr. Beavan's who had called here for a servant. it seems Dr. Beavan would have taken him a short time ago, but he had then been drinking. Should Dr. Beavan still refuse to take him, his case then to be brought before the Committee.

J. Lukin Robinson. Weekly Committee

12th

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Shaw

183. Margt. Cook Cold. [Coloured] Woman recommended by Mrs. Butt for Bread and Soup. granted.

Mr. Hutty's a/c [account] for meat for three months [pounds] 29.13.1 ordered to be paid.

Mr. Harper Milk a/c [account] 3 mo. 11.13.3

Mr. Coles for one month Bread 29.6.3

183 1/2. Charlotte Brandemer See [Case] 162 died this day decline 49 years of age October 13th 1855

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Revd. Dr. Burns R. Gates & T.A. Stayner Eqrs.

Present R. Yates Esq.

184. The Case of Gibnor Doyl referred to Genl. Board See [Case] 181 and Supt. letter to J.W. Gamble Esq. in Letter Book No. 38

185. Elizabeth Ellis to be sent to Toledo Ohio in accordance with the entry made [Case] 163

186. Wm. Eldon returns to the House wants readmission the Committee cannot admit under the circumstances

187. Thos. Smith see [Case] 142 & 158 Applies for admission again. Recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett. The Comtee. cannot act contrary to the entries in 142 & 158 but refer his case to the General Committee to day.

188. Jane Murray see {blank} has been living living with Mr. Hastings the last four months, but thinks she is not able to do the work. Committee considers her able to keep her situation Supt. to speak to Dr. Haswell in her case. Richard Yates

189. James Peters [Case] 90 no. [number] died this day 2 oclock P.M. Body claimed by Mr. Robinson Terauly St.

190. Elizabeth Ellis was sent away this morning upon for Steamer Peerless to Lewiston and from thence to Buffalo [etc.]

19th

Friday Committee

Present J. Tyner Esq.

acting for R. Yates

191. J.W. Gamble's Letter was read by the Committee this morning touching the case of Widow Doyle. Referred for consideration of the Board at their next Meeting.

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192. Elizabeth Cobb [Case] 777. 505. 226 [old book] Recommended by the Revd. Edwd. Baldwin for Wood and bread the Commt. are not giving any wood at present, but she will get some wood as soon as the Commt. have it to give, and will get a Loaf of bread Weekly for the winter months. C. of Eng

193. M.A. Gibbons [Case] 30. 33. 36 [35] Husband has joined the foreyne Legion. Mrs. Gibbons is able to work but may stay in the out building for two nights to get her clothes washed up & prepare herself for usefulness. R.C.

194. Martha Caverly [Case] 152. 305. 327 [old book]. recommended by {blank} Son is living in Town, in the Park, and pays his mothers rent. Wants wood no wood and at present, but may get a little bread. C of Eng

195. Jane Nash [Case] 94 has a little money ~~with~~ in the Hands of a Mr. Thornton Niagara and she wishes the weekly Committee to get it for her. Supt. To write a letter for the Committee to see if the money can be got. John Tyner for Richd. Yates Esq.

October 23rd

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson John Thom & R. Woodsworth Esqrs.

Present none

26th

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Thom

196. John Collins who has been an inmate for more than a year and Dr. Haswell procured him a place with a friend of his the Supt. was allowed to get him a pr. [pair] of Pants and a Hankf' [handkerchief].

197. Mary Burns 16 Irish Roman Catholic one month in the City, has been living nr. [near] a year at Port Hope. Has been in the Hospital one month Cat{blank} on her eyes unfit her for service case left with Dr. Haswell to say if she is fit case for this House.

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197. John McCabe 36 years of age Irish Catholic a single man, and wants to remain in the out building till Monday. Granted.

198. Patrick Casey 64 years of age Irish and Catholic. Recommended by the Mayor for admission residing in City 23 years has a pension 4 1/2 pr. diem which he is willing to give over to the House. He is a Tailor by Trade and He will be required to make him self useful with his needle. admitted.

199. John Rice 75 years of age Irish CofEng lived the last 5 years in Montreal, came to the city in search of his children. Was 15 years altogether in Montreal. Supt. to send him back to Montreal on best terms he can.

200. Margt. Elliott 30 years of age Irish CofEng Just out from the Lying in Hospital one child 3 mos. old. applies for a little wood. The committee are not giving out any wood at present. Is willing to go to the country if Supt. can get her a place, word to be left with Mrs. Winters.

201. Mary Connors 32 Irish and R.C. Has 4 child. [children] girl 9. Boy 6 girl 4 girl 2. Husband 60 years of age Supt. to visit this case.

202. Ellen Casey 45 Irish R.C. Wife of Patrick Casey in No. 198. She has no place to stay, and may remain in the for a short time tosee if the Superintendent can get her a place in the Country.

Dr. Haswell having recommended that vegetables for the other two days in week such as cabbages [etc.] be procured for the inmates and the Superintendant reported to the Comtt. that He had Bt. [bought] 5 Bus. [bushels] of Carrots and twenty Bus. [bushels] of Turnips & 350 Cabbages. at 2/ [shillings] 4 d. [pence] per head the Committee approved of what the Supt. has done.

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204. Mary Short 40 Irish R.C. applies for a little wood as soon as the Committee are giving out wood she will get some. allowed a small loaf of Bread ^pr. week^ and she will apply to the Institution on Nelson St. for a little Bread [etc.]

John Thom

Weekly Committee

205. Rebecca Robinson {blank} has had her ^two^ children in the House for a long time now. The Committee diside [decide] this morning, that if she will neither give them to the house, nor take them away, they will be apprenticed out forth with, as many respectable parties are anxious to take them.

30th

Weekly Committee Revd. Dr. Lett Alex McGlashan & Hon. J. Elmsley Esqrs.

Present. Dr. Lett

206. James Burton. in the house two years ago. blacksmith by trade. now very infirm age 63 Scotch Presbt. See 564 1/2 & 590 in 1852. admitted

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207. William Walsh from Cork. 7 years. Sickly, but will be able to work aged 72.

208. Mary Holton 10 week from Ireland. ^R.C.^ Husband in Cincinnati to where ^refused^ Mr. Baldwin has written. just discharged from Hospital, admitted temporarily on rescheduled dates J.W. Burton C of England/ child name Charles, one year old with her.

208 1/2. Mary Felton 30 years in Canada. aged 82. ~~widow~~ Spinster. admit. Born in {illegible} C of England. S. Lett

Nov. 2nd

Friday Committee

Present S. Lett

209. Elizabeth Heaslip. Centre St. Seven children. One at service, rest young. husband has left her 3 months ago she knows not where he is gone. Has sent no money. Bread allowed.

210. Eliza Neely. [dollars] 4 pr. month earning. 3 children. 1 in orphan Home 1 at a trade earning 7/ [shillings] 6 [pence] per week which only pays his board. Seeks admission into the Poor House for James Neely aged 14: he has not the full use of his hand supposes

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that he is paralytic, she says that he is also somewhat silly. CofE. mother a widow. Had been in Poor House in Dublin 4 years. Admitted.

211. Supt. Reports that Thos. Dyas. See [Case] No. 858 in 1854 & 650 in 1853 was brought to the House yesterday by a Policeman at the direction of the Mayor. Sickly. refused at General Hospital. admitted. Doctor will please examine.

S. Lett

Nov 6th

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett J.P. Battersby and Wm. Mathers Esquires

Present all of them

~~Thos. Dyas died this morning See 211 Consumption 7 o'clock A.M.~~

212. Lawrence McDonald see no. 3 ^in relief book^ old book to be relieved for two Months

213. Robert Alexander Scotch Presbyterian. Married family in Scotland. From Port Hope. To be referred to the medical man to know if likely soon to recover.

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214. Wm. Eldon See [Case] 182. To be admitted till he becomes able to work.

215. Mary Anne Taylor. Consumptive sent by Dr. Russell. Irish Church of Ireland single eight months in Canada has been in Service. Parents dead. To be admitted

9th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Mr. Grasett & Mr. Battersby

Thos. Dyas died this morning See [Case] 211 7 o'clock A.M.

216. Elizabeth Selanders. English. C of E. 4 years in the States. two months in Toronto. Had two brothers in Toronto, gone to the States, lives by washing. Daughter lives with her. daughter 13 years old wants wood. None given out yet.

216. The Superintendant is authorized to purchase a copy of the statute relating to anatomical Schools for the use of the board.

217. Cecilia Morris. ^Aged^ Recommended by Mrs. Grasett unable to come before the board. To be admitted. CofEngland & Irish

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218. Catharine Cadwell. See [Case] 1210 [old book]. Husband hurt in hand unable to work. To bring certificate from the Hospital showing husband to be unfit for work. Then to be allowed bread.

J.P. Battersby

Weekly Committee 13 Novr.

Revd. J. Barclay & John Arnold Present

No applicants. passed Accounts

Bakers Acct. 24-11-1)

Supt. Acct. for Vegetables 18.5.2)

Supt. Contingent Acct. 20.)

J. Arnold

219. Notice forwarded this day ^to Revd. Alex Sanson^ of a little boy named John Dyas Aged 9 or 10 years, this notice to give Revd. Mr. Sanson an opportunity to find a proper place for the boy with some

respectable family belonging to the Church of England, informing him also that the child would be retained in the House 14 days to give time for him to find such a home.

220. Jane Nash See [Case] 94 & 195 died this day 2 o'clock P.M. Aged 68 years complaint general debility. the body was claimed by StepSon, and interred at his Expenditure. Irish, Ch: of England.

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16th

Friday Committee

Present John Arnold

221. Ellen Casey ^([Case] 202)^ & her husband. the former not being willing to go to a place in the Country. she is to leave the House with her husband

222. Ann Morarty. deserted by her husband 17 May last 2 children 1 aged 2 yrs. the other-6 2 weeks lived at Thornhill husband a painter used to drink. 25 yrs. of age. refused advice goes to country. R.C.

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223. Superintd. is directed to write to parties having applied for children. & enquire if they still need them.

J. Arnold

224. John Chamberlain 72 English Ch. of Eng. an old Soldier [soldier] 7 years in regular service was discharged in Kingston in 1818 and has remained in the country ever since. lived 9 years at Cold Crick in Cramahe and the last 12 months in Coleborn in do. [ditto]

17th

225. Richard Prendergast 56 Irish recommended by Dr. Haswell for admission on the 8th. Died this morning or rather last night about 11 P.M. compt. [complaint] debility Roman Catholic. No friends to claim the body

20th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns Hon. J. Elmsely & D. Crawford Esq.



226. Mary Brown an old inmate, was discharged Some Months ago, for improper behaviour, but now upon the strong & earnest recommendation of Mrs. Brett she is again admitted promising to conduct herself with propriety and to be generally useful. Admitted.

227. James Kehoe. 22. Unmarried. Laborer. Irishman. Recently discharged from the Hospital. Convalescent. Recommended by Dr. Haswell for admission. Health improving. Admitted for a week.

228. William Brown 23. Unmarried. Laborer. Englishman. Has a very Sore leg. Could not obtain admission to the Hospital, for want of Room. Said to be fond of a drop. Recommended by Dr. Lett for admission. Admitted for a week

229. Solomon Wormsley. 75. Unmarried. Deaf & Stupid. No Information can be obtained from him. Englishman. Walked all the way from Township of King. Admitted. To be brought under the notice of Genl. Committee

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230. Jesse Johnson. 74. Colored Man. Laborer. Whitewasher. Was in the House during last winter, but during the Summer left to try and earn his living: now finds himself unable to work. Right arm very feeble. Admitted.

231. John Adams. Very old. Found in a very destitute condition by the Police on Saturday night last, and brought to the House by direction of Revd. Dr. Burns. To be brought under notice of Genl. Committee. At present in Outer Buildings. Difficult to understand him.

Robt. Burns

J. Elmsely

232. I have this day visited the out shed. we were obliged some time ago to remove Adam Miller into it, as he passed his motions involuntarily, and was an annoyance to the other inmates of the male ward. I have ordered the Superintendent to improve his diet menus, as he is beyond the aid of medicine. the person named John Adams is a labouring under general debility. he is to be kept away from the other inmates as he has the itch. Solomon Wormsley is also an old person labouring under general debility physically as well as mentally. James Kehoe is a fit object for the institution as he is labouring under incurable disease, consumption. David Edmonds is nearly blind from an old standing disease of both Eyes. He may be relieved to some extent by careful medical treatment, but he will eventually become totally blind. William Brown with ulcerated leg, is a fitter subject for the Hospital than for the House of Industry. N. Bethune M.D.

Novr. 22

233. Thos. Maher 49 died this day of Apoplexy, Superintendent has understood he had children in some part of the country but dose [does] not know where.

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234. Visited the house casually today. examined the kitchen. The quality of the soup, vegetables, & meat as shown to me by the Superintendant is excellent. I approve of the scale of Diet as originally recommended by Dr. Badgley. N. Bethune M.D.

Nov. 23rd.

Weekly Committee for Friday

Present Revd. Dr. Burns J. Elmsley

235. Bridget Calway She was in an inmate all last Winter. Has a little boy by a pensioner named Michael Hudson. The Committee recommend that the Secretary represent in the proper quarter, that his illegitimate child, as well as the mother of it, are in great Want. Admitted until the government reply is received.

236. John Chamberlain. 72. Widower. Childless. ~~Pensioner~~ Discharged Soldier, without pension: in great need. Infirm. Shoemaker by Trade. Eyesight failing these last two years. Authorize Superintendent to procure a pair of Spectacles suitable to his Vision. admitted.

237. Hendrich Houserfose. 38. Bachelor. Laborer. 1 year in Canada. Rheumatism in Right side. Left Hospital last Wednesday: discharged after three months treatment. Lutheran Church. Has been in the outer shed for some days: to remain ^for the present^ there Superintendent to apply to German Congregation on his behalf.

238. Mary Tanner. 39. Widow. No friends in Toronto. Girl 9. Girl 7. Boy 2. all these with her.) Girl 17. Boy 12 both in The Queens Bush. See No. 78 Relief Book. Lives on George Street, next to the Soap Factory. Bread for the present. Says she is of no church in particular. Superintendent to make further enquiries.

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239. Eliza Selanders. 45. Widow, 11 years. Presbyterian Girl 13 but ^she^ has a shake in her arm & subject to fits. 3 Months in Toronto: 4 years in America. Was Wrecked coming out. Has had Poor health lately: Eyes weakly. No friends in Toronto. Bread for the present

240. Lawrence McDonell. 40. Widower. Laborer. Catholic. Girl 14. Boy 11. Boy 8 Boy 6 All four with him) Lost right leg. Has been relieved frequently before. Bread continued.

241. James Kerr. 72. Pensioner. Does not know where his Wife is. Has four Grown Up Children, but they are all in the States. Has 4 d. [pence] a day. Mr. Arnold promises to procure his pension for the House of Industr. See Lady Robinsons note of this day. Admitted R.C.

242. The Revd. Edmund Baldwin attended in compliance with the request of the General Committee of the 20th instant, to give information respecting sending complaints, which had been made, relative to the Diet furnished to the Inmates

Mr. Baldwin was of opinion that the meals should be more varied than at present permitted.

That Meat, other than that used for Soup, should be supplied to the Inmates.

That Vegetables should be more constantly given, both in Soup, and as separate Dishes. For the space of two months the House had been without Potatoes, or any substitute.

That the fat was thick atop the surface of ^the^ soup placed before the Children.

That the present Cook was a person quite incompetent to fulfil the Duties this important station.

That the sick inmates whom Mr.

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Mr. Baldwin has attended in professional capacity, have frequently complained, that they could not eat the food which was set before them

The Superintendent being called upon to Explain these several Matters, he alleged;

That Potatoes were purchased in what was considered sufficient quantities, last Autumn, but that they did not hold out longer than the Month of June in this year, some having become diseased; and as in former years, the supply when Exhausted had not been renewed, so neither was it renewed in this year. In the Month of July last, by direction of the Medical Gentlemen he had procured twenty bushels; this supply also became Exhausted in August, from which period until the middle of October, the House was again without potatoes. The Superintendent in this respect acted under the directions also of the Secretary and Treasurer.

The Superintendent also states that the fat on the Soup noticed by Mr. Baldwin was an accidental occurrence. The Nurse went for the Soup for the children as usual, but as the Cook was not in the way at the moment, she took the Soup herself, and did not take the precaution of skimming it.

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The Present Cook is the best of the Inmates that could be Selected for that office.

At one time, the Sick could not have their Food cooked in a suitable manner, because the stove then in use was, not calculated for the purpose. A former Stove had proper appliances; but it was removed by order of the General Committee, and another substituted which in its time has been removed, and the present stove, answers the purpose; the sick now have relishing food.

The Weekly Committee are of opinion that ^the^ entire domestic arrangements of the House, as well the practical efficiency with which they are

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Carried out, should be made the subject of investigation by a special Committee, appointed by the General Committee: and they would especially recommend that the Visits of Ladies should be earnestly solicited, from Whence the most beneficial results might be expected.

J. Elmsley

Thos. Maher see {blank} died this day of Apoplexy, has children some where, but not known to the Superintendent.

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243. Wm. Percy See 347 ^in relief book 1855^ died this Morning disease of the lungs, deceased gave particular instructions to Superintendent as to the interment of his body, previous to his death.

Novr. 27

Weekly Committee

Revd. J. Borland W.J. MacDonnell R. Cathcart Esqrs.

243. Mary Smith, 36. Stanley Street. 2 children, Michael, 13, Elisa, 10. washerwoman. Wishes to procure admission for girl, Eliza, blind 13 months. Left Kingston say 3 weeks ago; from Ireland 13 months. Queenstown. Ch. of England. To be decided on Friday. allowed meanwhile 1 loaf bread. Mr. Hancock will make enquiry.

244. Thomas Burns. 56. from Dublin nearly 2 years ago. labourer. widower. no family. Catholic. Lived 6 months in Quebec. Ill health found complaint of oppression of lungs. Sent to Hospital.

245. John Durose. 45. 5 weeks in Toronto: 5 weeks from Liverpool. Ch. of England. baker. crippled. a confirmed case. Taken by the House on trial, as cook.

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Passed Druggists acct. John Bentley [pounds] 16.13.3

246. Superintendent requested to notify Mary Davis, mother of John Davis, now in the house, that unless she remove the child, or sign the usual papers, he will be apprenticed to the first approved applicant.

247. Adam Miller see [Case] 40. 70. Aged 24 years a German & of the Lutheran church, died this day, a Paralytic. Novr. 27th 1855. he was afflicted with Palsy. Interred at the Expense of his friends.

Novr. 30th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Mr. Borland, R. Cathcart & W.J. MacDonell

248. Adam Johnson, aged 79. left Limerick 19 years ago. resided since in Toronto. Catholic. widower 20 years. 3 sons supposed in Milwaukee. give him no aid. Infirm. considered a fit subject for admission & promised the first vacancy.

249. John Turner, 55 years. North of Ireland 5 years ago. laboured chiefly on Northern R. Road. lost his sight about 12 months since. Allowed to remain in the out building till better Provision care be made.

250. Margaret Eaton, 60 years. ([Case] 79. 347 [old book]. Promised usual wood allowance during the winter, ^but^ recommended meanwhile to endeavour to procure a situation and discontinue housekeeping.

251. Nancy Moore, 73, applied for wood. to be placed on former allowance.

252. Mary Smith. Supt. requested to reply to the note of J.W. Allan ^Esq.^ of Monday last. child admitted to the House temporarily till further action can

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be taken.

252. Rebecca Robinson, ulcerated leg. admitted temporarily and recommended to the notice of the visiting physician with a view to Obtaining her admission to the Hospital.

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232. [number out of sequence] Case of William Brown also recommended with the same intention.

253. John W. Knight, 20 years; 4 years in Canada from Co. Down. Ch. of England, Admitted yesterday by Supt. on rec. [recommendation] of Dr. Haswell, & allowed to continue an Inmate.

254. Mary Ann Davis, 46 years; left Ireland 8 years ago. widowed. lived occasionally in Toronto, Ch. of England. Has a child 2 years old, consumptive. been in the out building since Monday. Admitted. Recd. to notice of visiting Physician.

255. Eliza Gunson. Applied for wood and bread. No allowance at present.

256. Catherine Thompson. widow. 3 children ^living with her^ applied for bread; 2 children in Orphan Asylum & 1 at service. Allowed 1 2 loafes pr. week.

257. Michael Delahunty, 12 years. Orphan. 3 months from Ireland with 2 sisters who remained in the States. Catholic. Admitted to be apprenticed.

[Case 258 omitted]

259. Bridget Murphy, 30 years. widow, 1 infant, 4 weeks. 3 years in Toronto. Catholic. Allowed 1 loaf pr. week for a month.

Supt. allowed to place a stove in outer Hall, for the comfort of Applicants waiting for relief.

W.J. MacDonell Robert Cathcart John Borland

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Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green His Worship the Mayor & Geo. Brooke Esq.

260. William Maysent aged 70 a Pensioner with 4d 1/2 per diem recommended by Mrs. Frances Boulton, has resided in Canada for upwards of 20 years had a farm which he sold Church of England wife residing with Mrs. Sharpe his eldest surviving daughter, has two other daughters one unmarried House being full could not be admitted, left for further consideration of weekly committee

Mary Butler age 28 has been a great sufferer lost the use of her left arm and recommended by Mrs. Isaac C. Gilmour, applied for wood, resides on Caroline St. No. 26

261. Mary Smith see [Case] 243 permission given to her for her child to remain for a few days and if she obtains employment, child to be removed Member of Church of England has three children two sons and a daughter all Romanists

262. Margery Lesslie applied for the admission of the illegitimate child of Lydia Cahill of which Thomas Lesslie is the reputed father The Mother and Father Members of the Church of England child nearly 3 years of age has been abandoned by its parents admitted

263. William Switzer 5 years of age Irish Mother a Romanist, left by her, Mother gone to Service and left the child under the Protection of the house Notice to be sent to the mother that child must be removed and if not reclaimed it will be apprenticed

264. Sarah Williamson 55 years of age Irish Protestant has resided in Canada 22 years lost her husband a year ago last April, recommended by Mr. Arnold for admission to the house for a few days, was run over by a waggon and Severely injured. Admitted for one week

265. Rose Morgan ^Not^ a widow Romanist, residing on Centre Street an old applicant, has three children one apprenticed or hired out Stands for further consideration

265 1/2. The Supt. would respectfully call the attention of the Board to the want of ventilation for the Casual Poor Ward.

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Decr. 7th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Dr. Green,

266. Alex Whigham [Case] 176 was sent to the House by Jno. Dickie for temporary shelter was brought before the committee but he has made up his mind to go to Hamilton.

267. James Burton {blank} sent to the House on Thursday, Blacksmith by trade, but rheumatism & a sore leg ^has rendered him unable to work.^ admitted.

268. Thos. Butcher 60 years English, Ch: of Eng lives Yorkville recommended by Mr. Wm. Christie for assistance in Bread and Wood alld. [allowed] 1 loaf bread.

269. James Rossitar 59 English, Ch: of Eng Labourer alld. [allowed] 1 loaf bread, no room in the House, and He appears to be able to work for his living. was alld. [allowed] a loaf of bread but He refused to take it.

270. Mary Smith [Case] 261 seems to have no disposition to go to work, is to leave to day and Supt. ordered not to readmit her. Anson Green

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10th

Mrs. John Christie called this evening and gave the Supt. ten shillings as subscription

11th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett His Worship the Mayor & R.H. Brett Esq.

271. Thomas Burns. see [Case] 244. sent from the Hospital with a Note from Dr. Bovell. Superintendent reports that the house is full. that there is sad need of further accommodation. as Burns is utterly destitute & very infirm committee could not turn him out to perish in the cold.

272. Supt. to provide straps [etc.] for Anne Parnell who has a wooden leg

Several applications for wood this morning (See Relief Book)

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to whom Committ. gave tickets for quarter cords amounting to Five cords & a half. although no wood in the yard ^for Institution.^ Supt. to see the wood commtt. on the subject N.B. [nota bene] in 1854 & 3 the first issue of wood took place on the second week in Dec. Stephen Lett

273. I consider Thomas Cook able to work and ought not to receive the advantages of the Institution. Decr. 23 1855. W. Mathers

274. Samuel Burchill [Case] 499 3/4 (in 53 [1853]) died this Morning 9 1/2 A.M. Aged 43 years complaint bronchitis

Decm. 25th

26th

275. John McKnight [Case] 253. died this day Consumption has a wife living in this city with one Mrs. Dandy

276. Mr. Collins applied for his son James to be apprenticed with Mr. James West Butcher granted. See his Letter.

Saturday morning 29 Decr. 1855.

The Select Committee appointed to receive, examine & report upon the Tenders for Supplying the "House of Industry" with Groceries. Meat. Milk & Bread for the ensuing year met this day at 12. {blank}M. [P.M.]

Present John Arnold Esq. & E.H. Rutherford.



276 1/2. Tender for Bread recd. from "George Coles" for Quarter Ending on 31st March 56 276 1/2 at 9 d. [pence] Cy. [currency] per 4 lb. Loaf. this being the lowest tender the Committee recommend its acceptance.

Tender for Milk recd. from "Margaret Harper" for one Year from 1 Jany 1856 at 1/ [shilling] 2 [pence] Cy. [currency] per Gallon this being the only tender for Milk the Committee recommend its Acceptance for one Quarter. if possible. or ^if not^ for the Whole Year.

Tenders for Groceries [etc.] recd. from "R. Davis & Co." "Charles Moore" And "Dodgson, Shields & Morton" with Samples & prices attached And after Careful examination the Committee recommend x (Also that J. Huttys tender for Meat be accepted on Conditions arranged by Mr. Hancock)

^x [margin] Dodgsons Shields & Morton's Tender be Accepted. Committee per W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]^

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277. Anne M. Switzer see relief book [Case] 521 has got a sore hand, allowed to remain in the House for a few days until it is well, and also her boy allowed to remain in the House for two Months. R.C.

Jan.

278. Wm. Brethour see [Case] 77. complains that Wm. Aldon [Eldon] Struck him the other day while peaceably pursuing his work in the Work Shop. David Cox and John Hart were examined and state that neither of them saw Brethour offer any offence to Alden that should lead ~~Brethour~~ Aldon to Strike him. It appears by examining other inmates Brethour collared Alden before Aldon Struck him, and the Committee are satisfied that both these men should be expelled [from] the Institution and only ^for^ the severity of the whether [weather] the Comtt. would have done so.

279. Willm. Cornwall 60 yrs. English Ch. of Eng. was 20 years in the Army has been living in Yorkville since 1831. has 5 Children Eldest a young woman 17. The next a Boy 16 do. [ditto] one 15 and two girls living with the Aunt ^in^ Adjala, Admitted until the General Meeting.

280. Superintendent reports the death of Solomon Wormsley see [Case] 229 this man had been living at New-Market for the last 25 years died on 30th Decm. 1855.

Jany 3

[281.] 1. The Supt. reports that John or James Peacock died in the out Shed this day, the man was brought to the House by a Servant man, of Mr. Jno. Gamble at the Humber Stating that He had made Application to Hospital but was refused admission Supt. took him in Dr. Russell Visited him on Wednesday Evening died thursday Morning. Spasmodick Compt. [complaint] further particulars not known.

[281 1/2.] 2. Richard Berry [Case] 1020 ^in 1855^ died this day general debility .

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[282.] 3. The case of Jane Gray was represented by J. Cousins Esq. to the Committee this morning, as having been deserted by her Husband about a year ago; and that it has so far affected her mind, that She is now insane. Application has been made to the Lunatic Asylum, but no room at present. She is represented as being perfectly harmless; and the Committee was induced to give her a Shelter for a few days and Supt. to do his best in making room for her. She is now living James St. north of Albert St.

[283.] 4. Margaret Ryder see 43 relief book was recently confined in the Lying in Hospital Toronto is a Married Woman & Husband a pensioner 1/ [shilling] 2 [pence] pr. diem Sterling. Husband & rest of the family living in London Canada West where they have been for the last Six years. recommended by Mrs. Grasett for admission for a Short Season at least until She gets her Strength. admitted

[284.] 5. Thomas Harvey came here on Saturday to wait till there was room in the Hospital. The Superintendent will make inquiry when he can be received into Hospital and send him there.

[285.] 6. Mrs. Davis applies to get child Antony Hill into the House The boys mother is in New York. Mrs. Davis consents as guardian of the child to his being send out and has no doubt the mother will consent also. The mother is a widow

[286.] 7. I have visited the Institution today & I find such a want of accommodation for the inmates in the Sheds that I have order Mr. Hancock to purchase nine ~~more~~ bed steads. F.M. Russell M.D.

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[287.] 8. Mary Ann Switzer See [Case] 277 went to live with Mrs. Lay on George St. was taken from the House by Mr. Cawthra on Sunday Evening. 13th inst.

January 16

[288]. 9. William James Fleming a boy 9 years age Church of England. & English was brought here by Edward Knight and his wife of Sayer Street with whom the Boy has been living and who is going away from the City and dont want the Boy. the Boys mother is in Town but Sick and not able to Support him.

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The Superintendent is to Visit the Mother and get her Written Consent to send the Boy out. in the mean time the Boy to remain in the House.

W. Stewart Darling Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee

[289.] 10. Mrs. Davidson leaves the House this day, Mr. Alford Thompson, Toronto Township, takes both her and her child. She goes as Servant

January 24

[290.] 11. Mr. Wm. Doble residing on Lot No. 4 and in the 4th Concession ^of Brock^ Father and Son living together and wishing to take the Two Boys Fleming & Lawler both given up to the House. and sanctioned by the Weekly Committ. both boys belong to ch: of England, and the Applicant belongs to Same church. They leave the House in good spirits for their new home where I hope they may stay, Fleming has been brought back to the House three times, and as many times He has gone over the fence. Both the Boys were most highly delighted with the prospect of a new Home in the Country.

W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

January 25th

[291.] 12. The Superintendent reports that the Butcher does not supply the House with meat in sufficient quantity; the Committee therefore authorize the Superintendent to purchase two or three hogs, for bacon, to be kept on hand for cases of necessity, and for a change of diet for the inmates.

The Superintendent having informed the Committee that the stock of potatoes is

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exhausted, he is authorized to procure a supply upon the most advantageous terms they can be obtained.

[292.] 13. The Committee in examining the House, found three able-bodied women, Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Davidson, and Mrs. Rider {blank} who appear to be quite capable of providing for themselves, and in consideration of the crowded state of the House, the Superintendent is directed to inform them that they cannot be continued in the House. and must therefore endeavour immediately to obtain situations for themselves.

Weekly Committee

John Tyner John Doel James Spencer

[293.] 14. Joseph Duggon 50 years of age from Brampton C. West [Canada West] Irish and Presbyterian church came into the House of Casual Poor on the 5th January and died on the 25th of Delerum tremens & sore legs [etc.]

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[294.] 15. Francis Mooney of the township of Brock, yeoman, well recommended, a member of the Ch. of England applied on the 30th Jany 1856 for two children, & permission is granted by Superintendent to give him Charlotte Jane Robinson & John Beard both children of Ch. of Eng parents, at present inmates of this House.

Edmd. Baldwin

[295.] 16. Jane Murray goes with Mrs. Armstrong Portland & Edmd. St. as servant at 10/ [shillings] per Month. (W.A. Gunsmith) Jany 31. 1856.

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[296.] 17. The Superintendent reports that fifteen pr. [pair] of blankets, fifteen Rug, one ^piece^ Bed Ticking, two pieces of shirting, two of Shirting, 30 ^yds.^ Linen for Towels, and boys piners, one gross Spool Cotton & one paper pins, are wanted for the use of the House,

House of Industry January 31, 1856.

February 1st

[297.] 18. The Committee for this week direct the Superintendent of the House to notify Mrs. Chambers, Davidson & Rider referred to in the Entry of the Committee of Jany 25th, that they must leave this institution by tomorrow noon.

Edmd. Baldwin

George Brooke

[298.] 19. Mary Bell recommended by Dr. Haswell represents herself as a widow and has lost the use of her right side, she applies for admission to the House Admitted till her case can be inquired into by the Medical Attendant and if she is well enough to work, to be discharged

[299.] 20. The Superintendent authorized to procure the articles for the use of the House in Entry 17 [296]

Edmd. Baldwin George Brooke John Tyner for J. Tolfrey [Tolfree]

[300.] 21. As the House is very much Crowded, I have recommended the Superintendent to discharge Jane Smith, as she is now well enough to leave the house. N. Bethune M.D.

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Feby 5.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green Messrs. Battersby and Paterson.

[301.] 22. The Superintendent having stated that the women referred to in Nos. 292 & 297 will not leave the House He is hereby directed to discharge them this day. J.P. Battersby

8th

Friday Committee

Feby 19th

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett John Arnold & S. Spreull Esqrs.

March 4th

Superintendent reports a cheque ^for [pounds] 5^ recd. ~~out~~ today from Post office, being a donation to the funds of the House from Messrs. Howard, Macdonald, & J. McMurrich. Arbitration fee

March 4th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns R. Yates & T.A. Stayner

There appears to be nothing particular to note to day, excepting that in the case of Christiana McDonald, recommended by Mrs. Grasett for admittance, the Superintendent reporting that there was no place for her, and She urging that if She could obtain a little wood, her chief want would be supplied, the Committee have given her a quarter cord, two weeks in advance of the time when She had any claim to the indulgence. She is said to be bothersome, faultfinding, & disposed to create mischief. Seems well known to the Superintendent. T.A. Stayner

March 14th

[302.] 23. The case of Mary Smith brought before the Committee this morning. Mrs. Smith applied to Supt. on Wednesday to have her daughter given up to her. (The little blind girl named Eliza in entry made in No. 243 [1855]. The Committee are doubtful as to the propriety of giving the child to a mother so depraved in her habits, and besides they wish the Superintendent to see the Mayor G.W. Allan Esq. to know if He had made any arrangements in her case; before She was given to her mother, referred to Genl. Committee

Weekly Committee

per Supt.

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[303.] 24. The Supt. is reluctant to record anything against ~~any~~ a poor person who is obliged to come to this charity for assistance. But the conduct of Mary Smith, (the person named below) is altogether above the Common. Her blasphemous language, and otherwise violent behaviour; render her a very dangerous person to admit on the premises. "She says the Supt. got her put away from her place," "She also said that she had been to R\_W\_ [railway] Station and purchased Tickits to carry herself and child to a distant part of the Province; and the Supt. had taken them from her, and torn them up." March 14. 1856.

Mar 18. 1856

Weekly Comee.

Present Revd. Dr. Lett Mr. Cathcart assisting

[304.] 25. Supt. reports that there are now only Four cords of wood on the wharf & that the supply for the House in the yard is insufficient

Refer the above to the General Comee.

[305.] 26. Supt. presented Savings Bank Book No. 2705 exhibiting the sum of [pounds] 5:5:4, in the Treasurer's Name for the benefit Sarah Bradley a child under the protection of this Institution and at present, out on trial with, Frizell Brooklyn Whitby. Supt. says that a further sum of [pounds] 3 with 2 years interest is also due by this House to Said Child being the value of Clothes & effects left by the Childs Parents

Refer the above to the General Comee.

[306.] 27. Mr. Darlington letter referred to General Comm.

Bills signed

T.G. Beard 52.9.4 1/2 364 {Cords} at 28/9.

Beckett {blank}.10.{blank} Medecine

Stephen Lett

Robert Cathcart

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March 23rd.

[307.] 28. Sarah Newell 83 years died this morning of Genl. debility. See [Case] 447 in 1853.

[308.] 29. Margaret O'Connell 18 Irish and R.C. sent to the House by Priest ~~Brayer~~ Revd. Mr. Bruyer, out of Health, and her case to be brought before the next Committee.

30. Michael Mullen Aged 66 years Irish R. Catholic with 5 children, none of them in the city but a young woman who is in the General Hospital with a sore leg. He has been living in Toronto the last 20 years, and is now past work. Sent to the House with a note from Dr. Russell, who has been acquainted with him for a long time, and Strongly recommends him for admission into the House.

31. Ellen Stone Aged 28 yrs. Irish & Roman Catholic Servant afflicted with Paralyzes. Sent down from Barrie to get into the Toronto General Hospital where she was refused admission. Sent to the House of Industry by Dr. Bovell.

25th

Tuesday Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett Wm. Mathers and J.P. Battersby Esqrs.

32. Elizabeth Jones Aged 34 Church of Eng. Husband gone to seek for work left her about christmas a brick layer Welsh. 3 children 9. 7. 9 mos. The 2 elder children to be received into the House for 3 months. Mr. Hancock will get a place for the mother.

33. Ellen Carr 40 years old R.C. Widow one child Irish. 3 years in Toronto. Unwell recommended by Dr. Gamble Son 2 years old he has been scalded. Wants wood but there is none.

34. Mrs. Eaton applied for bread. The Committee are unable to increase the bread list.

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35. In the case of Ellen Stone sent from Barrie the Committee ordered the Superintendent to send her back to Barrie provided the Physician thinks it can be done with Safety, and the Superintendent will send a copy of the resolution of the Trustees & Managers re the subject of people sent in from other municipalities, with a notice that Ellen Stone will not be received into the house if sent back

28th March

Weekly Committee Friday

Present J.P. Battersby & Wm. Mathers Esq.

36. Mary McCabe 47 years old Irish. R.C. Single came to Toronto last fall has been in service with a Mrs. Brush in Toronto. She appears to be in health and able to work.

37. The Committee have seen Ellen Stone and decree her quite fit to travel to Barrie. A person who takes a boy from the house will take charge of her to within a mile of Barrie.

J.P. Battersby W. Mathers

38. I consider Daniel Curran in a fit state to be discharged from the Institution. 29th March /56 F.M.  
Russell M.D.

Saturday 29. 1856

The following Tenders for Supplying the House with Bread for the next three months was received.

39. Richard Reeves 8 d. [pence] per 4 [pounds] loaf.

William Reeves 8 d. [pence] [ditto]

George Coles 8 d. [pence] [ditto]

The Tenders being all at the same price, and Mr. Coles having served the House of Industry with Bread the last Quarter, ending 31st March, in a satisfactory manner; it was considered he had the first claim. His Tender is therefore accepted for the next Quarter Ending 30th June.

By order of the Secretary E.H.R.

W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock] Sup.

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April 1st

Weekly Committee

Revd. John Barclay John Arnold & D.K. Feehan Esqrs.

J. Arnold present

40. Sarah Gilmour widow aged 60 yrs. Irish Epis. Ch. ~~no children~~ lives with her marrd. [married]  
Daughter, used to receive help from her Son in the army. declined assistance

41. John Macintyre aged 35 Scotch. C. [Church] Scotland. 7 years in Canada. has lived in London Dist.  
[District]. bad eyes. allowed to remain 2 nights to enable him to apply to the St. Andrews Society.

42. Patrick McKardle aged 44 R.C. C. [church] 10 yr in City. 3 months in Hospital with Erisipelas  
[Erysipelas]. not cured. to be examined by Medical Officers, if approved to be admitted.

43. Martin Corcoran inmate of the out building. Pensioner came in 12th Jany. his pension to come to the  
House. wants to go to Hospital.

44. Mary Welsh is convalescent & able for a Situation April 1st W. Haswell



45. The Select Committee appointed to strike off the Indoor and Outdoor poor met at the House on Thursday April 3rd. 1856

Ann Bell, outdoor. An Aged Widow 70 years. has no family. continued.

Mrs. Bennett, [ditto] on Sayer St. husband has been sick. to be Cut off in a fortnight

Ellen Brown & husband Caroline St. both aged and unfit for work to be continued

Nancy Barker a cold. [Coloured] Woman one leg. an old pensioner to be continued

Ann Barber lives in Sayer St. 4 child. [children] 2 out & 2 at home. to be cut off after a fortnight

Catherine Boyd has 3 child. [children] 1 out active young Woman. to be cut off after a fortnight

Sarah Cratchley has 3 child. [children] Widow. Young & active. to be cut off after a fortnight

Margaret Cooke a Cold. [Coloured] Woman 76 years of age must be continued on the Books

Martha Caverly Widow 70 Years Age lives with her son. a shoemaker to be cut off after 14 days

John Cooke wife living Shoemaker 10 children, to be cut off at once

Elizabeth Cobb a Widow no family Aged 50. to be cut off at once

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John Collins. Captn. a Widower has 3 child. [children] able to work to be cut off at once.

Susan Conway Widow 3 child. [children] able to work to be cut off after a fortnight

Catharine Duke Widow 2 child. [children] with an Aged Mother. Must be continued on for the Mothers sake

Elisa Ellis her husband Drunken has 3 child. [children] Must be Kept on for a fortnight longer.

John Ellis Widower lives with his daughter peddles matches [etc.] to be cut off after a fortnight.

Sarah Gilmour Widow about 60 years Age lives with her son & daughter to be cut off

Bridget Gannon a Single Woman Aged 30 years to be cut off at once.

Anne Henderson on Peter St. Widow 3 child. [children] at home & 2 out. to be cut off after 2 weeks

Elizabeth Hislop. deserted by her Husband has 4 child. [children] one out to be cut off after 2 weeks

Margaret Hopkins Widow has 8 child. [children] 4 out & 4 home to be cut off at once.

Thomas Kelleher with a drunken Wife a Paralatic has a daughter at home 14 years of age if his daughter goes out, to be Continued

Elisabeth Lawlor deserted by her husband 1 child. a Young Woman to be cut off

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Johanna Levette Widow Cold. [Coloured] Woman has 3 child. [children] and an Aged Mother to be continued on

Mary Miller a Widow no family 70 years age to be Continued on

Nancy Moore a Widow family out. Aged 70 years. to be continued on

Matilda Mow. a Single Colld. [Coloured] Woman about 30 years age. to be cut off

Elisa MaCauley Widow Rheumatic. 5 child. [children] 3 out & 2 at home. to be continued on

Edwd. MaConkey & Wife An Aged infirm Couple to be continued on

Alice MaCoy & Husband. in consumption 8 child. [children] out of Town to be cut off

Laurence McDonald Widower One leg Keeps a boy & Girl at home. to be cut off

Margaret McClure a Young Widow expects to be confined. to be continued until Well & then cut off

Johanna O'Brien Widow lives with her father a Tailor has 4 chill to be cut off after 2 weeks

Anne Phillips Aged 60. Widow. has one Son Married. to be continued on.

Uphrenzine Pellong (french 60 years age) to be continued on.

Caroline Ryan an Aged Widow no family 75 yrs age to be continued

Ellen Rogers an aged Widow to be continued

Catharine Thompson Widow one child. able to work. to be cut off

Mary Short Widow no family. sore legs. to be cut off after a fortnight

Margaret Stewart widow 4 child. [children] has a brother a farmer Well off to be cut off after 2 weeks

Judah Shields an Aged Widow with a sickly daughter. to be continued on

Hannah Stanford, husband sickly should put out his child. [children] to be cut off

Eliza Sanderson (husband sick) has 3 child. [children] 12.10.6 years to be cut off

Bridget Seymour Widow. her child. [children] all out & able to take Care of her. to be cut off

James Scales (young man has had a sore arm) to be cut off

Mary Farmer Widow with 3 child. [childen] able to work to be cut off

In Door Poor) discharged Robert Cathcart Saml. Shaw

Mary Welsh the superintendent to get her a place discharged

Jane Chambers & child. discharged

Mary Davidson & child. discharged

Jane King & child. discharged

Jane Murray. Young woman. discharged

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Robert Furnie.

Michael Curran

William Eldon

Joseph Caton

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April 4th

Friday Committee

Present J. Arnold Esq.

46. Jane ~~Bridget~~ Byrchill 24 yrs. of age with a child 6 weeks old. not married. En. Ch. [English Church] 5 years in City admitted for a few weeks. till she gains her strength no friends here. afterward recd. to Mrs. Anwin as a wet nurse

7th

47. Mary Daily got permission to go to church on Sabbath Morning and has not returned. Monday Morning 7th April.

8th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns Hon. H.J. Boulton Hon. J. Elmsley

Present Revd. Dr. Green acting for Dr. Burns

48. Mrs. Rusk of Victoria St. applies this morning in behalf of William Hill 25 years of age and Shoe Maker by Trade. He lost his leg some time ago, and now he is far gone in decline. English and belongs the Ch. of England. Admitted

11th

Friday Committee

49. The case of James Neily was referred to the Genl. Board next Tuesday.

50. Whitewashing to be done Supt. to get the House whitewashed on the best terms He can.

51. The 2 Bradley children admitted temporarily. Anson Green

52. The Superintendent report, a man Sent to the House this Morning by the Mayor. per Constable Butler. whose name is unknown. He appears to be a Paralytick, having very little use of one side. He has a Carpet bag, some few articles of Clothing and 11/ [shillings] 9 [pence] in Money.

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April 11th

53. Patrick Welsh {blank} the Supt. reports that Patrick Welsh was sent out on Friday to serve the General Notices. and that He got liquor to excess, bringing it into the House also to one of the ^female^ inmates, and making her drunk. greatly disturbing the peace of the House. Welsh's general conduct is not good. He is kept in the House as a Servant; but it is difficult to keep him at work.

54. James Parkney 59. Irish, Church of England, sent to the House by Dr. Haswell, traveling west to see a Bro [brother] in law, alld. [allowed] to remain a few days. from Quebec

55. Julia Bradley 10 years see [Case] 51 and Mary Bradley aged 8 years Mother dead, and the father a carpenter by trade gone to the Country to work, is a drinking character, children Sent to the House by Dr. Bovell. Irish Church of England.

Weekly Committee

Revd. John Borland Robt. Cathcart and W.J. MacDonell Esq.

April 15.

Present, Revd. Mr. Borland; W.J. MacDonell.

56. Patrick Welsh reprimanded for his conduct as above reported & upon his promise of amendment, allowed to remain in the House as heretofore.

57. Bridget Calway charged by Welsh as having been supplied with whiskey, on being introduced by Supt. denied all knowledge of the matter.

58. James Pladwell, allowed a truss, at discretion of Supt. suffering from a rupture.

59. [52.] This case recommended to the visiting Physician of the man referred to allowed to remain in the house for the present.

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April 16th

[Cases re-numbered in error]

53. Andrew Cosguer 70 years of age Irish R.C. widower 6 children, but four of them step chil. [children] not any of them in Canada Six years in Toronto He is a pensioner and recommended by Dr. Lett for admission to the House of Industry

54. The Superintendent would again beg to call the attention of the Weekly Committee to the want of ventilation in the out building for Causal Poor. During the crowded state of Institution the last two winters, the out building has been filled to excess & for the want of better ventilation, the air has after been very foul.

18th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Mr. Borland, W.J. MacDonell, & R. Cathcart Esqr.

55. Eliza Brooke reported by Supt. as having been overcome by liquor & found lying on the sidewalk, upon a recent visit to town. reprimanded by the committee & discussed upon promise of never again committing a like offence. Supt. advised to keep her within doors as much as possible.

56. Andrew Cosguer, admitted. pension to be applied to use of house as usual in like cases.

57. Mary Kelly reported for use of bad language: acknowledged the offence & expressed much contrition therefor. The Committee think her case would be better attended in the ^general^ hospital and recommended it to the visiting Physician, hoping should he be of same opinion that he will adopt the proper course for procuring her admission to that Institution.

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58. Superintendent allowed to get his hall & sitting room coloured as before; and advised to consult Mr. Sherrard or some other builder. respecting the ventilation of the out building.

W.J. MacDonell John Borland Robert Cathcart

59. If Mary Kelly could procure a light Situation in the Country, I consider it better for her to be there than remain either here or in the Hospital. April 18th. 1856 W. Haswell

April 22nd

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green the Mayor and Geo. Brooke Esq.

60. ^See 208^ Alice Woods 17 yrs. of age Irish R.C. five Months in Toronto has a child 4 mos. old. Mother living in Township of Mara. Allowed 1 Loaf Bread with Mrs. Foley

61. Jane Carroll 30 years Irish R.C. in Toronto three years Staying with Widow Foley wants Bread has Sore Eyes, alld. [allowed] a small loaf

62. Sarah Gillahan 30 years Irish R.C. In City 3 yrs. able young woman must get a place, and be indepent of Public charity, Staying with Mrs. Foley Stanley St.

25th

Friday Committee

Present None

63. Jane Chambers was provided with respectable Situation in the Country but refused to stay, & came back to the House, on Monday Evening, although she was discharged from the House a Month ago.

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April 29th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, His Worship the Mayor, and G.W. Allan Esq.

present none

64. Margt. Turner 46 yrs & Husband 55. both Irish CofEngland Seven months in the city, from Qebk. [Quebec] 6 children 3 in Toronto and 3 in Quebeck Ages of these in Toronto girl 12. Boy 7. Girl 5 living. She does not know Husband is sick. is a Stone mason by trade. In the absence of the committee Supt. gave a loaf of bread.

May 1st.

65. Joseph Caton See [Case] 164 in 1854 an able bodied man, has been in and out of the House many times since the summer of 54 always unfitting himself for work by his intemperate habits. He is a good working man if He keep from liquor. He left the house last winter in consequence of using bad language to the Supt. Came back again in a few days past bitten; and bitten worse by Whisky.

He was amongst those discharged from the House this Spring by the Committee, and has been going out for several days looking for work. Always coming in the worse for liquor. The last two

nights he has greatly disturbed a poor dying man by the name of William Hill. who greatly implored the Supt., not to allow him to be subjected to the same annoyance again.

Came back again (Caton) middle of the afternoon on Thursday scarcely able to walk, "Supt. Supt. advised him to leave the House, he did so" but in half an hour or more, he came back and was so violent Supt. was obliged to call one of the Police, who at once took him in custody.

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May 2nd.

Friday Committee

Present none

66. The case in number 52 became so discontented with the House Confinement and fare and made so many signs to go away by the boat, the Supt. was persuaded to let him go.

May 6th.

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson, W.M. Westmacott and T.J. O'Neill Esqrs. Present

May 9th.

Friday Committee present.

67. Wm. Davison recommended by J. Arnold Esq. applied to have his mother taken into the House. He stated he was her only support having being sent home to him from Innisfil by her daughter a farmer's wife. His wages were only 6 dollars a month. he purposed paying 2 dollars a month for her support if taken into the house. Applicant is a native of Ireland and belongs to the Presbyterian Church. referred to next committee. no encouragement given. Terence J. O'Neill

68. William Wright native of England member of the Church of England a Gardner by trade. 5 weeks in the Genl. Hospital under a broken leg. sent here by Dr. Bovell admitted in the meantime by Supt. referred to next Committee

69. The supply of Cordwood for use of house being nearly expended recommended that fifteen Cords, the balance of Andw. Anderson's contract of 30 cords be ordered to be sent as soon as possible. Terence J. O'Neill

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May 13th.

70. Wm. Hanning 42 yrs Irish and Presbyterian church Just arrived in Canada from Belfast is a machinist but out of Health. injured in his chest with a heavy lift. wife dead 18 months. He has four children that He wishes to place under the protection of the Institution and for that purpose has Signed the usual letter, giving the Trustees & manager the power to send them out as apprentices in accordance with the By laws for that purpose The names of the children. Geo. Hanning Aged sixteen years. Esther twelve years, Joseph 7 years, Wm. James 4 years,

May 13th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. J. Spencer, John Tyner & John Doyel [Doel] Esqrs.

Present Mr. Tyner

71. The case of Wm. Livingston was laid before the committee this morning and a letter read from Mr. Geo. Peacock that Livingston had left his place. The Comtee. wish the Sup. to write to Mr. Peacock and hope He will feel himself under moral obligation to use his best endeavors to find the boy and if possible to induce him return to his place or see him safe back to this Institution.

72. The two Bradley children were ordered to be returned to Mr. Reeves Queen St., who bought them to the House on the 4th. April, The Supt. reports that the father of these children is a carpenter & in constant work; it is ordered that five shilling per week be paid to this House by the parties removing said children during their residence in the House.

73. The case of William Wright being reconsidered this morning and allowed to remain in the house one month, in hopes by that time He may be able to go to work.

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74. The Case of Joseph Caton see [Case] 65, who has been frequently in this house, and now in Jail for drunkenness. The committee view Caton as an unfit subject for this House, being now only 45 years of age and able bodied, and every way competent to get his own living if He Keeps from drink. and think He should not be heard if he make application again.

75. Sharlotte Moon see [Case] 54 in relief book is now convalescent, and able to return to her friend the committee order that 12/6 be expended in sending her to MaraPosa [Mariposa] C.W. [Canada West]

76. Catherine Fitzpatrick 19 years Irish R.C. 5 yrs. in this country almost blind, sent to the House by Dr. Bovell, from the Genl. Hospital where she has been for nearly 2 years. The case referred to the General Board allowed to remain in the House in the mean time.

77. The case of the four children referred to in [Case] No. 70 admitted.

78. William Hunter aged 12 ^yrs.^ and 6 years in this city, He is a full orphan. Father was a Carpenter, and died about one month ago. Mother dead some years ago, he has 3 sisters, one by the name of Amey 16 Living with a Mrs. Perry on Crookshank Estate, and Mary 10 yrs. of age and Isabella 7 years. Mr. Geo. Oal (of this City Richmond St. West Carpenter) is Guardian to this boy or children and this case is bought before the weekly committee with view of his being sent out as an apprentice under the direction of the Board Supt. has already got him a Situation with Wm. Wilson J.P. [Justice of the Peace] Medonte County of Simcoe Presbyterian

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May 16th.

Friday Committee

Present John Tyner and John Doel Esq.

79. An application from Mr. Francis Curtis, Township of Peel (Farmer) for a little Boy as an apprentice to the farming business. The Committee approve of Mr. Curtis' application, and order the Supt. to notify Mr. C. as soon as a Suitable boy is in the House

80. The case of Mr. Davidson ([Case] No. 67) Reconsidered and admitted

81. Welsh, Patrick. has been in House for 3 years from time to time. work provided for him. may remain for some days. & is then to leave 3 dollr. [dollars] to be given him to set up a basket for peddling. to which he has been accustomed.

82. Dazy. Michael 30 yr. of age Irish R.C. if he gets certificate from Hospital of being unable to work, to be admitted for a few days.

83. Thomson. Catherine has been in the service of Thos. Latimer from June 1852. is now 16 yr. of age He ^has always^ declined signing the Indentures. directed Supert. to write to say that unless he pays ^the House^ wages according to Indentures. he will be sued in the Divisl. [Divisional] Court for the value of the girls services.

84. Ryden Margaret. aged 32 yrs. C.E. [Church of England] with her child to be admitted for a short time Mr. Arnold engaging to pay 4/ [shillings] per week during her stay

85. Phaer. Widow 70 yrs. of age. to be allowed a loaf weekly recomd. by Mr. Brent

J. Arnold John Tyner

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May 20th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. E. Balwing [Baldwin] Geo. Brooke and J. Tolfree Esqrs.

Present J.P. Battersby acting for Revd. E. Baldwin

86. Jas. Faulkner recommended by Dr. Burns. this man was in this House the winter 1854-5. He seems to be in perfectly in good health and will be able to earn his living. I do not think ^him^ a fit subject to be received here but as Dr. Burns has recommended him I think it right to refer the case to the general board.

87. Mary Noble. Mother dead. Father in jail for drunkenness was brought to the house by a constable. admitted.

87 1/2. The Sup. had an interview with Mr. Sheard in regard to Ventilating the out building, who recommended that half a dozen Ventilating brick, be put into the walls above and below at back end of the building

88. Rose Davison 85 years of age Scotch and Presbyterian see [Case] 67 & 80

89. George Edge Aged 11 years Irish CofEngland. Father was a Tavern Keeper in Scarboro [Scarborough]. Came into the City last winter when He (Father) died of delirium. tremens. The Mother went to St. Catherines 3 months ago and has not returned the Child being destitute the

Superintendent took it into the House until the weekly Committee would Sit upon the case.  
Admitted.

May 22nd.

90. A Woman who said she came from Chinguacousy Applied at the House of Industry on Thursday 22nd. Inst. 2 o'clock P.M. requested to have her child taken into the House. The child was not taken in, but she was advised to call Friday morning and see the Committee. About 3 o'clock P.M. on the same day a Child was found in the yard of Holmes & Abby (Coach Factory) on Yonge St. Said child sent to the House of Industry by J.B. Robinson Esq. the Mayor. [see also page 326 Case 2]

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When it was recognized by the Superintendent to be the same child which had been bought to the gate about 2 o'clock. The woman was about 30 years of age fair complexion, blue eyes, light hair. She had on a red cold. [coloured] dress, white straw bonnet, with blue ribbon; a plaid shawl, and blue Checked necktye. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

May 23rd.

Friday Committee

Present J.P. Battersby Esq

91. Information has been received that a younger brother of George Edge has been left at a Tavern in the city. The Superintendent is requested to make inquiries about him and apply to the Mayor if necessary to have him put under the care of the House.

92. The Superintendent to provide a nurse on the best terms in his power for the infant mentioned in [Case] no. 90.

93. Mary Leagena 54 years old French, Cof England, 7 children a Widow. 2 Children married. Catharine 16. Barbara 12. William 9. To be admitted. J.P. Battersby

94. Patrick Inches 25 years of Age, Irish, R.C. Tailor by trade, was 9 months in the Genl. Hospital, and nearly blind. no friends in this Country, admitted for a short time.

May 26th.

Weekly Committee

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Revd. Dr. Green J.P. Battersby and P. Paterson Esqrs.

Present Mr. J.P. Battersby and John Tyner

95. Catherine Leagena, Barbara, and William as in case 93. were admitted with a view of being Apprenticed out

96. The brother of Catherine Thomson ([Case] see 83) came before the committee to complain of the treatment of his sister this morning. The superintendent has written to Mr. Latimer. In case of difficulty this case should be brought before the Genl. Board before taking of law proceedings.

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97. Margaret Stewart a widow with 4 children eldest 5 years old to be allowed one and a half loaves a week.

98. William Elder applied to be admitted to the House on account of a hurt in his back. Recommended by Mr. Boomer & Mr. Harrington. He drinks & is thence unfitted for getting his bread. Not admitted

99. Ellen Nolan 19 years of age Irish C of England has been living in Barrie for the last 2 years expects to be confined in about 3 months. Admitted until the Committee meet again.

100. A letter has been recd. by the Supt. touch'g the Case of Mary Smith with Mr. Ignatius Leonox, Innisfil the Father of this girl came to the House and complained that Mary was ill treated, Schooling neglected, almost naked. [etc.] [etc.] He also complained to the Revd. Dr. Lett in a similar manner about the same girl. Supt.

101. The father of Moses Smith Has also complained to John Arnold Esq Chm. [chairman] of this board that J.H.S. Drinkwater ^of Orillia^ to whom the boy was apprenticed in 1853 has also been ill treated by Mr. Drinkwater. Supt

102. The Supt. reports in the case of Elizabeth Hines apprenticed with Mr. Robt. Shore, Albion April 8, 1853 and then 11 years of age. That on the 8th April 1856 one years wages was due, and the same has not been paid. Supt.

103. Also in the Case of Rodderick McLeod, with Mr. John Curtis of Clarke. one years wages due on the 28th day of April 1856. the same not paid. Supt.

104. Supt. reports the death of William Hill this morning about 5 oclock A.M. disease of the Spine [etc.] May 30th 1856. See [Case] 48.

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May 30th.

Weekly Committee for Friday

Present, Mr. Jno.Tyner & J.P. Battersby

105. In the case of Mary Smith (see [Case] 100) the Superintendent has received a letter from the Revd. Mr. Morgan completely contradicting the complaints and giving a very satisfactory account of the attention paid to the girl.

106. Moses Smith (see [Case] 101) who has absconded from his Master Mr. Drinkwater and about whose treatment complaint has been made. A letter from Mr. Drinkwater to Mr. Westmacott was read denying that the boy had any cause for complaint. Mr. Westmacott has full confidence in Mr. Drinkwater and the committee do not think the complaint probable. The Superintendent is requested to write to Mr. Drinkwater & inform him the boy is in Toronto and inquire his wish regarding him.

107. The Superintendent reports in the case of Patrick Sullivan that the indentures forwarded to Mr. Joseph Kidd have not been returned. Mr. Kidd has been twice written to but has not replied. This case to go before the genl. committee.

108. The case of Ellen Nolan See [Case] 99 came before the Comtt. this morning. The Committee would here remark that while they would sympathize with such young women has [as] have not sufficient principal to guard their virtue, they at the same time would wish to record it as their opinion, that taking such into this House; is indirectly encouraging that particular vice, and is ^therefore^ left in the Supt. hands, until the next Committee sits.

John Tyner) Weekly committee

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1856

June 3rd.

Weekly Committee

Revd. W.S. Darling R. Cathcart & J. Harrington Esqs.

109. The letter of Thomas Latimer of Toronto Regarding Catherine Thomson was before the Committee and the committee directed a further letter to be written, and to wait 14 days for his compliance therewith. After which the Committee would recommend that he be sued for her Wages. Damages [etc.]

The Committee signed the Milk Bill for 3 mos. Commencing March and ending with ^May 31st^ [pounds] 16.6.11 Cy. [currency]

110. James Watson Aged 47 years. Church of England from Ireland but in this country for 24 years and in Toronto about 10 years of that time is a Tinsmith by Trade. But about 3 weeks ago was struck with Lightning and is now rendered helpless. he applied for admission into the House and the Committee admit him.

111. The case of Ellen Nolan see [Case] 108 was before the Committee and they agree with the last committee and therefore deem her not eligible as an Inmate of this House and the Committee direct Mr. Hancock to pay her passage and send her back to Barrie and write with her to the Clerk of the Council Pd. [paid] 10/ [shillings]

112. The case of Michl. Dunn as sent to this House by Doctor Haswell was laid before the Committee. he has a Cancer in the Neck, but from the offensive Smell, therefore Mr. Hancock did not take him to the House but had him taken to a Room and agreed to pay the Rent and gave them some support from the House, all of which under the Circumstance the Committee think was the most prudent course.

113. Eliza Sanderson Aged 30 years English and Ch. of England came to the house today with a Note from Dr. Lett asking the Superintendent to take into the House her two little Step Sons, James and Frederick aged 10 & 6 years the father of these Children is a Shoemaker by trade, but his drinking habits are now so confirmed, that his wife says she will not live with him any longer.

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This woman was never married to Sanderson, since Sanderson's death, she has turned out very bad. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

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June 6th.

Friday Committee

Present E. Hobson

114. The Case of Georginna Deacon with Mr. James Beasley, King, referred to the general Committee as in case 107

115. The Case of the two Children in Case No. 113 The Committee direct that the usual letter be taken from Mr. Sanderson and that the Children be Recd. into the House with a view to them being placed out as soon as suitable situations can be got for them.

116. Martin Wayland 37 Irish, R.C. Six years in Canada a laborer has been working on the rail road down at Whitby. a single person. this Committee see no reason why he cannot earn his living (especially in Summer) therefore have refused him admission, besides he came from Whitby where he should go.

117. Catherine Broadbent Aged 35 years Irish R.C. 3 years from Ireland lived in Montreal but arrived yesterday. her husband deserted her in Montreal has no family, but is within a month of her Confinement. Was Married about 12 month ago. in Hamilton gave her a line to Mr. McDonald to get her a passage back to Montreal. where she is very desirous of going.

118. Mary Felton an inmate Aged 82 years Spinster. C.E. [Church of England] from Ireland about 30 years out. and lived in Toronto and the Country, has friends in Essa (Cookstown) has an Annuity from Ireland of Ten pounds sterling and will go to a farmer friend in the Country, and live on her Annuity has a Nephew at McClears named Robert Smith. Apprenticed to "Brown" the Committee would allow her to remain in the House provided she would give her Annuity to the House, but as she declines that and would prefer going to the Country the Committee has allowed her to do so.

119. Jane Kennedy Aged about 12 years born in this Country C.E. [Church of England] parents were English. Father dead. Mother lives on Agnes Street. See childrens book No. 138 March 14th. last. She was put out to Mr. Skeldon in Scarbro. [Scarborough] but has twice left her place. was kindly treated. but will not stay. wants to live in the city. Sent her out of the House to her Mother.

E. Hobson, Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee

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June 6th.

120. A letter was written to Mr. James Beasley by this Committee requesting him to complete the Indentures in the case of Georginna Deacon, and to make his reply before bringing the case before the General Board. See [Case] 114

121. Mr. James Joseph O'Hagin called to say that the poor man Michael Quinn was dead, that He died on Thursday morning. Paid House rent 6/ [shillings] 3 [pence] by order of the Committee. See [Case] 112 and Mr. O'Hagin raised as much money as paid the funeral expenses, by calling a few friends

June 8th.

122. Supt. reports the death of Ergzious Hunt, Consumption See 306 in 1854.

10th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett S. Spreull & J. Arnold Esqrs. Present

122. Martin Wayland's case bought up again (see [Case] 116) on recommendation of Mr. Elmsley & confirm the former decision. allowed him lodging at night & letting him go out to look for a job sawing. or anything else he can do.

123. Murphy Minox commuted pensioner. given him a dollar for travelling expenses into the Country. thinks he could get his board and lodging at a farmer's

124. George Gully 39 yrs. of age Irish C.E. [Church of England] no family. was 3 yrs. in Bruce Mines. injured there by a fall. resident in Montreal for 20 years. has relatives there & wants to go there. Supt. to try and get him a free passage for him & to give him a dollar for expenses

125. Wm. Eldon 56 Irish C.E. [Church of England] (See 185 [Case 186 in 1855]) admitted for a week. to try & get work. J. Arnold

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June 13th.

Friday Committee

No business this morning-

126. Foundling Child See [Case] 90 On the 11th. Inst a Man and a Woman came to the House of Industry to inquire if they might be allowed to see the Children. The Supt. at once recognized the woman to be the Same that brought the young Child to the gate as described in No. 90. However they were allowed to go down and see the Children in the House and after examining them as long as they thought proper, they came up again, when the Supt. told the woman that she was the person who brought the infant child to the gate on the 22nd May, and afterwards drop'd it on Yonge St. She confessed she was the person. Supt. called in a Constable to arrest her at once, the day following She came before the Police Magistrate who discharged her, on Condition that she take the Child & her Name is Mary Keiser.

127. Moses Smith and Mary Smith See Mr. Arnolds Letter in this Case.

June 17th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Mr. Savage J. Lukin Robinson & Saml. Shaw Esq.

128. Thos. Jones 71 years English C of Eng. Schoolmaster 6 years in Toronto recomd. by Revd. Dr. Lett for admission with Maria his wife aged 64 years both aged and infirm admitted. Mrs. Jones will make herself useful in the House.

129. H.A. Nelson very seldom goes out but He comes in drunk. Supt. would not allow him to go out on Wednesday. But He left the House without leave. and has not returned yet Thursday Evening.

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June 20th.

Weekly Committee Friday

Present Mr. John Doel

130. Committee order the Supt. to employ some suitable person to insert the Ventilating bricks in the Walls of the out building, as ordered by the Genl. Board and ^as^ advised by Mr. Sherock.

131. The Father of Moses Smith was before the Committee this morning to complain of the treatment of his son who has been living now over 3 years with Mr. Drinkwater of Orillia He says the Boy's Education has been entirely neglected, and besides He has been Kept too bare of clothing. The Boy is now with him His Father and the Committee have no power to act in this case.

132. Mr. Smith had to complain also of the treatment to his daughter Mary Smith Apprenticed with Mr. Lennox of Innisfil. But when he heard the Revd. Mr. Morgan's letter giving information to the Board that the Child is in every respect properly cared for. He ^Mr. Smith^ appeared quiet [quite] satisfied.

133. H.A. Nelson was reported to the Board this morning See [Case] 129 ordered that He shall not be taken into the House again unless He return Sober and then at the Supt. discretion.

Committee John Doel

June 22nd.

134. Michael Scanlon See 133 (1855) died this evening 9 oclock P.M. Consumption Aged 25 R.C & Irish

135. Matilda Cromley Aged 11 years who was apprenticed to Elijah Page of Chinguachousy in 1852 has behaved so bad that Mr. Page was obliged to return her to the House of Industry. So untruthfull that they could not believe any thing she said, and her habits were so filthy, the family began to be alarmed besides She ranaway, and lay in the woods for two nights and only when Starved out that She came back.

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June 24th.

weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns T.A. Stayner and R. Yates Esqrs.

Present Mr. Stayner

136. Robt. Murray 30 years of age dying of Consumption lives Elizabeth St. next door to Griffiths Store. 2 Children, one 3 or 4 years old and one 2 weeks the man has been working for Alex Hamilton up to within a month past when He took his bed. Supt. authorized to mark the case with whatever the Institution allows in such circumstances. R.C.

137. Matilda Cromley came before this Committee this morning and they advise that she be retained in the House, and if possible to effect a Cure in her Head, which was sore when she left the House 3 years ago, and appears to be no better. See [Case] 63 in 1853

138. Margaret Dea or Neigh 31 years age Irish R.C. Dropsical discharged from the Genl. Hospital & Sent to the House by the Mayor, admitted.

139. A letter was read from Mr. Drinkwater who declines having any thing further to do with the Boy Moses Smith, See [Case] 131.

June 27.

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Yates

140. The Supt. reports the Bread Contract runs out on the 30 inst. The Committee order the Supt. to rec. [recommend] tenders from two or three person in the trade.

141. Donald Cameron 40 yrs. Scotch Presbyterian Ch. was living up at London with one John McDonald five years. He came down from London for the purpose of getting into the Hospital or poor House contrary the Rules of the House to receive persons from London. Robt. Yates

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June 28th.

142. Superintendent reports the death of John Adams 80 years English of Apoplexy

July 1st.

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson John Thom and John Holland Esqrs.

143. Ann Glaspie 30 years of age Irish Ch: of Eng has been living in Markham one year- Husband died last Jan'y applies for admission to the House of Industry She expects to be confined in two to three months the rules of this Charity forbid the admission of Parties from other

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Municipalities and besides she is able to work for her living at present. give her 5/ [shillings] and let her go back to Markham

144. Lawrance Sparrow 57 years Irish R.C. 9 yrs in Canada two weeks in Toronto was 2 years in Port Hope He must go back to P. Hope. gave him 5/ [shillings] to pay his Passage to P. Hope.

145. The Bread contract expired on 30 June. Mr. Coles being the only Tender and having supplied The Institution for the last six months, his tender was Considered by the Committee to be satisfactory, being 6 1/2 per 4 pound Loaf. Mr. Coles has the Said Contract at the same price. Supt. spoke to some of the other Bakers, but they all appeared indifferent about it.

146. Margaret Neigh died this morning at 9 o'clock A.M. See [Case] 138. She has no friends in this country R.C.

July 2nd. 1856

147. Michael Sweeney aged 21 years. Irish and a member of the Rom. Catholic Ch. has been living 3 years in Geo. Town [Georgetown]. from the County Tyrone Ireland Consumptive. Has a Brother in the Queen's Bush in Brant Canada west.

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July 4th.

Friday Committee

Present John Thom Esq.

148. David Edmonds. 36 years of age Cold. [Coloured] man and came from the States a year ago was in the House last winter with Sore Eyes. Went into Toronto General Hospital and was there since last March and is now totally blind. left with the Genl. Meeting.

149. Notice forwarded this day to the Revd. H.J. Grasset of the following children in the House

July 4. 1856

Wm. Leagena 9 years

James Sanderson 9 yrs.

Fredrick Sanderson 6 yrs.

Caroline Leagena 6 yrs.

Catharine Thompson 6 yrs.

150. Died this day Michael Sweeney See [Case] 147 Consumption. July 4. 1856

151. Committee ordered the Supt. to inter the body of Robt. Murray at the Expense of the House See [Case] 136 died this morning July 4th. 1856

July 5th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett Hon. J. Elmsley

Present none

15th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasset J.P. Battersby and Wm. Mathers Esqrs.

Present Mr. Mathers & Revd. H.J. Grasset

152. John Smith aged 81 years English Ch: of Eng only a few days up from the Lower Province, is now sick and not able to leave his bed. Admission for the present. this man's Wife and daughter called to see him on Wensday [Wednesday] Morning.

153. Mary Ellen Lianea came from Cobourg to see her Sister in the Hospital. She lost her purse and had no money to pay her passage back to Cobourg Supt. paid it for her 6/ [shillings] 3 [pence], and after explanation to the Committee approve of what Supt. had done.

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July 18th.

Friday Committee

no business this morning

Present none.

July 22nd.

Committee for Tuesday

Revd. Dr. Barclay J. Arnold and D.K. Feehan.

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Present none.

25th.

Friday Committee

Present none

154. William Eldon was sent down to Mr. Butts Blacksmith shop on Thursday with a Stove to be mended did not return to the House untill Evening when He was found on the corner of Edward and Elizabeth Sts. Sitting on ground beastly drunk. with a crowd of Children [etc.] around him throwing sticks, stones, and dirt at him. And He sometimes Shouting, them Singing and alternately cursing. the Supt. had to send two men to bring him Home to the House, why is He allowed to remain in the House? he is able to work for his living. Supt.

July 29th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns Hon. H.J. Boulton & Hon. J. Elmsley

Present None

Aug 1st.

Friday Committee

Present {blank}

155. Elizabeth Welsh 25 Widow. She says she was married in Cartright but has no marriage certificate never had one. Irish & C of England.

156. Catharine Canton 24 years Irish Rom. Catholic Ch. 3 years in Canada Sore Eyes and fever & ague Sent to the House by Dr. Haswell

156. [case number repeated] Mary Welch & Catherine FitzPatrick sent to Montreal 5/ [shillings] each was given them by order of the Committee

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Aug 5th.

Weekly Committee

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Rev'd. Jno. Borland R. Cathcart and J.W. MacDonald [MacDonell] Esqrs.

156. [case number repeated] Elizabeth Welsh: Supt. instructed to defray her expenses back to Cartwright & address a note reporting the case to the Clerk of the Municipal Council.

Aug 8th.

Friday Committee

R. Cathcart

157. William Eldon see [Case] 154 Came before the Committee he seems able enough to Earn his living. has lived with Mr. Cherry & Boomer. but is constantly getting Drunk when allowed out. Dismissed the House for Drinking.

158. Margaret Selever Married woman a little weakly in mind. Aged 43 years If Mr. Hancock can get her a place with some one who would treat her kindly she would earn her own living, at present she is admitted and will help to work in the House.

159. Thomas Harvey see [Case] 5. has been in the house of sore leg. Should be in the Hospital. (is healthy otherwise than his leg) Drink is producing its effects on his flesh. it is found to be almost impossible to keep him from getting Drink. ~~at~~ Discharged for Drunkenness-

160. Richard Allan. has been in the ^House^ for a few days and is so far Recruited that he will now be able to earn his living. is a Rope Maker at times he is almost blind is 32 yrs age has a wife in Buffalo he was in the House in 1853 see [Case] 585.

161. John Hall aged 27. Irishman, Catholic, single man 9 months in Canada: labourer; a week or more in Hospital. The attention of the Visiting Physician is called to this case, (the man being afflicted with a complaint in the head, which renders his presence very offensive) & it is hoped the Doctor's influence may if necessary, procure admission to the Hospital for the applicant.

162. Mary Wallace, aged 41, Irish, ^Sligo^, English Ch. a few weeks in Canada; husband died on passage out. wishes to place her 4 ^younger^ children at the disposition of the board. Anne, 12. William, 10. Thomas, 7. James, 5.

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children admitted & form required drawn up & signed by Mrs. Wallace.

W.J. MacDonell, John Borland, Robert Cathcart

163. Mrs. Wallace see [Case] 162. With reference to the above case the Supt. learned from the children that the Father was still living and working in Toronto, a Tailor by trade. Said that they have lived in this City over twenty years, The Supt. went in search of the father but could not see him, untill six o'clock, took the children along and left them at the House with Mrs. Porter who told Supt. Mr. Wallace Would be sure to be Home in the Evening. August 8th. 1856

August 12

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green Geo. Brooke & J.B. Robinson Esqrs.

Present none

164. A poor man was sent to the House by Dr. Haswell's Lady, who had been sent from Cooksville by one Dr. Crew. to be recd. as an inmate into this Institution. The Supt. knowing it to be contrary to our standing rules to receive persons from the country, after consulting with some of the Managers, was ordered not to take the man in. the man's name was Sharp

15th.

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Shaw acting for Dr. Green

165. Margaret Sullivan 40 Irish R.C. 3 mos. out has one child Thomas 1 1/2 years. Wants to stay in the House is Healthy and able to work, discharged, may stay 2 nights in the out shed but not longer. Saml. Shaw

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Aug 15.

166. John Hall is not a proper person to receive the benefit of this Institution Wm. Mathers

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett The Mayor & G.W. Allan Esqrs.

167. Application for admission into the House for a limited period on behalf of Mary Sterling and Mary Anne Collins, both these females are near their confinements and unmarried, Committee refer to case No. 108 and 111 and the order made there on. with which order the



present committee concur with in principle, though they regret being obliged to refuse the application.

Supt. to refer their decisions to General Committee with a request that they will record their approbation or otherwise thereon.

168. The case of the three Cogan Children [1855 Case 27] given out to Leary & others, but Indentures not completed, refered to General Comee.

169. Michael McQuillan. Age 78 R.C. Bachelor. Irish 3 years from Ireland. sometimes in States last in Ottawa. admitted

170. Michael OHare. 25. R.C. Bach. [bachelor] Irish See [Case] 178 in 1850 feeble & deficient in Sight No room in the House Supt. reports all the beds occupied. Stephan Lett, John Tyner

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August 22nd.

Friday Committee

No Committee in attendance this morning

26th.

Committee for the week

E. Hobson Wm. M. Westmacott & T.J. O'Neil Esqrs.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

171. Mary Burns 17 yrs. Irish R Catholic ch. Sent to the House by Dr. Brooke, Has been 9 months in the City. the Case left with Dr. Haswell

Passed a/c [account] Bread 18 [pounds] 18.17

Mr. Jas. Esmonds a/c [account] [pounds] 1.10

[Total] [pounds] 20.7

172. His Worship the Mayor Sent a child to the House on Thursday 21st. inst., the child about 16 months old, name Geo. Henry. On Monday the 25th inst. a Woman came to the House by the name Elzth. Loughed, who stated She was the Mother of the child Sent to the House on 21st. as above. The Supt. told her if She brought an order from the Mayor the child would be

given up to her. This morning she brought an order from the Mayor & the child was given up accordingly.

29th.

Weekly Committee Friday

Present Mr. {blank}

Passed Dry goods a/c [account] Ross Mitchell {YC} [pounds] 28.6.2

September 2nd.

Weekly Committee

Revd. James Spencer John Tyner & John Doel Esqrs.

173. Geo. Edge see [Case] 89 was taken away by the mother

174. Thos. Crawford aged 10 years Church of England an orphan Father & Mother died in Coburg in the winter of 1854/^5^ and having no relatives He is admitted to the Institution.

175. John McLean 18 years of not long from Scotland afflicted with Scrofula Complaint, and not able to fill a Situation. Presbyterian. admitted for the present and Supt. will try and get him some light employment.

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Sept. 2nd

176. Rebecca Robinson appeared before the Committee with complaints about the Supt. not giving her all the information she wishes respecting her children. The Committee have confidence in the parties with whom the children have been placed. [1855 Case 205]

177. Julia Moore 21 years deserted by Husband Julia Smith mard. [married] name with one child Irish & 4 years in this country R.C. has been living in Rochester Wants admission to the House, She is young and able to get her own living. She afterwards confessed she never was married. Refused admission.

Henry Gough 73 Irish, C. of England. A School Master applies for admission to House. He has a pension from the Education department of the Province and agrees to give it to the funds of the Institution.  
^Admitted.^

178. Alex Martin 66 years Scotch Presbyterian & Butcher by trade just arrived in Toronto Wife & family Scotland. Has been working with one Alex Whyllie farming. and the Committee think him still able to get his living. ^admission^ refused.

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179. Mary Burns see [Case] 171. She wishes to go to Montreal if Supt. to give her 5/ five shillings in her pocket and to try and get her a passage free if possible.

5th

Friday Committee

Present {blank}

180. Johanna Carroll and Bridget Carroll called to ask the committee to take into the House an illegitimate child whose mother is still in the city and a sister to Mrs. Carroll admission refused.

181. Thos. Smith 48 English in Canada many years Labourer CofEng wants admission, refused the Comtt. are well acquainted with Smith.

182. Fanny Jones a widow just from Scotland with 3 children the 2 eldest allowed to remain in the House for a short time until the Mother can provide then with a Home Ch. ofEng.

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Sept. 5th

183. The Subject of apprenticing Boys to be Brought up merely as servants, appears to the Weekly Committee to be contrary to our standing rules; and the committee are reluctant to carry out such appointments without the question again being brought before the General Board. John Tyner John Doel

184. The Weekly Committee was particular in going through the House this morning, speaking ^supt. not being present^ to each inmate separately, found everything orderly and clean, tasted the soup which was excellent. In fact all appeared ^not only^ comfortable & Happy, but really grateful for the Comforts of the House; & the kind treatment of Mr. & Mrs. Hancock.

\* The only exception to the above was Mrs. Williamson and Victoria Washington. Mrs. Williamson complains the Drs. do not give her Medecin. But Mrs. Washington appears very unhappy, and dissatisfied with the food both in quality and quantity as usual.

\* Mrs. Williamson is of unsound mind. John Tyner John Doel

185. Margaret Bary 30 years of age married husband living Sutton, Township of Georgina and a shoemaker 3 children and in comfortable circumstances. The woman appears to be labouring under an affection of the lungs. She is sent up from the Hospital to be admitted into the House of Industry but no mention is made of her complaint. She is Irish and Roman Catholic.

9th

Weekly Committee

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Revd. E. Baldwin J. Tolfree & Geo. Brooke Esqrs.

Present None.

186. Margt. Bary see case 185 it is contrary to our rules to receive persons from other municipalities, but Mrs. Bary's health is not equal to the journey back to Sutton; is therefore allowed to remain in the House.

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Sept. 9th

187. Widow Sarah Miller 63. Irish. Ch. of England. living 7 years in Toronto and living now with Aex Black on Stanley St. No. 16 West of Church St. She brings a line from Mrs. Grasett recommending her for Bread, in the absence of the Committee Superintendent gave her a Loaf of Bread. Allowed to remain on the books. Edmd. Baldwin

188. Reported the death of William Brethour 76 years see [Case] 77 in 1855. Complaint general debility died on the 7th Sept. 1856.

189. Reported the death of Daniel Hall Aged 21 years. Col'd [Coloured] man, was admitted to the out building a few days ago after applying for admission to the Hospital, complaint, broke a blood vessel. September 10th 1856.

190. Died also this day John Wagoner 86 years Col'd [Coloured] man an inmate of the House for the last 12 years. (debility) September 10th 1856.

12th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. E. Baldwin

191. Margt. Malloney 19 yrs Irish ^C.E. [Church of England]^ no husband, with child, girl 9 mos. old applies for the admission of her infant that she may be able to take a place at service, says that she will be willing to give 10/ [shillings] a month towards the keep of her child. has been living lately in Brampton C.W. [Canada West]

The Comttee. think it advisable to take the child from her as requested. Edmd. Baldwin

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Sept. 16th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green, P. Patterson & J.P. Battersby Esrs.

192. John Booth of Toronto having given a written consent that the Trustees of this House should send out his son John Francis Booth aged ten years. The said boy is received for that therefore send out by Mr. Mercer.

193. Joseph Dalton applies for admission Irish C. of E. [Church of England] 71 years, married wife in Ireland. Kerry. 4 children 3 in Ireland one daughter in Mrs. Swan in Coburg badly off. He has been residing 4 or 5 years at Coburg. To be received and sent back to Coburg.

194. Ellen Tilletson ^Tillotson^ Widow see [Case] 1101 in 53 [1853] has brought her 4 children, 2 girls and 2 boys to be sent out by the Trustees. The eldest girl 12, boy {8}, 2nd girl 5 the youngest 2. To be received.

195. Andrew Rogers Irish C of E [Church of England]. 43 years, labourer worked on Hamilton Railway, has been to the Hospital got medicine and a note from Dr. Clark recommending him for admission. Family in New York. To be received.

196. The Superintendent is authorized to purchase ten cords of wood for the use of the House.

19th

Friday Committee

No business this morning

197. John Smith called this morning after the Committee had gone said he was determined to have all his children home again. Said the Revd. Dr. Lett advised him to come and see after them. He further said, his children had been placed out with dissenters and he must have them all home again. Mr. Smith has already got two of the boys home with him who have left excellent places. [Case] 131 & 132.

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198. Margaret McPhail 50 years Scotch Husband living but does not know where he is, says she belongs to the free church. Sent from the Hospital by Dr. Bethune, was living 4 years in Eldon afflicted with dropsy.

Sept. 23rd.

Weekly Committee

Revd. W.S. Darling R. Cathcart and J. Harrington Esqrs.

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199. Margaret Bary see 185 & 6 died this last night, of Consumption. September 24th 1856.

26th

Friday Committee

Present {blank}

200. Margaret McPhail See Case 198 wishes to be sent to Beaverton where she has a sister living in comfortable circumstances, and where She says She knows she will be welcome. The Superintendent will try and get the Mayor to pay her passage and see her forwarded to Beaverton. Robert Cathcart)  
Weekly Committee

30th

Weekly Committee

Rev'd. H.J. Grasett J. Arnold & S. Spreull Esqrs.

201. James Righley 40 years of Age Irish R.C. 3 children in Hamilton where He has lived 4 years has been working on the G.T. [Grand Trunk] Railroad in Darlington and where he got his leg broke, Was sent from the General Hospital untill Wednesday or Thursday when he will be recd. to that Institution

202. Ann Phipps 61 yrs. age C. Engd. Has a dissipated Husband. obliged to leave him in Cincinnati. unable to do much work. in place with Mrs. Ludden. willing to make herself useful in the House, has an affection of the heart. can do sewing. admitted.

203. Margaret Eaton 65 yrs. age C. Engd. Widow see [Case] ^No.^ 101, ^No.^ 250 [1855] allowed bread, wood when the house begins to deliver it

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204. Marianne Gibbons aged 35 yrs. wants lodging till she is sent back to England. Soldier's wife granted for 2 or 3 nights

205. Superintendant to get 50 Cords of wood into the yard for the use of the House from Mr. J. Baird.

206. Tenders for Bread. Superintendent advertised in the Colonist for tenders to supply the House for the next three Months. Mr. George Coles and Mr. Wm. Greeves were the only parties tendering Wm. Greeves was 6 1/2 d. [pence] per 4 pound Loaf and Mr. Coles 6 d. [pence] per 4 lbs. Loaf Mr. Coles' tender was received, and accepted.

207. Jane Freeman (inmate) died 29th of September relation to Cath. Duke on Peter St. Toronto.

208. Edwd. Clements Aged 25 years Irish and R.C. religion, a Single man and no friends in this Country. Only one year in Canada two months in the Hospital has an affection of the lungs.

209. William Noble 30 years of age Irish and a single man, he is a member of the Ch. Of England, has no friends in this Country was discharged this day from the General Hospital with a note from Dr. Clarke. Consumption has almost completed its work in this poor man.

October 3rd.

Weekly Committee Friday

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett

210. Edward Clements & William Noble. the cases explained above, (see 208 & 209) to be admitted

211. Samuel Dawes. blind from the effects of an accident at Madoc has come to Toronto to seek advice for his eyes. The Supt. will have him conducted to the Hospital & in the event of his being refused admission to pay his passage back to Belleville.

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October 3rd

212. Catherine Kinnaugh was apprenticed to Mr. Wm. Hunt, Township of Nelson; on the 8 of August 1853. Was this day brought back to the Institution, as Mr. Hunt was about to leave the Province for the United States.

213. George Bennett 30 years of age English & Church of England wife and one child, is afflicted with Rheumatism came up with the government, living on Sayer St. got bread and wood from the House all last winter, brought to the Institution by Capt. Scott from the Toronto General Hospital where He would not be taken in.

214. Patrick Nallagan 18 Irish R.C. In Toronto 18 mo. In decline has no friends except one Bro. [brother] who has been paying for his board for 8 month past is not able to do so any longer. Bro. [brother] Boards with Thos. Flannagan Simcoe and Front Streets. Recommended for admission by Dr. Haswell.

October 7th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Mr. Savage. S. Shaw & J.L. Robinson Esqrs.

215. William MacKee 60 years of age (Farmer) Irish Quaker has a wife and children on a farm in West Gillingbury Lot No. 15: Concession 9th. He is somewhat astray in his mind, has a genius for poetry, and has been more given to Study then farming.

216. Mrs. Francis Jones see [Case] 182 has 2 children in the House for the last 4 weeks, she is afraid her children will be sent out, will be allowed to remain a week longer and if not taken away by that time they will be placed out.

217. Ellen Righley 40 Irish R.C. applies for assistance an able bodied woman and will be able to get her living if she go to the Country. Saml. Shaw

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218. Died this day 7 oclock P.M. a little German girl name not, known, about 10 years of age, abandoned by the father in the city, was loditic, and the complaint of which it died was the softening of the brain.

Oct. 10th

Friday Committee

219. Mrs. Rebecca Mair of Jarvis St. ^states that^ on Tuesday Evening of the 7th inst. About 9 oclock the bell rang at the front door and on opening the door Mrs. Mair found a female child laying on the walk in the cover of an Indian basket. She applies to the Committee to receive the child into the Institution admitted and Supt. to provide a nurse on the best terms he can. [see page 326 Case 3]

220. Bridget Calway came wishing admission into the house again with her child a boy of 4 yrs. She is 30 years of age, she is diseased in the spine but is able to work her husband is away to the States and left her about 16 years ago and since that time she has had the present illegitimate child whose father is now in the City an old pensioner Michael Hudson. She has been in the House before see [Case] 235 ^1855^ [Case] 57 ^1856^. The Weekly Committee ordered Mr. Hancock to get her a passage to Montreal.

221. Robert Shore of Albion with whom is apprenticed Elizabeth Hines ^writes^ stating that he is willing that he pay [pounds] 5 per year having recd. notice from the Superintendent that one year's wages is due and that he will pay it.

Butchers Bill for three months amounting to [pounds] 43.72 ordered to be paid. Saml. Shaw David Savage

October 11th

1856

222. I have examined Margaret Powers and find her cured of the disease she was admitted with it being dysentery and may be discharged at the pleasure of the board. A.T. Augusta.

222 1/2. Margaret Powers recently from the States came to look for her son came into the House ill and is now ready to be discharged.

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Oct 12th.

223. Patrick Malligan see [Case] 214 died this day 4 oclock P.M. Consumption.

224. Notice forwarded to T.J. O'Neill Esq. of Catharine Kinnaugh now in the House, Saturday 11th October 1856.

225. George Ferdinend 31 years of age German Lutheran Ch. a shoe maker has lost his health is a single man admitted to the House on condition that the Lutheran church of this city pay 5/ [shillings] per week towards his support.

14th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns Messrs. T.A. Stayner & R. Yates Esqrs.

226. The Superintendent having represented the necessity for Scales & weights for the use of the establishment, the Committee authorize him to procure a Platform weighing machine. He will also procure a Pepper Mill.

227. The Superintendant is directed to wish to the Revd. Mr. Morgan of Barrie, requesting him to inquire respecting Elizabeth Smith. a little Girl from this institution, who about three years age was intrusted to the care of Mrs. Warren (who lives upon the West half of Lot. 16, 5 Con. of Vespra) with a view to ascertaining if the Child is properly cared for and if Mrs. Warren is disinclined to vacuate the Indentures binding the Girl to her home.

228. The case of Georgianna Deacon, who was intrusted to the care of Mrs. James Beasley of the Township of King the 7th January 1853 was brought before the Committee by the Superintendant. who is hereby directed to take the steps (as in the case of Elizabeth Smith) to ascertain her present circumstances and conditions. and to report the result to the Board of Directors.

229. Martha Caverley 68 years of age widow C. of England Irish Bolton St. has been living with her son a shoemaker, has a wife but no children, another daughter an able bodied young woman and She is an excellent shoe binder, and gets plenty of work.

229 1/2. John Murphy 39 Irish C.E. [Church of England] living in Toronto has a pension which He promises to give to the House is afflicted with rheumatism. Alld. [allowed] to remain for the present.

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1857

Oct. 17th 1856

Weekly Committee for Friday.

Present. None

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230. Patrick Casey sent to the House with a Note from the Mayor requesting his admission to the House of Industry. See [Case] 198 [1855].

231. Margaret McCausland 28 years of age married husband some part of the Province. Just out from Ireland. Ch of England, has one child with her 3 years of age, and expects to be confined every day.

232. Elizabeth McCoy given up her boy to the Institution to be apprenticed and according to the By-laws provided for that purpose, name Alexander McCoy Aged 8 years and Ch of England. Mother since dead.

Oct. 21st 1856

Weekly Committee.

E. Hobson, John Thom and John Holland Esqrs

232. James Carr 81 years died this day in this Institution 11 o'clock A.M. (debility)

233. Margaret Nesbit died this day in this institution 9 o'clock A.M. Aged 75 (debility.)

234. I have examined Peter Conoley and consider him quite able to work and not a fit subject for this house. October 23, 1856 A.T. Augusta

234 1/2. Peter Conoley was before the weekly General Committee a stout able young man complained of paines and the case was left with the attending Physician to say if He is a fit subject for this charity. See 234.

Mary Jane Garvin and Lucy Harriet Garvin sent to the House by Revd. Edm. Baldwin. Mother gone to Hospital. The alms House, Hospital, or on the streets begging will be the most likely places to find Mrs. Garvin. Supt.

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1857

October 11th Saturday 1856

^ [Case 234] This entry should have been made on page 94 under date of Oct 11th and was made here by mistake, accidentally turning over two leaves at once. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]^

234. [case number repeated] George Ferdinan [Ferdinand] 31 German Shoe Maker Lutharn [Lutheran] Ch. Was living the winter on grand river [Grand River] at Calladonea [Caledonia]. He is unwell not able to work will be taken into the House of the Lutheran Ch. pay 5/ [shillings] pr. week.

John Smith was before the Committee and his conduct to the Supt. examined, and dismissed the House. The Superintendent called John Smith out of the dining room this morning to see the state of the Bath Room, and on pointing out several places where matches had been half burned and thrown down upon the floor, and tobacco ashes knocked out of the pipe also all over the floor.

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I told Smith that he took the most active part in making this dirt, he must help to clean it. He at once flew in a rage and said that I was a tyrant, and that I must not give him any more of my blackguardism, if I did he would disclose facts and circumstances that would make me hide my face when I walked the streets of Toronto. He denied lighting his pipe in the bath room told me that I was a liar, He did not. I thought such conduct was too offensive as it was practiced before all the inmates and I called upon the Committee who considered Smith had forfeited all claims to any further benefits of the Institution; and ordered him to leave the House on Monday next. This is not the first time. See [Case] 960, ^964^ in 1854.

Oct 24th 1856

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson, John Thom and John Holland Esqrs.

235. John Smith had refused to leave the House and was brought before the committee and three dollars are allowed him to start Peddling with and to leave the House this morning. He begs to remain until Monday morning.

236. Henry Hosford 39 German has a sore on his face. The Committee think his case more suitable for the general Hospital than this House.

237. Mary O'Brien 23 yrs. Agnes St. Scotch ch of Scotland. Husband a R.C. has a baby 10 mos. old. Mrs. O'Brien out of Health, wants to get the child into the House.

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237. The child to be admitted and Supt. to provide milk for the child. Mrs. Smith living on Sayer St. and takes an interest in Mrs. O'Brien and will pay something towards the child's support. [see also page 326 Case 4]

238. Ellen Fletcher 50 years of age. Irish and belongs to the English church has been a resident of Toronto for the last 12 years. Husband was a watchman in the City for several years but died about a year ago. Has daughter married in the City to Thos. Newman next door to Harrison by Richmond St. Says she is destitute and she is sent to the Supt. for him to get her a place. She has another daughter living in Lloydtown by Tho. Tyart Saddler and another in Guelph all in good circumstances.

Oct 28th, 1856

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, Honabl. J. Elmsley and Robt. Denison Esqrs.

Present none.

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Oct 31st, 1856

Friday Committee

Present none.

Nov 4th

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasset J.P. Battersby and Wm. Mathers Esq.

239. The case of 238. Ellen Fletcher. Supt. to see her daughter Mrs. Newman living on Yonge St.

240. Geo. Smithwick see 112 last Jany. 5/ [shillings] given to go back to the States. Wants admission to the House to give him 5/ [shillings] and send him back to his son.

241. Thos. Smith, see [Case] 142, 158, 187 [in 1855]. Recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett for admission was in the House all last winter has been gardening during the summer. Says he is able to work if he can get a place.

242. The little girl Charlotte Anne Hillock aged 10 years abandoned by the father and the mother dead. The child to be admitted and Supt. will try and get other information in the case.

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242 1/2. Edwd. Clements see [Case] 208. Died this day R.C.

243. Three children sent to the House by the Mayor by the name of McDowell. The mother is unsteady, Irish and Church of England. Mary Anne 12 years, Sarah 10 years, John 7 years. They have 2 little Boys in the orphans Home. Depty. Chief Constable says he can get the mother's consent for these children to be apprenticed out. They are rec'd. into the House by the Supt. subject to the approval of the weekly committee. The mother is gone to gaol for a month. Committee approve of the admission.

Friday Committee

Present J.P. Battersby & Wm. Mathers Esqrs.

244. The case of Smithwick reconsidered this morning and the committee allow him to remain in the House for one month in hopes by that time he will be able to take some situation. See [Case] 240.

Nov. 11th

Weekly Committee

Rev. Dr. Barclay, John Arnold & D.K. Feehan

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Revd. Dr. Lett acting for J. Arnold Esq.

245. John Kelley 60 years, Ireland, R.C. wife and one child, from the United States all in good Health want admission to the House, no room and beside the Husband is able to work.

246. Hugh Derrick 79, Irish, R.C. 6 years in Toronto. Widower want admission, no room, will get the first vacancy.

247. Jane Brown 19 years, English & baby three Mos. old deserted by her Husband, recently from Bowmanville C.W. [Canada West] Sent to the House by Mrs. Grasett for a short time, to see if the Husband will turn up, and if not to get some situation for her, either with or without the baby.

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Nov. 11th

248. Hugh Derrick See [Case] 246 was before the Committee on Tuesday morning, asking admission to the House and although He was told repeatedly that there was no room in the House, and consequently could not be taken in, at least for a short time, in fact He was promised the first vacancy, the old man urged and pleaded hard to be allowed to remain, as He has no home, no friends or means, and no place to get a nights lodgings. The Superintendent told the Committee it was perhaps better to allow him to remain, and he would try and make some arrangements for him. But what is the most remarkable in this case is, before noon two young men came to the House and enquired for H.D. Said they were sons; and that their father has a comfortable home, and wanted for none of the Comforts of life, and they thought we were highly to blame for receiving into the House such persons simply because they come and wished to be taken in.

14th

Friday Committee

Present none

249. Mary McDonell ^widow^ Aged {blank}, ^Irish^, ^Roman^ Catholic and living on Wellington St. for the last 20 years. Husband was a Carter and has been dead 3 years, has 5 children 2 youngest with the sisters of Charity. the eldest a young woman at home about twenty years of age who has not been very kind to her Mother, another young woman about 19 years of age looking for a Situation. Mrs. McDonell is recommended for admission by Messrs. Gilmer & Coulson. being no Committee on Friday last. The Supt. took in Mrs. McDonell subject to the approval of the Board.

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1856

Nov. 18th

Weekly Committee

Hon. H.J. Boulton, Revd. Dr. Burns, Hon. J. Elmsley.

Present none.

1856

Nov. 25th

Weekly Committee

Revd. J. Baldwin, R. Cathcart & W.J. McDonald. [MacDonell]

Present R. Cathcart, Revd. W. Borland & J. McDonald.

250. The Superintendent reported to the Committee that Mary Anne Sanderson a young girl of about 10 years who came to the House on the 17th inst. for protection and temporary relief, left the House again on the 23rd inst. without leave. She was abandoned by her father and Stepmother. She has a Brother now in the House. The Superintendent was desired to inquire after her.

251. Elizabeth Macoy whose Husband is in the Penitentiary, came to this House about a fortnight ago and left a little boy about 9 years of age her son. She went to the lying in Hospital on Richmond St. to be confined and has since died with her child newly born. She has left some household furniture Bedding etc. which the weekly Committee request the Superintendent to try and procure and save for the Boy.

252. Thomas Smith who has been an inmate in the Sheds for about a fortnigh, Owing to a sore leg he was discharged, as able to earn his living.

253. Patrick Welsh who has been an Inmate in the sheds for a few days. was brought in, he was an Inmate last Winter, and was getting his living through the Summer by gathering Rags. The Weekly Committee think him ^not^ capable of earning his living but have reprovred him for Drunkenness which he promises to abandon in the future.

254. Joseph Webb a refugee from Philadelphia has been 15 years in Toronto is now 17 years of Age and is sickly probably Consumptive. he is recommended in a Note from Revd. J. Richardson and is now admitted to the House for a while to see if he gains strength.

255. John Walsh an Irishman about 32 years of age. Single man, has been about 2 years in Canada, part at Thornhill and latterly with Wm. Clark about 2 1/2 miles up the Plank Road from the City. He is a R. Catholic. he is Sickly, pains all over. Shortness of breath & admitted to the House and the Case left with the Doctor.

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256. Jane Purchase aged about 35 years of age with a sickly child about 4 years old. Says she does not know where her husband is, has lived with Mrs. Crew for about 4 years. her child being sickly prevents her earning her living. the Committee leave the Case for the decision of the Doctor to see if she is not a more fit case for the Hospital.

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257. Catharine Ryan aged about 19 yrs. Age with a Babe about 1 Year old. A married woman about 6 mo. in the country. Irish, R. Catholic. Her husband left her about 5 months ago to go look for work. She has not heard of him since. Allowed to remain in the House with her child until the latter is weaned.

258. Meyer, a German woman from Wisconsin, husband dead 11 weeks: 1 child about 6 months. allowed to remain in the House for the present.

259. Sarah Shaw, widow 5 weeks; from Guelph; Irish; 40 years; Presbyterian; no children living; recovering from fever & ague. Supt. will procure a shawl, pair shoes & bonnet & a passage to St. Catharines, where she has acquaintance.

260. Mary Anne Rauna, widow 1 year, from Colborne, 1 child 1 year <sup>11/12</sup> old. Irish: Church of England, 25 years of age. Lived 9 years at Colborne; been in Toronto since May. Allowed to remain in the House with her child, until her trunk is brought from Station, 7 miles east of Stratford. to be then sent to Colborne.

261. Bridget Gannon, 30 years; Irish, Catholic; sick in Hospital most of summer; husband absent 3 mos. whereabouts not known. To remain in House subject to advice of visiting Physician. Supt. might assist in sending her to the country.

262. Rachel Murphy: widow 2 years; no children living; 65; Irish; Ch of England; 8 years in Toronto. sickly. Recommended for admission by Revd. Dr. Lett. Can knit or sew when sufficiently recovered. Admitted for the present.

263. Report of the attending Physician of John Walsh. See [Case] 255. examined and find that he has disease of the chest of which I think it doubtful that he will recover.

Also examnd. Jane Purchase and think she will be well in a few days. The child has a disease of the spine, and in a very weakly state, and I doubt they would be taken into the Hospital

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1856

Friday Committee

Nov. 28th

Present R. Cathcart, W.J. MacDonell

264. Wm. Eldon; 56 years; see [Case] 186 [1855], 182 [1855], 278, 98, 125 [1856]. admitted for a week, until able to go abroad & seek employment. complains of sore leg. Recommended by Dr. Russell.

265. Emma Sanderson [Case] 250, was brought back to the house on Wednesday last by a confectioner ^Mr. Orwood^ on Albert Street. She is 13 years of age; advised to continue an inmate until a suitable place can be found.

266. Patrick Casey was allowed to go to church last Sabbath morning, when about the middle of the afternoon he returned to the House Drunk

Decr. 2nd

Weekly Committee

Rev. Dr. Green, Geo. Brook, Esq. and his Worship the Mayor.

Present Revd. Dr. Green & Geo. Brook

Mary Miller wants wood

267. Thos. Graham 45 Irish C. of Eng. from Township of Manross C.W. [Canada West] lost a leg on the Grand trunk, and they paid his passage to Toronto House of Industry. The Supt. to write to the Township of that Municipality notifying him that it is contrary to our rules to admit parties to this charity coming from other municipalities, and send him back and pay his passage.

268. Sarah McVeigh Seeks admission to the House admission refused

269. Mary O'Brien applies to the committee to have her child returned her. Supt. ordered to give the child.

270. Thos. Ward 33 English Ch. of England 7 years in city living Adelaide St. opposite Vales factory. Has broken Arm allowd. Bread and Wood

271. Catherine Lahy 30 Irish R.C. Widow from Camdon has a young boy 10 years of age refuses to have him bound out. have no room in house



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1856

Decr. 2nd

272. Bartholomew McMahan 35 Irish R. Catholic in Canada 2 yrs. Sore Eyes wants money to pay the rent Board do not give money to pay rent. he has been attending Dr. Cadwell and his Eyes are better, and He is able to saw wood. Alld. [allowed] a loaf of Bread

Friday Committee

Decr. 5th

Present Revd. Dr. Green

273. Widow O'Hern lives same place recommended by Mr. Brett for Bread & wood for the winter months. Mrs. O.H. has a girl of ten years of age and she refuses to allow her to go to Service which according to our rules renders her only eligible for temporary relief.

Several applications for wood appeared before the Committee, but no order was before the Committee for distributing wood at present. Anson Green

274. Ebenezer Charles Nedon aged 14 years English Methodist Church, and a full orphan. Brought to the House by Mrs. Cuttle who has had charge of the boy. He comes into the House for the Superintendent to get him a place as an Apprentice with some Harnessmakers.

275. Anne Graydon ^Widow^ and two children. Sarah aged 7 years and James aged 6 years, Irish, and Church of England, the Mother of these Chiln. [children] is out of Health, and not able to do for the children has signed the usual letters giving the Trustees the authority to bind them out in accordance with the Bylaws provided for that purpose.

276. John Walsh died this ^day^ 32 years of age Irish R.C. a Single man consumption. No friends. Decr. 7th See [Case] 255.

277. Mathew Mennox 69 years of age Irish Roman Catholic and a commuted pensioner has no family living in Toronto 25 years, and past work recommended for admission by

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Decr. 9th

Weekly Committee

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Revd. Dr. Lett G. W. Allan and the Mayor Esqs.

Present none.

12th

Friday Committee

Present none

16th

Weekly Committee

W.M. Westmacott T.J. O'Neill and E. Hobson Esqs.

Present none.

19th

Weekly Committee

Wm. M. Westmacott T.J. O'Neill and E. Hobson, Esqs.

Prent. [present] 2 latter

278. Ordered that Supdt. purchase half a dozen bedsteads and ten ^hair^ blankets ten rugs.

Terence J. O'Neill E. Hobson

23 Decr.

279. Supt. is authorised to get tickets printed for the half price wood. J. Spencer

280. Thompson & Co.'s account for advertising passed, [pounds] 10.11.4 Ordered to be paid.

Balance of Superintendent's contingent account examined and approved. J. Spencer John Doel, John Tyner

26 Decr.

Weekly Comtee.

Revd. E. Baldwin & Geo. Brooke, Esq.

281. Mrs. Arnold having made application for the admission of Jane Horan ^{R.C.}^ at present in the Magdalene Asylum, it is ordered, on the representations of the Supt., who has visited her, & states that she is in a very feeble state, that she be admitted to the House. Edmd. Baldwin George Brooke

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Decr. 27th

282. A male child was sent to the House by George Gurnett Esq. Police Magistrate on the 20 December. The child had been left at the door of Mrs. Sutherlands James St. The child's feet were badly frozen, but is now doing well. [see also page 326 Case 5]

Decr. 31

283. The Special Committee appointed to examine Tenders for supplying the House for the year 1857. Met today. Present John Arnold Esq. and E.H. Rutherford.

Dodgson Shields & Morton's tender for Groceries for 1857

ditto for Sugar for 3 mos. (to May 57)

Above being the only tender, and considered reasonable, was accepted.

Margaret Harper's Tender for milk at 1/ [shilling] 9 [pence] per Gallon for the year 1857. Accepted for the Year

George Coles. Tender for Bread for 3 mos. at 5/ [shillings] 9 pence] Cy. [currency] per 4 lb. Loaf. And for the other nine mos. of year [at] 6 d. [pence] Cy. [currency] per 4 lb. Loaf. Accepted for 3 mos.

Peter Huty Tender for meat for the year 1857 at 16/ [shillings] 10 1/2 [pence] Cy. [currency] per 100 lbs. Accepted for the year. J. Arnold Prest.

Jan. 7th/57

284. Mathew Minnix is ruptured and I think if he had a truss he would be able to work. A.T. Augusta

Jan. 7th 1857

285. Jesse Johnston complains of Wm. Eldon for abusing him & quarrelling with him. Recommended to bear with him as long as it is only talk. J.P. Battersby

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Jany. 23. 1857

Toronto House of Industry

1. Supt. authorised to procure New Tea and Soup Kettles for the use of the House. John Tyner John Doel Joseph Rowell

January 27th

2. John McLean was before the Committee this Morning for bad conduct. He had been employed by the Superintendent to give out the wood at Beard's wharf, and had got intoxicated several times, abusing the customers, which ~~this~~ angering them in his drunken freaks, and besides it was before the committee

that he had made his way into the female ward at the Shed in the dead of the night & without recording any further particulars, the Committee believe that McLean is a very improper person to keep in the Institution; and therefore discharge him from the House & to leave immediately.

Weekly Committee) Joseph Rowell

3. Thos. McCoy applies to the Weekly Committee for his son Alex McCoy, a boy about 8 years of age, who was placed in the Institution by the Mother in October last, [1856] for the purpose of being apprenticed out by the Board. McCoy was discharged from the Penitentiary a few days ago, where he, has served an apprenticeship of five years, to the Shoe Making business. The case referred to the General Board, for decision.

Feby 3

4. Edward Whitman on the recommendation of the Mayor applies for admission, his foot having been badly cut by an axe and the wounded part rotting in consequence of the frost getting in. The crowded state of the House could not admit of his being received besides his case is one more properly suited to the General Hospital than this Institution. This Comtee deem it advisable that at the next Monthly Meeting some steps would be taken to urge upon the Trustees

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of the Hospital the propriety of making provision for cases similar to the one noticed Terence J. O'Neill J.P. Battersby

5. Supdt. having drawn the attention of Comtee. to the meat now being delivered by Mr. Huty, orders that the contractor's attention be drawn to the matter with a view to the cause of complaint being remedied which the Comtee have no doubt arises from the carelessness of the persons acting under Mr. Huty. Anson Green, Terence J. O'Neill, J.P. Battersby

1857

Feby. 10th

6. Mrs. John Burns (of Adelaide St.) applies for Sarah Greydon, a little Girl in the House aged about 8 years. Parents Church of England. Mr. Hancock to notify the Church of England Minister and after 14 days if not taken away Mrs. Burns to get the Child. Robert Cathcart W. Stewart Darling Weekly Committee

^The clause of the indenture referring to non-interference with the child's peculiar faith being specially pointed out to the applicant^

Feby. 13

7. Mary Smith appeared before the Weekly Committee whose Blind Child See [Case] 243. 261.^in 55^ [1855]. Elisabeth Smith aged 13 years ~~of age~~ and who has been in the House now about ^two years^

months, the mother is desirous to get the Girl out of the House, and says she wants to take the child to the U. States to get her into the Blind Asylum so that she may be Improved and have a permanent place. her other children is all out and she is healthy and strong and able to support the child if needed. She is continually coming to the House, and striving to take away the child, and seems determined to get her, by stealth and force.

And the Weekly Committee would recommend that the General Committee would give the child to the Mother. the Weekly Committee would have complied with her wishes, but from the fact of the Case having been before the general Committee before, and therefore recommend the Case to the general Committee now. Robert Cathcart, W. Stewart Darling) Weekly Committee

8. Mr. Hancock lays before the Committee a letter from Revd. John Pentland of Oshawa respecting the children put out to Joseph Frizell. Mr. Handcock will write an Answer and Enclose a Copy of Regulations to be complied with respecting the Girl. Robert Cathcart, Weekly Committee.

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Feb 13.

9. Mr. Handcock will correspond with Mr. Warren of Vespra or some other person there. Respecting the completion of the Indentures of Elisabeth Smith, who went out in 1852. and Indentures forwarded in April 1853.

Mr. Warren pays no attention to Communications sent her and Mr. Hancock will write some other respectable person. requesting them to have the Indentures be completed. Robert Cathcart Weekly Committee

Feby. 13

10. Notice forwarded to the Reverend H.J. Grasett of children in the House, pointed out in the By laws.

Joseph Hall 5 years

Wm. Clark 5 [ditto]

Fred. Sanders 7 [ditto]

Richard Hill 5 [ditto]

Alex. McCoy 8 years

Wm. Davidson 3 [ditto]

James Graydon 6 [ditto]

James Nealy 14 [ditto]

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Girls

Sarah Graydon 7 years

Ann Hill 6 [ditto]

Elizth. Eavs 4 [ditto]

Caroline Leanie 6 [ditto]

W.G. Hancock Supt.

Feby 14

11. I have examined James Watson see [Case] 110 [1856] He is now able to work at his trade and may be discharged at any time. A.T. Augusta

12. Alex McCoy went over the fence this morning about 8 o'clock. A.M. and did not return. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

13. Patrick Casey got leave to go to chuch and did not return, got drunk & arrested by the constable and sent to goal. [gaol] W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

14. Mathew Minix got leave to go to church came home Intoxicated, three times now and disturbing the House. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

15. James Watson is discharged this day. J. Arnold

16. Supert. to disperse hand bills advertising the ^timber^ ~~wood~~ in yard for sale to the highest bidder. J.A.

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Feby 17th 1857

17. Gilmor Doyle died last evening of General debility. See [Case] 181 in 1855. Roman Catholic

18. Wm. Cornwell Paralytic and CE [Church of England] died this day of apoplexy see [Case] 279. in 1856 Feby. 20, 1857 ^Church of England.^

19. Charlotte Hillock a young girl in the House sometime say since November last, went over the fence the other day and has not returned. Is not by any means a good girl. See [Case] No. 242 in 1856.

20. I have examd. Thos. Riley ^5/ [shillings] to Hamilton^ now in the shed and also William Dalton and both of them may be discharged from the House as being able to go to work. A.T. Augusta [in margin] ^Approved by the Board J.L.R. [J.L. Robinson]^

Feby 21st 1857

21. Wm. Harper and James Welmin sent to the House today by Dr. Gardner Hospital Surgeon, stating that He had Mr. Harringtons orders to send them to the House, one of the men is from Township of Vaughan, and the other from St. Catherine's or Welland Canal. The Supt. is obliged to appeal to the Board for more accommodation, the only way he could find beds for the two men Just sent in, is by discharge two from the House, and in every case this would be found impracticable. [in margin] ^The admission of Harper and Welmin as related by the Supt. is approved by the Board J.L.R. [J.L. Robinson]^

Feb 24th

22. Mary Scotts, having returned from Brampton, and having failed to procure from N.J. Leach, the Clergyman at Brampton, her marriage certificate, it is considered by the Board that her case comes within the rules of unmarried women applying to be admitted previous to their confinement, and that her admission is therefore refused. J. Lukin Robinson

23. It having been stated by the Superintendent that Edward Lee had been for a month employed in giving out wood at the Wharf & had his clothing torn & injured in doing so, it was ordered that he receive the sum of one pound four shillings as a remuneration for his services.

Weekly committee) Revd. D. Savage J. Lukin Robinson & S. Shaw

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24. The Superintendent reported that Margaret Purdy age twelve years was apprenticed to Mr. James S. Vroom Township of York May 19, 1852. Three years wages are now due to the House and although the Superintendent has repeatedly communicated with Mr. Vroom no answer has been received. The Weekly Committee order that the a/c [account] be put into the hands of the Clerk of the Division Court for Collections.

25. The Superintendent also reports that wages have been for some little time due from Mr. Joseph Wilson Collector of Customs Sault Ste. Mary's on account of William E. Graham. The Weekly Committee recommend the Superintendent to write again to Mr. Wilson & request payment.

26. William Douglas sent to the Institution by Malcolm Gillespie Esq. of the Township of Brock. refused admittance in accordance with a Resolution on the Books hearing on such cases, prohibiting the reception into the House of all persons coming from other Municipalities.

27. The Superintendent informs the Committee that the amount of Medicine used in the House during the past two months is much larger than has ever been used in the same time. before, the Bill reaching the sum of ^over^ [pounds] 8.0.0. recommended to the consideration of the General Committee

28. James Darraugh having written to the Superintendent to request that Mary Kennedy be continued in his care for six months longer before he decides on having her bound to him, whilst she has already been living with him twelve months. the Weekly Committee decide that she must either be bound at once to Mr. Darraugh or returned to the House

29. The Superintendent having submitted a communication addressed to the Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the General Hospital, requesting admission into the Hospital for Catharine Canton. the Weekly Committee order the Superintendent to forward it.

Weekly Committee) David Savage Saml. Shaw

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30. Two male children sent to the House today by the Mayor, one left with Mrs. Ryerson on Stanley Street and the other was left at the door of the Lying in Hospital of Richmond & Victoria Street. One about five month, and the other two mos. old. The woman called herself Stokes that left child with Mr. Ryerson. Crooks.

The above case was laid before this Committee this morning and the Committee recommend an application to be made to the Corporation for a sum of money sufficient to place the two children (sent to the House by the Mayor) out at wet nurse. Supt. to address the Council on the Subject. Gave one to Mrs. Tonnar to nurse. [see also page 326 Case 6]

31. Robt. Bancroft 23 Single CE [Church of England] Canadian father dead mother married again and living at Sydenham by name of Mrs. Arlot in good circumstances has been staying with an Aunt Mrs. Garden Cor. [corner] of King & Yonge St. Keeps office for {blank}. recommended by S. Spreull Esq. admitted See [Case] 211 in Relief Book.

March 10th

32. George Long applies for admission to the House while He attends Dr. Cadwell for the treatment of his Eyes, He is sent to the Institution by the Mayor asking his admission if considered a fit subject. The Supt. states to the weekly committee that such cases as the above are considered inadmissible to the Charity; being objectionable to the Medical Staff of this Establishment, but the Committee overuled and admit him. for that purpose. John Holland, John Thom

33. The case of Mary Davis was before Committee and after explanations from Supt. it was ordered that the Child may be admitted but Mrs. Davis conduct unfit for admission to the House. John Holland, John Thom.



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March 10th

34. Mary Crooks the woman that left her child with Mrs. Ryerdon [Ryerson] Stanley St. She says she left the child while she went to Weston to look for her Husband, who has left them seven weeks, She was sent to the House by the Mayor for admission for a few days. Admitted

March 11th

35. Supt. reports that Alexr. McCoy came back to the House this evening over the fence the same way he left See [Case] No. 12.

36. The case of ^Geo.^ Robt. Long see [Case] 32 was reconsidered this morning and the Committee have decided on referring the case to the General Board.

37. A Letter addressed to the Supt. by A.T. Stayner today before the Committee, to be left for the Genl. Board. Said Letter ~~ref~~ makes reference to foundling brought to this Institution.

38. Eliza Davis 50 English and Church of England widow no children living in Toronto five years afflicted with Paralysis. Her Brother was keeping Tavern nr. [near] the wood Market (Sign of Turf Tavern)

March 19th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett Robt. Gilmor & J. Harrington Esquires

Present none

39. Richard Crooks infant 5 mos. Old (whooping cough) died this day 19/57.

Mar 20th

Friday Committee

Present None

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett J.P. Battersby & Wm. Mathers Esquires

40. John Boyle 38 years Irish R.C. married he is from George Town lost six of his fingers frost bitten, seeks admission to the House, was five months in Hospital and within country since, wanted to get with the Hospital again. No room in the House. Admitted and the Dr. attention to be called to his case.

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41. Elizabeth Farrall 35 married C. of England Irish 4 children James 9 John 7. Frances 6 Linzie 2 from Whitby lived there 2 years expects to be confined soon Husband a Blacksmith in Oshawa to be admitted for a few days until after her confinement and then to return to Whitby.

42. Thos. Smith [Case] 241. 181. 252 [1856] wants admission to the House he is now in the Shed and the Committee order that as soon as the wheather [weather] will permitt he be discharged.

43. The Supt. has permission to go down to Cobourg tomorrow to transact some business their [there] of his own.

44. The Supt. is authorized to advertise for tenders for the supply of bread for the next three months.

March 27th

Weekly Committee Friday

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett & Wm. Mathers Esq.

45. Eliza Spears Aged {blank} Husband afflicted with sore eyes lives on Nelson St. No. 56 W. Queen St. No children. Ch. of England Supt. to visit and report to the Weekly Committee on Monday next. In the mean time ordered a loaf of bread.

46. Wm. Noble {blank} brought a letter from the Mayor and Dr. Gardner recommending him for admission to be allowed accommodations in temporary building until the next Meeting of Committee

47. Anastatia Ryan to have a loaf of bread.

March 31.

Weekly Committee

{blank} Tuesday

Present D. K. Feehan

No Poor Present

48. Milk a/c. [account] For Margaret Harper [pounds] 14.12.6 examined and parred, also the Superintendants' Wood a/c [account] for [pounds] 51.3.9. off [pounds] 31.2.6. Balance [pounds] 20.1.3.

Tenders for Bread received from Andrew Carrick [at] 6 d. [pence] per 4 [pounds] loaf and

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and from George Coles [at] 5 1/2 for 4 [pounds] loaf

Contract given to latter for next three months. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

April 2nd

49. The following persons have been examd. & by me and pronounced to be in a state of health to leave the House, and able to work. A.T. Augusta

M. Cardle

Wm. Nesbit

Rachel Murphy

Edwd. Whiteman

Catherine Leanie

Wm. Harper

Jackey Timmons

April 3rd

Friday Committee

Present None

4th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns, Hon. H.J. Boulton & Hon. J. Elmsley

50. The Superintendent is obliged to attend the Recorder's Court this day at Witness against Wm. Johnson and Catherine McIntire, both inmates of the out shed. Johnson had taken thirteen coverings [sovereigns] and about fifteen shillings in silver from the trunk of one of Wm. Christine's Men at Yorkville Bakery. This Boy Johnson about 10 years of age was brought to the House on Sunday morning 29th March by Constable McDowell, and having the money on his person. McIntire had been ordered to wash and clean the boy, took part of the money from him, and when searched some of it was found on his person. They were examined before the Police Magistrate Geo. Gurnett Esq. who committed them to be be tried at the R.C. today.

There will be no Committee this morning to revise the list of Indoor and out door poor but they have been notified to attend tomorrow morning 9 oclock A.M.

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Weekly Committee

met Wednesday April 8th

S. Shaw R. Cathcart

51. Ellen Coffee aged 37 years Widow with one child in this Country Aged 14 months a Girl Irish R.C. has been a wet nurse at Revd. W. Marlings. Husband Dead 1 year last July died in Canandaigua U.S. [United States]. Wants to get into the House with her child She is healthy strong woman. and the Committee think her no charity, but we agree to give her a loaf of Bread a Week for 2 or 3 weeks. only.

52. The Committee appointed to revise the Indoor and Outdoor poor Poor List met this day Wednesday April 8th 1857

Present John Arnold Esqr in the Chair. Saml. Shaw and Robert Cathcart.

The following indoor patients have been pronounced by Doctor A.T. Augusta able to work and fit to leave the House. Are discharged by the Committee but allowed to remain if they desire it for a week or two until the weather is warmer vis McCardle, Wm. Nesbitt, Rachel Murphy Edward Whiteman Catharine Leaney Wm. Harper Jackey Timmons

J. Arnold Chn. [Chairman] Robert Cathcart Saml. Shaw

April 14

Revd. H. Bishop J.W. MacDonell & R. Cathcart Esqrs.

53. Ellen Oneil aged 17 years Irish R. Catholic 2 years in Canada Came from Cooksville to the Lying In Hospital where she had a child (a Boy) now aged one month. seeks admission to the House of Industry. The father of the ^Boy^ Henry Randall. left Cookville about 3 months ago. She dont know where he lives she has now been in the house 2 weeks. Mr. McDonell one of the Committee will see W. Tyner today and try to get her child with the Sisters. in the meantime she is to remain in the house ~~for a fortnight~~

54. Eliza Robinson aged 38 years Irish C. England. Single. Has been in this Country since she was 10 or 11 years old has recently been living in the Neighborhood of Hamilton. has been 3 weeks in the Hospital dischargd. on Saturday and sent here by Mrs. Grasset. is allowd to remain until the first of May. when she is to go out.

55. Henry Best aged 12 years was born in Toronto dont know what church his parents belonged to, never went to any church dont know what Country his father was of but Mr. Hancock knows his father was an Englishman lived most of his time with Mr. Huton on Peter St. a pensioner. but latterly lived with Mr. Snow. the colld. [Coloured] man his father & mother died in the Cholera of 1854.

56. Catharine Leahy aged 32 years Irish R.C. about 3 years in Canada about 4 months in Toronto lived in Camden near Kingston. Widow her Husband was drowned in Camden has a Boy about 10 years old lives with Mr. Deverau at Thornhill. had a babe about Christmas who died. She is in delicate health Mr. McDonell wrote to the Mayor to forward her to Kingston. Robert Cathcart James H. Bishop) Weekly Committee

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57. Mary Crook aged 22 years Irish R.C. about 7 years in Canada about 6 months from Quebec. Married Woman. her Husband John Crook. left her. he was an Englishman C.E. [Church of England] and is gone about 3 months. She has a child a Boy 2 years & 3 mos. old the child was Christened by the C. England Minister in Quebec, recommended to the Public Nursery on Victoria St. where it is expected the child will be taken in, by her paying part of her Wages. Robert Cathcart James H. Bishop) Weekly Committee

58. John Boyle 40 years of age Irish and R. Catholic came into the House a few days ago suffering from Consumption says he has a wife and child some place, but dose [does] not know where. He died this morning April 5, 1857. See [Case] 40

59. Alspet Cooper See [Case] 109 ^January 1856^ has been in the House over a year died this morning Consumption April 15th 1857

60. Mary Smith who was allowed to take her child from the house See [Case] No. 7 The Supt. met her to day on his rounds begging with the blind girl.

April 17th

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Mr. Bishop R. Cathcart & Mr. McDonnell

61. Eccles. Thomas Egan aged 79 years Irish R.C. has been 5 years in Toronto and has lived with a Mrs. Atkinson, Queen St. near Don Station, who is now about going to Boston; has pd. [paid] her sometimes 10/ [shillings] pr. week. Admitted

W.J. MacDonell Robert Cathcart James H. Bishop

62. Robt. Monaghan Aged 2 years died this morning Mother in the Lying in Hospital. April 20/57.

62 1/2. The contract for Supplying Sugar to the House ran out on the 31 March, and it was found impossible to get a new tender short of 7 d. [pence] per lb. which is a farthing in advance of the last three Months. which was given to Dodgson, Shields & Morton

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April 21st

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green, Geo. Brooke Esq. and His Worship the Mayor

Present: None

63. Mary Radcliff 33 English C.E. [Church of England] & and Husband ^John 40 years^ no children living on Edward St. No. 4 nr. [near] Yonge St. Husband a Stone Mason by trade, but has been sick for nearly 3 years; has been an out patient at the Toronto General Hospital, seeks admission to the House. The Supt. has seen this case, and got the House Dr. to examining him, who reports the case as incurable.

64. Joseph Hall Aged 16 years Methodist Ch. born in Toronto consumptive has been living with ^Mr.^ Ackerman on Wellington St. keeping a Tavern Hall has a Father living in Collingwood, a Lath Maker, and in comfortable circumstances

April 24

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Dr. Green

65. Daniel Malloy 53 years Irish Widower R. Catholic no children in City, 16 {blank} Painter by Trade recommended for admission by Revd. Thos. Smith Kennedy has a pension. He is to make himself useful in the House, Admitted.

66. Jane Lloyd 26 years married English and C.E. [Church of England] one child 14 mos. old deserted by her Husband, and wants to come into the House.

67. The Committee recommend that the children be removed out of the present nursery in the large room occupied by Mr. Sanders. A. Green

68. Eliza Sheppard ^cold. [Coloured]^ 13, has been living with Edwards on Ch. Street Methodist Church has a mother living on Queen Street recommend by Dr. Bethune for admission to the House admitted subject to the approval of the Board. Consumptive See Dr. Bethune's note.

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April 27th

69. Mary Davis' children, James aged 11 years, Thos. Aged 2 years Mother sent to Goal for a month, and chil. [children] sent to House by Geo. Gurnet Esq. per Constable Milleghan this woman has been hanging on the House for the last 4 years. it would be a great charity to take the children from her and get them into place. Children received subject to the order of the Board.

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28th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Jas. Spencer The Mayor and G.W. Allan Esq.

Present Revd. J. Spencer

70. Mrs. Partridge allowed a loaf of bread a week for the present. This woman's husband has been sent to jail for a month for intemperance, and the family left without the means of support. Mrs. ^Amelia^ Partridge is English, belongs to the Church of England, 33 years of age, husband about the same age, they have two children, a girl nine, and a boy four years of age. are now living on Caroline Street with one James Dunn.

71. The two children of Mary Davis, ^[Case] No. 69^ allowed to remain in the House, until the mother is released from prison; subject to such further disposition as the case may require.

72. Committee confirm the admission of case No. 66.

73. Sarah Shaw, aged 45, Irish, Church of Scotland, has been eleven years in Canada, and nearly all that time has lived in Toronto, has good health, has had her arm broken and not yet recovered so as to be able to perform much labour, Admitted to the House until able to work. Jas. Spencer

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April 29th.

74. James Weston a little boy about 10 years of age was sent to the House by Police Magistrate Geo. Gurnett Esq for admission. The boy says He is He has been living in Paris C.W. [Canada West] Father and Mother both dead. Parents English and C.E. [Church of England]

May 1st.

Friday Committee

Present None

May 5th.

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson W.M. Westmacott and P. Paterson Esqrs.

75. James Weston left the House on Monday 4th. without leave, see [Case] 74

76. Wm. Jackson Aged 83 years Irish and church of England, Widower, has one son a Shoemaker living at Weston, is a pensioner at 1/ [shilling] 2 [pence] per diem. He is very feeble and helpless recommended for admission by the Revd. W. A. Johnson of Jarvis Street. next door north of the late A. Dixon Esq Gerrard St. Admitted for the present.

77. Mary Callahan See [Case] 212. admitted with the hope the new House of Providence will soon be ready to receive her and others.

78. Patrick Casey see [Case] 13 {blank} Sent to the House by the Mayor admitted and to go work with his needle.

79. William Sheer 25 years of age a native of Ireland and a Member of the Roman Catholic church went to the Toronto General Hospital with paraplegia from injuries received on the Peterborough and Cobourg railroad Case referred to the General Board with a view to ascertain his claim upon the Railroad Company.

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May 8th.

Friday Committee

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

80. Eveline Brown 16 years of age Irish and a member of the church of England has been with Mrs. Dulmidge Yorkville, went to the Toronto Genl. Hospital with fever and ague, would not be received into that Institution, was sent to the House of Industry by Dr. Gordon admitted for a few days in hopes she will soon be able to go to service again.

Passed Bread a/c [account] for the mo. of April [pounds] 20.15.3 E. Hobson

May 12th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, Jno. Tyner and J. Doel Esqrs.

Present the two latter.

81. Sarah Gilmore 60 years, was amongst the out Pensioners struck off on the first of May. she says she is not able to do without a little Bread, alld. [allowed] 1/2 Ration per week.



82. Daniel Duglass 45 Irish Presbyterian 5 years in the City Painter by trade, lost his health applied for admission to the House, admitted for the present.

83. Jane Dunlop appears before the Committee for her two children, in consideration of Mrs. D.'s unsteady habits, the Committee are doubtful of the children doing well with the Mother and leave the case for further consideration.

84. Margt. Eaton {blank} with a line from Revd. Mr. Grasett for Mr. Hancock to bring her case before the weekly Committee Mrs. E. ~~wishes~~ ^was^ struck off the bread list, on the first of May, and she wishes to be put on again, the Committee think she is able to get her living.

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May 15th.

Friday Committee

Present Jno. Doel

85. Ann Wilson 29 Irish C.E. [Church of England] single person in Canada one year from fort Erie wants a place feet sore and wishes to rest a few days. allowed to remain one week.

John Doel, John Tyner

86. Patrick Randle Aged 2 Mos. Roman Catholic died this morning 15 May 1857.

May 19th.

Committee for the week

Revd. Edmd. Baldwin Geo. Brooke & Jas. Rowell

Present Revd. E.B. & Jas. Rowell

87. Case 83 of Mrs. Dunlop and her two children referred to Genl. Board to day.

May 22nd.

88. Mary Jane Garvin died this morning of bronchitis Aged about 4 years see [Case] 234 [1856 Case 234 1/2]. Lucy Harriet Garvin is about 6 years of age

22nd.

Friday Committee

Present none

89. Susan Putman 30 years of age English C.E. [Church of England] 3 chil. [children] 9. 5. 2. From St. Catharines Husband died last summer young able woman wants assistance in a permanent manner from the House.

May 26th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green T.J. O'Neill and J.P. Battersby Esqs.

Mr. Hobson attending for one of the absent members

90. Nicholas Meehan 57 Irish R.C. seeks admission. Lame of one foot, has been examined by Dr. Robinson who certified his inability for work. Came from Quebec last June lived there 35 years. Superintendent requested to bring this case before the Mayor that he may be sent to Quebec.

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May 26th.

91. The case of Sarah Gilmore represented by Superintendent She was struck off the out list last April but is now unable to get her living. alld. [allowed] bread.

92. Margaret Fair. Case similar also alld. [allowed] bread.

93. David Stuart 69 Scotch Presbyterian in Canada 17 years. A commuted Pensioner, a weaver but now unable to work. Has been working in various places. admitted.

94. Eliza Davis No. 38 died this day May 27th. 1857 Paralysis Aged 50 years English and Ch. of England.

May 29th.

Friday Committee

No business this morning

June 2nd.

Weekly Committee

Robert Cathcart, & Hon. J. Elmsley and Revd. W.S. Darling

Present R. Cathcart & E. Hobson attending for J. Elmsley

95. Sarah Shaw see [Case] 73. also [Case] 259 [1856]. Sickly, wants to stop for a short time. She promises to go to the country after a few days. She is admitted on for a few days on this promise, positively to come no more to Toronto. say Friday or Monday

96. Elizabeth Quigley Married Woman lives on Queen St. south west corner of John & Queen St. over McKays brings a child a Girl 3 Months old. She had it nursing for one Mary Anne Irvine the mother. who has now abandoned the child and is gone to Port Hope. the child was Born in the lying in Hospital. She was to receive five Dollars a month, and can keep it no longer as She is near her Confinement ordered to go to the Mayor and explain the case, and if the Mayor sends it to the House, to be taken in. ^See 99^

97. Catherine Leahey Widow aged 30 years Irish R. Catholic has been in Toronto since before Christmas about 4 years in Canada. Came from Kingston brings a Boy aged 10 years fine healthy Boy. Wants the Committee to send herself and Boy to Kingston, gave her an order to the Mayor.

98. Ann Scanlan aged 23 years a Widow, has one Boy James Scanlon aged about 2 1/2 years. the child was Born in Kingston has lived in Toronto since last fall. belongs to R. Catholic church. sent to Capt. Elmsley with a Note.

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99. Mrs. Quigley brings a Note from the Mayor requesting the Supt. to take the child into the House of Industry. See [Case] No.1. Mayor's Note. Also [Case] No. 96.

June 4

100. Alfred Demars 10, Canadian French come up from Montreal a few days ago Roman Catholic religion a full orphan.

Notice forwarded this day to T.J. O'Neill Esq. of the boy above named in [Case] No. 100, requesting him to find a place for the boy June 4. 1857

June 5th.

Friday Committee

Present Hon. J. Elmsley

101. Richard Best. 10 years old. Full Orphan. Church of England. Came down from Hamilton. Admitted.

9th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett B.D. John Arnold & Saml. Spreull Esquires

102. Geo. Cruse 76 years of age Irish Roman Catholic no family, was living in Trafalgar twenty years, was recommended to come down to Toronto to see the Hon. J. Elmsley, who was reported to be a very kind Gentleman, and would most likely do something for him; his Case left with the General Board to say whether He be sent back to Trafalgar or retained in this Institution.

103. John Robinson 38 years of age English and Church of England, engineer by profession, come to Canada four months ago with a view to bringing his family out to settle on some Land. He has lost his health, and wishes to return to England admitted for a short time & when his health is improved he will make his way down to quebec and then home.

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June 10th.

104. Jane O'Neill ^or Neill^ 47 years Irish C of England in Toronto 17 years lost the use of one side received into the House Subject to the approval of the Board.

105. Mary Carroll 24 Irish R.C. 7 months in Toronto Single Person has been living with Mr. Arthur Martin in Scarborough she says she has not good health Dr. examined her and He says nothing the matter with her & is not a fit subject for the House.

June 12th.

Friday Committee

Present {blank}

106. Hugh Brydon 58 Irish C.E. [Church of England] 20 in Canada Shoemaker Says He is not able to work having lost his sight admitted for a short time.

107. Cath Stewart. [Case] 368. 407. wants help to pay her rent the committee do not pay rent from the funds of this Charity.

June 16th.

108. John Fulton 45 win the Asylum and Fulton in last stage of Consumption has 4 children 17. 14. 12. and 8 years He lived some years with Mr. Cameron Dairyman of this City. Irish Presbyterian. an Englishman

109. Henry Howell 61 years of age English & C of E died this morning 17th. June

110. John Radcliff see 63 died this morning 19th. June 1857

111. John Fulton See 108 died this day 21st. June 1857

June 22nd.

112. Donald McTavish 58 years Scotch & Presbyterian Religion a Widower & no family. He served 7 years in the Scotch Fusilier Regiment of the Kings Foot Guards and 9 years in the 24th. Regiment and 5 years in the 3rd. Incorporate Militia and was recommended to His Excellency T. Medcalf, Governor of the Canada's for a Pension about

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June 22nd

113. 14 years ago and was refused. he is a Saddler by trade and has supported himself by his trade untill his eye sight failed him, he has totally lost the use of the right eye and the vision of the other is so far impaired, that He is unable to follow his trade for a living. Admitted

June 23rd.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns T.A. Stayner and R. Yates Esqrs.

114. Donald McTavish in [Case] No. 112 allowed to remain.

115. Sarah Gilligan 20 years Irish R.C. sent to to the House by Dr. Gardiner General Hospital nearly Blind admitted.

116. John Eye 40 yrs. of age Dutchman Consumptive wants to get to Buffalo where he has an Uncle able and willing to sustain him, he is member of the Chr. of England. He may make his

way to Buffalo the Committee think it not right to be using the funds of this charity in sending parties to all parts of the Province.

117. Philip Davis 35 English E.Ch. Single in Canada 18 years. London 15 years. lost his sight. Came to Toronto to be treated by Dr. Cadwell and has been going to him already 11 weeks he says He was sent up by the officer of St. Georges Society to have him Board here while he attends Dr. Cadwell. The case cannot be entertained by the Committee the applicant coming from another Municipality. Richd. Yates) weekly Committee

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June 30th.

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson John Thom and John Holland Esqrs.

Present Hobson and Thom

118. Only two Tenders for Bread had come in and were laid before the Committee, which were as follows I hereby propose to serve the House of Industry for a term of three months as specified in your advertisement with good Bread for the sum of 8 3/4 [pence] per 4 lbs. loaf  
Andrew Carrick

119. I hereby agree to Supply the House of Industry of the City of Toronto with Bread of the first quantity at the rate of 8 1/2 [pence] per 4 lbs. loaf to be delivered at at the House daily as may be required for the term of three months commencing on the first of July and ending 30 September 1857. Geo. Coles

Mr. Coles Tender being the lowest, and He having served the House for the last six months in a satisfactory manner his Tender was accepted.

120. Foundling a young male child about {blank} was sent to the House by the Police Magistrate Geo. Gurnett Esq. requesting its admission to the House for a few days while the parents could be found name of child Fredrick Street [see also page 326 Case 7]

121. Another Tender for Bread came after the committee has gone from Mr. Simpson Queen St. the Supt. understood it was 8 1/2 [pence] same as Mr. Coles.

121 1/2. Wm. Shea Died this day See [Case] 79. 3rd. July

July 3rd.

Friday Committee

Present E. Hobson & J. Thom Esqrs.

122. Wm. Henderson 53 years Irish C.E. [Church of England] comes to this country in 38 [1838]. has been living most of the time at Marshville post {better} come to Toronto to go the Hospital The House is full, not a bed available.

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July 3rd.

123. The case of Mrs. Williamson she will not stay in the House goes over the fence if she is not allowed to go out Mrs. Williamson is not a sane person But the comte. think it best to give her her clothes

124. Ellen Butler 60 Irish R.C. has a son living on Queen St. living next door to Pretty's Tavern She has been living out at Oakville with a son who was good circumstances the old woman wants admission to the House, the House is full

125. Thos. Smith See {blank} brings a Note from the Revd. W.S. Darling who reld. [referred] his Case to the weekly Committee no room in the House. See [Case] 42 He is able to work for his living.

127. Frederick Street infant child sent to the House by Geo. Gurnett died this morning. July 5th. 1857

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, Robt. Gilmore & J. Harrington Esquires

Present none

128. William Gleaves Aged 73 years English and C.E. [Church of England] sent to the House of Industry with a note from Dr. Gardner Supt. Toronto Genl. Hospital as being beyond the reach of Medical aid and consequently refused admission to that Institution has a wife in the Lunatic Asylum, and has been living in Toronto for the last 30 years.

July 10th.

129. Foundling sent to the House this day by the Mayor a Male child and found Corner of Elm and Terauly Streets

130. William Gleaves see [Case] 128 died this morning July 11th. 1857.

131. Mary Richmond Foundling died this day July 13th. 1857.

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July 14th

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett J.P. Battersby and Jno. Thom attending for Mr. Mathers Esqs.

132. Patrick Casey see {blank} Refused admission on acct. of insubordination and ill conduct in the House.

133. Eliza Jane Clark. age 29. Irish Presbyterian living city last 12 mos. deserted by Husband. 2 children. Furniture seized for debt. children to be received into the House and put out if not applied for by the Parents in a month.

134. Sarah Shaw. See [Case] 73. Applies for admission. Refused she is able to work.

135. Ellen OBrien. The superintendant complains of her for insubordination. She says she is sick but the doctor declares her healthy. To be discharged the House.

136. Mary Malone Age 18 mos. died this day of Consumption July 14th. 1857. See [Case] 191 in 1856.

July 17th.

Friday Committee

Present John Thom

137. The case of Julia Burton with three Children of the Roman Catholic ch. Seekes to get the children admitted to the House of Industry, the Supt. informed her of the Institution on Nelson Street, where her chiln. [children] would be received in accordance with instructions given to the Superintendent in Minutes of General Meeting 16 September 1856. admission refused

137 1/2. Jo. Evans left the House without leave in company with another by the name of Collins, who returned to the House and is gone to place



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July 17th.

138. Wm. Douglass 60 yrs. English CE [Church of England] Twenty years in Brock ~~Canada last five years in Brock~~. Seeks admission to this charity. admission refused as each municipality is impowered to levy a tax for the Support of their own poor

139. Hugh Bryson {blank} wants to go down to Montreal where he thinks he will have a better opportunity of getting a living at his trade. Shoe mending alld. [allowed] 5/ [shillings] and not to be readmitted

John Thom

July 21st.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Barclay ~~Present~~ John Arnold & D. K. Feehan Esquires

Present. none

July 28th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns, Hon: H.J. Boulton, Hon: J. Elmsley

Present {blank}

139 1/2. Catherine McGanvass 50 years of age widow two children 15 & 5 recommended by Mrs. Grasett for Bread.

Aug 4th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. J.H. Bishop W.J. MacDonell and R. Cathcart Esq.

Present: full committee.

140. William Douglass see [Case] 138 returns again to Toronto his case referred to the Genl. Board

141. Geo. Cowan 48 English C.E. [Church of England] Single Person 3 years in Toronto. requires constant medical treatment and therefore ineligible for admission to this charity.

142. John Boroling 78 Cold. [Coloured] Man 47 years in Toronto one son in Toronto. wife dead, has a Pension [pounds] 20 per annum is willing to to give it to the House. belongs to the Methodist church.

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143. The Weekly Committee being of opinion that the wood required for the use of the House can be purchased to better advantage now than at a more advanced period of the season, strongly recommend the General Committee to take immediate action for obtaining the necessary supply.

144. David Cox died this day, half after 3 o'clock P.M. Cox has been an Inmate of the Institution for more than 19 years: Presbyterian. August 6/57

August 7

145. Fanny Banner 36 years. Irish, Co. [County] Tipperary. Ch. Eng. Husband ^rheumatic^ just out of Hospital, incurable. 3 years in Toronto. Husband 60 years of age afflicted with Rheumatism and not able to work. Seeks admission to the House 2 children 8 yrs, and 4 mos. John Banner admitted. Mrs. Banner can not be allowed into the House, but may leave the little girl until she gets a place.

146. Mary Brown's Case was before the Committee this morning and they order that if Mrs. Brown leaves the House again without leave, or when she has leave of absence and stays beyond the proper time, and returns the worse for drink she is not to be admitted or to be dealt with at the Supt. descretion [discretion].

W.J. MacDonnell James H. Bishop

147. Thos. H. Cook {blank} Come before the committee for leave to sleep at night and he will go out and work. He may remain in the House.

148. Jesse Johnson allowed 17/ [shillings] 6 [pence] to take him to Lockport. He has been an inmate for the last two years, and this is deemed the most economical way of dealing with his case as he promises never to return to the House of Industry.

149. Francis Paterson 13 years English ChofEngl. from Bothwell ran away from his Father. Sent to the House of Industry by Revd. H.J. Grasett for the purpose of being sent to place. A bad boy and could not keep him on the premises.

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August 9

150. Martha King and two children Just out from England Husband has been living in the City and left before his wife and children arrived the two little girls are allowed to remain and the mother will go to service untill the husband can be heard from. English and Ch: of England. The ~~youngest~~ Eldest gone to live with Constable Develin. No. 13. on Palace St. opposite. Husband is back today Aug. 14th 1857.

Aug 11th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green, Geo' Brook & The Mayor or Jno. Hutchinson Esq.

Present none.

151. Thos. Crawford See [Case] 174 in 1856 has a Father living in the City for the last 27 years a Carpenter and working for Mr. Smith shop on Elm St. Crawford lives Sayer St. next door to the Royal Oak.

14th

Weekly Committee for Friday

Present none

152. William Stewart aged 4 mos. died this morning August 14/57

Aug 18th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Jas. Spencer The Mayor and G.W. Allan Esq.

153. Catherine Norton 20 years of age from Brantford. English and Church of England. Mayor of Hamilton paid her passage from that City to Toronto an unmarried woman come to the Toronto Lying in Hospital. Gave her 5/ [shillings] to pay her passage back to Hamilton.

154.

House of Industry 19 August 1857

Dear Sir

The following children have been in the House for some time past, and for whom I have not been able to find situations, and the list is forwarded to you for that purpose in accordance with the rules of the House. This list will be found to contain none of those included in a former one under date Feby. 13th/57

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Boys:

Wm. Wade aged 2 years;

Wm. Hall [ditto] 2 [ditto]

Wm. Kelly [ditto] 3 [ditto]

Jas. McDowell [ditto] 8 [ditto]

Girls:

Mary Yonge 2 years;

Lucy H. Garvin 6 [ditto]

Sarah Watson 5 [ditto]

Jane Clarke 3 [ditto]

See [Case] No. 10 [Notice to Revd. Grasett]

Boys

Wm. Caul 5 years

Geo. Clark 5 [ditto]

W.G. Hancock Supt., H.I. [House of Industry]

Revd. H.J. Grasett B.D. Adelaide St. Toronto

155. Mr. Joseph Bilton sent to the House today with a note from the Revd. Edwd. Baldwin requesting the admission of an orphan child. Bilton is from one of the adjoining Townships, and agrees to pay for six months nursing of the child. Admitted subject to the order of the Board.

156. Thos. Wallace Aged 2 years died this day August 21st 1857. Mother in the Lying In Hospital.

Aug 25th

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson and W.M. Westmacott & P. Paterson Esqs.

157. James Wayland 12 years. Sarah 8. Mother in Jail. Ch: of England Irish these two children were sent to the House by Police Magistrate as the Mother was remanded back to gaol. the Committee are of the

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opinion that in view of Mrs. Waylands intemperate habits it would be wise to get the children into place as the Mother seems unfit to take charge of them

158. Patrick Crawley returned to the Institution this day dose [does] not answer Mr. Nulands purpose Says he is too fond of company [etc.] but considers him a very smart boy.

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1857

Weekly Committee for Friday

Present E. Hobson Esq.

159. Wm. Cowan 5 years of age an orphan Irish Ch: of England Brother living on Colborne St. with Mr. Michael G. Scott admitted

160. Thos. Burns see {blank} died the 27th of August 1857. debility R.C.

161. Wm. Brown allowed to leave his child here untill he can make some other arrangements for it, the Mother is very intemperate, and not capable of taking charge of the child. Mr. B. is willing to pay for the child's nursing. Supt. will try and get a suitable place for the child out side as the child is delicate and a residence in the Institution would be unfavourable to its health

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett John Doel and John Tyner Esqs.

Present the two latter

162. Ann McCaul 30 years Scotch Presbyterian in Canada 4 yrs. has been 4 mos. in the Toronto Hospital. She is afflicted with Paralysis, no friends in this County admitted.

163. Wm. Brown 30 years of age English Ch: of Eng. Sore leg has 2 childn. [children] Sent up to Sandwich by Father FitzHenry and was recd. into the House by the Supt. nr. [near] a month ago with fever and ague gave him a note to the Hospital

164. Wm. Harper 54 English Ch: of Eng. Single from Thorald [Thorold] has a sore leg. Admitted. See [Case] 21. if refused admission to the Hospital.

165. Rebecca Robinson See {blank} Just down from London C.W. [Canada West] where she has been living the last two mos. Return with a bad leg. goes to Revd. Dr. Lett for a note to the Hospital

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166. Georgina Nickson 18 years of age English & Ch: of Eng. from Warrick, appears of weak mind, allowed to remain until the general meeting when her case will be reconsidered. The Supt. will write to Warrick in this case

167. Darcy Skanks went out without leave, went over the fence has not returned to the House, she is not to be readmitted except by an ^order from a^ General Board

168. The Superintendent is allowed to bore holes in the front Steps for improved ventilation

Sept. 4

Friday Committee

Present Messrs. Tyner & Doel

169. John Turner 50 Irish R.C. is attending Dr. Cadwell and having a son living at Stratford wishes to be sent to his son ~~there~~ for some money, to pay Dr. Cadwell. the Committee have no funds for such purposes.

170. Henry Huton 35 Irish Ch: of England wife & one child 8 yrs. 28 years in Toronto says ^he is^ consumptive, went to the Hospital but would not be taken in. The committee are well acquainted with Huton, and think He may get his living out side. if he take care of him self.

171. Wm. Eldon [Case] 154, 157 [1856] is able to work for his living. Supt. has kept him in the House for a month. ~~The~~ He being unwell, but the Committee are satisfied that keeping such men in the Institution possitively an abuse of the funds and the Committee therefore order him to be discharged.

172. Elizabeth Jessy 34 ^63^ years English Ch: of England Just out from England only 4 Month. Son living on Boulton Street O'Burn's House. Admitted for the present

John Tyner, John Doel) Weekly Committee

172 1/2. Mrs. Leaney took her daughter Caroline out on the 28 Aug for a short walk and did not return her to the House. Supt.

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Sept. 8

Weekly Committee

Revd. Edwd. Baldwin ~~Mr.~~ Jas. Rowell Geo. Brooke Esqs.

Present Jas. Rowell

173. Mary McCormick 30 years Presbyterian from Ireland living on Emma St. Husband a drinking character. Mrs. McCormick has 3 children by a former Husband, two of the Eldest are now in the orphans House one little Boy still with her, 3 years Charles Gormley by name and Mrs. McC. is desirous to put this little boy under the direction of the Board to be apprenticed out. as she has an infant in her arms, and the Husband gives her no support. Admitted

174. Thos. Brown 63 years English Ch: of Eng. an aged man labouring under debility physically and mentally. Many years in the province, lived mostly in the neighbourhood of Niagara worked there for 6 years with one Arthur Wood in that locality. Admitted

175. It is ordered by the Weekly Committee that whereas children of Parties who are sent to gaol from time to time are brought to the House of Industry without any written explanation, and perhapsthe Constable not able to give even the name of the child. and for the want of such information it is impossible to deal with the case in a proper manner, in future the Supt. will not receive any child or children coming from the Mayor or Police Magistrate unless such information, viz. the name and age of the child, name of Parent & under what circumstances the children are sent to the Institution

Sept. 11th

Friday Committee

176. The Supt. will call a General Board Meeting for Saturday 12 inst. 3 1/2 P.M.

J. Arnold, Chair, Joseph Rowell, Weekly Committee

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Sept. 11th

177. Christian Waggoner 12 years German and Lutheran Ch: has a Father in Buffallo and a Labourer Sent to the House by the Police Magistrate. Says he came from Buffallo with a man by the name of Guyyard keeps a bird cage factory & birds also King St. East

Richard Best See 101. Admitted again. Went over the fence again the day following Supt.

178. Bridget Anne O'Brien Aged 25 years. Irish and Church of Rome. Widow 3 years in the Province and the whole of the time in Ancaster C. [Canada] West. Just discharged from the Toronto General Hospital with a Note from Dr. Gardiner to the Supt. of the House of Ind. [Industry] Stating that she suffers from a complaint which renders her unable to work for her living.

Sept 15th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green, J.P. Battersby & T.J. O'Neill, Esqrs.

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179. Jno. Henderson 77 years of age Col'd. [Coloured] man Scotchman Church of England lost an arm an old resident of Toronto. wants admission to the House Admitted

180. Moira Brown {blank} has returned from the Lying in Hospital and only wants to stay a few days when she will return to Markham.

181. Two children sent to the House by Geo. Gurnett Esq. Police Magistrate names Wm. & Thos. McDowell, 8 & 4 or thereabouts Brothers to the two sisters who have been placed out by the Board.

182. Notice of these two children forwarded to the Rev. H.J. Grasett See [Case] No. 181

182 1/2. Henry Best went over the fence and left the House without leave. on the 16th inst. and has not returned to the House.

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Sept 18th

Friday Committee

Present. Revd. Dr. Green & J.P. Battersby

182. Mrs. Hall applied this morning for some assistance for her Father, who is a very feeble state. Supt. will call and see him. Anson Green

Sept 21st

Weekly Committee

Revd. W.S. Darling Hon. J. Elmsley and R. Cathcart Esq.

Present none

183. Robt. Brown 45 years of age and English Single man & belongs to the Ch: of Eng. was sent to the Toronto Genl. Hospital with a note from Dr. Filbrick. He has been vomiting blood. In the absence of the weekly committee, and at the Suggestion of the secretary the Superintendent took him in

25th

Friday Committee

Present Honl. J. Elmsley and Robert Cathcart

184. Joseph Evans a boy about 10 years of age in the House now for more than six years went over the fence about two mos. ago, the Supt. has just found his whereabouts. The Committee decide to let him remain where he now is, with Hayden the Milkman

185. Robert Brown [Case] 183 was taken into the House. He appears far gone in Consumption

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186. Mary McDonald Widow aged 37 with 4 children three of the children she has put out to Farmers and the youngest a Girl 2 years old. She is a native of Ireland Roman Catholic has been 10 years in the Country, part of the time in Pickering and part in Dundas. She says she is in bad health, her husband died last February, was killed by the falling of a tree about 3 miles from Dundas. Was advised to go to Dr. Herrick to get a Certificate of Health.

187. Harriet Wakeford Widow aged 33 years Lower Canadian Bible Christian Church with a child 5 months old. Lately from Goderich. 11 years from Lower Canada. Husband dead 7 months. Says she has fits. occasionally. Recommended to go back to where she came from as she is not admissible to the House. Mr. Hancock was authorized to procure her a passage to Berlin.

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Sept 25th

188. William Lappan aged 45 Widower only one child living a Boy about 16 years of age now in the U. States is suffering under a sore hand and getting advice at the Hospital. and they referred him to the House of Industry. an Irishman Roman Catholic Church, allowd. to remain for a few days. till his hand is better

J. Elmsley, Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee

189. I have examined Mary McDonald & believe her able to work and ^she may be discharged.

A.T. Augusta Sept 26

Sept 26

190. James McNulty sent to the House by Revd. Mr. Grasett for relief. McNulty Has been injured in the spine which unfits him for work. He has a large family 7 children, has a pension 9 d. [pence] per day, Irish Ch: of Eng. gave him a loaf Bread.

191. Mrs. Grant from Hamilton with a deserted child sent to the House by Mrs. Grasett for admission. The Supt. applied to the weekly committee who advised that Mrs. Grant take the chld. back to Hamilton and lay her case before the Mayor of that City. Committee authorise Supt. to reimburse Mrs. Grant's passage money. 5/ [shillings]

192. Mrs. Ball sent to the Institution by the Mayor with a deserted child requesting Supt. to take it in. Supt. engaged Mrs. Ball to nurse the child untill the Committee say further in the matter. Male child about six mos. old. [see also page 326 Case 8]

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Toronto Sept. 29, 1857

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett, John Arnold & S. Spreull, Esqs.

Present {blank}

193. John McMillan 65 yrs. Scotch Presbyterian no family. Just from New Brunswick come to Toronto to spend the remainder of his life. Weak Eyes, alld. [allowed] to remain for the present.

194. John Wilson 29 English Ch: of Eng. single person. Sore eyes has been to the Hospital, no room, from the U. States. Alld. [allowed] to remain until he can get into the Hospital

195. Wm. Henderson 22 Irish Ch: of England afflicted with fits his Mother is in the Asylum

196. Mr. Brown fire inspector. Mr. Grasett wishes the Supt. to see them and get them into the House. has He understand they are in a starving state, both being old and past work, to be at the House on Monday. Supt. to advance any little change required in this case.

197. Tenders for Bread for the next three mos.

^Mr.^ Andrew Carrick's Tender for Bread was 6 1/2 ^d. [pence]^ per four Pound loaf.

Geo. Simpson's Tender for supplying the Institution with Bread for the next three mos. was 6 d. [pence] per 4 lb. loaf.

Mr. Geo. Coles Tender for the same period was 6 d. [pence] per 4 lb. loaf.

Mr. Coles has been supplying the House for the last Twelve mos. & given every satisfaction. Mr. Coles Tender accepted

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Oct 2nd 1857

Friday Committee

198. The Superintendent is authorized to provide places without delay for James & Sarah Wayland.

Oct 5th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Mr. Savage, Jos. Lukin Robinson & S. Shaw Esqrs.

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Present none

199. David Stewart has been some time now in the House of Industry See [Case] 93. Said he would leave the House if the Superintendent would give him 5/ [shillings] to pay his fair [fare] to Milton, gave him the money and he left the House.

200. Wm. Edwards 34 years of age wife and 3 children Six week in the city. English. Ch: of Eng. is out of Health has the Ship feaver Sent to the House by Rev. H.J. Grasett for some assistance gave him a loaf of Bread. Living ^at^ Hope Cottage Richmond St. No. 30

Oct 9th

Friday Committee

Present R. Cathcart

201. Mary Dyson aged 33 years Widow with 4 children. Ellen aged 9 years Robina aged 3 years Mary 2 months old. Irish ^Church of Rome^, family belongs to Ch. of England, lately from the Township of Blenheim. Husband was killed at a Saw Mill. Allowed a month ~~for 2 child to be left in the house~~ and if during that time she concludes to go to the Country. Allowd. a loaf a Week.

202. Catharine Ley. aged 30 years R.C.C. Widow only one child living a Boy 10 Years old who is now at Niagara. Lazy. No charity. send her off

203. Mary MaGrassy aged 24 years Widow. One child a boy aged 13 Months. Irish. R.C.C. Just out from Ireland. healthy and strong. Let her go to the Country and work

204. John Rice. aged about 70 years (sent up by the Mayor) R.E.C.^Ch: of England^ he is sick and confined to his Bed. Admitted to the House.

Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee

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Oct 13th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns, T.A. Stayner & R. Yates Esqrs.

Present R. Yates

205. Wm. Scott Yorkville 60 years of age, helpless not able to do any kind of work Ch: of England and from Ireland. Wife goes out to nurse when she is able allowed a loaf of Bread. The Rev. McGivins wishes to get this man into the House as soon as a vacancy occurs

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Friday Committee

Present Jno. Tyner Acting for R. Yates Esq.

206. A Letter was read from Mr. Brithour of Brock in the case of Barbara Leaney who has been placed with Mr. Brithour since June 24, 1856 a Man By the name of James Collins says He is step Father of the child and has been to Brock to see the child, and told Mr. Brithour his intention was to take proceeding to recover the child as soon as he got back to Toronto. The Weekly Committee instruct the Supt. to write Mr. Brithour and say if He wishes to retain the child this Bo^a^rd will protect him.

207. [in margin] ^This child was named Sarah Duggan^ A female child left at the door of George Duggan, Esq. Recorder about 2 or 3 week old, and sent to the House on the Evening of the 14 inst. by Mr. Duggan, Supt. took it in subject to the Sanction of the Board. The Weekly Committee confirm what the Supt. had done and order him to get a nurse for the child on best terms he can. John Tyner [see also page 326 Case 9]

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1857

Oct. 20

Weekly committee

E. Hobson, John Thom & John Holland Esqrs.

Present the two former

208. Patrick Casey See [Case] 198. wants to leave the House. He leaves the House this morning with the understanding that He will never be allowed to return to this House again under any circumstances. whatever (a troublesome case)

209. Martin Corcoran see ([Case] 43 in 56) a pensioner a very heavy drinker wants to come into the House again. He cannot be admitted unless He secure the pension to the House. At present no room.

210. Andrew McRobert ^ (Roberts)^ 42 years Scotch. Presbyterian Ch: Single man 27. London District 20 years a Paralytick, and wants to come into the House, admitted.

211. Mathew Minix See [Case] 14. a pensioner wants to come into the House. No room.

212. Two children sent to the House by Geo. Gurnet, Esq, Police Magistrate Mother sent to goal [gaol] for a month Name Margaret Sherlock Irish and Church of England, children's names Margaret Anne, 5 years and Wm. John 2 years.

Oct 23rd

Friday Committee

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Present E. Hobson

213. Jane Curran see {blank} Wants wood widow C of E lives on Queen St. Mr. Morells. The Committee are not giving wood at present.

214. Mary Short [Case] 204 Widow wants to be sent down to Port Hope and if the committee will pay her debts & give her a pair of new boots, she will not trouble them any more this winter.

215. Cath. Kelley 50 Irish R.C. Spinster has a boy 17 years of age and living with Mr. Beaird Tavern Keeper nr. [near] Spadina avenue, wants a situation, and is recommended to go up to Admiral Baldwin's Yonge St.

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Oct 23rd 1857

216. Larry Birk 56 years 8 children none with him Irish R.C. lives in Pound St. wants to come into the House No room in the House.

217. Mary Black 40 years of age Stanley St. Husband drowned a few days ago falling off the wharfe after leaving the vessel one dark night. Wife & 5 children Eldest 12 years of age a little girl. Irish & Church of England, allowed Bread and Wood.

Oct 27

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, Jos. Harrington & R. Gilmore Esqrs.

218. John Chesyicke 22 years of age. and a yeoman form Chatham C.W. [Canada West] Consumptive, no room in the House, advised him to go to the Mayor for a pass back to Chatham.

219. James MacDonell a boy Sent to the House by Revd. J.M. Bruyer [Bruyère] Mother sent to Jail, the boy said, one Mrs. Smith living next door to his Mother wishes him to stay with her to carry wood and water. Considering the crowded State of the House Supt. allowed him to go.

220. John Rice See [Case] 204 Died this day, complaint general debility. Irish C.E. [Church of England] Oct. 27. 1857

221. Notice to Rev. H.J. Grasett of James & Sarah Wayland now in House to find places for them. Oct 29, 1857

222. A female child about 4 years of age brought to the House by Mrs. Faylen who keeps Tavern opposite the fish Market. Says the Father of the child brought it to her place on Saturday the 24th inst. and his name is Kilroy, a Drinking character the Mother of the child is living and supposed to be in the City. Mrs. F. brings a line from Rev. H.J. Grasett. Supt. recd. the child from Mrs. F. subject to the order of the Weekly Committee

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October 30th 1857

Weekly Committee for Friday

Present none

223. Samuel Pringle of Duke Street Toronto, seeks admission to the House for a female child 18 mos. old, abandoned by its parents, Parents Irish and belong to the Church of England, The child at present with one Mrs. Roddy on Yonge Street 13 miles out. Child's Fathers name, Jno. Lackey. Admitted. Jno. Roddy living 4th con. [concession] Markham on Mr. Buttons Farm

Novr. 3rd

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett, J.P. Battersby & Wm. Mathers Esqs.

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett & J.P. Battersby

223. Grace Darker 46 yrs. English C.E. [Church of England] Widow no children in Toronto since March last. has an uncle in new, York and if she could be sent there he would provide for her. to be sent to N.Y. by Supt.

224. Mary Wallace 49 Married Irish C.E. [Church of England] wants to remain in the House for the winter 8 children living. Mary Jane 20 Margt. 18. Caroline 17. Anne 15 John 13 Wm. 11 Thos. 8 James 6. Husband a Taylor by Trade and working at Stratford and has sent for his family to go up their [there] at once

225. James Smith 33 yrs. Irish R.C. Single person in Toronto one mo. wants admission Mr. A.T. Augusta says He is an Hospital case

226. Margaret Brown 30 and one little girl 7 years. Canadian widow M.C. [Methodist Church] lived 4 miles up Yonge St. wants a Situation.

227. Patrick Walsh 31 Irish C.E. [Church of England] wants admission no room in the House, not admitted.

228. John Smith 51 Irish M.E.C. wants admission to House, no room. Superintendent to make the best arrangements he can in this case.

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229. Eliza Burnett 32 years R.C. Irish widow 5 children John 9 Thos. 7 Eliza 11 and two twins 5 months old Husband Died last Jany. at which time they came from Bond Head to Toronto. Alld. [allowed] a Loaf of Bread weekly by order of Committee

6th

Friday Committee

Present all of them

230. James Smith See [Case] 225 went to the Hospital on Tuesday last came back with a note from Dr. Gardiner Stating Smiths case as far advanced in consumption and could not be received into the Hospital, He is therefore admitted to this House

10th

Weekly Committee

Revd. Jno. Barclay D.D. Jno. Arnold & D.K. Feehan Esqs.

Present Rev. Dr. Barclay

231. William Aldin, formerly an inmate, see [Case] 264 [1856]. Brought a certificate from Dr. Russell as to his unfitness for work. Allowed to remain in out Building until Friday

232. Matthew Louras. 45 years of age; Irish R. CathCh: of England, widower. Gunsmith by trade. Has been five years a resident in this City. Worked with Mr. Green occasionally. Disabled in his hands and feet from frost bite, his fingers off from the first joint. An inmate of General Hospital for nine months. Recommended to be admitted, on the first opening, into the Institution

233. William Brown See [Case] 163. Has been staying with James Burley, Richmond Street. Employed formerly in Mr. Taylor's Paper store. Has a sore leg. Mr. Handcock to call at Burleys and make inquiries and report, that this case may be finally disposed of on Friday next.

234. James Gorley 64 years of age. English Ch. of England. Widower. Applies for the admission of his grandchild James Grafton, an orphan. Case recommended by Rev. Mr. Grasett. The Child to be admitted.

235. John Clark aged 25. England. Ch. of England Single, A labourer by trade. Has been three years in Canada. The last 18 months unable to work. Afflicted with sore eyes.

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Novr. 10th 1857

235. (continued) Worked for 6 months with Mr. James Mitchell Livery Stable-Keeper. Was in Hamilton Hospital for 10 months. Not considered a proper case for admission to this Institution. Recommended to return to Hamilton and apply for re-admission to the Hospital there

236. Elizabeth Jessy See [Case] 172. Died this day Nov 10/57

237. William Maysent See [Case] 260 (in 1855) Died this day Novr. 11th 1857. 72 years of age. Congestion of the Chest.

13th Friday Committee

Present Rev. Dr. Barclay

238. Margt. Kelley 26. Widow Irish R.C. 2 chil. [children] Jno. 2 1/2 Mary 6 mos. Living Richmond St. 2 doors off Peter St. wants wood, will get Some as soon as we have it.

239. Ellen Fletcher widow See [case] 239 [1856]. Wants Bread granted, to keep her out of the House.

240. Peter Brennan 78. Irish R.C. from Montreal recommended as by Colonel Tulloch, for admission allowed to remain for a few days in the out building

241. Patrick Casey See [Case] 208. Returns to the House with a line from Rev. Dr. Lett seeking admission to the House again. In meantime to remain in out building

242. Margt. Mahon. 70 See {blank} Widow lives on Agnes St. opposite Rowells Brewery wants wood, no wood at present, alld. [allowed] a loaf of bread for the winter Mos.

243. Note. The attention of the General Committee is respectfully requested to the consideration of some suitable place for providing increased accommodation for the numerous applicants, who are at present occupying, temporarily, the out building, and thus to retain the cases in the out building for the purpose for which they were provided of affording a nights accommodation to casual applicants. J. Barclay

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Novr. 13th

244. Mary White 22 Irish Church of England Husband was killed by a fall from a building in Oakville. Just from the lying in Hospital and only wants to remain a few days until she has sufficient strength to work. Admitted. John Barclay

245. A little child abandoned by its Mother brought to the House today by Mr. Ross this child about 3 1/2 years old and utterly destitute. admitted. name not known

Nov 17th

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Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns, Hon. H.J. Boulton & Hon. J. Elmsley

Present none

20th

Friday Committee

246. Mary Ferguson 50 years of age English C.E. [Church of England] 6 children 4 at home now, Husband afflicted with Paralysis, Stopping at the Emigrant Shed alld. [allowed] Bread & Wood for a short time

247. Catherine Church See {blank} Widow. W. Methodist 3 children Cath. 11 Mary 8 Suzan 6. Living Sayer St. opposite Cold. [Coloured] affn. chapl. recommended by Rev. Dr. Green for Bread & Wood during the winter mos. alld. 1/4

John Smith wants to go out, refused

248. Michael O'Hare 27. Irish R.C. in Toronto 10 years Weakness in his limbs advised to go to the Hospital

249. Jane Lloyd 27. Irish CofE Husband deserted her recommended by J. McNab for the consideration of the weekly committee, alld. [allowed] some bread

250. John Skyring 67 widower has a Son living at Fergus Was living 20 years at Thorold and laterly at Berlin wants admission to the House, no room and besides he must go back to Thorold, where he has a better claim.

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250. The Committee in reconsidering all the circumstances connected with this poor man have concluded to admit him until the next general Board Meeting. E. Hobson

251. Catherine Wiggins 31 years Husband deserted her, 4 children; Robt. 7. Ellen 6. Jos. 3. Rosana. 2. Canadian. English Church whants [wants] to put her chil [children] into the House for the winter. Committee declined taking them into the House haveing no room unless she think the Board can provide better for them by getting them into good Situations as apprentices and she may get a Situation today, and her youngest child with her. With Mrs. J.A. Campbell Georgetown, they having written to the Superintendant to send them a woman & her child, if a single woman could not be had.

Weekly Committee

Revd. H. Bishop, R. Cathcart, W.J. McDonald

252. Novm. 24. Ann McCabe aged 50. Irish R.C. has 3 children away and one at home a boy James aged 16 years. says the Boy is Imbecile. her husband has left her last winter. comes from Norwich Township, Canada and has been here about 3 Weeks. Recommended to go to the Country with her boy. We have no Room See Resolution of 16 Sept 1856.

253. Elisa Burns aged 24 says she was married and her husband is gone to Cleveland and left her ^on their own July last^ . Irish R.C. with a babe a Girl 5 weeks old. Has been in Toronto about 4 months. Wants to get into the house. Allowed to remain a fortnight

254. Hugh Bryson aged 58 years See [Case] 106. Cannot be admitted. no Room at present

255. Thomas & James Wallace. See [Case] 224. Inmates of the House. Father & Mother in the City. The superintendant to notify the father & Mother if they do not take away the children, they will be Apprenticed out by the House if not taken away. the superintendant to find places for them and have them sent out.

256. Catharine Johnston Aged 30 years Irish C.E. [Church of England] is {3} years in Toronto deserted by her husband 5 months doesn't know where he is gone has one child a Girl about 14 days old. Allowd. to remain for a fortnight till she is stronger

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257. Jane Morrison Married Husband sick 5 chil [children] living Spadina Avenue on Eliza St. alld. [allowed] 1/2 cord wood on W. Ince's order C.E. [Church of England]

Novr. 27th

Present R. Cathcart on Friday Committee

The Superintendant is authorized to order 15 New Iron Bedsteads and also Bedding for the same. for the new apartment now fitting up

258. Elisa Fitzgerald aged 30. says she is married just come up from Kingston Canadian C.E. [Church of England] Wants to be admitted. expects shortly to be confined refused admittance and directed to return to Kingston

259. John Hutchinson aged 25 a native of Ireshire Scotland. C.E. [Church of England] has lived for 2 years in Orangeville a Sailor. has had a paralytic stroke which has taken away his Speech. Allowd. to come into the House for the present and the Doctors to report on his Case.

260. Jane Lloyd deserted by her husband aged 26 with a Boy in her arms aged 2 years from England 6 years out. C.E. [Church of England] wants admittance agreed to take the child into the house and let her

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go to Service. During her time in the House a person called and took herself & child as Servant [etc.] [etc.]

261. Mary Wells aged 30 Col'd. [Coloured] woman deserted by her husband has one child taken by John Bell Cold. [Coloured] man, has one child with her aged 3 years, with her. and is near confinement. is stopping at J. Bells'. The superintendant to inquire into the Case and if deserving to allow her some help at Bells

262. Mary Skirvington Widow Aged 35. Irish R.C. has two children at home Michl. 4 years Patrick 2 1/2 years lives in Nelson St. corner Dutchess St. We gave her a loaf of bread and will visit her. advised her to give her child. [children] to the Catholic Sisters and go to Service herself.

Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee.

263. Julia Mahon 37. years of age Widow Irish R.C. Two children Robt. 9 years & Bridget 5 years of age is one year in the City of Toronto, living off Victoria St. in the rear of No. 40 in the lane recommended by the Mayor for 1/4 cord of Wood. granted.

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Decr. 1st 1857

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green, Geo. Brooke and His Worship the Mayor

Present Dr. Green & Brooke

264. Hugh Bryson applies again for admission no room

265. Ann Quinn 35 widow Irish R.C. Cath. 10 Mary 4 living Richmond St. front of Bro. School [The House of Christian Brothers and School]. wants wood. Call two weeks from today.

266. Mary Fields 23 Irish R.C. Single one child aged 16 mos. from Lockport. to be discharged

267. Mary Gilkison 50 Widow England W.M. [Wesleyan Methodist] 3 chil. [children] Joseph, 13 Wm. 6 Fred 8, living on McMahon St. Wants wood will get a little Bread & wood as soon as we get it, to get a loaf of Bread now.

268. Mary Lewis See [Case] 165 in 1853. was in the House a Single woman in 1853 now she is married to Anthony Lewis. who lives on Sayer St. Supt. to see Lewis. Says he will not live with ^her^

269. Eliz. Saunders See {blank} fever & Ague allowed to remain a few days.

270. Cathn. Kelley See [Case] 215 Wants to come into the House or to be sent to New York. Alld. [allowed] a loaf of Bread, does not want a the bread

Decm. 4

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Friday Committee

Present {blank}

271. Margaret Milond 23 Married Irish R.C. 2 children Patk. 2 Catherine 10 mos. Husband in Hospital 6 years in the City. Alld. [allowed] a loaf of Bread

272. Margaret Jones 25 years Irish R.C. Widow 4 children Michael 4 Catharine 3, Francis 18 mos. Susan 2 mos. living on Queen St. in Wm. Carrolls House one door from Power St. give a loaf of Bread and Supt. will visit. Anson Green

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Decm. 8th

Weekly Committee

Rev. Jas. Spencer, His Worship the Mayor & G.W. Allan Esq.

273. Mrs. Scanlon appeared this ^morning^ with a child which had been placed with her at nurse by some of the Lady Managers of the Public Nursery stating that they had refused to pay for nursing the child any longer; and that she must take it to the House of Industry.

The Weekly Committee decline admitting the said child, as the Managers of the Public Nursery agreed with Mrs. Scanlon to take charge of ~~the child~~ it, and they are competent to fulfil their undertaking.

Jas. Spencer

11th

Friday Committee

Pres. Jas. Spencer

274. The Superintendent gave ^Mrs. Baldwin's^ explanation of the case of the child above referred to, that ^it^ did not belong to the Nursery; but was merely put out to nurse for a short time, by some of the Lady Managers of that Institution, to give the Mother an opportunity to find a situation, where she would have undertaken the support of her child. The Weekly Committee see no reason to reverse the above decision but will receive the child until the Meeting of the Board. [see also page 327 Case 10 Dec. 11, 1858]

275. Lucy Davis 19 years Married English CE [Church of England] Husband a Cabinet Maker living on Eliza St. Spadina Avenue. Father and Mother, one child 10 mos. old recommd. by Rev. Mr. Kennedy alld. [allowed] 1/4 wood

276. Johanna Quigley 28 yrs. Deserted by Husband Irish R.C. one child 8 mos. wants wood may call again  
Says she could get work if she has some one to take charge of the child, she was advised to take her  
child to the public nursery.

277. Mary Anne Collins 30 yrs. Irish C.E. [Church of England] one child 13 mos. wants wood & Bread.  
Must call again. next Tuesday

277 1/2. John Ellis see {blank} gave him 5/ [shillings] to get a little wine

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278. Mary Cuona 23 Irish R.C. has not seen her Husband this nine weeks call again next week

279. Johanna Levett wants wood come again on 22nd inst.

280. Margt. Lightle 59 Scotch Ch. [ditto] will get some next Friday

281. Patrick Murphy 75 Irish R.C. Elizabeth St. recommd. by J.B. Withrowe. Alld. [allowed] Bread & Wood  
for the winter Mos.

282. Thos. Cook alld. [allowed] one loaf of bread. See [Case] 147.

283. Michael Hanlan 45 years family in Ireland cannot find work. Staying at Ryerdons Stanlay [Stanley]  
St. R.C. Stout able boddied man advised to go to Country

284. Catherine Ryan, husband been gone away six months, has two children, alld. [allowed] Wood and  
Bread for the winter Mos.

285. Thos. Newman 62 English C.E. [Church of England] Bricklayer. Wife & Daughter in London Eng. no  
work

286. Eliza Saunderson, recommended by Rev. Dr. Lett for Temporary Shelter for a few days.

287. Sharlotte Callander 27. Irish P.C. Husband left to look for work. Cooper by trade, one Boy 5 yrs. nr.  
[near] her confinement, alld. [allowed] a loaf. Anson Green, Jas. Spencer

288. Margt. Mahan 70 yrs. of age see {blank} an aged widow with no friends & helpless. alld. [allowed]  
1/4 wood

289. A female child sent to the House today by the Mayor, about a month old. The Mother of this child  
was puffing up Front St. when, opposite to Scott St., where Mrs. Farrell stands with apples

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289. on a table for sale, she laid the child on the knee of Mrs. Farrell's little girl, saying, hold my Baby untill I go and buy some crackers, and never returned. Admitted. and given to Mrs. Rollins to nurse. At Five Dollars pr. Month. [See also page 327 Case 12 Mar. 27, 1858]

290. Nancy Moore See 80 [?] a very aged widow and an old pensioner on the House for many years. alld. [allowed] 1/4 Wood.

291. Nancy Barker same as the above, except she has only one leg, alld. [allowed] 1/4 Wood being in a suffering state.

15th

Weekly Committee

E. Hobson, W.M. Westmacott and P. Paterson Esqrs.

292. Onora Boyle 50 Widow Irish R.C. Two Boys Edmond 19 Thos. 13. Both home with the [her] living corner of Church & Stanley St. in Hardys yard, upstairs. Wants wood, will call again next week.

293. Widow Eliza Gunsall {blank} corner of Terauly and Albert Sts. next door to Mr. Abbott , alld. [allowed] 1/4 cord and Bread ...

294. Mary Furguson 48 Married Husband afflicted with paralysis English & C.E. 6 children living with her. Elizth. 18 Sarah 17 Thos. 14 Ester 8 Lucy 4 David 10 Mos. The 3 Eldest out at service living King over the Butchers Shop opposite Trinity ch: alld. [allowed] 1/4 wood ...

295. Judith Brady 67 years Widow no children Col'd. [Coloured] Woman 18 yrs. in the city living Sayer St. in the rear of Mrs. Hoar's House on the same lot. Mrs. Hoar keeps a Boarding House & comes to see Victoria Washington. alld. [allowed] 1/4 wood recommd. by Revd. Mr. Sanson.

296. Sarah Cook 35 Husband left her Holand Dutch C.E. 2 children Boy 6 Boy 10 weeks living corner Elizth. & Albert St. will get some wood next week

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297. John Kelley & wife Irish R.C. one child living Boulton St.

298. Sarah Gilmore will call next week

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299. Mary Kelley 30 & Husband who is gone to the States not a steady man Irish R.C. one child 7 mos. old, living in place with No. 292. Will call next week
300. Widow Mary Askins an old pensioner on the Institution and will get some Bread and wood during the winter Mos. living with Mrs. Stone the third door off Queen St. on the West side of Elizabeth St.
301. Jane Morrison 30 Irish CE [Church of England] deserted by her Husband. The Supt. will send a 1/4 cord this day week, as she will not be able to appear before the Committee on that day. No. 55 Stanley St.
302. Widow Johanna Kehough 30 Irish R.C. has 2 children Anne 10 Mary 6, living Center & Agnes Sts. in Faulkner's House; will call next week, as she wants wood and the Board have made no arrange<sup>^</sup>mts.<sup>^</sup> about wood yet.
303. Jane Robertson & Husband who is delicate. Irish & Scotch, one little girl 10 years of age Presbyterian C. [Church] Will call again this day week.
304. Mary Skivington See [Case] 262. No wood untill next week.
305. Widow Spink very Aged alld. [allowed] 1/4 living on {blank}
306. Margt. Jones see [Case] 272 alld. [allowed] Bread
307. Margt. Milond [Case] 271. alld. [allowed] one loaf Bread
- 307 1/2. Widow Mary Hatton alld. [allowed] 5/ [shillings] to pay rent or Stove must be sold.

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308. James Richardson 28 Married & Wife one child 2 yrs. English C.E. a machinist living 92 Victoria <sup>^</sup>St.<sup>^</sup> Out of work, will get some Bread & Wood if He come to work at the House. 1/4
309. Mary Short wants Bread & Wood gets Bread weekly now, & will call next week & see about getting a little wood.
310. Mary Black Widow on Stanley St. Husband Dround [drowned] Irish E.C. 5 children Rebecca 11 Charles 9 Mary Ann 7 Rachl. 5 Catherine 2 Alld. [allowed] Bread & Wood 1/4
311. Margt. Eaton widow 60 always gets Bread in the winter Mos. I think she may expect to get a little wood next week.
312. Mary Millar 72 Irish CE [Church of England] an old out Pensioner alld. 1/4 wood (distress)
313. Ellen Roggers 75 Irish R.C. 1/4 wood

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314. M. Anne Boughton an old pensioner wants wood living Richmond St. 76 nr. [near] Nelson St. Will call again.

315. Charlotte Walsey 63 Widow living on Caroline St., nr. [near] Brittan St. wants wood and Bread 5 children living Elizth. Married M.A. Berry Married, James Walsey 27 Sick. not able to work Leddy 25 Married, Susanna 17. Sick. Mrs. Walsey living alone.

316. Mary Livingston well known Here wants wood will call again.

317. Mary Anne Bell 74 alld. [allowed] 1/4 cord wood a very urgent case.

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318. Eliza Deth 45 Irish C E [Church of England] Widow one Boy 10. living Sayer St. nr. [near] Sampson Match Maker call again

319. Patk. Murphy See [Case] 281 call on Friday next alld. [allowed] one loaf Bread

320. Widow Mary Balfour 60 Irish C.E. [Church of England] no chil. [children] living Richd. [Richmond] St. 64 East of Church St. recomd. for wood by Mrs. Grasett, a worthy person, Supt. will send it as soon as the Board authorise it

321. Bridget Mallady wants wood will call again. alld. [allowed] a loaf of Bread

322. Esther Cox ^48^ recomd. by Rev. Dr. Lett for wood Widow 6 children Eliza 20 James 18 Michael 15 Susanna 14 Esther 12 Ellen 11. Three of the Eldest in Service, and the 3 youngest at home, call on Friday ~~recomd. By Rev. Dr. Lett~~

323. Michael Handlan see [Case] 283. alld. [allowed] a small loaf

324. Ann Scanlon wants wood will call again.

325. There are two patients in the house, named Fanny Green and James Smith who are fit cases for the Hospital. other patients are constantly applying here for admission, and who are equally cases which should be taken into Hospital. I beg to call the attention of the Board to this matter, and to understand whether the medical attendants of this Charity are required to make a daily attendance. As matters now stand constant professional aid is requisite. The medical gentlemen do not object to attend to those people who are deemed incurable; but only those which in their opinion are fit subjects for the wards of an Hospital. N. Bethune M.D.



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326. Johana Quigley [Case] 276 Must call again. alld. [allowed] single loaf Bread.
327. Widow Grace Langley recomd. by Rev. Dr. Lett for wood, will call again
328. McCauseland recomd. for wood 30 Irish C.E. living Richd. [Richmond] St. above York Widow, call next week
329. Widow Stiles living in the House with widow Black. Lying sick will get 1/4 wood
330. Sarah Shield 33 English C.E. Husband in prison Charles 4 Geo. 2 Frances Sarah 10 mos. living on Boulton St. opposite McConkeys King St. has been living in Owen Sound, alld. [allowed] one loaf Bread.
331. Mary Mason 60 Irish C.E. living with her Daughter Charlott Trevail who is also a widow and confined to her Bed recomd. by Dr. Lett for Bread & Wood 1/4 & Bread. Boulton Block 3 children belonging to Mrs. Trevail
332. Anne Anderson 50 Irish C.E. widow an old out Pensioner wants wood & Bread alld. [allowed] a loaf of Bread.
333. Ann Quinn see [Case] 265 call again.
334. Widow Fair Aged & Seek same place as [Case] 265 send 1/4 wood.
335. Elizabeth Wells 24, Married Husband left her Col'd. [Coloured] one Boy 2 yrs. living Sayer St. at John Bells 1/4 wood to keep her out of the House see [Case] 261.
336. Mary Hatton Widow Center St. Irish C.E. living half-way between Elm & Edward Sts. on the West side. 2 children, and near her confinement, in great distress. Nothing but what is given her by the neighbours. 1/4

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337. Widow Boddies Ann St. two doors off Church St. recommended by Mrs. Grasett as in great distress had the typhd. [typhoid] fever and want wood very bad.

Friday Committee

338. Ann Cooper 44 & Husband who is sick consumption English, Baptist Ch: 3 children girl 15 Boy 13 Boy 9 chil [children] all at home. Eldest Boy sick also. Center St. 4 door from Agnes St.

339. I examined the Hogan family down at the Emigrant Sheds, and found Mrs. Hogan & child in a state of misery & wretchedness, from starvation, and want of constant medical treatment. I do not consider it

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a fit case for the House of Industry, having just left the Ship. & when the latent traces of fever [etc.] is known to follow them on Shore. The washing of their clothing etc ~~should~~ could not be done here. with due regard to the ^Health^ ~~welfare~~ of the other Inmates. I therefore recomd. their being sent to the General Hospital. A.T. Augusta

340. Mary Lewis see [Case] 268. Superintendent visited Mr. Lewis. He says his wife has not behaved well to his children, and otherwise acted wrong and He will not live with her.

341. Thomas Landy. Co. [County] Kilkenny. 7 years in Toronto. Bookbinder lately in Brewer & McPhail aged 75. ~~Congregationalist~~-Presby.

To be admitted, contingent on the character which the Superintendent may receive from Mr. McPhail. Landy is admitted to visit applicants for relief under the Superintendence of Mr. Handcock.

Butler, Edward, & wife to leave this evening.

Stephen Lett, John Doel, John Tyner

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1857

Dec 22nd

342. Eliza Brook Aged 57 years died this morning Debility Presbyterian.

31st. The Select Committee met this morning to receive Tenders for Supplies to the House for the year 1858.

Present Revd. Dr. Green E.H. Rutherford Esq.

The following Tenders were opened

Mr. Geo. Coles for Bread for three mos.

at 4 3/4 d. [pence] per 4 lb. Loaf.

Mr. Michael English for Bread [ditto]

at 4 3/4 d. [pence] per 4 lb. loaf. for three Mos.

Mr. Joseph Riddell & Co. for Bread

at 4 3/4 d. [pence] per 4 lb. loaf for three Mos.

Mr. Geo Simpson Queen St. West No. 111 for Bread

at 4 3/4 d. [pence] per 4 lb. loaf. for three Months.

Mr. Richard Meathe for Bread, for three Mos.

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at 5 d. [pence] per 4 lb. loaf.

After the Tenders for Bread were examd. and the Superintendent stated that Mr. Coles had Served the Institution for the last twelve Months with great satisfaction Mr. Coles tender was accepted being as low as any of the rest.

Grocery tenders were next opened.

Mr. John Coombe corner of Richmond and Yonge St.

Also Messrs. Dodgson Shields & Morton, Yonge St. with samples and prices attached, and after careful examination the Committee recommended that Dodgson Shield & Morton's Tender be accepted.

Peter Hutty's Tender being the only one before the Committee was also accepted.

Margaret Harper's for Milk being satisfactory was accepted

for the Committee. W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

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Jany 22nd 1858

1. [343.] Mrs. Mary Holmes ^Matron of the Orphans Home^ brings from the orphans Home an Idiot Child a Boy about 12 or 13 years of age seeking admission to the House of Industry. Dr. Ogden says it is not safe to retain the child in the Home on account of danger to the other children. The weekly Committee in view the same difficulties here, refer the case to the General Board.

2. [344.] Wm. Brown see {blank} died this day. Aged 83 Debility wife in the House. Jany 23rd. 1858.

3. [345.] James Smith see [Case] 225 died this day of Consumption Jany 12, 1858.

4. [346.] Mary Lewis see [Case] 340. died this day of Consumpn. Feby 5th 1858.

5. [347.] The General Superintendent having laid before the Committee the case of Mary Lewis who died, as see above, and on whom a post mortem examination is desired, agree that such examination may be had if applied for by any of the Medical officers of the establishment, and by them to be conducted. John Borland. John Thom

6. [348.] Victoria Washington Died this day of general debility Aged 87 years. Feby 12th 1858.

7. Recd. from the Supt. (for Treasurer) Twenty five Pounds Cy. [currency] on Account half price wood sold & also ten pounds Cy. [currency] for ^ the Misses Shreiber's^ Subscriptions. E.H. Rutherford for Treasurer

8. James Gillan 10 years of age)

Robt. Gillian 8 [ditto])

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Jno. Gillan 6 [ditto])

Geo. Wallis Gillan 3 [ditto])

these four chil. [children] given up to the House by the Mother to be apprenticed out. all Ch. of England  
Friday Augt. 27, 1858.

8 1/2. Fanny Gillan mother of the 4 children admitted as above was herself admitted, until she could get a place, as she is only a week out of Hospital, with sore eyes. J.E.

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9. Patrick Conway 42 Irish R.C. single man a pensioner 8 d. [pence] per diem seeks admission to the House no room.

10. Several Cases of the {poorest} imposition have been brought before the Commee. this day in which the Carter Reed, has made exorbitant charges for carting the wood, one where he purchased an excellent pair of trowsers from a poor woman for 1/ [shilling] – d. [pence] which were certainly worth 5/ [shillings]. The Commee. would recommend that the Board purchase a horse & cart. for the purpose of carting the wood for the poor. And thus put an effectual stop to this civil complaint. E. Hobson, S. Lett, acting for the Mgmt.

Mar 5, 1858

11. The Weekly Committee for the week commencing Feby. 28th order that all monies for carting wood to the poor, be paid at this Board to the Superintendent, who is authorized to receive the same, and Reid the carter to be informed that all cartage in future will be paid at this Institution. Feby 5th. 1858.

11 1/2. Adam Baker & David Dillabough both dutchmen from Whitchurch of the ages of 75 & 90 years. Brought hear [here] by the Reeve of that Municipality and agreeing to pay one hundred & fifty dollars per annum for their Maintenance in the House of Industry. Supt. spoke to the Secretary on the subject who advised their admission. ^March^ 1st Feby. 1858

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March 15th.

Weekly Committee

Rev. T.S. Kennedy Robert Cathcart & J.W. MacDonell Esqrs.

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Present all three.

18th.

Friday Committee

12. Joseph Bloomfield, 73, English. Ch. Engl., never married, labourer, came from France to Canada, lived with Col. [Colonel] Thompson 6 months. was once a soldier: Col. Thompson sent him to the Hospital & manager of Hospital sent him here. Admitted.

13. James Saxon, 30, English: Ch. Engl. never married, labourer, came to Toronto last Thursday from Rockwood, near Guelph. lived thereabout for 5 years. refused admission at Hospital for want of room, consumptive.

14. Anne ~~Wallace~~ Walls, 30. Irish. Catholic. husband labourer, 13 or 14 years in Toronto; children dead.

15. Mary Fürbarg [Furbarg]. German; 29. Dutch Protestant. Widow. no children. married in Germany: 3 1/2 years Toronto; husband died on way out; Thomas Kelly ^cabman^ is father of her expected child. referred to Superintendent.

16. Sarah Lockhart. English. 38. husband 51. rheumatic, under care of Dr. Bovell; Ch. Engl. came to Canada in September last. no family. Already on the books.

17. Elizabeth Murphy. 50. Irish. Cath. [Catholic] widow: children in the States & elsewhere, none in Canada. lives in same house with Widow O'Neill. promised wood on next application. to use Widow O'Neill's wood meanwhile.

18. Henry Howard: 70. English. widower. 4 girls living. Ch. Engl. 1 daughter in Toronto, married, 15 years in Canada, lately lived in Scarborough. labourer, Supt. to see his son in law ^Geo.^ Haywood, off Bay Street.

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19. Eliza Johnson & Margaret White ordered to be discharged, for having refused to go into service at lower wages than 25/ [shillings] pr. month. They afterwards consented to go on trial for 3 dollars.

20. John Balmer See {blank} Died this day of a Tumor in the thigh March 16th. 1858.

March 23rd.

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Burns Hon. H.J. Boulton & Hon. J. Elmsley

21. Wm. Halbert 70 Irish C.E. [Church of England] 20 years in Toronto. Corking vessels. lame with a sore leg discharged on Saturday last wants admission to the House admitted.

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22. Wm. Lloyd 58 Irish C.E. [Church of England] Teacher Ancaster 6 Mos. Hamilton fifteen years in Canada and not more than a year in one place. broken hip.

23. John McFadden 66 Scotchman Pres. [Presbyterian] School Teacher 14 years in Canada. 8 years in Scarborough 6 years since he lived there, admitted.

24. Elizabeth Lee 21. Canadian Father and Mother [in] Clark orono [Orono] Keeps grocery, the Eldest in the family expects to be confined ^soon^, belongs to the United Presbyterian ch.

25. A female child about 3 or 4 weeks old was left in the care of the one oClock Train from Toronto to Hamilton yesterday, the Mother cannot be found & this day sent to the House of Industry today per Mary Hubbatt King St. in comply with James Jones Police March 26th. 1858 gave the child to Mrs. Margt. Orr Victoria St. nr. [near] Mr. Patches in the back yard.

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25. Margt. Orr Mard. [married] Irish living on Victoria St. Applies to the Superintendent for a child to nurse, gave her the one found in the cars going to Hamilton on the morning of the 26 Mar. 1858.

26. A Male child sent to the House by Revd. H.J. Grasett having been abandoned by its unnatural parents, left at the door of Judge Hagerty Wm. [William] St. Toronto gave this child to Widow Mary Hatton at five Dollars per Month. Wm. Street 26 March 1858. [see also page 327 Case 13]

Mar 31

Weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett, John Doel John Tyner Esq.

All Present

27. ~~Thos~~ ^Barney^ Kehoe applies for money to take his family down to Prescott. He showed to the Committee an order to the Grand Trunk for a passage to Prescott at the reduce rate, conductor refused totake them ~~with~~ unless he could raise another dollar, which the Board gave him, and sent an Officer tothe House to see it paid.

28. Wm. Clark made application to the Committee this morning for his two children to be given up to him as he is in constant work now. Request granted.

29. "Geo. Coles Baker" being the only Tender today for supplying the Institution with Bread for the next three month, Mr. Coles Tender was deemed satisfactory at 8 cents per 4 lbs. loaf. Toronto Mar 30/58 W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

The Superintendent had been speaking to several other Bakers for Tenders for Bread, but generally they remarked it was of no use to run against Mr. Coles, and declined furnishing a tender this time.

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30. Foundling child name Cath. Power sent to the House this morning by the Mayor. ~~per~~ Mrs. Catherine Carbery, living Power St. says she opened the door of house & found a female child lying, about 7 oclock P.M. on the evening of 26 ~~April~~ ^Mar.^ 1858. child admitted subject to the order of the Board April 1st. The Mothers name thought to be Catherine O'Brien.

31. David Dillabough died this day Aged 75 years of general debility April 2nd. 1858.

April 6th

Weekly Committee

Rev. Dr. Green His Worship the Mayor and Geo. Brooke Esq.

32. Henrietta Wesley was before the Committee. She has been in the out shed for some two weeks past going in & out looking for service, and coming in drunk every night. the Comttee. order she be discharged and not be readmitted without an order from the Committee.

33. Cath. Doyle 21 years Irish R.C. from Weston ordered to go back to Weston will not be received into House of Industry.

34. Thos. Payne 44 English C.E. single two yrs. in Canada, one year in Toronto. Frost bitten lost his fingers, a bricklayer by trade, allowed to remain a few days.

35. Mrs. Jones letter was laid before the Committee who directed that the case remain undecided for the present, and the utmost care taken that she does not get any whiskey.

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April 9

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Dr. Green

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36. Eliza Deth See {blank} has been at service the last five mos. but now being out of Health is obliged to leave the place. alld. [allowed] a little Bread.

37. Cath. O'Hara wants to be sent to Belleville, advised to go to the Mayor and ask for pass to that place.

38. The Supt. is authorised to give Esther Henning (a young girl Just returned from Bowmanville) to Mr. {blank} Smith of Nottawasaga who takes her on trial as an apprentice. This girl is an excellent worker and had it not occurred that she had formed acquaintance of a dangerous character in Bowmanville ruinous to the girl's character, Dr. Allison would never have parted with her. But hoping by a removal to some country farmer away from the vicious and immoral, she might be saved from ruin Body & Soul.

16th.

#### Weekly Committee

E. Hobson Wm. M. Westmacott & I.C. Gilmore Esqrs.

39. Sarah Gilmore See {blank} asks for an additional allowance of Bread is getting 4 lbs. weekly the Committee can not increase the allowance.

40. Bridget Malledy living 2 doors south of Col'd. [Coloured] Chapel is an unmarried woman R.C. with a sick child apparently will not live long alld. [allowed] 1/4 cord as the case seemed an urgent one. See No. 9 in Wood Book.

41. Margt. Jones see No. 2 in wood Book alld. [allowed] 1/4 Cd. [cord] Wood. Queen. 3 doors off Power St.

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42. Esther Cox See No. 40 in Wood Book wants an allowance of wood. No more wood.

43. Thos. Begg brings a Note from Mr. Stayner for 1/2 cord wood. Committee are not giving out any more wood.

44. Mary Brown see No. 57 says if she is alld. [allowed] 8 pounds of Bread today she will not ask for any more this season.

45. Wm. Dalton 48 Irish R.C. wants to come into the House with a sore leg. Supt. will give him a note to Dr. Gardiner.

46. George Graham 65 years of age Scotch Presbyterian church. Many years in Canada principally in Lower Canada. came to Toronto Genl. Hospital in March last where he has remained until now. Shoemaker by trade. general Debility seems to be the only complaint. Admitted.

47. Miss Rankin requests a little wood for a family by the name of Higgins of great respectability. 1/4 allowed. living on Sumach St.

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48. Wm. Brown an old inmate seeks admission to the House refused. He drinks, and spends his earnings, and then bragg. He has nothing to fear, he can always find comfortable ^quarters^ in House of Industry.

49. John Campbell 35 single Irish R.C. from Dundas living there 7 years. discharged from the Toronto General Hospital last Tuesday. has sore eyes, case referred to the General Board. recomd. him to be sent back to Dundas.

50. Henry Boardman 17 years English Baptist church ten months in Toronto & Two mos. in General Hospital to remain in out building untill he is well (with Itch). Mr. Augusta says he may be discharged, as able to go to work.

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51. William Nesbitt 26 years of age Irish C.E. was living in Newmarket and there got injured at a saw mill, was discharged on Tuesday last from General Hospital, after being an inmate there for Eleven Month. admitted for the present.

52. William Taylor 50 years of age Irish C.E. wife & two children Mary Jane 4 Christopher 4 mos. living on McMahon St. the 5th. House East side of Queen St. referred to Hon. J. Elmsley.

53. A Letter was laid before the Committee from Andrew Carr West Gwillimsbury, stating that his Apprentice Charles Collings has left him, and wishing to be instructed as to what course he is to pursue with the matter. Supt. may write him advising to use his best endeavours to get the boy back again.

54. The case of Charles Guard was laid before the Committee, Mr. G. came to the Supt. and stated that the order he got from Supt. for half a cord of wood at Taylor's Wharf on the strength of Lady Head's Ticket, was never delivered to him. That half a cord of wood was sent to him from Taylor's Wharf, delivered to him from Taylors own wood, and not from the wood belonging to the House of Industry, and that about six weeks after getting the wood, A. Taylor Billd. [billed] Mr. Guard for the half cord. The Weekly Comtee. however decline paying for the wood, unless Mr. Guard can show the Ticket, and otherwise make it appear that he did not get it.

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55. Foundling A Male child sent to the House by order of His Worship the Mayor left at the door of John Malloney on Spruce St. on Wednesday evening last about a week old.

56. Mary Morrow 47 years of age Irish C.E. one child in city two yrs. Husband a Carpenter, but not able to work now being very ill recomd. by Rev. Dr. Lett for Bread & Soup. alld. [allowed] 8 lbs. Bread & Soup weekly living Nassau St. off Spadina Av.

April 20th

Weekly Committee

Revd. E. Baldwin J. Harrington & R. Woodsworth Esqrs.

57. James Hanrahan 40 Irish R.C. no business 6 children recomd. by Dr. Russell for 1/4 wood living Duke St. in rear of Dr. R. alld. [allowed] 1/4 for the first and last time.

58. Pat. Graney See {blank} wants wood. The Committee have ceased giving out wood.

59. Widow Harrington See 20 in wood book wants wood no more wood for a while.

60. Larry Burk wants wood. no more wood.

61. Widow Parry applies for more wood not giving any more this season.

62. Martin Foley 63 Irish R.C. from the Wellington District for many years, wants admission to the House, referred to the General Committee today.

63. Hugh Bryson See [Case] 139 [Brydon] [1857], 106 [1857], 254 [1857], 264 [1857]. Applies again for admission to remain and to have the first vacancy.

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64. Mary Ann Gaskin 28 married English C.E. in City 6 years Husband Blacksmith 4 children living Victoria St. No. 137.

65. Thos. Aikins aged 80 years died this day of general debility. admitted April 17th 1857. did not give his proper name at the time of his admission. See [Case] 61 on page 117 [Thomas Egan Eccles]. April 22nd 1858.

66. Peter Kelley a foundling 5 mos. old died this day of Bronchitis April 22nd. 1858.

67. Margt. Power foundling died this 23rd. April 1858. Aged two months.

April 27th.

weekly Committee

Revd. Dr. Green J.P. Battersby & J.T. O'Neill Esqrs.

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68. Caroline Borrows See Wood Book No. 59 living Ontario St. recommended by Mrs. Jno. Baldwin for wood. 1/4 wood alld. [allowed] and the Bread continued.
69. Dyson Mary See {5} in Wood Book 4 chiln. [children] 11. 9. 3 & 8 mos. asks to be taken on the list of out pensioners again.
70. Sarah Cook with Mrs. Hunter's baby, Mrs. Hunter having left Mr. Cottins on Albert and James Sts. and not going to enquire after her child it is to be presumed she has abandoned it. The Committee order the Supt. to take charge of the child untill the Mother can be found, and topay Mrs. Cook four Dollars for the care of the child the last mo.
71. Darcy Scanks [Skanks] Aged 42 years Col'd. [Coloured] Woman died April 27th. 1858. of a broken blood vessel.

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April 30th. 1858

Friday Committee

Present Revd. Dr. Green

72. Matilda Brock Jones was before this Comttee. this morning asking permission to go out into the city to attend to some business. She insists on not being kept a prisoner in this House and the committee do not see they can reasonably deny her this privilege under the circumstances. Allowed to go out today.
73. Mary Leonard 70 no children Irish R.C. from Picton C.W. [Canada West] lived there there four years wants admission to the House. Admitted.
74. Catherine Kelly See {blank} Bread continued for another month untill her arm gets well.
75. Jane King see {blank} living Pine St. alld. [allowed] one loaf.
76. Dorcas Crisp a young woman 19 years of age Canadian. C.E. Nr. [near] her confinement and unmarried woman wants admission from Albion, refused.
77. Mary Kelly 32 Irish R.C. one child Boy 8 years now in Cleaveland [Cleveland], wants admission to House of Industry. She is just down from Cleveland. Admission refused, advised to go back at once. Pay her fare to Lewiston.
78. Sophia Dowe See 11 in wood book appeals to the Committee against being struck off, advised to go to the ward Committee.
79. Judith Shields See {blank} allowed to remain on the Bread list, being Aged and a Widow, having no one to look to for support.
- 79 1/2. Thos. Cook seeks admission to the House, refused.

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May 4th.

Weekly Committee

Revd. W.S. Darling R. Cathcart and Honble. J. Elmsley

Present R. Cathcart

80. Ellen Rogers aged 81 years Irish R.C. Widow about 4 years has only one Son who is gone to the Humber to find Employment, lives on Victoria St. in one of Brady's Houses. (her son stopped with her last night) and I suppose supports her altho she says not. Refused.

81. Elizabeth Young Married Woman aged 29 years has 3 child. [children] 1 Girl 7 years, ^No. 9^ 1 Girl 6 1 Boy 1 year. Husband has a sore hand. Scotch. Free Church. Shoemaker, live in Terauly St. in a lane adjoining Minks Stables. allowd. 3 loaves a week for 2 or 3 weeks.

82. Margaret Eaton aged 60 years no children. referrd. to Ward Committee.

83. Mary Jane Rice Widow aged 25 years 1 Boy aged 6 Mos. referred to Ward Committee.

84. Elizabeth Howe see No. 31 in the Wood Book continue her Bread for some weeks 12{th.}

85. Joanna O'Brien No. 1 in the Wood Book referrd. to ~~Weekly~~ Ward Committee, father {illegible}

86. Bridget Moore Widow lives with her Son Queen & Pine St., refused.

87. Mary Dyson Widow No. 5 in the Wood Book referrd. to Ward Committee.

88. Michl. O'Hara an Inmate wishes to go to Kingston allowd. one Dollar pd. by Mr. H.

89. Anne Sauttle See No. {blank} Wood book Husband has been confined to bed 5 weeks and the wife fell and broke her arm, neither of them are able to do any thing to earn a living, Bread continued for two weeks longer, in hopes he may be able to work by that time.

90. Virginia Bristol 33 years of age Widow recently had smallpox wants to come into the house, not safe for her to Come in. Alld. [allowed] Bread, subject to the order of the Committee, living Sayer St. nearly at the head.

May 7th

Friday Committee

Present Robert Cathcart

91. Clara Miller Widow aged 67 year Irish C.E. lives with Wm. Blogg her son in law who has a Girl of 2 1/2 years age his wife is Dead, and she lives in Blogg's House gave her a loaf today and refered. her to the Ward Committee.

92. Matthew Minnicks an Inmate wants to go out to try to earn a little money, the House has been receiving his Pension [dollars] 8 a quarter. Ordered to buy him a pair of Trousers, and to allow him his Board & lodging in the House for a week or two. and allow him to go out and try to get a little work in gardening [etc.]

93. Patrick Casey an Inmate wants to go out of the House. allowd. to do so, but not allowd. to return, he is a Taylor [tailor] by trade, and can get his living. [Case] 208. (1857).

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94. Charlotte Wolsey See No. 7 wood book refered. to the Ward Committee and gave her a loaf of Bread and refered. to ~~Dr. Green~~ Mr. Elmsley.

Robert Cathcart

95. Widow Hendrick See {blank} a poor helpless woman afflicted with the King's evil and indeed incapable of work Roman Catholic allowed 2 lbs. Bread per week gets 2 lbs. per week from the Sisters of Charity every Saturday.

May 11th.

Weekly Committee

Rev. H.J. Grasett J. Rowell and G.W. Allan Esqs.

96. Two children sent up by Geo. Gurnett Esq. Police Magistrate without any explanation whose chiln. [children] they are, the little girl says her name is Susan Walsh and appears to be about 7 years of age and her little Bro. about 18 mos. Supt. will see Mr. Gurnett and get some explanation in the case.

97. Mary White is before the Committee asking the admission of her child into the House and she will go to service. allowed. ~~child~~. Case left with the general Committee.

98. Mary Ferrpah 29 years of age applies for admission. the case left with Mr. Hobson.

99. Charlotte Wolsey see No. 94 Mr. Hobson will see Mr. Turley Elizth. St. Butcher.

100. Mary Balford See No. 8 Terauley St. and No. 7 Wood Book case left with Mr. Hobson Bread 4 lbs.

101. Mary Jane Henderson 10 years of age Col'd. [Coloured] from Cooksville has an Aunt there. Case to be enquired into by the Superintendent to see if he can get her back to her Aunt at Cooksville.

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101 1/2. N.B. [nota bene] The Medical officers of the Institution think that Ian Neil ought to be kept under restraint & if possible should be provided for out of the Institution. {W.G. Hancock}

[Case 102 omitted]

103. Wm. James & Joseph Brest Two children sent ~~again~~ to the House today by Geo. Gurnett Esq. Police Magistrate. Age & Religion not given. They were brought to the Institution by Constable Heatty recd. [received] Subject to the order of the weekly Committee.

May 14th

Friday Committee

Present

104. Hunter Lousia 34 years of age English C.E. Married Two Chil [children] Boy 11 Girl 9 Just from Stratford. Husband a gardener and both in good health.

105. Calwell Mary referred to the ward Committee. Mr. Tyner Comtt. for St. Andrews Ward living No. 121.

106. John Gibbons & wife have stoping in out building for several nights past. and wants to remain longer Committee can not allow them to remain longer

107. Catherine Kelley 25 years Single Irish R.C. in good health, must look for situation, is not a proper person for admission to this charity.

108. Margt Stewart See Wood Book No. 5 living centre St. No. 23. Bread to be continued.

109. Case 98 was reconsidered this morning. One of the members of the weekly Committee having call on Mr. Price, and there learned that she is a person of loose character and utterly unworthy of assistance in any shape whatever.

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She is therefore discharged the House, and not allowed to return.

110. Case 101 1/2 referred to the General Committee

111. The case of the Cold. [Coloured] girl Henderson See [Case] 101, has been enquired into and it was decided to discharge her from the House. Her habits are dangerous to the other children.

112. Little Anne See 4 W.B. [wood book] allowed 6 lbs. of Bread

19th

Weekly Committee

Revd. J. Shuttleworth R. Woodsworth & J.L. Robinson Esq.

Present Mr. Woodsworth

113. Margt. Jones See Wood Book No. 2 all 8 pounds Bread for the present

114. Sarah Miller see Wood Book No. 10 alld. [allowed] 4 lbs. of Bread.

115. Julia Farrall 34 years of age Irish R.C. Husband deserted her, one child 3 weeks old seeks admission to the House admitted.

116. Charolltte [Charlotte] Callinders See Wood Book has a little Boy 6 years of age She wants to be sent to the United States where her parents are living. She has been going to the bar this some time past drinking whiskey [etc.] [etc.] Supt. will pay her passage to Rochester

117. Benjamin Archer 40 English Eng. Ch. Book Keeper, Married man. Wife living Centre St. has not been living with her the last two years. Says the wife is unsteady, and he cannot live with her. No children, has been in the General Hospital for Six mos. with disease of the hip joint. Referred to General Board today.

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118. William White See {blank} aged 40 years of age and English, Ch: of Eng. Blind, discharged from the General Hospital some time ago & wishes to be sent to Montreal. Referred to the General Committee today. To see if He can be sent down to Montreal at the Expense of this Institution.

119. William Street a foundling about 9 mo. Old died this day. May 18/58

May 21st

Friday Committee

120. Widow Mary Hatton allowed 1/4 Cord Wood being a very urgent case. She is nursing a child from the House, and which is now very sick.

121. Nancy McFall alld. [allowed] a loaf Bread

122. Cath. Roach See No. 11 wood book alld. [allowed] a loaf this morning and Mr. Tyner will visit the case.

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123. Johanna O'Brien applied this morning for Bread & referred to Ward Committee Hon. J. Elmsley John Tyner for R. Woodsworth.

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Dr. Russell would strongly recommend that the children should be placed in one of the upper rooms instead of their present locality

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May 23rd 1858

124. Ellen McDonald Aged about 5 years died this morning. Complaint Measles

May 25.

Weekly Committee

Rev. Dr. Burns J.A. Stayner & R. Yates Esqs.

Present, none

28th Friday Committee

Present R. Yates

125. Martha Beatty See {blank} has been living in the Country with one Mrs. Swanson a poor woman who sent her to Town with five dollars to buy Groceries, was met on returning home by Some rough boys who ill treated her took from her a balance of money in her possession dose [does] not know any of them. Sent to the House the Revd. Mr. Baldwin for admission. Admitted

126. Edwd. Burn Seeking admission to the House He was in the House last winter, and left a month ago and finds it hard to get a living. admitted

127. Mrs. Barrow alld. [allowed] 1/4 Cord Wood

127 1/2. Patk. Walsh applies for admission Supt. Explained his Case, admission refused.

128. Dennis Narley a Sick person on Queen opposite Dommer [Dummer] 1/2 Cord Wood being a very special Case.

129. Mary White is allowed to leave her child in the House, and she will go to service and pay what she is able towards its support Say from five to ten Shillings per month.

130. The Committee order that Jones family now in the House have their passage paid to Rochester and Two dollars given them in addition, So they may not land without money in their pocket as under such circumstances they would be returned to Canada.



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131. Thos. Mahony 46 years Irish Ch: of Eng. Widower 18 mos. In Toronto from Quebec Sickly in decline has one Son 11 years at Mr. Cosgroves on Queen St. Tavernkeeper. He brings a line from Dr. Gardiner Admitted.

132. Hannah Stinson See No. 9 Wood book alld. [allowed] 8 lbs. Bread weekly.

133. Thos. Killillee See [Case] No. 1 alld. [allowed] 4 lbs. Bread

134. Jane Dallice 40 years Married Husband a groom Six children from Hamilton lived there ten years Irish. English Ch: The Weekly Committee cannot entertain the case, if they must live on charity they must return to Hamilton.

135. Michail Parsall 33 years of age Irish No family R.C. Seeks admission. Refused

136. Cath. Leary 33 Irish R.C. one child 17 mos. Old Irish from Quebec wants admission or Support. Smart active woman, will soon get a place. Refused

137. Widow Spink No. 1 W.B. [wood book] alld. [allowed] 1/4 wood

June 1st

Weekly Committee

Rev. Jno. Borland, Thom & Holland

Present J. Thom

Mrs. Gilmor is generally complaining of the Bread She is getting from the House, as not being of a good quality. cut her off.

138. Brid. [Bridget] Mallady See {blank} applies to the Committee with a view to have her allowance of Bread restored to her. She has removed to Stanley St. She is sent to Rev. Dr. Green the Ward Committee of that locality and if He recomd. her the Supt. will continue the Bread untill child is better, or it dies.

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June 1st 1858

139. James Neily a young lad about 17 years of age has been an inmate for some two years now. He is not by any means a good boy disobedient to any orders & making use of profane language continually, an Habit he brought in to the House with him, and which He appears to be reluctant to abandon. Indeed

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he seems to have little capacity for anything but to eat & drink & curse [etc.] ordered to be discharged from the House.

140. John Power 58 years Irish P.C. 16 years in Toronto Peddler, nearly blind Now living with Mr. Boyd on Palace St. Sent to the House by order of Rev. Mr. Grasett Admitted.

June 4th

Friday Committee

Present John Thom Esq.

141. Alice McCarty & her Son Michael from Berlin Michael is a boy 16 years of age Irish Roman C. Ch. Seeks admission for her Son Admission refused Advised to apply to the Reeve of Waterloo.

142. A deserted child sent to the House by order of the Mayor said child has been left with Mrs. Cath. Kelly by its Mother Catherine Ryan, who is supposed to be gone to London C.W. [Canada West] Childs name Michael Kelly Aged about 6 Mos. Admitted

143. Daniel Derrick 40. Irish R.C. Single person, Labourer, discharged from the Toronto General Hospital as having all the benefit that Institution can afford. Referred to the General Board with a view to his being sent back to Newmarket where He has lived off & on for the last 12 years.

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1858 June 5th

144. Margaret Higgins See Wood Book No. {blank} a very respectable family recomd. by Mrs. Rankin to the Board to have the allowance they got from the House during the winter, restored to them gave 8 lbs. of Bread Saturday 5th June 1858.

June 8

Weekly Committee

Rev. Dr. Barkley S. Spreull & D.K. Feehan Esqs.

145. Case 144 was laid before the Committee & it was ordered the allowance of Bread be continued in the mean time.

146. John Christie 70 years of age Irish. C.E. [Church of England] in the city 15 years no friends or family except one Son in the States Admitted.

147. Catherine Stewart See {blank} applied for Bread, the Committee refuse on the ground of having a yearly annuity of [pounds] 25.

148. Application of Mrs. Ryan to get back her Child, if Mrs. Ryan says she did not desert her child, and gets an order from the Mayor the child may be given up to her. Saml. Spreull

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11th

Friday Committee

Present John Thom attending for Mr. Spreull

Passed accounts Wm. Gamble [dollars] 14.25 Wm. Naigh a/c [account] [dollars] 15.28

149. Mary Short 50 years of age & enlisted into 100th. A daughter 10 years living with Mrs. Burk at Hoggs Hollow allowed 4 lbs. Bread. To day

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June 15th

Week Committee

Revd. Dr. Lett John Doel; & R. Gilmor

Present J. Doel

150. The Case of Mr. Jones referred to the Genl. Board today.

151. Thos. Mahony See [Case] 131 died this day of Consumption June 14. 1858.

152. Francis Bergerson died this day aged about 4 years See [Case] 150 ~~1856~~. 1855 [Norwegian, 14 mos.] June 14. 1858

June 18th

Friday Committee

Present J. Doel Esq.

153. Catherine Lary 33 years of age ~~married~~ Widow Husband died 18 mos. age Irish Roman Catholic, one child 17 Months old recommended to the Board by Revd. P.B. Ouillett wants to get back to Quebec advised to go to the Mayor to see if he will give her a pass

19th

The following lads have just arrived to Toronto from England & are to be Apprenticed out

154. Thos. Ryder 13 years of age English C.E. [Church of England] from the County of Cheshire. Father and Mother both living. has worked on the farm.

155. Darby Welsh 16 years of age Irish C.E. [Church of England] from Warrickshire. Parents living. Was working the last two years on farm.

156. John Carlton 16 years English C.E. [Church of England] from Liverpool worked at the Rope making business over 2 years

157. John Jackson 18 yrs. English C.E. [Church of England] Parents dead Cheshire. was in Silk factory.

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158. Henry Leathwood 16 years English E.C. [Englsh Church] Parents living Cheshire County, was working on farm the last two years.

159. Michael Dempsey 16 years Irish C.E. [Church of England] Parents living in Staffordshire bought up to farming business

160. James Rowe 18 years English C.E. [Church of England] father living in Glostershire [Gloucestershire] brought uptothe farming business

161. William Normandale 17 years English C of Eng. Parents living in Yorkshire

162. John Smith 17. English. C.E. [Church of England] Mother living in Northamptonshire, ^he has been working on the farm for the last two years.

163. Alexander Weekes 17 years of age Irish C.E. [Church of England] Mother living in Warwickshire Shoemaking

June 22

Weekly Committee

Revd. J. Spencer The Mayor & E. Hobson Esq.

164. Bridget Miledy & child sent to the House by the Mayor. She has a sick child Seems more fit for the Hospital. She ~~says~~ took the child to the Hospital last Saturday, and it was refused admission. Admitted. & the child requiring constant care. the Mother is allowed to remain with it.

165. A male child sent to the House last evening about 3 years of age Mother having deserted it. Brought by order of the Mayor.

166. Patk. Carroll 30 years of age Roman Catholic wants to put his child into the House of

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Industry Contrary to the standing rule made by General Board Sept 16 1856.

167. Geo. O'Hara 19 years of age and Canadian C.E. [Church of England] Mother living in Toronto. He was sent to the House by Mr. Grasett to get a place has been living with Mr. Griffith at the market. advised to go to Mr. G. for a Character.

168. Thos. & Charles Wallace 5 & 7 years of age Irish & Church of England. Mother nr. [near] death and father in Gaol. The father has signed the usual letter giving them up to the House to be Apprenticed out

June 25

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Rowell

169. Grace Darker See [Case] 223 [1857]. She is still asking the Committee to send her to N.Y. two dollars was given a year ago to go to N.Y. on condition She would furnish the remainder of the passage money. She failed to find the amt. being in the fall of the year. This amt was [dollars] 9 to N.Y. the [dollars] 2 was returned to the parties who gave it. Advised to go to Mr. Brent to see if He could get her as much from the St. Geo. Society, as will send her to N.Y.

170. Margt. Sullivan Applies for Bread living Corner of Stanley & Ch. [Church] Sts. advised to go to Rev. Dr. Green who is the ward Committee for the St. James Ward.

171. Jane Murray See {blank} applied for admission Committee think her able to fill some light situation outside.

172. Mary Ferguson See No. 1. Wood Book. Husband died this mo. ~~Alld~~ 3 children home. Alld. [allowed] 8 lbs. Bread today.

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173. Henry Leathwood in [Case] No. 158 goes with Mr. Edward Stark of Shelby Township of Richmond. C.W. [Canada West] at [dollars] 4 per mo. June 25/58

174. Darby Welsh gone with Mr. Bloor Yorkville

175. John Jackson gone with a Tavern Keeper Yonge St. at the Bay Horse.

176. [Case] No. 154 Mr. Sturritt Gwillumbury North

177. [Case] No. 160 gone to some place on Grand Trunk R.R.

178. John Carlton gone to Mr. McNab's about 3 miles out.

179. Michael Dempsey in [Case] No. 159 to go to G.M. Grover's Colbourne C.W. [Canada West]

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180. C. Weeks [Alexander Weekes] to go to Mr. J.H. Sanderson Malton P.O. on Grand Trunk R.R.

June 29th

Weekly Committee

Revd. H.J. Grasett Wm. Mathers & Jno. Arnold Esq.

Present Wm. Mathers

181. Anne Ward See Wood Book No. 21 applies for Bread She will go to Mr. Elmsley

182. Wm. Eldon just out of gaol where He has been for a Month past for drunkenness [etc.] seeks admission from Committee refuse to admit him refused. House too full.

183. Jno. McMillan 65 Single person gardener Scotch Presbyterian seeks admission

184. Mr. Coles & Mr. Simpson tenders for Bread were approved & Mr. Coles being the

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Lowest Tender was accepted

July 2nd

Friday Committee

Present Mr. Mathers Mr. Rutherford Revd. Mr. Grasett & Mr. Hobson

185. Benjamin Burr. 80 years of age Ch. Of England. has been two years in the Country. no friends and without means. admitted temporarily into the outer building.

186. Ann Ward, Widow, 35 years, 3 children 10, 5, 1 year. suffers from ague. recommended by Mr. Isaak Gilmor. Referred to Mr. Tyner the Visitor of the Ward in wich [which] she lives. To receive a loaf of bread in the mean time.

186. Mary White. See Case 129 page 178. called to pay the first months contribution towards the support of her child. She tendered [dollars] 2, but the committee understanding that this was all she possessed, received only [dollars] 1, and returned the other to enable her to return to her place at Brampton. Is in service at Mr. Thomas Grabains.

187. Ellen Duggan, applied for the allowance due her for the care of two children. Paid her 5/ [shillings] on acct. until a reference can be made to Mr. Hancock.

189. Eliza Jane Sexsmith. husband of idle and intemperate habits. 2 children 6 & 9 years. lives at 52 Adelaide St. referred by Mr. Tyner and to receive in the mean time two loafs of bread.

190. Jane Murray. produced a letter from Dr. Gardner certifying that she was labouring under an affliction that incapacitates her for exertion. To be admitted for the present into the House.

191. Mary Ferguson. referred to Mr. Thom. and received a loaf of bread

192. The Boy William Street, out at nurse at Mrs. Hatton died of Consumption.

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193. Mrs. Cooper left the House on her own account.

194. The man Nasbitt [Nesbitt] gone to general Hospital. [Case] 51

195. Mrs. Sodie left the House in Company with her Son in Law.

July 3rd

196. Michael Dempsie [Dempsey] gone to Mr. Grooves Colborn ^[Case] 159^ C.W. [Canada West]

197. Benjamin Burr taking away by William Burr of Malton Township of Toronto. [Case] 185

198. Mary Ferguson Widow 50 years age. No. 71 Pine Street Six children 2. 5. 8. 14. 17 & 19 years of age the three last in service ordered to have 8 [pounds] of bread for week.

Tuesday, July 8th 1858.

Weekly Committee:

Revd. Mr. Kennedy, R. Cathcart, W.J. MacDonell:

Present, W.J. MacDonell, Revd. Mr. Kennedy

199. ^[Case] 143^ Daniel Derrick, ordered to be sent back to Newmarket Supt. to procure a second class ticket for that purpose

200. Mary Dunn, Irish, Catholic: Stanley St. say 30 years; 5 years husband went away 2 months ago no word of him since. 3 children; 1 boy, 2 girls. Lives with Julia Egan, grocer, near the Sisters' school. given 1 loaf of bread & referred to visitor for that Ward.

201. ^[Case] 181.^ Widow Anne Ward, Corner Richmond & York Street: Irish, Catholic. 3 children. 2 boys, 1 girl, oldest boy 10 years, 2nd 5 years, girl 1 year. recommended for bread by Mr. Elmsley. given 3 loaves

202. ^Elisa Rowland^ ~~Mary Brady~~ applied for allowance due for nursing a child 3 one months, 20/ [shillings] to call again on Friday.

203. Mrs. ^Sixsmith^ Segsworth, recommendation of Mr. Tyner, receive two loaves of bread [Case] 189.

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204. Robert Young, Irish, 6 years ago, been ^during that time^ in & about Toronto 61 years. lost wife & five children of Cholera. bricklayer. Presbyterian. broken thigh & otherwise disabled. admitted till Friday, for further consideration.

July 7th

205. Daniel Derrick sent to Newmarket ticked [ticket] paid for, and a small loaf giving to him. [Case] 199.

206. Martha English asked to leave to go out and look for a place, has not returned. [Case] 152 (1853)

207. Jane Murray desired to leave the House giving leave to go. see [Case] 190.

208. July 8th Alex. Weeks gone with Mr. T.H. Sanderson on trial for a month at [dollars] 4 Malton P.O. on Grand Trunk R.R. [Case] 143.

Friday, July 9th 1858

Present, W.J. MacDonell, Revd. Mr. Kennedy

209. Elizabeth Cranken, ^coloured^, Duchess Street ^Widow these four months^ 7 children wishes to place youngest, a girl of 3 ~~years~~ months, in the House. Advised to try first some family, or person having no children.

210. Catherine Ryan, child ordered to be returned to her. [Case] 148

211. Patrick Welsh, discussed in April last. represented in a starving state & admitted, subject to approval of the revising committee.

212. Margaret Jones, Richmond St. West of York St. No. 132, now in receipt of 8 [pounds] bread, asks an increase allowance. referred to Mr. Tyner, visitor for St. Andrews Ward.

213. Widow Spink ^Duchess St.^ now in receipt of 1 loaf pr week, allowed 1 loaf additional. very deaf. obliged to put questions in writing.

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214. Patrick Casey, see [Case] No. 93, Page 173, applied for readmission. allowed 1 loaf bread, but nothing more at present.

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215. The attention of the Visiting Physician was called to the case of Robert Young, [Case] 204, now in the sheds, afflicted with the Itch. Should such cases be allowed in or about the House?

216. Mary Joselin, Stanley St. ~~living~~ husband can get no work. 1 child, girl 7 years. wants bread. referred to Dr. Green, Ward Visitor.

217. Mrs. Sixsmith, allowed 2 loaves bread.

218. Frederick Bowles recommended for admission, upon first vacancy by Revd. Mr. Kennedy. W.J. MacDonell, Thomas Smith Kennedy

Tuesday, 13th July 1858.

Present John Elmsley

219. Peter Morrison, 46 Widower, A son 22, gone to the States 4 years ago Welshman. Ch. Of Engld. No friends in America. Laborer. 6 years in Toronto. Has very sore eyes, nearly blind. Struck with a stone. Admitted

220. Mary Wallace, 48. Husband ^was^ in Jail, a Drunkard, now out, but she knows not where he is. Girl 21 in the States married, and one of the Boys 10, with her. Girl 19 at service in Toronto. Girl 17, Girl 15, both in the States. County Sligo. Ch. Of Engd. Boy 12, Boy 8, Boy 6 all in Toronto ^Two youngest in the House^. Lives on Stanley St. ^with John Nevill^. Referred to Dr. Green.

221. Mary Lemasney. 32. Husband a carpenter, but states that he cannot get Work in Toronto.

Recommended to go to the Country. Has the child of Bridget Sullivan, Mary Ann Robertson illegitimate, County of Limerick. Ch. of England.

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Child two years old. Mother at Service in the City but cannot be found. Child admitted

222. Martha English, an inmate of this House, was dissatisfied, and wished go out to seek a place in Town. She remained out two days and two nights and on the third night returned and was readmitted subject to the decision of the Weekly Committee: Since which time she has been sulky and disobedient ordered to be put upon Bread & Water diet, unless she immediately mends her manners.

223. Margaret Jones. See [Case] No. 212. Allowed 3 loaves, Weekly.

224. Ann Ward. See [Case] No. 201. Allowed 3 loaves, Weekly, while she has the ague. J Elmsley, Committee

225. {blank}

226. Mary Farrell R.C. aged 3 months, died last night of Consumption [Case] 115.

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Present {blank}

227. Sophia McCullough, 46 Widow two years. Daughter married in England, ^City of Exeter^. Nephew with Revd. Mr. Deuroche. 14 year old. No friends in America. She is unable to earn her living, in consequence of burns in her arm, broken leg and deafness. Strongly recommended by Dr. Geikie. Ch. of Engd. 1 Loaf Weekly.

228. Patrick Casey. See [Case] 214

229. Mary McAnnully, 40 Husband deserted her last November; she was confined at Lying ^In^ Hospital a fortnight since, it lived only a week. She put her two children

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Boy 9, Girl, 7, into this House until she was strong enough to earn for their living. She now wishes to have them out again. Lived on Sayer Street. No. {blank} Mrs. Lett visits her.

230. David Douglas. 45. Bachelor. Discharged from Hospital incurable, he says; Asthma and Bronchitis. Has a Brother in Buffalo. Presbyterian. Painter & Glazier. To bring a letter from Dr. Gardner. On Tuesday. He would like to be sent to his Brother.

231. Mary Carroll. 31. Widow 10 years. Boy 15 Boy 13. Both in New York. No friends in Canada. Has a sore breast, the effect of an accident. Bread for the present, but she should go to the Hospital for cure. Lives near the Soap Factory George Street, in a back lane ^with {Michael} Connor^ Ward Visitor to report

232. Ellen Doyle 20. Widow. Was sent to Jail for a month. When there the Woman in whose charge she left her child brought it to this House. And she now wishes to have it. Has friends in Stratford, whether [where] she is going for the week.

233. Margt. Connor. 40 Husband gone to the Country seeking work, Daughter 19 at service. Boy 15. at service, Girl 9, Girl. 5. Girl 3, all three with her. George Street. Loaf of Bread for the present. Ward Visitor to report.

234. Mary Wallace. See No. [Case] 220. Brings letter from Dr. Bethune. Admitted.

235. Ellen Meed 40. Huband delicate. Sore throat. Boy 12. at Service. Boy 10 at Service. Girl 3 with her. Lives McMahon Street. Ward Visitor to report.

236. Elizabeth Prest. 30. Husband gone to Cleveland and has written for ^her^ to join him there. Boy 7. Boy 4. both sent to this House about a month since, when she was sent to jail for Drunkenness, She now wants her children. Has a very red face. Perhaps wants her children to beg with. Ch. of Engl. She must give proof of ability to to keep her children.

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237. Bernard Casey. 60. Wife at St. Mary's near London. ^Girl^ ~~son~~ 18. Boy 16. Boy 14 Girl 12 Girl 7. girl 4 all with their mother. Has lost his health. Ch. of Engd. Laborer, Discharged from Hospital. Yesterday. Advised to go to Mayor for a passage to St. Mary's. Loaf of Bread.

238. William Eldon. See [Case] No. 171 A.D. 1857

239. Martin Corcoran. A pensioner on 1/ [shilling] 2 [pence] a day. not considered an object of Charity. J. Elmsley. Commee.

Tuesday 20th July 1858

Present. Mr. Tyner and Mr. Doel. Dr. Lett.

240. Ellen Meed see [Case] 235: reported by Ward Visitor, wants money & Bedcloth recommend to have 2 loaves of Bread pr. week.

241. Thomas Killaley 50 years of age. applies for admission. to be given bread.

242. Mary Hetherington has passes to Owen Sound. Comee. Gave her 3/ [shillings] 9 d. [pence] for themselves.

243. Patrick Casey. See [Case] No. 93. Page 173. allowed 1 loaf per week

244. Harriett Larson. with Dr. Gardiner's note from Hospital. admitted provisionally. Supt. to enquire from what part, the Country she came & report to Comee.

245. Mr. James Cooper to whom was apprenticed Michael Delahunty. Wishes to surrender the boy and to rescind the indentures. Referred to Genl. Comee. this day.

246. George Washington. 25 Colored man. Much afflicted with Paralysis. Sent from hospital incurable. No friends in Canada. Methodist. Escaped ^7 years ago^ from slavery. Admitted

247. Patrick Murphy. 77. Widower. Son 19 in Australia Son. 16. Dont know where he is. Boy 14 at Service. Boy 12. At Service. Too old to work. 1 Loaf a week.

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248. Mary Finlan. See [Case] 216. R.C. Husband refused to go to work, when it was offered him by a member of the Board. 10 years younger than his Wife. ~~As she states~~ Meal of Victuals and a Loaf.

249. George Smithwick. 77. Widower. No friends in Canada, was Barrack Master 27 years. Has been well brought up and well connected. Discharged from Hospital, incurable. R.C. 1 loaf a week. Refused taking the bread.

250. A female Foundling about ^5 weeks^ ~~2 months~~ old, picked up on Hospital grounds last Friday evening, sent by Dr. Gardiner to orphan's home, refused admittance on account of being too young, brought to the House of Industry.

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Present, Mr. Tyner

251. Catherine Wilson recommended by Mrs. Grasett, to have a loaf of bread. Widow 48. 1 child 7 years. Victoria St. No. 65. C. Engl.

252. Bridget Malher. R. Cath. 35 years of age in the family way applied for Admission, the Weekly Committee reject all such cases.

253. Mrs. Jones. Ch. Eng. Husband left her to seek work has not heard of him lately, has 3 Children lives at Yorkville recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins as deserving of Charity to have 2 loaves a week. supposed the Husband is dead.

254. John McConnor R. Cath. 60 years of age applied for admission, advised to bring proper recommendations. John Tyner Committee

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Tuesday the 27th of July 1858.

Present ^Rev.^ Dr. Green & Rev. J. Borland

255. The foundling sent to this house and referred to under [Case] No. 250 was claimed by the mother, and on the authority of Dr. Chas. Gardiner who believes the applicant to be the mother, was given up to her.

256. Thomas Killally whose case was considered by the Comee. last week see [Case] no. 241, is referred to the general committee.

257. William Anderson. from Ireland has lived in this country for the last seven years. ~~Has~~ Is a Widower: has on daughter who obtains a living by sewing. Is 73 years of age. Has no means of subsistence. is a Wesleyan Methodist. Recommended by Mr. John Kidney, Queen Street. Admitted. Having a Son in the Township of Bentick, he is to be written to in order to ascertain whether or not he can maintain his father.

258. Mrs. Williams allowed to go to the orphan's home to see her son.

259. James Neiley. Who applies to return to the House ^ (see 139.) ^ admitted.

260. Eliza Wilson ^ (coloured) ^ about 48 years of age. a Widow. Obtains a living by Washing. is a Member of ^ the ^ Coloured Methodist Church Sayer St. she wishes to get a girl from the house. Is tolerably well off. and owns some property. Has had a Certificate which she is to have filled up. (did not call again)  
Anson Green, J. Borland

Tuesday the 3rd August 1858

Present Mr. Hobson & Mr. Thom.

261. James Watson applies for his Daughter, she has been in the House about 16 months, thinks that he can take care of her, and provide for her, lives in Augusta Street Spadina Avenue Weekly Committee agreed to give the Child up to the Father.

262. Mary Miller 73 years of age no Children, not able to provide for herself, greatly recommended by the Revd. Mr. Grasett she wishes to become an inmate in the House. Admitted.

263. Ann O'Hara 61 years of age no children, says that she

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is not able to provide for herself. to be called upon by the visiting Committee.

264. Mary Wallace admitted. 18th July, feels not satisfied with the arrangement of the House, would rather go out again than be subject to the rules of the House. Allowed to go out; and to stop out. see [Case] 220. Seen drunk in the Street by one {blank} of the Members of Committee the day after.

265. Julia Farrell a strong healthy woman, sent here to nurse a young child of her own, the child died since, nothing to keep the Mother here, unless idleness, of which she is extremely fond. The Committee thought proper to discharge her.

266. Thos. McClane, Ch. Eng. a child 2 years old, died this Day of Consumption.

E. Hobson John Thom

Friday 6th August 1858.

Present Mr. Hobson and Mr. Thom

267. Jane Heeny 30 years of age 3 children 5. 3. and 3 Weeks old. husband gone in the Country to seek work, to be put on the Bread list for one loaf p. Week, till husband's return. No. 80 Sayer St.

268. Ann O'Hara Ch. Engl. Widow 61 years of age, two Sons, one in Montreal 24 years of age, one in the Country 19 years of age. lives back of No. 46 Elizabeth Street. To be allowed one loaf p. Week

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269. William Davison. presb. [Presbyterian] 54 years of age, North of Ireland has been living some years in Toronto, he is very ill, and not able to do anything for himself, his Mother is an Inmate in the House, and Sister at Innisfield, to be admitted. Presbt.

270. 7th August. The Mayor sent to this Institution, a female child about seven Days old. Deserted by its Parents. [see also page 327 Case 14]

271. Bridget Franklin. No. 15 Emily Street, she has 2 Daughters in Ireland Married. 3 out here, somewhere in the Country, none living with her, is in want of a little assistance. to have 4 lbs. Bread p. Week.

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272. 7th August Margaret Saulkey No. 8 Terauley Street Widow 46 years of age five Children all growing [grown] up and left her. Irish. Ch. Eng. just returned from the Hospital. still sick. allowed 4 lbs. Bread p. Week.

273. Died this Day, a male Foundling, out at nurse. some 8 Months old. Consumption out at Nurse Mrs. Duggan, Stanley St.

Tuesday 10th August 1858

Present Mr. Woodsworth

274. Eliza White. Ireland. Ch. Engl. no family 64 years of age has been a resident in new London 10 years, sent here by the Mayor of new London. to go back where she came from

275. Mary White. See Case 129. Called to pay the second Months Contribution towards the support of her child. She tendered [dollars] 2 but the Committee received only one, and returned the other to enable her to return to her place

276. Sent Matilda Jones and her four children to Collingwood. By stating their Case to the Superintendent of the Northern Railroad, he allowed them all to go up, by the paying of one Ticket 14/ [shillings] 4 1/2 d. [pence]. had to buy a pair of Shoes for Mrs. Jones, as she had none to wear, paid 4/ [shillings] 4 1/2 d. [pence] for Shoes, and 1/ [shilling] 3 d. [pence] for Carter, to take Children and Luggage down to station.

277. August 12th Died this Day. George Cruise 77 years of age, Irish Roman Cathol. no family. no friends in Toronto. Consumption See [Case] 102. (1857).

Friday 13th August 1858

Present Mr. Hobson

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278. Catherine Redman on Yonge Street. Marrd. [married] husband away from her. Roman Cath. one Child, and aged Mother to support. Willing to Work, cant get enough to do, to keep herself and Mother. To be allowed one Loaf p. Week.

279. Died this day. A male Foundling Child. see Case 270. of Diarrhea. [see also page 327 Case 14]

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280. August 14th Died this Day a male Foundling about 6 Months old. Diarrhea.

281. August 16th Two Children, Ellen and John McAnnally sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother sent to jail, for keeping a disorderly House.

Tuesday 17th August 1858

Present The Revd. Dr. Green

282. Grace Darker Widow 52 years of age. Church Engl. has a sore Arm. Applies for a little assistance. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread untill her Arm gets well. see [Case] 223 (1857.)

283. The Committee, disposed of several Cases, by giving them a Loaf of Bread, and recommending them, to go out into the Country.

284. Ann Pellan an Inmate. Applied for a new leg, the one she is wearing at present, this not fit, it is verry hurtfull to her when she is walking. She has an old one which fits her well around the Knee, but is to [too] short. Superintendent to get it lenthened for her.

285. John Moorey, sent here by the Mayor. His Case examined by the General Committee. To be admitted into the House, until reference can be made to the Medical Gentlemen attending.

286. Edward Jones a Pensioner. 39 years of age, Ch. Engl. native of Wales. lost the use of his Arm, no friends in Toronto. To be allowed to stay in the House, and to make some inquiry about his Pension.

Friday 20th August.

Present. Revd. Dr. Green & J.P. Battersby

287. The superintendent is authorized to make the men clean their own rooms.

288. Mrs. Williams allowed to go to the country.

289. Mary Gibbs Widow expects to be confined soon. 6 lbs. Bread.

290. Margaret George lame leg and sore hand. Bread till better.

291. Ellen Blakely. To be visited. by the Ward Manager 2 lbs. Bread. a disorderly person, not deserving any Charity, able to work. to [too] lazy.

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292. Ellen Meade See [Case] 235. Bread Stopped by Mr. Thom 2 lbs. Bread

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293. Robert Quigley sent by the Mayor. Has diarrhoea. To remain till recovered.

294. Mary Hughes has been turned out of the House of Providence. not admitted.

295. Mary McDonald. Widow. 2 boys 1 girl. 1 boy 11 years John. Thomas 6. Jane Ann 2 yrs. Roman Catholic 8 lbs. Bread.

296. Mary Short Widow lives at Widow Kelly's McMahon St. to be visited by Mr. Thom 4 lbs. Bread

297. Hannah Stinson. Husband in Penitentiary. 3 children Boys. 8. 6 & 2 years. lives King St. East 4 lbs. Bread

298. James Bamfold an inmate applies to be allowed out. allowed

The superintendent is authorized to purchase 2 saws & 2 axes.

Anson Green, J.P. Battersby

299. Margaret Saulkey 40 years of age, Ch. Engl. has been a resident for 35 years. 5 Children all away from her. Discharged from the Hospital six Weeks ago, a Widow. sent here by the Revd. Dr. Green to be admitted for a day or two.

300. Bartholomew Donavon. Sent here by the Mayor, his case to go before the Weekly Committee, has been in Canada one year. Wife and Children in England, discharged from the general Hospital a week since. 60 years of age Roman Cath. 23th August.

301. 23th August. Hugh Bryson says he can't cut Wood, would rather work at his own trade, as Shoemaker, as nothing of Shoemaking is done at present in the House, he wished to go out and look for Work, leave to go. Supt. see [Case] 139 (A.D. 1857)

Tuesday 24th August 1858

Present, Messrs. Hobson & Elmsley

302. Barthw. Donovan. See No. [Case] 300. A Loaf of ^weekly^ Bread. To be kept in the outer house until Friday. Admitted since.

303. Daniel Mulloy. Brought up for leaving the House without permission of the Supt. Reprimanded, and reminded that if he repeats the offence he will be discharged the House.



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304. Ellen Dobson. 22. Husband killed out of a Waggon near Whitby, 5 months since. Expects to be confined daily. No children. No friends in Canada. Husband a carpenter. Father Mother and Aunt dead. Has a sore ancle [ankle], by cut glass which {works out}. To be permitted remain in the house during the day, and to get her meals, as She will be allowed to Sleep at the Lying-in-Hospital.

Ordered. That the Superintendent be instructed to keep all the Inmates of this House at such manual labour as they have accustomed to or brought up to, excepting always such of them as by the recommendation of any of the medical Gentlemen attending the House are too infirm or in delicate health. In all cases where the Supt. has no work to give the inmates to which they have been brought up. he shall employ them at ^sawing Wood^, picking hair or oakum, or any other such occupation. J. Elmsley, E. Hobson

Friday, 27th August, 1858

Present, Messrs. Elmsley and Hobson.

305. Mary Gibbs. 25. Husband died in March, coming to Quebec, one girl 3, at Home with her Mother, at Clonmell. No friends in Canada; expects to be confined in a month from this. Will then go to the Lying in Hospital. Lives near corner of Nelson and Richmond Street, with Mrs. McCabe. Church of England. Wants relief, to pay her Lodging, was turned out last night, for 3 Weeks arrears. 6 lbs. Bread.

306. George Barrows. 30. Wife wishes to go a place, and he is desirous of getting into this House, as he is afflicted with disease of the Lungs and Bronchitis. No children. Church of Engd. County of Kent. Chatham. Butcher by trade. Has been a year in Toronto. admitted but did not feel comfortable stayd. only one night in the House.

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307. Jane Lloyd. See [Case] No's. 66, 249, 260 of A.D. 1857. Says she is in delicate health, to bring a certificate that she is unable to earn her living. looks healthy.

308. Fanny Shaw. 20. Spinster. No friends in this World. English. Ch. of Engd. just out of Hospital for sore eye. Partially blind. She gives a very imperfect and unsatisfactory account of herself. Cannot remember where she lived at Service, or with whom she has been Staying since she left the Hospital a week since.

308 1/2. James Bamford an inmate of this House Complains that he is ill-treated in the institution by Mulloy another inmate, who prevents the Children from leading him about the premises, which was

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necessary from his blindness, and by reason of the mischievous conduct of Andrew Coscan in laying sticks across the paths, to trip him up. Persons visiting him, not allowed to see him. Not permitted to go to the Secretary of the St. George's Society with whom he was in correspondence to procure funds to take him back to England, where he has friends.

To these charges the Superintendent Says, that no prohibition has been laid upon the Children, to lead him about the premises; but that he objected to permit them to accompany him through the streets, and secondly that he the Superintendent had no reliable information that Bamford was really going to see the Secretary of the Society and his very frequent applications to go out lead other inmates to require similar indulgences, to the great detriment of the Institution.

Andrew Coscan declares that he never did that which has been charged against him by Bamford, and he says that if any wood was across the paths it must have accidentally fallen off the pile when taking down to be sawed. The Complaint was therefore dismissed. J. Elmsley, E. Hobson

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309. August 28th Died this day John Mooray, 60 years of age general debility. see [Case] 285.

310. Mrs. Williams. left the House. She is not a sane person, has leave from the Committee to leave the House. see [Case] 288. ([Case] 123. A.D. 1857)

August 30th. I have examined James Bamford's eyes and do not think it will injure them to cut wood. A.T. Augusta. M.D.

Tuesday 31st August 1858

Present. Messrs. Hobson & Mr. Thom. The Revd. Mr. Grasett.

311. William Eldon, a man in feeble health & without friends or means. admitted into the house. See [Case] 168 (1855)

312. 1st September. Mary Brown. leave to go out, has not returned, returned again Sept. 3rd. very ill. see [Case] 44 [1857].

313. 2nd Sept. Mrs. McDonnell, taking away by her Daughter.

314. 3rd Sept. Bridget O'Brien wished to leave the House. leave to go. C.D. See [Case] 178. (1857)

Friday, 3rd September 1858.

Present.

The Revd. Mr. Grasett & Mr. Hobson

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315. Anne Holborn. aged 32. Ch. Engl. one Child 2 Months old, comes from the Inlaying Hospital, where she has been a Inmate for more than two Months. She is in a very low Condition not able to provide, or, to take care of herself, or Child. both Admitted. Found she was no Case for the House of Industry, got her ^& Child^ up to the Hospital, trough [through] the Influence of the Revd. Mr. Grasett. Spt 4th

316. John Cowan. an Inmate of the House, is dismissed on account of his bad unnatural conduct to the children of the Institution, and not to be admitted again on any account.

317. James Miller. aged 44. ^free Presbyt Ch.^ ~~Ch. Engl.~~ very near blind, 38 years in Canada, served his time at Jaques & Hay's, two Sons alive bound to trade's. Native Ireland.

318. Sept. 5th Died this Day. Patrick Hand. 53. R.C. disease of the Heart, has been an Inmate since May. from General Hospital.

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319. Sept. 6th Mary White paid 5/ [shillings]. towards the support of her Child, which was sent out to be nurs'd and paid for by the House of Industry. Mary W. now wishes to take her child and provide for it herself. giving up to her.

320. Died this Day. Henry Ashton Nelson, 78 years of age. Ch. Engl. see [Case] 433. (A.D. 1853) disease dropsy.

321. Died this day. Robert Brown. 46 years of age. Church Engl. Native from England. see [Case] 183. (A.D. 1857) Consumption. Sept. 7th

Tuesday 7th September 1858

Present Messrs. Woodsworth & Hobson.

322. G.S. Giles 70 years of age. Ch. Engl. native of England. has been 6 years in Toronto, part of the time with Dr. Rolph & Dr. Akins, has one Son in the States. Recommended by Mr. Brent and others, old and infirm, wishes to be admitted in to the House. Admitted.

323. Ann Stinson. Irish. R.C. 39 years of age. 5 Children 3 at home John 8. Hugh 6. Mathew 2. No. 149 Adelaide St. allowed two large Loaves per Week.

324. William Weire. Irish. Methodist. age 73. been in Toronto 24 years. Shoe maker. never Married. applies for Admission. Admitted.

Friday 10th Sptbr. 1858

Present. Messrs. Woodsworth & Hobson.

325. William Taylor 73 years of age. Ch. Engl. Discharged from the general Hospital incurable. Has no friends in Toronto, has been a Schoolteacher in Veruelamb [Verulam] is desirous of going back if he

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could get the mean's of paying his fare. The Committee, ordered Supt. to procure for him a second Class Ticket, to carry him to Port Hope, and Taylor must try to get home from there the best way he can. Sent Taylor to Port Hope 11th Sept.

326. Sept. 11th Ellen Mon<sup>a</sup>ghan [Monaghan], a little Girl about 10 years of age, brought to the House, by the Revd. Mr. Borland, to be retained until Tuesday Committee day. To be Apprenticed out. Father dead. Deserted by the Mother. has a Sister in Yorkville (Weslyan Methodist)

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327. Sept. 13th Died this Day. Richard Hill. 7 years of age. of Consumption. Brother to Anne and Charlotte Hill. Colered.

Tuesday September 14th 1858

Present. Mr. Yates

Several Cases disposed of, by giving them a loaf of Bread for the Day.

328. Alice Murry Widow 43 Ch. Engl. 4 Children. 3 of them in Cobourg, and one Girl 14 with her, not long in Toronto, has been living in Port Hope 11 years. begs for relief. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. would not accept of it.

329. Mary Ferguson came to thank the Committee for their Kindness, and the relief they afforded her, in allowing her Bread, as she will go home to England on Friday, she will not require it any more, but feels grateful for what she has received. see [Case] 198.

330. James Galutty. sent by the Revd. J. Spencer, to be admitted, until next weekly Committee. Scotland. 56 years of age. Presbt. 9 years in Canada. last 3 years at Daw's Corners, there lost his fingers of both hands by frost. Wife and 6 Children. Wife and 3 Children in Glasgow, the 3 oldest abroad, one in the Army, one in Australia.

331. Sept. 15th Sent by the Mayor, a female Infant, about four Weeks old, It was brought by Mr. Baldwin, in whose service the Mother has been employ'd as Nurse, she was allowed to bring her own child, to help to draw her milk, on account of Mr. B. child being rather sikly [sickly], after remaining for a Week she stole some articles, and disappeared leaving her child behind. The Woman's name is Ellen Lawrie, she was taking from the Lying In Hospital. Mr. B. says the Police is in search of her.

Friday Sept. 17th 1858

Present. Mr. Hobson.

332. Case 330. Not belonging to the City or Township of Toronto, is referred back to his own Township, to be supported there.

333. Sarah Trim. 15 years of age. from Port Hope where she was born. Lame with one hand, seeks admission. Ordered to be sent back by the cars to Port Hope. Sent. paid 7/ [shillings] 6 [pence] for second Class Ticket, Ch of Engl

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Tuesday September 22nd 1858

Present Mr. Thom Mr. Hobson and Rev. Mr. Borland

334. Eliza Bains from Ireland. has resided a few weeks in Toronto. has no friends here, does not know where she came from, who brought her here, or why she came. Can give no information, not even of the place where she stays in town. This case is referred to the Monthly Comee.

335. Jane Tyson her husband is sick having sore eyes (ophthalmia) & is treated y Dr. Matheson. has ~~four~~ two children. one four years old and the other two. her husband ^has^ been ill and unable to work for the last five Months, lives in a lane from Church & Stanley Streets, behind Mr. O'Neil. received a loaf of bread and referred to the visitor, Mr. Robinson. Allowed 8 [pounds] of bread per week. E. Hobson committee.

336. John Cavanagh. has but one arm. his Wife is aged yet gets her living by nursing. He lost his arm and was seriously injured in his back in a saw Mill about two years and a half ago. Has lived in Toronto for the last two years and has recd. assistance from this House at different times. assisted ~~with~~ by loaf of bread and referred to Mr. Tyner.

337. David Neely is nearly fifteen years old. His Mother wishes him to be taken by the House and put out by it in the regular Way. He is recd. under these circumstances. Ch. Engl.

338. George O'Harra. recommended to apply to the farmers for a situation, as many in the neighbourhood of Richd. [Richmond] Hill have signified their desire to obtain such for Servants.

339. Sept. 23. Sent Barthw. Donovan to Oswego as ordered by the General Board. Paid 10/ [shillings] for his Ticket, and 2/ [shillings] 6 d. [pence] for pocket money See his Case 300 & 302.

Friday Sept. 24 1858

Present. Rev. J. Borland.

340. William White who has been induced to return to Toronto from inability to obtain aid in other places, is readmitted to the House. His case referred to the Comee.

341. David Stewart is readmitted to the House for the present His case will be brought before the General Committee. (Admitted)

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342. John Kavanagh. who case is reported. see [Case] 336 is recommended by Mr. John Tyner for assistance. Is to get a loaf and a half of bread per Week. Referd. back to Mr. Tyner on account of stating he had no family. w/ Wife in Book

343. James Doyle. Native of Ireland, a Roman Catholic, is not Married, has no family, Has lived in Toronto the last five years. & out of health. has Worked for Mr. Freeland as a Chandler. Is referred to Mr. Freeland for a Certificate of Character. Relieved by a loaf of bread.

344. Mary Welsh. Native of Ireland is a R Cath. is not Married, ~~and~~ has no relatives in Canada, is in delicate health. Cannot earn sufficient for a livelihood. lives in Richd. [Richmond] St. Corner of York St. is referred to Mr. Tyner. See [Case] 156 (1856)

J. Borland

345. Sept 27th The Female Infant mentioned in Case 331 was Baptized to Day, by the Revd. Mr. McClean. Ch. Engl. The Child was namd after its Mother Ellen Lawrie. The same died on the 30th Sept. 58 [1858]

Friday. 1st Octbr. 1858.

Present The Revd. Dr. Barclay & Mr. Hobson.

346. Catherine Wilson. 37 years of age see [Case] 251. to have 6 [pounds] ^Bread^ p. Week.

346 1/2. Octbr. 1st The Child Sarah Duggan, being in a delicate state of health, took her away from Mrs. Gray, who has nursed her, and sent her to Markham Village with Mrs. Ball, who has just returned one of our Nurslings, Charles Markham, about 18 Months of age.

347. Died this Day of Consumption William Davison Octbr 4th see [Case] 269.

Tuesday 5 October 1858

Present Revd. Dr. Lett Mr. Doel.

348. Mathew W. Hodge of Springfield applies for Alfred Dumar as an apprentice. the boy given out on months trial.

349. Dr. Augusta. applies for Charlotte Hill as apprentice. a months trial. child to be brought up in the same religion as her parents viz Ch. England. On consideration Dr. Augusta thinks, the child to [too] young, to take home.

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350. G.F.C. Ouillet. French Canadian, one month from Montreal seeks aid to prosecute his journey to Chicago or to Montreal. Supt. will apply to the Mayor for an order to send him on.

351. James Doyle. see [Case] 343. produces a recommendation from Mr. Freeland admitted to the outsheds till house finished. R.C.

352. John Kavanagh. see [Case] 342 & 376. produces note from Mr. Tyner who recommends that he be given one Large Loaf weekly. granted. R.C.

353. {blank} Clemens, Widow, recommended by Mr. Doel for one large Loaf weekly. granted.

passed. Quarterly bill for Medicine [pounds] 4.3:9

passed Month's bill for Bread [dollars] 78.40 /{cw.} 1120 loaves at 7 cents.

Stephen Lett, John Doel) Weekly Comee.

Friday 8th October 1858

Present Mr. Doel

356. Mary White, applies for admittance, for herself and child, the child is to be admitted into the House, but the Mother has to go to service. the child is a twelve Month old, and Baptized by the Revd. Mr. Baldwin, named Eliza Jane White.

357. John Finch. 67 years of age. Irish. Ch. Engl. Labourer. unable to work for his living, has one Daughter Housemaid in the Orphan's Home, and she is not able to support him any longer, as she only gets four Dollars p. Month, and has a child of her own to support. to be admitted

Tuesday 12th October 1858.

Present The Mayor & Mr. Hobson.

358. Peggy O'Brien and Mrs. Ryan, both recommended by Mr. Ouillet. to have each a loaf of Bread for the present.

359. Margeret O'Brien. Spinster. 62 years of age. R.C. no friends belonging to her, lives on Stanly St. recommend by Mr. Ouillet, Priest. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. But has to bring the number of the House she lives in first.

360. Ann Ryan. 34. R.C. Widow. one child. from Markham. one loaf and to go back to Markham.



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361. October 12th Sent by the Revd. Dr. Lett. To be admitted in to the House, John Walker a Colored Boy. 10 years of age. Ch. Engl. born in Yorkville, where both his Parents died, his Father 5 Months ago, and Mother 5 years ago. He has one Sister 12 years old in Yorkville, provided for.

362. Taking the child that was sent to Ellen Duggan to nurse, into the House, She is about twelve Months old, not Baptized. but named Margeret Stanley after the Street she was nursed in.

Friday Oct 15th 1858

Present Mr. Hobson, J. Spencer

363. Timothy Harrington recommended to the House of Industry by Dr. Gardiner. Admitted 74 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic

Jas. Spencer, E. Hobson

364. ^{illegible}^ (Mary White No. 2) Irish, Widow, age, 24 one child, Baptized, Sixteen Months, lame Shoulder and disabled. Wishes to put her child in the House, and remain herself for a short time. Admitted. both Church of Engl.

365. George Smith, a Boy, 8 years of age, deserted by his parents. his parents used to live at Thornhill. His Father ran away, leaving his Wife this Boy and a Baby, she then came to Toronto about Christmas 1857. got drunk in the Streets, and sent to jail, her Baby with her, the Boy George was sent by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate to this House, and has not been reclaimed since. The Boy says that he is a Protestant, and so were his Parents.

366. John Densmoor, sent by his Worship the Mayor, to be admitted until the Weekly Committee decide on his Case. 65 years of age. W.M. [Wesleyan Methodist] Church, no Family. From Tobiko [Etobicoke] has been a Week in Toronto.

367. James Doyle. See [Case] 343 & 351. Set to work at sawing Wood, as he promised to work if admitted, I told him he must do a little or could not stay here, Saw'd a few sticks, soon got tired, took his Carpet Bag, and said he would rather go out, allowd ^to go^.

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368. Three destitute children brought to the House by Mr. Ince, their name is Shanahan, they belong to the church of Rome, their father is dead, and the mother sent to jail for two months, have been living on Ann Street. Patrick 10 James 8 & Margaret Ann 6 years of age. They are lousey & have the Itch.

Tuesday Octbr. 19th 1858

Present the Revd. Mr. Grasett. Messrs. Mathers & Hobson.

369. The Case 366. referd back to Tobico [Etobicoke]. The Weekly Committee gave him 2/ [shillings] 0 d. [pence] out of their own Purse.

370. The Case 368 referd to the general Board.

371. Bernard Casey (see [Case] 237) applies to be admitted in to the House, to have a loaf of Bread, and to find his way back to London to his Wife.

372. Mrs. Hawkins. Ch. Rome. applies for admission, referd to Captain Elmsley, to see if he can procure her admission in the House of Providence.

373. October 20th David Nealey, engaged to John Little, Farmer, for a term of six Months for his Board and Clothing, after that if they are satisfied with one another, to have a fresh agreement. 4th Line No. 22 Albion (See Case] 337).

374. October 21st. A girl about five years of age, sent here, by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate. Mother sent to jail. Child's Name Catherine Ryan (Mothers Name Catherine Ryan)

Friday Octbr 22th 1858

Present. the Revd. Mr. Grasett & Mr. Mathers

375. Mary Welsh and Catherine Fitzpatrick, applied for relief, referd to Mr. Tyner the Ward Visitor. see [Case] 344.

376. Jane Horan, disobedient and using abusive language to Superintendent, the Committee ordered her to be kept in the Shed, for punishment until she behaves herself better, and in the meantime to see, if Captain Elmsley can get her admitted in the House of Providence, see her Case (1855) [Case] No. 7.

377. Catherine Johnson, healthy and strong, to leave the House and take her child with her, and provide for it. See [Case] No. 256 (1857).

378. Octbr. 23th William Eldon, an Inmate, ask'd permission yesterday Morning, to go out for a few Hours, has not returned. See Case 311.

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379. Mary Ann O'Donnell, wishes to give up her three step children to the House, to be apprenticed out, according to the rules, the Father died some Months ago, and the Mother finds that she is not able to struggle on with them any longer, intends going to service, as soon as she can dispose of the children, they are Girls, aged, Ellen Jane 11. Margaret 9. Ann 7 years. they belong to the W. Methodist Church. The Revd. Mr. Borland call'd here previously about them, and speaks well, of Mother and Children. Irish. Admitted. Took the usual letter from the Mother.

380. The Boy Robert Gillan, gone on trial for a Month with Mr. John Hayward, Farmer and Store keeper, Township of Toronto

October 26th 1858

Present Mr. Cathcart, Mr. McDonald Rev. T.S. Kennedy

381. Margret Trenor widow with three children. Two girls and one boy. Margaret 10 years Ellen 6 yrs. James George Washington 4 yrs. Rev. Mr. Ouillet recommended her as an object of charity. Mr. Duckett to see on what terms she & her children can be sent back to New York where she has friends. to come here on Friday

382. Rosanna Ewer from Chicago a young woman. to have her meals in the house for a day while she seeks a place

383. ^Ellen^ Mrs. Healy lives in Stanley Street aged about 38 three children One girl and Two boys from 7 yrs. [to] 2 1/2 yrs., husband has left her, her name to be put on the book for a loaf of bread a week, She belongs to the Church of England.

384. Esther Marchant a widow 70 yrs. her daughter married to Frederick Winter, Spadina Avenue, an Englishwoman, belongs to the Church of England to be admitted into the house

385. October 27th Recd. some wearing apparel from Mrs. William Lyon. Vaughan (the property of Ann Jane Conlan)

Friday, October 29th 1858

Present: W.J. MacDonell; R. Cathcart

386. Margaret Trenor recommended to apply to the Mayor, for assistance to return to her friends in New York. allowed 1 loaf bread.

387. Margaret Eaton, allowed 1 loaf bread. no further relief to be given until she has been visited & reported upon by Mr. Hobson.

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388. Mary Welsh & Catherine Fitzpatrick, on recommendation of Mr. Tyner, allowed one & a half loaf bread pr week.

389. Jane Doran, married, husband here ^ (40 years age) ^ out of employment. 4 children, Fanny, 12. John, 10. James, 8. William, 6. Co. [County] Limerick, Ireland. Ch. England. Only this summer in Toronto, James St. in a yard, Mr. White's. Lived for many years near Odelltown, Eastern Townships [Quebec], left Ireland when a child. Husband a carpenter. Jane had paralytic stroke 5 years ago & still unable to walk without a stick. Wants eldest child to assist in house work. Allowed 1 loaf for present week.

389 1/2. James Gourlay, ([Case] 234. 1857) applied for admission. case deferred for the present, or until repairs of house now in progress, shall have been completed.

W.J. MacDonell, Robert Cathcart) Weekly Committee

390. The Boy Alfred Dumarse, gone on Trial for a Month, with Mr. Andrew Shore.

Tuesday 2 November 1858

Present, Capt. Elmsley & Rev. T.S. Kennedy

391. George Smithwick. See [Case] 249 of this year. This is an old customer, and was sent at the expense of this Institution to New York, to his Son, settled there, and whose wife is a shrew, with whom this subject could not endure to live, and so he returned to this City, and now solicits shelter in this Establishment. Seems to be a hard drinker, smells of liquor. The Superintendent declares that there is not room for any more inmates. he cannot therefore be admitted.

392. John Densmuire. 70. Pensioner Wife Dead. all his Children dead. No friends in Canada. Very infirm. Was able to work last harvest, but has since been much afflicted with Rupture. Produced a certificate from Captain Ferris, and the promise of his Pension to the House of Industry, if that Institution will receive him. This case

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was under Consideration last week, but the Weekly Commee Seemed to be under the impression that he was a resident of Etobicoke; he states that he was as much a resident of Toronto. He must produce evidence of the latter fact.

393. Margaret Trenor. See [Case] No. 381 of this year. The Supt. is to see the Treasurer, and if it be lawful for the Weekly Commee to give [dollars] 5 in part payment of the Steamer and Railway Fare of this woman and her children to New York, they agree to advance that sum; and His Worship the Mayor will furnish the same amount, which with a collection from the charitable of Toronto, will suffice to remove her hence to her friend. The through ticket to be taken by the supt.

394. Sarah Glenn. 32 Widow these four months. 4 Children Girl 11. Boy 7 Boy 2 1/2 Boy 1 Month. Lives Nelson Street back of Blairs Hotel.

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395. Margaret Eaton. 60. Widow. No children. Visited by Mr. Hobson and recommended for Bread. Lives on Elizabeth St. No. 79. Allowed 1 loaf. Produced certificate of ill health from Dr. Adams. J. Elmsley, Thos. Smith Kennedy

396. Novbr. 2nd. I this day sent notice to the Hon. J. Elmsley, to provide a place for Ellen Monaghan, eleven years of age, belonging to the Roman Catholic Church, within fourteen Days, according to the rules of the Institution.

Friday 5th November

Present Rev. T.S. Kennedy

397. Sarah Barnes 54 years of age Englishwoman, Church of England Husband left her 16 years, has good testimonials and is willing to work, to be taken into the house the first vacancy

398. Ann Bell 33 years of age a widow 18 months. Englishwoman resides in Albert Street No. 14. Church of England. has four children Two boys and two girls from 7 years to 11 months. to have some bread this day and be visited. to be put on the Bread List. 8 [pounds] Bread.

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398. [case number repeated] William Saxby Englishman. 46 years of age came to the Country in July his family at home. his finger has been amputated at the Hospital by Dr. Bethune. gave him a note to Mr. Price in the hope that he may get light work. promised him room for a night or two if he does not get employment

399. Ann Davis coloured woman about 40 years four children. Husband left her about {two} years. wants a place for her children while she goes out to work. advised her to go to the nursery. ordered her a loaf of bread

400. Bridget Calway see cases 220 ^{(1856)^}. 235 ^{(1855)^}. ordered her some bread. she lives north of Queen street near Mr. Ridout. Mr. K. will visit her

401. Susan Haynes Widow 57 years of age Widow Roman Catholic Irish one child 16 years old apprentice to be cooper 25 Duchess Street was relieved in the winter but not since. to have a loaf of bread. to be visited

402. Jane Heeny see case 267. ^{Irish Roman Catholic} could not find her Husband since. wants the two eldest children taken into the house she can get employment with Mrs. Wetherall of Yorkville and can keep her baby. names of Children Margaret Jane 5 years old, Sarah Ann 3 years old. she consents to give them up to the house. ordered to be taken in

403. Ann Wyatt aged 48 married Church of England. Husband laid up for two years. lives in Nelson street back of Blairs hotel. She has had only 3 quarters of a Cord of wood from the house. earns her living when she is well. but is now ill. ordered a loaf of bread

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404. Bridget Murray Irish Protestant. married to a colored man aged 30 Two children colored. 3 years & nineteen months old. brought a line from the Mayor wants children taken into the house. nursery full. advised her to go to the public nursery

405. Roseanna McClesh Widow. over forty Scotch Presbyterian. lives with her daughter who is married to ^William Brotherson^. sells apples [etc.] she has just come out of the hospital. lives on Front street near Farquhars lime kilns [Church Street wharf] wants wood and bread. ordered her a loaf now. to be visited by Mr. Duckett.

406. Ann Lees. Widow. Irish Roman Catholic. asthmatical & aguish aged 37. lives on Stanley street No. 66 at {McCormick's}. a loaf of bread and to be visited

Thomas Smith Kennedy

407. November 7th Died this Day, Elizabeth Hinds 67. English. Ch of Engl. general Debility.

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408. Mr. Gurnett, Police Magistrate, sent two destitute children to the House, John and William Murray, 5 and 3 years of age, Mother committed to jail for six Weeks, for theft. Father supposed to be dead. Father black Man. Mother white. See [Case] 404.

409. Died this Day, Mary White eighteen months of age. See [Case] 364.

Tuesday 9th Novbr 1858.

Present Messrs. Doel and Tyner

410. Mary White tendered [dollars] 2 toward the support of her child, the Committee accepted of one Dollar, and returned the other. see [Case] 356.

411. Mary Lucy. 38. spinster R.C. Ireland. applies to be admitted. to bring some reference.

412. Catherine Hughes. Ch. E. applied to be send to Brampton to her Daughter, refered to ^Revd.^ Mr. Grasett. to have one loaf of Bread for to Day.

413. Patsy Gartland, 7 years of age, sent here by the Revd. Dr. Lett, to be taking care of, has been in jail for theft. Father dead. Mother in jail.

414. John and Ellen McAnnally. 9 and 7 years of age, transferd to the Orphans. Home, with the consent of the Mother, and General Board. 4th Novbr (see [Case] 281.)

Friday 12th Novbr 1858

Present Mr. Tyner and Mr. Doel

415. Mary Harriss. 42. Married. Scotland. Presbt. 2 children 10. 9-8. 6. & 3. applies for a little Bread, to have a loaf of Bread for the present and to be visited

416. Henry Ireland, 54 Scotland. destitute, some disease for which he has been applying to the the Hospital, wishes to be admitted, to be relieved, untill the House is in a fit state, to recieve him. Presbt.

417. John Gibbons, applies for relief, being a great Drunkard, he can not have any relief from this Institution.

418. Francis Hood. 30. 4 children 4. 7. 10. 12. years of age Ch of Engl. Canadian to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. recommended by Mr. Hobson

419. Ann Rooke. from the Country, recommended to go back. to have a Loaf.

420. Ann Lea. 37 years of age, Widow, Ch. of Engl. Ireland, recommended for a loaf of Bread, to be visited, and have a loaf for the present.

421. Fanny Shaw, see [Case] 308. unable to provide for herself, to be admitted ~~for the present~~ on condition to make herself usefull.

422. Bridget Drisscold, 40. R.C. Irish Widow 3 Children Boy 10. Boy 9. Girl 6. applies for relief, to have a loaf for the present.

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423. Dorothy Gane 70. Widow. R.C. Irish, applies for relief, to have 2 [pounds] of Bread for the present.

424. Ellen Smith. 20. Married. Irish. Ch of Engl. husband ill in bed. one child, to have a loaf of Bread for the present. and to be visited

425. Mary ~~Corkly~~ Coleclough 34. Married from Ireland. R.C. 4 Children, Girl 14 Boy 13 Boy 11. Boy 2 years of age, refered to Capt. Elmsley, and to have a loaf for the present husband Ch of Engl. 39 years of age. unfit for work these 3 years, Consumption.

426. Margaret Morriss. 28. ~~Married~~ Widow. Ireland. R.C. 2 children Girl 9 Boy 7 years of age the children Ch. of Engl. in the Family way. to bring a reference, and have a loaf of Bread in the mean time.

John Tyner, John Doel

Tuesday Novbr. 16th 1858

Present The Revd. Dr. Green & Mr. Brooke

427. Eliza Bennett. R.C. Irish. Widow 4 Children. husband dead 2 years. the youngest child away with a friend, one girl 12. See No. 10 Wood Book to be visited. has been visited by Mr. Tyner, for 6 [pounds] of Bread on the List

428. Jane Lloyd, wants relief. see [Case] 307. refered to the Ward Visitor. was Married in 1854. by the Revd. Mr. Larson. her Child 3 years old.

429. Johanna Flavan. Married 43 years of age Irish. R.C. 3 Children. Boy 8. Boy 6. Girl 2 years of age. refered to Mr. Tyner. to have a loaf for to Day

430. Sarah Shaw. Irish. R.C. 47. Widow. No Family lives on Church St. to go and see Dr. Green. to have a loaf. she promised to go to Weston and not come ^back^

431. Ann Gardner. 22. has been a Widow two years and a half, one Child alive, Girl 2 years old, to have a loaf for the present, and to be visited, Irish Ch. of Engl. lives in the rear of Bunberry [Bunbury] Shoemaker, Stanley St. has been visited by Mr. Ouillet. to 4 [pounds] Bread.

432. Jane Kavanagh. Deserted by her husband, 34, has 3 Children with the Sisters of Charity. Irish. Ch of Engl. husband Roman Catholic, has been 3 mths, in Toronto. Lives near Mr. Wilkinson the Grocer. to be visited and have a loaf of Bread in the mean time. South Park St.

433. Catherine Thompson, see Wood Book (No. 2) two children at home now, allowed one loaf bread but not to be continued Densmore

434. Susan Haines Widow allowed bread, recommended by Hon. J. Elmsley for Bread and Wood. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

435. (Case 399) To have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. Ann Davis.

436. Mary Ann Grant. to be visited by Mr. Hobson. may do without relief for the present

437. Cath. Redden who stated she resided at 244 Sayer St. is not found highest no. being 242

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438. Recd. from the Treasurer of Whitchurch, the Sum of Thirty seven Dollars, and fifty cents, being the Amount due this Institution for six Months suport of Adam Baker, ending with first Day of March 1859. New Market P.O.

439. Jane Horan, dismissed by order of the General Board, in Consequence, of her Violence and disobedience. see [Case] No. 7 1855.

Friday 19th Novbr 1858

Present The Revd. Dr. Green.

440. Ellen Rogers 76 Widow. R.C. Irish, to be put on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread

441. Honora Sullivan, Widow 30. 4 children, Boy 11 Girl 9. Boy 6. Boy 4. recommended by Mr. Ouillet. Irish. R.C. lives in Stanley St. to bring her number and to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

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442. Rosanna McClesh, see [Case] 405. has been visited to have 4 [pounds] p. Week. to have 1/4 Cord Wood.

443. Samuel Reed, his Wife and two children, just arrived from England have no means to suport themselves, they are young healthy People, recommended to go in the Country to have 8 [pounds] of Bread for the present. to be put on the List

444. Jane Lloyd See [Case] 428. has been visited by the Revd. Mr. Ouillett and recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

445. Margaret Nolan. 33. Married, husband in Hospital. Irish R.C. 3 children. Girl 8. Boy 4. Girl 12 Months old, lives on Adelaide St. to have 4 [pounds] Bread at present, and to bring her number before she can be put on the List. No. 51 1/2 Dutches [Duchess] Street.

446. Elizabeth Burns. Widow. 50. lives 42 Edward St. to have 4 [pounds] Bread and to be visited. reported that she can earn her own living. Mr. Hobson

447. Edward Craticott 40. English Ch. of Engl. has a Wife and Boy 6 years old is a Shoemaker by trade, Palsied. has been working for Mr. J. Hutchison Yonge St. to have 4 [pounds] Bread at present, and to be visited by Mr. Hobson. Mr. Hobson has visited, cant recommend the party.

448. Thomas Landey see [Case] 340 (1857) lives No. 60 Elizabeth St. to be visited by Mr. Hobson, and to have a loaf of Bread in the mean time.

449. William Bennett. Widower 54. English Ch. of Engl. seeks admission into the House for a Week or two to gather strength, to be admitted

450. Mary Turney Irish R.C. 50. Widow recommended by Mr. Ouillett. one loaf for the Day, and to bring her Number.

451. Bridget Drisscold See [Case] 422. to have one loaf of Bread.

452. Sarah Glenn. see [Case] 394. has been visited by Capt. Elmsley, recommended to have 6 [pounds] Bread.

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453. Jane Hammell 68 Widow Scotch Presbyterian to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present p. Week

454. Ann Wyatt. see 403. to have a loaf for to day.

455. Caroline Sanders, husband out of employment, Black Smith by trade, English. Ch of Engl. two Children, Girl 5. Girl 3 years old. to have a loaf and to be visited. A. Green

456. Novbr. 20th Thomas Wallace. 9 years of age, gone on trial for a Month, previous of being bound, with William Richardson. Farmer, Amaranth.

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Tuesday 23 Novbr. 1858.

Present Mr. Hobson and Mr. Thom

457. Mary Ann Grant Widow. Scotch. Presbt. 45 years of age. allowd 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

458. Jane Edwards. 17 Terauly St. 28 years of age, husband ill with stricture is not able to work, 3 Children, 9. 6. and 4 years of age. allowed 12 [pounds] of Bread for the present p. Week.

459. George Allan. 43 years of age. Scotch. Presbt. just come out of Hospital Taylor [tailor] by trade, no friends and not able to work much, to be admitted for the present.

460. Mary Harris. 187 Sayer St. Widow 53 years of age, Scotch Presbt. 2 children, Boy 12. Boy 7 years of age. makes a living by going out to Wash and Scrubbing. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

461. William Eldon, applied again for admission, has been an Inmate before, to be admitted for the present, until inquiry can be made, about his getting in to jail, the last time that he had leave to go out. See Case 378.

462. Thomas Landy. see 448. to be admitted again.

463. Eliza Clarke. Irish Presbt. 41 years of age 2 Children. Boy 6. Girl 4 years of age to be admitted til Friday, to have her Case enquir'd into.

464. Mary Starkey. Married. 39 years of age. Scotch Presbt. 3 children at home recommended by Mr. Tyner for 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood.

Friday Novbr. 26th 1858.

Present. Mr. Hobson

465. Elizabeth Munshaw, Widow. 35 years of age, Terauley St. Corner & Elm St. applies to have her little Girl Ema Jane, 7 years of age. taking into the House, untill, she can get a situation, to enable her to take her out again, the child to be admitted.

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466. Catherine Martin, Married, 40 years of age, 4 Children, Boy 13. Girl 8. Girl 6. Girl 4 years of age. Macgill St. recommended by Dr. Green, to be allowed 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, to bring her Number.

467. Owen Patten. 40. No. 82 Stanley St. has a Wife 30 years of age, 4 Children 7. 6. 4 & 13 Months of age. R.C. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. and to bring his Number. ^one dead since Dec. 24th^

468. Thomas Cook. Ch of Engl. 51. Widower, applies for relief, referred to Mr. Thom. and to have 4 [pounds] of Bread in the mean time. has been visited recommended to have 4 [pounds] p. Week.

469. Mary Bray. R.C. 23 years of age not married one child 6 Months old, No. 84 Stanley St. recommended by the Revd. Mr. Ouillet if she brings her Number, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

470. William Dixon, 50 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Wife and two children 9 & 7 years of age, has been in the general Hospital, is still taking Medicine not able to Work, recommended by Mr. Rutherford, referred to Mr. Thom and to have 4 [pounds] Bread, the mean time.

471. James Ross. 55 years of age. Colered, from Weston, seeks admission into the House, recommended to go back to Weston, have a loaf in the mean time.

472. George Grafton. 8 years of age, gone on trial with Mr. Jeremiah Padfield Farmer, Innisfield. Cherry Creek P.O.

473. Ellen Monn<sup>a</sup>ghan [Monaghan]. 11 years of age, R.C. gone on trial, previous of being bound.

474. Margaret Lewis. 6 Months a Widow one child a girl 9 and one 7 years of age. 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. Irish R.C. 313 Queen St. to have 1/3 cord Wood recommended by Mr. Thom.

Tuesday 30th Novbr 1858.

Present. Mr. Hobson and Mr. Woodsworth.

475. Mary McDenough. Ch. of Engl. No. 11 Maple Lane. 28 years of age. Married. Husband out of his mind. 3 Children under 7 years of age, applies for a little relief, Irish, to have 12 lbs. Bread p. Week.

476. Caroline Ryan, applies for a little Wood, lives at the Corner of Church and Stanley St. near Mr. Roddy the Bailiff.

477. Mathew Minnicks a Pensioner to be admitted again. See Case 92.

478. Jane Cummins. 40. Ireland. Ch. of Engl. Married. husband had leg kick'd by a Horse. 2 Children. Boy 10 and Boy 8 years of age. to have a loaf for the present. her case to be enquired into.

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479. Grace Langley. No. 152 Centre St. Widow. Irish. Ch. of Engl. 3 Children Girl 10. Girl 14. and one 16 years of age. just left the Hospital not able to work. to be put on the list for 6 [pounds] of Bread

480. Mary Coleclough recommended by Mr. Thom to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. See her Case 425. Mrs. Blairs Hotel Nelson St. No. 83.

481. Sophia Humphreys 41 years of age. Widow, English Ch. of Engl. 6 Children 14. 12. 10. 8. 4 and four months of age. to be put on the List for 12 [pounds] of Bread

482. James Gorley. English. Ch. of Engl. 65. Widower. applies for admission. to be admitted.

483. Joseph Walker. 60 years of age. English. Ch. of Engl. from Bellville. to go back to the same place.

484. John Davidson. Scotch Presbyt. Wife and 4 Children. 3 at home, Boy 11 Girl 10 and a Girl 8 years of age. No. 29 South Park St. 4 [pounds] pr. Week

Friday 3th Decembr 1858

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & Woodsworth

485. Johanna Kehoe. No. 143 Parklawn. Widow 36. 2 children Girls 8. 10 years of age. Irish. R.C. to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

486. Mary Black. Adelaide St. No. 29. Married. 37 years of age Scotch. Ch of Eng. 4 Children. Boy 15 Boy 13 Girl 9 Boy 4 years of age to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

487. Ann Rooke, Ireland. Ch of Eng. 30 years of age. not married. came to town from Newcastle to be admitted into the Inlying Hospital. to have one loaf p. Week until she can be admitted in that Institution

488. Ann Franklin. 26 years of age. Irish. R.C. 2 children, 2 years and one 11 Months of age. to have 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

489. Mary Keever. 63 years of age. Widow. Irish. Ch. of Engl. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

490. Charlotte Parker. 140 Elizabeth St. 70 years of age. Married. Colered. Methodist, New Connection. to have 4 [pounds] p. Week.

491. Eliza Thomas. 62. Widow. Colered. resides at Yorkville out of the Limits of the City.

492. Helen Fletsher. 70 years of age. Widow. Irish. Ch. of Engl. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

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Tuesday 7th Decembr 1858

Present Messrs. J.P. Battersby & J.T [T.J.] O'Neil

493. James Higgins 35 Irish R.C. has of [one] Wife Confined of a still born babe. he is a Ostler out of employment. has been Visited by Capt. Elmsley recommended for Bread. to have 4 lbs. Bread.

494. Johanna Kelly. 40. Irish. R.C. Married husband nearly Blind recommended by Mr. Tyner to 6 [pounds] of Bread.

495. Charlotte Wolsey 65. Widow. English. Ch. of Eng. four Children one at home a boy in Consumption recommended by Capt. Elmsley to 4 [pounds] Bread.

496. Alice Tracey 42. Widow Irish. R.C. 3 children Girl 15 Boy 11 one Boy 8 years of age, lives on Richmond St. near No. 133. visited by Mr. Tyner to have 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week back of Fossets Tavern

497. Margeret Hanrahan. 33. Newfoundland R.C. 5 children Girl 11 Boy 7 Boy 4, Girl 3. Baby 8 Months of age. Silvesters yard, east of Trinity St. recommended by Mr. O'Neil. to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

498. Bridget Riley. No. 52 Princes [Princess] St. 32. Irish R.C. husband 33 able to work 3 children James 11 John 4 Margaret 1 Month. to have 4 [pounds] Bread for to day only

499. Ann McMasterson 50. Ireland Ch of Engl. husband sick no family, to bring a line. and to have 4 [pounds] Bread to Day. ^No. 79 Caroline Street^

500. Ellen Kerr 40. Irish. R.C. Widow. one child a Boy 5 years of age. has been visited by Mr. Tyner. recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week. recommended for Wood by Mr. Tyner.

501. Phoeby Gray. 52. English. Ch of Engl. Widow. one child a girl 9 years of age. to produce a recommendation from the Rev. Mr. Sanson, to have a loaf to day, before she gets any more to bring a line, to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. ^Week^

502. Margeret Shirlock. 31. Widow Irish. R.C. four Children Girl 17 at Service. Girl 7. Boy 5. Girl 3 years of age, to have 4 [pounds] Bread for the day. Capt. Elmsley's report is that he thinks her of a kindred spirit of her Nighbors, which are not very respectable, but recommends her, for bread and Wood on account of her children

503. Mary Toomey 50. Widow. Irish. R.C. has been visited by Capt. Elmsley, she is to have some Wood as soon as it is giving out.

504. Elizabeth Mundie 34 husband away from her, Irish. R.C. four Children. from the County of York. no claim upon this Institution.

505. Elizabeth Evans, returned back to the House. from Mrs. Berry.

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December 8th 1858

506. A male child about 3 years old, brought to the House in starving Condition, by Constable John Alexander No. 29 by order of Mr. Hudson deputy chief, the Mother committed to jail, but not allowed to take the Child in with her. the Mother's Name Honora Manigan ^{taken away by his Mother January 18/59}^.

507. Mary Kelly. 30 years old. Irish R.C. Husband deserted her in the Summer of 1857 and she has not heard from him since, has one child 18 Months old. She goes out Washing, but can't get sufficient Work to keep her, No. 62 Stanley St. recommended by Capt. Elmsley. Ward Visitor. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, Wood and Soup. J. Elmsley.

508. Honora Boyle. Widow. 60, Irish. Catholic 2 children at home Boy 19 and Boy 15, willing and all able to Work, can't get it to do at present, have been supporting theys [their] Mother all the summer, Visited

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by Capt. Elmsley recommended for Wood and Bread. No. 62 Stanley St. the eldest Boy to saw Wood for the relief they get.

509. Catharine Martin 40. Husband 63. and an old Man at that; having lived, and still lives fast. 5 Children. Boy 17 at service, and he pays the Rent. Boy 15 Wandering about, a bit of a Loafer, Girl 8. Girl 6. Girl 4 very sickely. Visited by Capt. Elmsley. Ward Visitor recommends for Wood.

510. Mary Henley. 36 years old Ch of Engl. Irish her husband, and Son 10 years old, went to work on Grand Trunk, and four Months ago an explosion took place, in which it is supposed they both perished, a Boy 7 at home, Deformed by a fall on Board Ship. Capt. Elmsley has visited her, and recommends Wood and Bread, on account of her giving shelter to a poor old Widow. Ann Ryan, who is in a rapid decline. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

511. Eliza Gunson Widow. 62 years old. Irish. Ch. of Eng. goes out washing, Work scarce, she is represented to be industrious. Visited by Mr. Hobson. Ward Visitor and recommended for Bread. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week

512. Eliza West. Married 53 years old Irish. Ch of Engl. Husband in Consumption, Confined to his bed for the last two years, Son 19 years old out of Work some Months. Girl 17 in Service. The Mother is very industrious but obliged to attend to her husband. Visited by Mr. Hobson. Ward Visitor. Mr. H. recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. No. 46 Elizabeth St. to be put on the list

513. George Needham. Cut and split a Cord of fire Wood, for which he is to receive 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week for a Month.

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514. Ellen Fitzpatrick. Widow. 70. Irish. ^R.^ Catholic 12 years in the City has been visited by Mr. Thom, Ward Visitor, recommends a little assistance to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

515. Bridget Halaran. Widow 60. Irish. Catholic. 5 years in the City, same room with the above in a Cellar. recommended by Mr. Thom.

516. Jane Heney. 30 years old. Irish. Ch of Engl. husband left her last harvest. 3 Children, Margaret 5. Sarah 3. Emily 5 Months. has been 10 years in Canada, one year in this City. Mr. Thom thinks that it is perhaps necessary to give a little assistance. to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week recomd. for Wood by Mr. Thom.

Friday Decbr. 10th 1858

Present. Mr. E. Hobson. & Mr. J.T. [T.J.] O'Niel

517. Mary White. See [Case] 410. Came to see her child, and tendered [dollars] 2.00 towards the support thereof, the Committee accepted of one and returned the other

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518. Thomas Begg. 40 years old. Wife very sick, ever since they were burnt out last year. Kirk of Scotland. 5 children. Girl 14. Boy 9. Boy 7. Girl 5. Girl 3. the eldest girl has been at Service, but in consequence of the Mothers protracted illness, she had to come home again. T.B. is a Shoemaker by trade. He is highly recommended by Mr. Stayner, to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. ^Wood & Soup^

519. Robert Quegley. applied for admission again, the Committee think that he is not a fit Case to be taking in to the House, the House being full at present, and Cases on the List, before him to be taking in.

520. David Carr. 18 years old. from the Hospital. Consumption, has been living in Yorkville about five years, can not be taking into this House, as it is full at present, and him not belonging to the City, must go to Yorkville to be provided for.

521. The following have been sent likewise from the Hospital Robert Quigley. Mary Ann Creighton. Blind, belongs in the Country. James Kennedy, and Mathew Lead. The Committee are obliged to send them back, as it is impossible to Crowd them in the House at present.

522. Margaret Duffy. Widow. 40 years old. Irish. Catholic. one year in the City 3 Children. Mary 18 years old, a likely Girl fit for service. James 14. Carries parcels for a Merchant. Catharine 4 years old. Mr. Thom visited, had the information from the Daughter, the Mother not being at home at the time lives in the rear of No. 107. Nelson St.

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December 13th 1858

522 1/2. Catharine Murphy. 51 years old. Widow 5 years. Seems to be a respectable person. Apartment poor but tidy. 3 children. Girl 18 at service, but unable to help her Mother yet, as she has only just come out, and her wages go to clothe her decently in her new place. Boy 16. Worked with Farmers all the Summer, but is now out of employment. Boy 10. seeking fuel. No friends in Canada. Will bring recommendation from Mr. Heywood her Landlord. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, Ward Visitor recommended for Bread & fuel. Catholic. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and the usual Allowance of Wood.

523. Margaret Trenor. 35. Widow 6 Months. 3 Children. See [Case] 393. has been visited by Capt. Elmsley, recommended the Mother on account of the poor children. 6 [pounds] Bread Soup

524. Margaret Jones. 39. Widow 3 Months. Catholic. 8 Children all at home, Boy 17. Boy 14. Boy 12. Girl 11. Girl 8. Boy 7. Boy 6 and Boy 2 years old. the oldest Boy has been employed all the Summer, but business being slack he is now out of employment. She is a very industrious Woman, when she can get Work to do. Capt. Elmsley has visited, and recommends her highly for a good allowance of Bread & Wood. to have 12 [pounds] Bread p. Week and Wood when giving out, to have Wood.

Tuesday 14th December 1858

Present Mr. E. Hobson & R. Cathcart



525. Margaret Saulkey. see [Case] 299. Lately from the Hospital, recommended by Mrs. Grasett, as a fit subject to be taking in the House. to be admitted. ^left on her own account^

526. James Miller, an Inmate. See [Case] 317. He is desirous of leaving the House, and live with his son, who works for Mr. Jaques & Hay's. at [dollars] 2.50 p. Week. if he could get a little assistance from the House, to be allowed 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week and the usual allowance of Wood, & Soup.

527. Joseph Nox. a full Orphan. Canadian. Ch of Engl. 11 years old, has no friends or relatives, wishes to be taking in to the House, and to be apprenticed out, according to the Rules, thereof.

528. Margeret Keef. 30 years old. Married. Irish Catholic. has two children Boy 4. Girl 2 years old. Husband gone to the States. She sells fish or aples, Washes when she can get it, has been 4 years in the City. 34 Duches [Duchess] St. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

529. Sarah Linch. 77 years of age. Irish. Catholic. Widow. 28 years in the City, needs help. has been visited by Mr. Thom, recommended for Bread & Wood, to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week, for self and the Woman that goes [does] her errands.

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530. Mary Joyce. Irish. ~~Catholic~~ Ch of Engl, has been 4 years in the City, has been living with Reeves the Baker for two years, been in Hospital with disease of the Heart, not fit for work. Visited by Mr. Thom & recommended. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. 22 years of age. to have 4 [pounds] Bread

531. Honora Keleher, 22 years old. Irish. Catholic. 2 children. Boy 4. Girl 18 Months old husband gone to the U. States 6 Weeks ago, looking for Work. seven years in the City, her Mother Honora Sweeny lives with her. Visited by Mr. Thom and recommended to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

532. Amilia Simmonds. 67 years old. Widow. Irish. Ch of Engl. Two Daughters Widow's, both in situations, assist to pay the rent. two Orphans Boy 11 and Boy 6 years of age lives in a house in rear of No. 7 McMahon St. Visited by Mr. Thom, and recommended to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week & Wood when giving out.

533. Edward Cradicott. 40 years of age. Married. Irish. Ch of Engl. Paralysed. the Wife strong and willing to work if she could obtain it. 1 Child a Boy 6 years. Cradicott will cut Wood for Bread. has been visited by Mr. Hobson, he is to cut a Cord of Wood, and get 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week for a month.

534. Catharine OBrien. Widow 54. Irish Catholic, living with the above Family, in bad health. Visited by Mr. Hobson and recommended for Bread. 4 [pounds] p. W. [week]

535. Elizabeth Truss. Colered. Widow. 75 years of age. Methodist. Daughter 30 Grand daughter 4 years of age. 45 Park Lane. Visited by Mr. Hobson, recommended for Bread. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

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536. Margaret Turner, back of 55 Centre St. lives by begging. not at home when cal'd upon. Visited by Mr. Hobson.

537. Mary Folster. 34 years old. Married. Irish. Catholic. 5 Children. Boy 12. Boy 10. Girl 6. Boy 4. Boy 14 Months old. No. 96 Boulton St. to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. has been visited by Mr. Tyner. an allowance of Wood for the Winter.

558. Mary Steward. Husband a bad leg but can saw Wood. 5 Children. Boy 12. Girl 11 Blind. Girl 9. Girl 5 and Boy 3 years of age. Scotch Free Church. Visited by Dr. Lett, and recommended, to be put on the List for 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

559. Mary Finch. 39 years old. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. 3 children. Boy 10. Boy 5. and Boy 3 years old. No. 22 Centre St. Visited by Mr. Hobson, to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

560. Joseph Nox. gone on trial, with Jacob Parson Mabree. Farmer Albion.

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Decbr. 16th 1858

561. Mary Short 50. Widow. Irish. Catholic. 3 Children. oldest Boy 20 in the States. Boy 18 in the Country. Girl 11 at home, light in the head. recommended by Dr. Lett. to have 6 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week

562. Mary McAnnally 40. Irish. Ch of Engl. no Children at home, has a bad arm, not able to work, has been visited by Mr. Hobson. recommended for Bread. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

563. Rebecca King. 81 Agnes St. Widow. Colored. Baptist. 40 years of age, 2 children Boy 5. girl 1 year, bad foot, not able to work, requires relief. has been Visited by Mr. Hobson. to have 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

564. Catharine Murrey, 40 years of age. Married. Irish. Catholic. husband not been able to work for some time past. 2 Children. girl 7 Boy 8 years of age. has been visited by Mr. Hobson. recommended.

565. Betsey Cornell. 78 Sayer St. Widow. Cold. [Coloured] 75 years of age. 3 daughters young Women, 2 grand children 2 & 7 years of age. Cannot find Work, appear verry poor. Visited by Mr. Hobson, Recommended 8 [pounds] per W. [week]

566. Martha Ann Webb. same room with the above and in the same wretched State. Widow Cold. [Coloured] 2 young Children will require assistance Visited by Mr. Hobson. 6 [pounds] bread per week. ^To be struck of [off] the List for keeping a disorderly House in Company with Cornell the above.^

567. Thomas Bleney. Married Irish. Ch of Engl. 88 years of age. Wife very infirm not able to do any thing for herself, daughter 24 has to attend on her Mother, has neither Wood or Bread except what is giving by their Neighbours. has been Visited by Mr. Hobson, and recommended.



568. Mary Donner. 50 years old. English. Ch of Engl. deserted by her husband. 2 children. Boy 16 away from her. Boy 9 at home. has been Visited by Mr. Thom and recommended for four [pounds] Bread per Week. Caroline St. Mr. Arnolds House where Mr. Widows lived.

Friday 17th Decbr. 1858

Present Mr. E. Hobson. Mr. R. Cathcart & Capt. J. Elmsley.

569. Julia Mahon Widow. 35. Irish. Catholic. 2 children Boy 10. Girl 7. No. 76 Simco [Simcoe] St. to go to Mr. Tyner and be visited

570. Catherine Galvin. Widow. 28. Irish. Catholic. 1 girl 7 years of age. back of No. 38 Centre St. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week

571. Mary Lavell. 32. Widow. Irish. Catholic. 2 Children. Girl 10 Boy 4 years of age. No. 82 Stanley St. Has been visited by Capt. Elmsley found her not at home. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

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572. Bridget Maguire. 22 Irish. Catholic. wishes to be admitted into the House. to be admitted, to make herself usefull.

573. Ann Holborn. See [Case] 315. seeks admission into the House, as she is in a very delicate state of health. To be admitted, and to make herself usefull.

574. Emily Cooper. has been an Inmate, before, English. Ch of Engl. 30. Widow seeks admission into the House again, to make herself usefull, and to be admitted.

575. John W. Arnold. deaf and dumb. English. has been in the Hospital sent here by the Mayor, to be admitted into the House, after Mr. Spreull, Mon. [Monaghan?] Ireland.

576. Thomas Douglas, 61 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Lost his Wife and Children 5 years ago in the Colera [Cholera], sent here by the Mayor, to be admitted.

577. Mary Egan. Irish. ^R.^ Catholic. Widow. 50 years of age. 1 Boy 14 years of age both Mother and Son are willing to have him bound out to a Farmer. Visited by Mr. Thom, and recommended for Wood, on Condition that the Boy goes out. to have Wood when giving out.

578. Eliza McNamara. Irish. ^R.^ Catholic. Widow. 3 children. Boy 6, Boy 4, Boy 2 years old Visited by Mr. Thom, recommended, for Wood when giving out 1/4 Cord p. Month. to come back on Friday, she and the above live in one House.

579. Bridget Henesey. Widow 40 years of age Irish. Catholic two children, Girl 8 Boy 6. has 3 small Loaves from St. Pauls, Visited by Mr. Thom, who recommends 1/4 Cord Wood p. Month, when giving out.

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580. Ellen Casey. 27. Irish. R. Catholic, one child 11 Months old. (husband out of his mind in the House of Providence). Visited by Mr. Thom, recommends Wood when giving out, to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

581. Mary Rogers. (in the same House with Ellen Casey) Irish. Catholic, almost blind, husband 66 years of age unfit for Work, one Boy 4 years old. Visited by Mr. Thom, recommends 4 [pounds] Bread, and Wood when giving out. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. to have 1/4 Cord Wood and divide with the above. (Ellen Casey)

582. Ann Cooper. Widow 46 years of age. Ch of Engl. in the City 5 years 3 children. Girl 16 does a little at Bookbinding, perhaps two days in the Week, Boy 4. Boy 10 years. Visited by Mr. Thom, recommended for Wood as soon as giving out.

583. Mary Donner, 50. English. Ch of Engl. left her husband in England who was out of his mind, which was the Cause of her coming out here, has one Boy 9 years of age. lives in Mr. Arnolds House in the Cresscent.

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584. Catharine Gormand. No. 45 Nelson St. no such person there. (Foy & Austins Store)

585. Margaret Brien. No. 57 Duches [Duchess] St. is empty no person living in it.

586. Honora ONiel. Widow. 36. Irish. Catholic. Sells Fish and Apl. [apples] anything she can get to make something of. lives in Bethunes Lane.

Ellen Fletcher formerly reported.

587. Mary Shine. 23. Irish. Catholic husband 25. labourer, wrought with Mr. Renal last Summer who went away owing them 12 Dollars, and the Landlord from whom they rented the House they formerly lived in, took everything from them for rent. so they are badly off. Visited by Mr. Thom. recommends the Husband to cut some Wood for the House, allowed 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

The above three live in one House together [586 & 587].

588. Bridget Dean. 35. husband near 40 years old Irish. Catholic. They are poor and bad off. 6 children Ann 12. Sarah 10. Thomas 8. Margaret 6. Mary 4. Elizabeth 2 years old, five years about the City. Visited by Mr. Thom. recommends the husband to cut Wood. allowed 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

589. Mary Derrough, Irish Catholic. 2 children. her mother Alice ONeil lives with her. 1 Boy 10 and one 3 years old. Husband in Penitentiary. Visited by Mr. Tyner, to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

590. Mary Jennings. has been visited by Mr. Tyner, recommended for Bread to have 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week. Widow. 45. Irish. Catholic. 3 children Boy 10. Boy 7. Boy 3. 8 [pounds] at present by the Weekly Committee on recommendation of Mr. Tyner. Decbr. 21.

591. Ann Power. husband not able to work. Visited by Mr. Tyner. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

592. Eliza Jane White died this Morning at 2 O Clock See [Case] 356.

593. Mary Berry. old Wellington Hotel, Irish. Catholic. has one Daughter at Service. Widow. Makes a very good living in the Market as Huckster, heard a bad account of her, is rather fond of drink, and keeps bad Company. visited by Supt.

594. Rose Kelly. No. 559. can not be found, the highest Number King St. east South side is 485.

595. Sarah Williams. Widow 58 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. has formerly been an Inmate of this House, not altogether a sane Person, she lives with a Family by the name of Spinks, she works about the House for her Bread, but now the man being out of Employment, she has not sufficient to keep her without a little assistance.

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596. ~~Mary~~ ^Rebecca^ Amos. 44 Emma St. Widow 70 years of age. Cold. [Coloured] Methodist Daughter 23 years. 6 grand children 2. 4. 6. 7. 9. 11 years of age. has been 4 years in Toronto, support themselves by Washing seem industrious. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week and 1/4 Cord Wood on Friday.

596 1/2. Margaret Donovan, represented to reside at 46 Sayer St. no such number to be found.

597. Frances Hawkins. 126 Elizabeth St. marrd. [married] Colored. 37 years of age, husband in the Country ill. 6 Children 15. 13. 11. 9. 7. and 5 years of age, she will require relief for a few Weeks, Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and Wood on Friday to have 8 [pounds] Bread.

598. Margaret Conner, lives in Bethune's lane 2nd. Door from George St. Irish. Catholic. 44 years of age, husband away two weeks looking for work has 4 children. John 14. Ellen 11. Bridget 5. Margaret 3 years. she sells Apl. [apples] sometimes and the children gather stiks Visited by Mr. Thom, leaves the Committee to decide on his report. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. for the present.

599. Bridget Burns. lives opposite 68 Caroline St. Irish. Catholic. 40 years of age. four years a Widow. 2 children. Patrick 9. John 7. she appears to be industrious and clean, washes a little when can get it. Visited by Mr. Thom, recommends 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and Wood when giving out. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

600. Ann Gardener. ground floor 68 Caroline St. Irish. Ch of Engl. two years a Widow. 4 children. Ellen 12. Elizabeth 9. James 5. Thomas 3 years. Visited by Mr. Thom who recommends 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and 1/4 Cord Wood p. M. [month] to have 4 [pounds] for the present until more enquiry.

601. Rosina Shepherd. husband left her two years ago when living in the States. She came then to Toronto. Irish. Catholic. 27 years of age, 2 children Wm. 5. Frank 2 years. Works when she can get it. pedles a little in Summer. Visited by Mr. Thom. recommends 1/4 Cord Wood p. Month.

602. Ellen Mead. back of Parkers Grocery McMahon St. She lives in a disreputable House, where the Police had to visit, and take away disorderly Characters both husband and Wife drinks, when they can raise two pence to get w gil. Visited by Mr. Thom, who thinks that if Mead likes to come and cut Wood, to give him a little Wood, but not without.

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604. Sarah Harahy 39 Widow. Girl 19. obliged to leave her place to work at Tailoring for her Mothers support. Girl 8 at service for Board & Clothing. Boy 7. Boy 5 sickly. Catholic. The whole Family are delicate she gets some washing but not much, She keeps her House, herself and children clean, her Landlord says she is a quiet decent Woman Capt. Elmsley has visited, and recommends Bread & Wood ^6 [pounds] bread^

605. Ann Ryan 53. Widow in delicate health, Boy 11. With a Dairy Man. No friends in Canada, clean in person and apartment Catholic. Neighbours speak well of her. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends Wood and Bread. To have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. to have 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

606. Betsey McCarty. 50 Widow, has a poor reputation amongst the Neighbours. Face an index of her habits of Life. 2 Sons in Kingston grown up, and one in Scarboro hired to a farmer. Catholic as she says, but folks say that she is a Protestant to Mrs. Grasett, or any other Church, as it suits the occasion. Capt. Elmsley has Visited, but cannot recommend.

607. Ellen Carroll. 28. Husband in Hospital these three Months. Red face. Boy 5. Boy 3. No friends in Toronto. Catholic. Lodges in decent apartments. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends Bread only.

Tuesday 21st Decbr. 1858.

Present Mr. Allan & Mr. Rowell.

608. Robert Perry. 60. Irish. Presbt. no Family. applies for admission into the House, the House full at present, Mr. Allan will employ him cutting Wood.

609. John Laury. 34. Irish Ch of Eng. nearly blind his Case to be brought before the general Board. Bachelor. admitted into the House on the 21st Debr.

610. Sarah Barns to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week. See [Case] 397.

611. Mathew Bolan 35. Irish. Catholic, Wife and 2 children, 5 & 2 years. stout and hearty, but out of work, has been Visited by Mr. Tyner, recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread and Wood, to have 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

612. Johanna McMahon. 40. Widow. Irish. Catholic. one child at home, has been Visited by Mr. Tyner, for 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. Committee think 4 [pounds] p. Week enough at present.

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613. Elizabeth Gray. 60 years of age, husband 80. No children at home Irish. Methodist. Visited by Mr. Tyner recommended for 4[pounds]of Bread and some Wood, to have 4 [pounds] Bread for the present p. Week. 27 Adelaide St.

614. Mary Walsh & Catharine Fitzpatrick, have been visited by Mr. Tyner, who recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread, in place of 6 [pounds] for the two, and some Wood. to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

615. Ellen Kerr. see [Case] 500. recommended by Mr. Tyner for Wood.

616. Mary McDonald see [Case] 295. recommended by Mr. Tyner for Wood.

617. Catharine Lahy. 32. Widow. Irish. Catholic. one Boy 13 years of age. has been visited by Mr. Tyner who recommends Bread. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. 132 Richmond St.

618. Bridget McNurty. 37. Widow. Irish. Catholic. one child. visited by Mr. Tyner. Recommended for Bread and Wood. to have 4 [pounds] Bread per Week.

619. Eliza Bennett. see [Case] 427. Cannot have an increase of Bread.

620. Patrick Murphy. See [Case] 247. Cannot have an increase of Bread.

621. Catharine Fahey. 40. Widow. Catholic. 4 Children. Girl 15 at service [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month. Girl 12 at School. Boy 14 at Leaders office [dollars] 1 1/2 a Week. Boy 9 at School the two children earning Wages pay her rent, and assist her a little in other things. She used to get some scrubbing and Washing, but there failing she sells Apl. [apples] at the Railway station. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who has been acquainted with her for several years, and recommends her, as a sober, clean and decent person. She wants a little Wood.

622. Patrick Lindsay. 56. looks more like 70. Bachelor, broken down constitution badly ruptured. His Brother supported him, but Death deprived him of that support last Week. And he is now entirely destitute. James Farrell with whom he lives has been verry kind to him, and give Wood, Bread & Soup, will still give him houserom and a Bed. has been Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends, Wood, Bread & Soup. Presbyt.

623. Mary McCarty. 24. Irish. Catholic. 2 Children. Girl 2 years and Boy 10 Months. two months ago while breaking Stone a piece flew into his Eye and he was, until a few days ago, quite unable to work, and another man finished his toise [*lineal measurement, approx. 1.949 metres*, Oxford English Dictionary], since that, no more Stone is to be broken up, and no other

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work is to be had, has been Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends, Wood, Bread and Soup. They are clean tidy people. ^To cut wood for relief^ to have Bread for the Week.

624. Ann Lahey. 36. Widow. Irish. Catholic. no children. Very red now. dissipated and haggard look. Seems asthmatic. Lives with a family named Hallaron the man was in bed at eleven a.m. seemingly in a state of inebriety. Visited by Capt. Elmsley. Represents their place, as a horrid den, and filthy in the extreme. Leaves the Committee to judge about this Case.

625. Margaret Sweeney. Widow 30. one Boy 7 at School, sells Apl. [apples] at the Post Office, but the cold weather having brought on a return of very sore Eyes, she can not continue that business. No friends in Canada. lives in the same den with the above, but seems a decent person. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends Wood only.

626. Julia Adams. 27. one child. Husband deserted her two years ago, about the time of her Confinement. He was a great Drinker, She has until lately been able to support herself and child decently by her needle, now she can get no work. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends her for Wood, Bread and Soup.

627. Bridget Mulraney. Irish. ^R.^ Catholic. 33. Girl 7. and Baby in Arms, Husband deserted her 6 Months ago, her neighbours say her trade is that of professional beggar, lives in a horrible den not fit for pigs. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who will not recommend this Case.

628. Catharine Ryan. 60. Widow. Irish. ^R.^ Catholic. 2 Children. Girl 18 [at] [dollars] 3. Girl ^20^ in place [at] [dollars] 4 a Month. Decent and clean in person & apartment, but quite unable to work, except to knit. Erysipelas in the head, very bad at times. Her girls pay her Rent, and help her a little besides. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends Wood only, as that is all they ask for.

629. Edward Barrell. 93 South Park St. 36 years of age, Wife 35 nearly blind Canadian. Free Presbt. 7 Children. Girl 15 deaf & dumb. Boy 13. Boy 8 deaf and dumb. Girl 6. Boy 4. Girl 3. Boy 4 Months old. the Wife seems in a very bad state of health, husband out of Work, able and willing to do so, but can not get any thing to do. Some of the children go to School.



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630. Emma Burke. 50 Edward St. Cold. [Coloured] Bapt. Ch. husband left her two years, Visited by Mr. Hobson, who thinks she is well able to provide for herself.

631. Nancy McFall. 76 Sayer St. Widow. Ch of Engl. 40 years of age. Boy 8 years she is in bad health. visited by Mr. Hobson who recommends 4 [pounds] Bread and some Wood.

632. Catharine Conner 76 Sayer St. same house but not the same room. Widow Irish. Ch of Engl. 40 years of age. Daughter 10. Industrious, but can't get work. visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends Wood.

633. Catharine McDonald. Spencers Lane. back of 80 Sayer St. Widow. Irish. Catholic. 45 years of age. 3 children. 16. 12 & 9 years of age, the two eldest from home, Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends Wood, as she can get no work to do.

634. Mary Gormley. Same house as the above. Widow. Irish. Ch of Engl. 33 years of age. 2 children 11 & 5 years old. Industrious. but no work. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood

635. Ann Ellis same room as the above. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married 50 years old. states her husband not able to work. Boy 8. Known to Mr. Rowell. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread. to have 4 [pounds] per Week

636. Julia Burton. Spencers lane. Widow. Irish. Catholic. 30 years of age. 3 children. 7. 5 & 3 years old. Works at Shoebinding, when she can get it. Visited by Mr. Hobson who thinks that she is deserving of assistance, and recomd. for Wood & 8 [pounds] Bread.

637. Harriett Morris. 155 Sayer St. Married. English. Ch. of Engl. 43 years of age 5 children 1. 3. 6 & twins 9 years of age. Husband Labourer and willing to work, in great distress, seem deserving People. Visited by Mr. Hobson recommends 8 [pounds] Bread & Wood. husband to cut Wood for it. to have 8 [pounds] Bread & Wood

638. Judy Ryan. 57 Loisa [Louisa] St. Widow. Irish. Catholic. not at home when called upon, the House appears comfortable, she has a good mangle, and pays [dollars] 5 p. Month rent. 2 children. Boy 20. ^2^ [22?] Girl 13 years of age, Visited by Mr. Hobson, who thinks they may do without assistance.

639. Eliza Fern. 14 Elizabeth St. Widow 26 Irish Ch of Engl. Girl 6. Boy 2 years old appears a clean industrious Woman. Visited by Mr. Hobson, recomd. Wood and 4 [pounds] Bread.

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640. Eliza Higgins 48 Elizabeth St. Widow 37. English Ch of Engl. 3 children. 2 at home Boy 7 and girl 9 years of age, seems a respectable industrious Woman, Visited by Mr. Hobson recomd. her for Cut Wood.

641. Mary Morris. 108 Elizabeth St. Widow 61 years of age. Irish. Catholic. daughter 16 years of age, but not able to do much Work, in consequence of a burn in her side and arm. Visited by Mr. Hobson, recomd. Cut Wood.

642. Mary Good. back of 55 Centre St. Married 34. Irish. Ch of Engl. 5 children 1. 6. 8. 11. & 12 years of age. husband a strong man has been out of Work a long time, appear in great distress Visited by Mr. Hobson, recomd. for Wood & Bread if he cuts Wood for it.

643. Margaret Brien. 37 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. Catholic. stops with James Macks family, in fine weather used to peddle Apl. [apples] & cakes. 15 years a widow, 3 years in Toronto. Visited by Mr. Thom, recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood.

644. Margaret McCarty. lives in John Hinchy's House, with his family along with Alice Anderson in Ryan's back yard No. 41 lane North of Sydenham St. Irish. Catholic. 30 years of age one child. Boy 3 years old. 3 years a Widow. she washes when she can get it. Visited by Mr. Thom. recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood

645. Bridget McCarty ^40^ 38 Power St. Irish Catholic. her husband was killed, with the fire Engine on George St. four years ago. 2 children. John 7 Bridget 3 years Visited by Mr. Thom, recomd. for 4 [pounds] Bread and Wood. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week & Wood.

646. Mary Boylan. 122 Duke St. Widow Irish. Catholic. her husband was drowned on the 6th May last. she is 32 years one child 8 Months. her Brother and her live together, he is a Sailor out of Work. Visited by Mr. Thom, leaves the Case to Committee ^to cut wood^

647. Catharine Brennan. Corner of Pine & Queen St. she left the place 12 days ago, Landlord is glad they are gone, as they used to have a great deal of Company

648. Dolly Gane. Widow 69. Irish. Catholic. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood.

649. Mary Curby. 438 King St. 35 Irish. Catholic. 4 children. Girl 10. Girl 8. Girl 4. and Girl 12 Month old. 5 years in Toronto. John Brennan Wife and one Child lives in the same place with them, and another young Woman stops with them, Visited by Mr. Thom, who leaves the case to the Committee.

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650. Sarah Clemens 144 Duke St. Irish. Ch. Of Eng. 69 years of age, 18 years in Toronto Widow. Jane Thompson a grand child 23 years of age, stops with her, who sews to support them. Mr. Thom recomd. for 1/4 Cord Wood p. Month.

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651. Mary Stuart. Irish. Catholic. 43. husband left four months ago, looking for Work. 3 children. Girl 14 at Service, Boy 12 and Boy 8 years old, lives in Blairs Yard Nelson St. She washes when she can get it, Stops in the same House with Michael Limasny they all cook at one Stove. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread

652. Catharine Gorman. Blairs yard Nelson St. Catholic. Irish. 30 years of age husband a labourer, two weeks away looking for Work, 3 children. Girl 5. Boy 3. and Boy 2 years old. Mr. Thom recomd. for 4 [pounds] Bread and 1/4 Cord wood p. month.

653. Decbr. 24th Died this day of delerium tremors, Thomas Douglas. See [Case] 576

Friday 24th Decbr. 1858

Present Messrs. Rowell, G.W. Allan & E. Hobson

654. Esther Cox, 126 John St. 60 years of age. 3 Children. 18. 14 & 12 years of age Ch. Of Engl. Cant get Work, has another Widow living with her, recommended by Mr. Tyner for Wood & Bread.

655. Catherine Moore, 121 Adelaide St. Widow. Catholic, one Daughter 17 all but blind. recommended by Mr. Tyner to get help. for the present.

656. Sarah Noble, 121 Adelaide St. a young Woman with a babe, Visited by Mr. Tyner, who thinks her not married, but recommends her for help during the winter.

657. John Nolan 129 Tecumseth St. has a strong Wife, 2 small children, and a lad about 16, but has very sore eyes, on account of which he had to leave his place. Mr. Tyner recommends for Wood & Bread.

658. William Dixon. See [Case] 470. Gets 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week, by Mr. Tyner recomd. For Wood.

659. Mary Slavan 273 Queen St. recomd. by Mrs. Gurnett, she is a Widow 49. no children. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood. to have 1/4 Cord of Wood. R.C. Irish.

660. Anne Kirk 273 Queen St. Widow 55. no children. Mr. Tyner thinks her a proper ^person^ for a little Wood. Irish R.C.

661. Mary Butler 273 Queen St. seems verry poor, wants a little wood.

The last 3 cases [659, 660, 661] live in the same House, in different rooms.

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662. William Anderson, died this day of debility (see [Case] 257.)

663. Mary Kenney. 23. Married. Irish. Catholic. 3 children. 5. 3. and 8 Months old. highly recomd. by Mr. Gurnett, the husband is sent to jail for a fortnight for stealing a stick of Wood or two, Mr. Thom visited and recomd. Wood & bread. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. week, & 1/4 Cord of Wood.

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664. Mrs. Scott No. 8 North St. back of Roman Catholic Church, Clover Hill. Married 66 years of age. paralysed, not able to work, was an inmate of this Institution last Winter. Wife a Monthly Nurse, she appears a clean industrious Woman but no work, Irish. Ch of Engl. 4 children. boy 14. Girl 15. Girl 16. and Girl 18 years of age, all from home, children pay the rent. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week and 1/4 Cord Cut Wood p. Month.

665. Mary Ann Herming. same House as the above. Widow 30 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl one Daughter 4 years of age, lives by sewing but in bad health, clean in person and tidy in place. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and 1/4 Cord Cut Wood p. Month.

666. Eliza Davies. 29 Centre St. Widow Colored. 36 years of age. Methodist. 3 children. girl 20 boy 6 & girl 2 years of age appear to be industrious. Visited by Mr. Hobson who recomd. Cut Wood.

667. Bridget Williams. 75 Sayer St. Irish. Ch of Engl. husband labourer, but out of work. 2 children. boy 3. boy 1 year of age. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who thinks they may do without assistance

668. Sophia Dew. 75 Sayer St. Widow 37. English. Ch of Engl. 4 Children. boy 17. boy 15. boy 13. Girl 12 at home, in bad health, boys away. Visited by Mr. Hobson who recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week & 1/2 Cord Wood p. Month.

669. Priscilla Cook. 36 Osgoode St. Marrd. [married] 36 years of age. English. Ch of Engl. in a bad state of health on account of burns. 2 children. girl 14. boy 2 years, husband left. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who thinks them a very distressing Case, and recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread & Cut Wood. 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week 1/4 Cord Cut Wood

670. Margaret Hopkins. 120 Sayer St. two Sons and daughters grown up, can do very well without assistance. Visited by Mr. Hobson.

671. Margaret Tansy. 25 Elizabeth St. Married. 55 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl husband a very bad leg, not been able to do much work on that account. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends a little Wood, if he works for it. ^wood delivered^.

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672. Margaret Wilson. 227 Sayer St. no person of that name known there.

673. Eliza Thomas. 210 Centre St. Widow. say's she is 82 years of age lives with her Son and daughter. Baptist Colored. Visited by Mr. Hobson, wants the Son to cut Wood, for a little Wood.

674. Mary Ann Anderson. 10 Elizabeth St. Widow 40 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. badly cut hand, not able to work until she is better. Visited by Mr. Hobson who recommends Wood cut.

675. Margt. Magrath. 23. Husband deserted her 9 Months ago. Girl 3. Girl 6 Months sickly. ^R.^ Catholic herself. Protestant husband. All her friends in Ireland. Gains something by Washing Scrubbing and

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sewing, but very little of that to do now. Seemingly a decent sober young Woman, clean in her person apartment and children. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who found several dissolute young men in an adjoining apartment. recommends for Wood Bread & Soup.

676. Margaret McLean. 55. Widow. Catholic. Boy 12 with a farmer for his Board and Clothing. No friends in Canada, Sober, decent appearance. Patk. Sheady's Wife gives her a bed free of charge. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends Wood bread & Soup. ^41 Stanley St.^

677. Ellen Healy. 37. Irish. ^R.^ Catholic. husband deserted her 8 Months ago, Boy 12. Girl 10. Boy 8. Boy 7. ^& 2 1/2^ No friends in Canada. tries to get some scrubbing but cannot. has a sore Arm, looks dissipated, not clean in person or apartment or children. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends her for the sake of her four children, for Wood Bread & Soup.

678. Honora Sullivan. 30. Widow. ^R.^ Catholic. Irish. Boy 11. Girl 9. Boy 6. Boy 4, decent looking, tidy in apartment person & children. Endeavours to get Work but cannot, is very destitute of Clothing and Bedding. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends, Wood Bread & Soup.

679. Nancy Moor. 77. Widow these 24 years. Ch of Engl. Lost all her Children and is now alone in the World. Receives [dollars] one from the Church. Mrs. Grasett has sent a recommendation. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends, Wood Bread & Soup.

680. Jane Clark. 33. Colored Woman, Widow 3 years. Baptist. no friends in Toronto. Boy 11 at Owen Sound hired for his Board & Clothing, strives to get Washing, but cant get any. Decent in person and Apartment, Landlady speaks well of her. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

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681. Johanna Lovett. 37. Colored Woman, husband deserted her some 3 years ago No particular Church. Boy 12. Boy 10. Boy 5 in delicate health aged and infirm Mother living with her. Decent in appearance and clean. has been Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends Wood Bread and Soup.

682. Fanny Buchanan. Widow. 27. Scotland Presbt. 2 Children 11. 8. gone to live in the same room with {blank} to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

683. Ellen Brown 75 Caroline St. Ch of Eng. 75. Husband about 75. Cuts a little Wood when he can get it. they get 8 [pounds] Bread. Mr. Thom recommends Wood.

684. Margaret Fief. 34 Duches [Duchess] St. up stairs R.C. Irish 30 years of age, two children 4 & 2 years of age. husband left last July. heard since he was in Ka^n^sas she gets Bread, Mr. Thom recomd. Wood

685. Rosanne McCran. 34 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish 22 years of age R.C. husband unfit for work, but lately came out of Hospital, got his Eyes injured with gravel when working with the Cars, has lost the

sight of one of them, 1 child 3 Months old, blind of both Eyes. Vistd. by Mr. Thom who recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week & Soup she and Margaret Fief cook on the same stove.

686. Margaret Little, 34 Duches [Duchess] St. ground flat. Irish 61 years of age. Presbt. a Widow, dropsical, has been in Hospital has a boy 16 years of age, in the garrison band. Mr. Thom recommends 1/4 Cord Wood p. Week.

687. Mary Nolan. Widow 58 Ch of Engl. Irish no children. No. 10 Dummer St. recomd. by Dr. Lett for 1/4 Cord Wood.

688. Sarah Oliver. 30 Widow. 1 child Girl 6 years old, Irish.Ch of Engl. 213 Front St. near the Gass [Gas] Works. to have a 1/4 Cord Cut Wood.

689. Mary Carr. 30. Widow. Irish. Ch of Engl. 2 children 10 & 5 years of age, recommended by Dr. Lett for Wood. to have 1/4 Cord. not to have any more relief on any Account by Dr. Lett's order

690. A male child about 5 Months old, (Sent by the Mayor) the child was left at a Mrs. Flinn. Stanley St. The Police is in Search of the Mother which is Known to them, she is one of the Inmates of Brook's Bush, by the name of Eliza Nolan.

691. Mary Bennett 32. English. Ch of Engl. 1 child 3 years old. husband has been in Hospital and is home now but cant Work, recommended by Mr. Tyner for 8 [pounds] Bread & Wood. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread

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692. Bridget Maguire, See [Case] 572. Has been an Inmate, but through bad, and abusive Language, and not being willing to work, I was obliged to turn her out, as she is a general Mischief maker.

693. Catharine Grimes, back of 48 Scott St. Irish. R.C. Widow 50 years of age. a daughter about 20 marrd. [married] but husband left her and gone in the States and a boy 12 she says, I was told he was a young man, they all three live with another Family, verry clean and quite respectable, she used to have a stall on the Railroad Platform selling Apl. [apples] but trade is getting dull just now. St. Lawrence Ward.

694. ^Mrs.^ Alex ^Ann^ McIntosh. old Wellington Hotel. 30 years of age, Married. Scotch. husband not very strong, has some Work now in a Foundry, the Wife not able to do anything, on account of a bad Arm, the Cap of her Elbow being broken, no family, they live with another Party by the Name of Mary Sanders and husband in one room, this Family is English Church of Engl. they have one Boy 6 years old, and she is near her Confinement Both Family's seem extremely poor, they are short of Clothing and every other Comfort. they have a small Stove, and are in arrears with their rent. St. Lawrence Ward.

695. Ann Wood. bottom of Church, South of Front St. Shanty on the Warf, 33. Marrd. [married] Irish R.C. 4 Children, Boy 7. Girl 4. Girl 3. Babe 7 Months. husband out of Employment and out of health. seem to be sober decent people A little Assistance would be well bestowed. St. Lawrence Ward.

696. Bridget Hagan. 22 South Park St. 35 husband 43 years of age Irish R.C. Taylor [tailor] by trade, has a reasonable Share of Work, but gets so badly paid for it, cant make ends meet, has been falling back the last year or two, seems a happy cheerful disposition, industrious and fond of his children, of which he has 8. Boy 11. Girl 9. Boy & Girl 7 each twins, Girl 5. Boy 4. Boy 2. Babe 18 Months, a little help would be useful. St. Lawrence Ward

Tuesday 28th Decbr. 1858.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson & Mr. R. Woodworth.

697. Elizabeth Ann McBride. ^Widow^. 30. Irish. Methodist, 2 children, girl 9. Boy 4 years old. and her Mother in law living with her, lives on the Corner of Elizabeth & Maria St. near the Asylum. recomd. by Dr. Lett for Wood.

698. Mary Stewart see [Case] 558. recomd for Wood by Dr. Lett.

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699. Mary Hudson back of 51 North St. back of Clover Hill. Widow. 64 years old. Irish. Ch of Engl. lives by washing & Sewing, seems a very industrious worthy Woman, Visited by Mr. Hudson, who recomd. Wood Cut & Bread.

699 1/2. Margt. Hopkins. 106. Sayer St. Widow 48 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Boy 10. Boy 12. and one about 20. Visited by Mr. Hobson cant recommend unless the eldest Boy leaves home. See [Case] 670.

700. Ann Ellis. see [Case] 635. Mr. Hobson recommends Wood.

701. Mary Cox. 61 Sayer St. Widow 46 years of age. Irish. Methodist, in bad health. she seems a decent and respectable Woman. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recommends 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood

702. ~~Ellen~~ ^Jane^ Henning 238 Sayer St. Widow 52. Irish. Ch of Engl when she attends, not at Home when Mr. Hobson calld. on her, but he was told that she was industrious when she can get anything to do. recomd. Wood. no family.

703. Mary Welsh. back of 244 Sayer St. Widow 46. Irish. Ch. of Engl. 3 children girl 12. boy 10. girl 5. she is highly recommended as a most deserving Woman, Visited by Mr. Hobson who feels a pleasure in recomd. her for Cut Wood Bread & Soup.

704. Mary Adams. next door to 102 Elizabeth St. Widow 48. Irish. Ch of Engl. 5 children at home. boy 25. boy 18. girl 16. boy 12. boy 9. Could do well but not industrious, one Son earns [dollars] 6.00 p. Week. Visited by Mr. Hobson, will not recommend them thinks they are not to be relieved.

705. Elizabeth Aldgate. back of 69 Emma St. Widow 50 years of age, English. Ch of Engl Visited by Mr. Hobson who recomd. Wood & 4 [pounds] Bread.

706. Margaret Wilson 106. Edward St. Widow 40 years old. English. Presbt. 3 children girl 2. girl 5. Boy 12. seems industrious. Visited by Mr. Hobson who recommends Bread & Wood

707. Margaret Henning. 178 Centre St. Widow 27 years of age. Irish. R.C. 3 children Boy 4. girl 2. boy 1 year old. she is industrious and respectable. Allowed by the Church 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. Visited by Mr. Hobson who recommends Wood.

708. Margaret Smith 223 Elizabeth St. Widow. Colored. 38. W. Methodist goes out to Wash. Revd. Dr. Green says she is a well conducted Woman Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

709. Margt. Donavan. 104 Sayer St. the House where the Meads Lived, Mr. Hobson wishea to make more enquiry's about her, to give her a loaf.

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710. Mary McCabe 37 Stanley St. Grace Darker 42 Stanley St. Mary Summer 54 Stanley St. Mary Ryan 77 Stanley St. and Jane Lloyd 93 Stanley St. none of the above named persons were residing in the Houses set against their names, neither are they known to the nighbourhood.

711. Ann Chusach. 76. Widow 20 years. Irish. R.C. very feeble. Son 40 Marrd. [married] does not know where he is. Nighbours are Kind to her, seems a decent old Woman, Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends Wood, Bread & Soup.

712. Mary Kelly. 36. husband Rheumatic, he is in the country two weeks seeking work, 4 children. Boy 8. Boy 7. Boy 4. Girl 7 months. Irish. R.C. Clean and tidy Mrs. Grasett recomd. her. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recommends Bread Wood and Soup.

713. Elisa Johnson 59. Widow 6 years. no children. Red face says she has the Rheumatism, personal appearances not in her favour, apartment somewhat dirty [etc.] Visited by Capt. Elmsley, but can't recomd. leaves the Committee to decide.

714. Catherine Fitzgerald, 30 husband left her about a fortnight since on a spree a frequent occurance. 3 children, Boy 5. Boy 3. Girl 5 months old. Irish. R.C. No clothing. Clean and tidy. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.



715. Catherine Johnson 21. Husband able and willing to work if he could get it, within two months of her Confinement with her first child. Irish. Ch of Engl. clean and neat in apartment and person. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, the husband to present himself tomorrow.

716. Catherine Wilson. 37. Widow 6 years. Ch of Engl. Boy 7. she is Rheumatic has been recomd. by Mrs. Grasett for some time, Clean & tidy, Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

717. Ann Chapman. 30 Widow 9 months. 3 children. Girl 10. Girl 7. Boy 3 months sickly. Irish. R.C. Slovenly and dirty in appearance, apartment and children. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, who for the Children's sake recomd. Wood Bread & Soup. ^Shuter^

718. Margaret Johnson No. 68 Victoria St. there is no such House built between 64 and 70 on this St. therefore she could not be found.

719. Martha Johnson 40 Ch of Engl. 40 Magill St. husband deserted her 2 years ago, he was a hard drinker. Son 19 at out of Work; Girl 17 at Service [at] [dollars] 6 a month. She pays her Mothers rent. Girl 10 Boy 5. Boy 2. do a little quilting, Clean. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, recomd. Wood Bread and Soup.

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720. Mary Jones 29 years of age. See [Case] 253. strives to get some Washing and Scrubbing Visited by Capt. Elmsley. who recomd. Wood Bread & Soup

721. Ann Carr. 35 Irish. R.C. Husband in Hospital in the last stage of Consumption. 5 children. Boy 15 Clearing away Snow. Boy 14 at Service, Girl 12. Girl 10. Boy 8., Gets some Washing but not much, somewhat dirty about the House ditto herself and Children. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

722. Ellen Fitzpatrick 70. See [Case] 514 recomd. by Capt. Elmsley for Bread Wood & Soup

723. Ann Stinson. 40. Irish. R.C. herself, husband Protestant, in Penitentiary 5 children. Boy 20 & Boy 18 does not know where they are. Boy 8. Boy 6. Boy 2. Apartment dirty, ditto self and children. Visited by Capt. Elmsley who recommends, Bread Wood & Soup.

724. Mary Scott. 40 Ireland Ch of Engl. husband cannot get Work. Son 22 in delicate health, obliged to leave a good situation as Clerk on account of sickness. Son 18 Fishing on the Island, but a loafer at best, Girl 17. was at service but was obliged to leave on account of ill health. Boy 14 selling newspapers and cleaning away Snow, Boy 4 sickly. Place clean Visited by Capt. Elmsley who thinks a very sickly Family. He recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

725. Bridget Flinn 30. husband looking for Work. Girl 5. Girl 4. Lives in a dreadful den, filthy in the extreme, in every respect. Visited by Capt. Elmsley. husband to present himself tomorrow.

726. Jane Tyson 36. see [Case] 335 Visited by Capt. Elmsley who states that he found them in a most terrible pig sty, dirty beyond all description nevertheless he recomd. Bread Wood & Soup, for the sake of the poor children. they have been receiving 8 [pounds] Bread per Week since the 21 Septbr.

727. Rose Morgan 50 Mard. [married] Irish R.C. 2 children Boy 13 & Boy 11. Boy 6. recomd. for 4 [pounds] Bread

728. Mary Pollard 47. Widow. Irish Ch of Engl. Daughter Elizabeth Eagans and 3 children residing with her, 9, 3 & 1 year old. Recomd. for Wood 8 [pounds] Bread

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729. Elizabeth Donnelly, in Carrols Row, two doors east of McMahon St. Irish 41 years of age, Methodist, Widow 2 children. 14 & 12 both Consumptive, Visited by Mr. Thom who recommends 8 [pounds] Bread per Week and 1/4 Cord Wood per month.

^Mr. Thom finds them to a drunken disorderly Lot to be struck of [off] the List^

730. Catherine Allan 150 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. R.C. husband gone to the U. States. 2 children 3 years & 15 Months (she nurses one for which she recd. [dollars] 3 per month.) she stops with Patrick Donnelly and Wife and 3 children. Visited by Mr. Thom who recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread & 1/4 Cord Wood they can Cut it.

731. Johanna OBrien in rear of 115 Queen St. Widow 31. Irish R.C. four children Tim 10. John 9. Mary 7. Wm. 5 years old. Her Father 70, stops with her, he is a Taylor [tailor] and works a little to assist them. Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread & 1/4 Cord Wood per Month.

732. James Fitzgerald 96 Pine St. Irish. Wife 26. himself 34 has lost an arm has three small children. needs help, recomd. by Mrs. Chancellor Blake and the Mayor. Mr. Thom recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread per Week & 1/4 Cord Wood per Month.

733. Bridget Moore 61 Pine St. Widow 60 Irish. R.C. in delicate health. stops with John Moore her Cousin. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week & 1/4 Cord Wood per Month

734. Mary Brothers, second Door on Bethunes Lane. 68 years old. Irish. R.C. Widow (stops with Margaret Conner, and Cooks in her stove) get 4 [pounds] Bread per Week from the House of Industry. Mr. Thom recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood per Month.

735. Mary Kelly. rear of 46 Caroline St. husband gone two weeks looking for Work, he is not very strong. four Children 8. 6. 4 and 1 years old. Mr. Thom recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread per Week and 1/4 Cord Wood per Month.

736. Martha Ann Beaty. 45 Duches [Duchess] St. left for her place, can't be found.

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737. Bridget Drisscold see [Case] 451. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week and 1/4 Cord Wood per Month.

738. Ann Bell on the List for 8 [pounds] Bread per Week. see [Case] 398. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood also.

739. Frances Hood on the Bread List for 4 [pounds] see [Case] 418. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood also recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread

740. Grace Langley, 126 John St. Widow. Ch of Engl. Gets 6 [pounds] Bread from the House see [Case] 478 [479]. she and Widow Cox uses the same Stove. Mr. Tyner recomd. for them to devide between them.

741. Catherine Thompson, 50 Widow 136 Richmond St. has 6 children, two of them at home, she seems to be a respectable person, Irish, Ch of Engl. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood & Bread 6 [pounds] per Week. 1/4 Cord Wood

742. Susan ~~Wilson~~ ^Welsh^, 269 Queen St. Ch of Engl. Widow, two children 6. 3. Mr. Tyner recomd. Bread & Wood

743. William Whitlock. 367 Queen St. Ch of Engl. has a wife and grown up children, also an old man he is able and willing to work, can't get it. Very poor Mr. Tyner recomd. Bread & Wood for the Winter

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Friday 31st Decbr. 1858

Present Mr. E Hobson. R Woodworth & Rev. Dr. Lett

743. Henry Ireland. See [Case] 416 admitted on the 21st Dec 1858.

744. James Kennedy. 70 Widower. Irish. R.C. has been 24 years in Toronto, a Pensioner recommended by Mr. Piper, admitted in the House 24th Decbr. 1858.

745. Dorothy Hasliff, 70 years of age. Ireland. Ch of Engl. an old resident of the City feeble and nearly blind, admitted in to the House, as the Husband is not able to look after her, and attend to his Labour, he works about the Grounds of U.C. [Upper Canada] College.

746. Mary Butler. 60. husband about 70. Irish. R.C. can't get employment, no children. 19 months in Toronto, lives with another Family by the name of O'Neil a ragg man, Cook at the same Stove. Neighbours say they are sober decent people, a little assistance would be of great Service, they live back of No. 317 King St. east South side. St. Lawrence Ward.

747. Martha Ford 37 Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] Husband left her, age 35. English Ch of Eng. 2 children girl 6. girl 2 years, a very respectable industrious Woman, has been ill for some time. Mr. Hobson recommends, Wood Cut and 8 [pounds] Bread per Week.

748. Mrs. Frances. back of 97 Sayer St. Widow. 35. Cold. [Coloured] daughter 16 years of age Methodist seems industrious. Mr. Hobson recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood Cut.

749. Ann Brumell. back of 55 & 57 Park Lane. No house at the Back, and no person of that name known.

750. Ann Conner, back of 19 Centre St. Single about 60 years of age, Irish. R.C. not able to work, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood but not Cut.

751. Elizabeth Hudson 224 Sayer St. Marrd. [married] 27 years of age Colered, Methodist 3 children. Boy 9 Girl 3 and Boy 1 year of age. Visited by Mr. Hobson, if she gets relief husband has to work.

752. William Halbert. 26 Elizabeth St. No person at that name known there.

753. Ann Jackson 9 Terauly St. No person of that name known there.

754. Emma Wilson. 110 Sayer St. No person of that name known there.

755. Anastatia Murry to have a loaf and be visited.

756. Mary Girvin 87 Richmond St. Widow, 2 children, is a respectable and industrious person, recommended by Mr. Tyner to have Wood for the Winter. Mr. Tyner recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread per Week.

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757. Ann Scanlan. No. 12 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish Ch of Engl. Widow. & Daughter 16 years of age, and one child 2 years old deserted by its Mother for which she has had no pay for one year. Mr. Thom recommends 6 [pounds] Bread and 1/4 Cord Wood.

^has removed to be taken of the list until found again^.

758. Bridget Shehan in rear of 129 Duke St. Irish R.C. 28 years of age husband unfit for work with a sore hand. 3 children 8. 6 & 2 years of age. Mr. Thom recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per week, and 1/4 Cord Wood only for once.

759. Mary Walford, stops with Bridget Shehan, Confined last Sunday of a Son, husband has enlisted into the 100 Regiment. Mr. Thom recommends 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

760. Biddy Cahill. 35 Caroline & King St. no such place to be found.

761. Mary Jane Rice, 85 Pine St. Irish. Ch of Engl 25 years of age. Widow. 1 child 13 months old, stops with Mary Barrett, Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week and 1/4 Cord Wood. ^to be struck of [off] the List^

762. Ann Nickols. Muttons yard Nelson St. English Ch of Engl. 67. Widow. has an orphan grand child. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and 1/4 Cord Wood.

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763. Ann Lawson, in rear of 128 Duke St. Irish Ch of Engl. 24 husband away looking for Work, has one child 2 years old, Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week to see if husband gets work, and 1/4 Cord Wood for once only.

764. Mrs. Courtney 57 James St. there is no such number, the School House stands there.

765. Ann Degan. 84 Caroline St. Irish. R.C. 80 Widow. Stops with Bridget Henesy Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week

766. Bridget Henesey. a Widow, since August last, Irish. R.C. Mr. Thom recomd. for 1/4 Cord Wood

767. Martha Lake, (Alias Johnston rear of No. 30 Duches [Duchess] St. English. Methodist. 36 years of age, one child at home 2 years old. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week

768. Timothy Caton 96 Pine St. Irish. R.C. 70. his wife 60. two children Margaret 15, Timothy 13. they use the same stove as Fitzgerald. Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

769. Mary Short. No. 70 Vanauly St. recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett for 1/4 Cord Wood

770. Mary Murphy, a Widow, and Child about 3 years old has partially lost her eye sight, wont take her to the Hospital, because of the child. could not the child be taking into the House

771. Bridget Kennedy, in the same House, Widow. husband killed at the Disjardins Bridge accident [March 12, 1857: Toronto to Hamilton train derailment at the Desjardins Canal Bridge, near Burlington, 59 killed]. she has one child 16 months old. these Woman can can only pay for their Board, by Bread and Wood, recomd. by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy

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January 1st 1859

1. The select Committee met this morning to receive Tenders for Supplies to the House for the year 1859.

Present Mr. Rutherford & Mr. E. Hobson

The following Tenders were opened

James Girvin, Bread for 3 Months, [at] 5 d. per four pound loaf.

George Coles, Bread for 3 Months [at] 5 d. per four pound loaf best quality, having served the Institution for more than a twelve Month satisfactorily, Mr. Coles Tender was accepted, being as low as the other.

For Groceries for a twelve Month.

Mr. C. Moore Yonge St. & Messrs. Dodgson Shields & Morton Yonge St. with samples and prices attached, after careful examination the Committee recommended that Dodgson Shields & Morton's Tender be accepted

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Peter Huttys Tender for the ensuing Year being the only one was accepted [at] [dollars] 3 per hundred pounds

Margaret Harpers Tender for Milk. Being satisfactory was accepted [at] 5 d per quart.

Tuesday 4th January 1859.

Present Messrs. J.T. [T.J.] O'Neile, J.P. Battersby & E Hobson

2. Mary Ann Alston, 177 Yorke St. husband about 45 years of age 3 small children, they are so very poor that they sold their Stove. Visited by Mr. Tyner who leaves the committee to decide. Husband to cut Wood for relief

3. Mary Butler. 273 Queen St. a poor wreck of humanity she lives in the same House with Mary Sladden and Mary Kirk. Visited by Mr. Tyner, who thinks a 1/4 Cord Wood better be giving to Mary Butler, or else she will be turned out, perhaps will fall on the House altogether. They all Cook on one Stove

4. Catherine Redwood, 104 Richmond St. Widow Irish. R.C. one child and an old Mother 80 years of age. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood and 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

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5. Bridget McMahon. 146 1/2 York St. in the rear, one girl at home just recovering from the small pox. Widow R.C. Mr. Tyner recommends Wood.

6. Sarah Kilroy. 132 Richmond St. Widow ^35^ R.C. 3 children 13. 8 & 6 years of age, Mr. Tyner recomd. Bread.

7. Margaret Mangen is about moving to John St. but not moved when Mr. Tyner called.

8. Jane Lancaster, Widow. Ch of Engl. Tecumseth St. 6 children. the oldest 12 years is out to service for her Board and clothing Mr. Tyner recomd. bread and Wood, so much as the rules of the House will allow to give.

9. Bridget McMahon 30 Boulton St. Irish R.C. Mar. [married] 2 children, husband not able to work. Mr. Tyner recommends Bread & Wood for the present.

10. Susan Wilson, 269 Queen St. Widow Ch of Engl. 2 children 6 & 3 years old. Mr. Tyner recomd. 4 [pounds] bread per Week and 1/4 Cord Wood per month

11. Elizabeth Spencer, 75 years of age, recommended by the Rev. Mr. Grasett Mr. Tyner recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood for month.

12. Rachel Philips 146 1/2 York St. 29 years of age, husband 36. 4 children, 8. 5 and 3 years of age youngest 9 months, can't get work. Mr. Tyner leaves the Case to the Committee, husband to cut Wood for relief.

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13. Mary Jennings. 132 Richmond St. is getting Bread, Mr. Tyner recommends Wood.
14. Ellen Nolan, 50. Widow. Catholic. Mathews yard, 2 sons somewhere in the States, but she knows not where, she strives to get work, washing [et.c] but cannot procure it, decent in personal appearance, although she lives in a villanous nighbourhood, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood.
15. Mary Flinn. 43. Widow. R. Catholic Boy 17, apprenticed to Plumber & Glasier Girl 14 Boy 12 Girl 10. Boy 8. Boy 4. She washes. Works at tailoring at times. Clean and tidy in person, apartment and children she has been recomd. by Mr. Gilmor, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bred Wood & Soup
16. Mary Ann Boulton 43 Widow Ch of Engl, Girl 20 at Service [at] [dollars] 4 per Month who pays the rent, Boy delicate, sewing and knitting when she can get it. They are clean.

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17. Mary Stewart. 4 Stanley St. no such person there.
18. Jane Chambers 22. looks 30. Widow. 2 children Boy 5 Boy 3. Looks like a fast liver, slovenly in person, dirty in apartment and children. Captain Elmsley nevertheless recommends Bread, Wood & Soup, for the sake of the starving, shivering young ones.
19. Widow Cairns No. 34 Stanley St, no such person there.
20. Bridget O'Hearn. 33. Widow. R.C. 3 children Boy 11 Boy 9 Girl 3. she lives at 33 Stanley St. says she has the falling sickness, which is very probably from the effects of drink, as she smells of Grog not a little, dirty and slovenly, for the sake of the children Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup
21. Mary Spencer. Stanley St. no such person there ^second time not found^
22. Margaret Gartland. 29 Widow Irish R.C. Boy 11 Boy 9 in the House of Industry, Girl 2 she was in Liquor when call'd upon on Sunday afternoon and had the appearance of an awful slut. dirty in the extreme and living in a den, that no genteel pig would inhabit, for the sake of the children Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup, provided she will give the Boy in the House of Industry up to the Trustees. rather than recieve relief and give the Boy up she took him out altogether.
23. Mary Lavell see [Case] 571 (1858) Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup
24. Ann Gardener see [Case] 431 (1858) Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup
25. Mary Bray [Case] 469 (1858) Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup
26. Grace Darker gets Bread see [Case] 282 (1858) Capt. Elmsley recomd. Soup
27. Martin McManus. 50. Bachelor. The remains of a Man, unable to work from sore legs, lives in the same house with Grace Darker, a fearfull looking den. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread & Soup.

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28. Mary Gibbs 112 Nelson St. no such person there.

29. Sarah Glenn. No number to her name could not be found.

30. Ellen McCabe. 7 Widow. Irish R.C. Boy 2 years old. Can't get work dirty and slovenly, looks somewhat dissipated, but perhaps this may be from sickness. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

31. Isabelle Dixon. 44. Widow Ch of Engl. three sons grown up in lower Canada will do nothing for her. Daughter 14 a verry suspicious looking Craft, rakish about the Bows and Catheads, flashy appearance Saucy air, a devil, may care way of talking. Capt. Elmsley will not recommend such folks.

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32. Jane Roach, 25 lane between Church & Stanley St. Locality could not be found

33. Maria Pearson. 28. husband plumbers Labourer, but no work, he is assisting at a Butchers stall in St. Lawrence Market Ch of Engl Boy 4 Boy 3 both very sickly after the Scarlet Fever, respectable & clean Capt. Elmsley Bread Wood & Soup

34. Bridget Horan. 28. Adelaide St. there are not any houses between 20 & 38

35. Mary Balfour. 61. Widow. Ch of Engl childless. Went out as Monthly Nurse, but now as she is old and deaf, Ladies will not employ her, consequencely she is in great distress. Apartment poor but clean. Tidy in person She is on the Bread List. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood & Soup

36. Margaret Johnson. 68 Widow Son in the States. Two daughters in Town both married, but their husbands will do nothing for her, She lives at 86 Victoria St. Ch of Engl receives [dollars] 1 a month from the church. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

37. Ann Prattis. Capt. Elmsley reported once before upon this Woman, that when he visited to question the husband, he bolted at the back door, and Capt. Elmsley followed suit at the front this conduct looked suspicious, and he was a stout able bodied man, able to work for his living.

38. Ann Tanor. 57. Widow. Irish. R.C. childless Washes when she can get it clean in person and apartment Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

39. Maria Freel. 30. husband was employed by a Cooper at Thornhill, but owing to inflammation of the Lungs was obliged to discontinue Work earns nothing now. Girl 10 at Service for her Board. Girl 4 years old. Ch of Engl. Decent clean & tidy Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

40. Ann Scanlan. 12 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. 16 years of age, and one child 2 years old see [Case] 757 (1858)

41. Maria Shea, opposite Orphans Home, near School House, Widow, aged 60. two daughters in the States no child at home lives with Ned Granger R.C. Irish recomd. by Dr. Lett for Wood

42. Ann Jackson. 9 Terauley St. this is the second time that Mr. Hobson tried to find her, but none of that name known in the neighbourhood

43. Sebastian Couss represented to live at No. 1 Sayer St. on inquiring it was found that no person of that name was known there Mr. Hobson visited.

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44. Margt. Garland. 29. Wm. [William] St. W. [west] 2 girls 8 & 4. Able woman. R.C. deserted by Husband. lives with widow Murphy. (Anne) one Stove

Friday 7th January 1859

Present Messrs. J.T. [T.J.] O'Neil, J.P. Battersby. The Revd. Dr. Lett.

45. Mary Ann Wood, North of Duffys Tavern, on Caroline St. 48. a Widow Ch of Engl 3 children Girl 12, Boy 9 & Boy 8. she is unfit for Work at present with a sprained hand. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and 1/4 Cord Cut Wood.

46. Susanna Wood. 75 Sumach St. English Ch of Engl. 27. husband 26. 4 years in the City. Plasterer out of Employment two children 4 & one year of age. Mr. Thom recomd. that he should cut Wood for relief. No more relief unless the husband works for it

47. Michael Cambridge, back of 54 Seton St. No back house for dwellers there.

48. Flora Stewart 75 Caroline St. Scotch Ch of Engl. Widow. husband was Killed on the Northern Railroad, one Child girl 9 years, gets 4 [pounds] Bread. Mr. Thom recommends 1/4 Cord Cut Wood & Soup

49. John Bristow 9 Oak St. English Ch of Engl. 35. a bricklayer out of Employment wife 23 years. Wifes Mother 58. two children one 5 years and one six Weeks. Mr. Thom recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread & Soup. he came out without his family, it took all the first years earnings to get his family out.

50. William Goodship. 348 King St. east. English. Ch of Engl. 38 out of Employment 1 child. Girl 15 Months. a delicate Wife 34 years of age, Mr. Thom recomd. Bread Wood & Soup. if he works for it.

51. Mary Ann Dunn. 42 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. R.C. husband a labourer out of work 25 years of age. 1 child 4 Months old. Mr. Thom recomd. Cutting Wood for relief.

52. Isabella Lowe. Mc Mahons Lane cannot be found.

53. Bridget Cahill. 46 Caroline St. Irish. R.C. 40 years of age. husband 55. delicate. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week & Soup and 1/4 Cord Wood for once only.

54. William Taylor. 12 Duches [Duchess] St. Wife and two children. Mr. Thom recomd. a little wood if he Cuts a Cord for the House. ^Mr. Thom stops it.^

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55. Lawrence McDonnell. Recomd. by Mr. Thom for a 1/4 Cord of Wood. if he gets any more Wood he has to Work for it.

56. Sarah Phillips. 146 1/2 York St. see [Case] 12. The children have the small pox Mr. Tyner recomd. that they be relieved through the Winter.

57. Margaret Mangy 126 John St. Irish. R.C. her husband in hospital Mr. Tyner thinks, it would be best to give a little wood.

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58. Catherine Nugent. Widow, 45 Ch of Engl. 105 Queen St. one Daughter 19. Mr. Tyner recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood.

59. Marcella Kennedy. Widow. 38. R.C. 2 children twins, ten years of age Mr. Tyner recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week and an allowance of Wood.

60. Peter McConvey. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett. has a Wife and 3 children, he tries to get a living by selling fruit, lives in a Shanty on Front St. The Revd. Mr. Kennedy recomd. him to the Committee for Wood.

61. Ellen Ryan. Mrd. [married] Irish. R.C. 3 children, Girl 11. Girl 9. Boy 2. husband 30. able Man, but out of Employment, they seem decent people.

62. Bridget Murphy. lives in the same House with Ellen Ryan, and both Cook at the same stove, 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. 4 children Girl 11. Boy 9. Girl 7. Boy 5. husband 45. Labourer out of Employment they seem decent sober people, both husbands to Cut Wood for relief they live on Palace St. the last House but two, South side St. Lawrence Ward.

63. Rose Kelly. 44 Widow. Irish. R.C. 3 children. Girl 20 at Service. A lame Boy 18 at Service pays the rent, a girl 12 at home, washes when she can get it, never had any relief from the House before, fell back on account of her Eyes having been bad for some time, better now. She is a tidy decent person, they are greatly in need of Wood. No. 395 King St. east South side. St. Lawrence Ward.

64. Died this day John Bush a Boy about five years old.

65. Ann Jackson. 8 Terauly St. Widow. Colored. 40 years of age, about five Weeks out of Slavery. M. [Methodist] Ch. 6 children. girl 17. Boy 15. boy 13. girl 11. Boy 5 & Boy 2 years of age, expects to get the elder children into Service. Mr. Hobson recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread Wood & Soup

66. Mary Wheelan. 8 Terauly St. Widow. 50 years of age, Irish. C. 6 children, girl 20, girl 21. Boy 19. girl 16. boy 12. girl 9. the two youngest at home, children clean and well behaved, She is industrious, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

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67. Elizabeth Lambert 24 Osgood [Osgoode] St. Widow. 30 years of age. M. [Methodist] Ch, Cold. [Coloured] 3 children, girl 17 in Service, Boy 13. Boy 8 years of age not able to find Work. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

68. Sarah Louisa Rogers, 78 Sayer St. not at home when call'd upon, she is a young Woman ought to go to Service. Mr. Hobson will not recomd. her.

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Tuesday 11th January 1859

Present Messrs. Tyner, Stayner & Dr. Burns

69. Ann Wallace 111 Centre St. no such Number.

70. Ann Waters 145. Park Lane not known there

71. Matilda Gray 196 Sayer St. Mard. [married] 37 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. boy one year old. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who thinks that if any relief is given, to let husband cut Wood for it.

72. Sarah Freeman back of 219 Sayer St. Mard. [married] 40. Irish. Ch of Engl. 3 children, boy 16. girl 14 in Service, and a boy 7 years of age, husband in England, trying to recover some property, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood & 4 [pounds] Bread.

73. Kavangh [Kavanagh] Mary, said to be opposite Webb's the Baker, no person of that name.

74. Sebastian Crouse, 21 Sayer St. Mard. [married] 30 years of age. R.C. German a poor little Tailor not able to obtain much Work, he is not strong Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood.

75. Bridget Williams, 75 Sayer St. Mard. [married] 30 Irish. Ch of Engl. 2 children boy 3 Boy one year old. Husband and Wife both willing to work, if only they could get it to do, Cooks at the same stove, with one person who has Wood from the House. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who thinks husband better Cut Wood for an allowance of Bread & Soup

76. Nicklas Malcomb. In Duffys Back house, Caroline on King St. 60 years a German, Wife Irish. R.C. 40 years. 5 children, Girl 14 hired out, Girl 12. Boy 7. Girl 5. Boy one year of age, Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and a little Wood when he cuts Wood for it.

77. Jane Kavenagh 45 Pine St. Irish R.C. 34. Years old 3 children Boy 8. Girl 6. girl 4. deserted by her husband, he is gone away with another Woman. Mr. Thom 6 [pounds] Bread & Soup 1/4 Cord of Wood she can cut it. See [Case] 432 (1858)

78. Mary Randolph. 8 Duches [Duchess] St. cannot be found

79. Martha Ann Beaty. In rear of 57 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. Ch of Engl. 51 years of age, stays with Thomas Duffy Tailor. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup. 1/4 Cord Wood Cut.

80. Lawrence McDonnell, 34 Duches [Duchess] St. recomd. to Committee yesterday for 1/4 Cord Wood, he can cut it, he is 44 years of age, his Wife 25, 4 children, Boy 14 Boy 11. James 8 of a previous Wife. Bridget 2 years of his present Wife.

81. Ann Courtney 52 James St. Irish. Ch of Engl. husband has been in Hospital and still an out door patient verry poorly, Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and 1/4 Cord Wood, they have 3 children 14. 3 & 2.

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82. Catherine Roache, Cannot find 44 Pine St. 43 & 45 is just opposite St. Pauls Burrying ground

83. Curtis Booth, rear of 25 Duke St. about 37. his Wife 34, has 3 children William 12. John 9. Robt. 7. Mr. Thom recomd. a little Work for a little relief.

84. Ann Jane Quin 132 Sumach St. Irish. Presbytarian. 30. husband 30, out of Work, gone to the Country to look for Work. 3 children 5. 3 & 18 Months Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread for a while to see if the husband succeeds, and 1/4 Cord Cut Wood.

85. Ann Gilman 71 Pine St. near Queen St. 27, husband 33 English Ch of Engl 4 children 9. 6. 3 & 10 Months old. 2 years in the City. a Tinsmith has been unfit for Work for some time with a sore leg, but is able to Work now, Mr. Thom recomd. Work for relief.

86. Michael Cambridge, stays in Mr. Hinchey's House, same House that Alice Anderson stays. Irish. R.C. 28 years, Wife 23. one child 3 years. Labourer Mr. Thom recomd. Work for a little relief.

87. Anne Kyle, 115 Duke St. English Ch of Engl. 35. husband 36. 5 children Boy 12 Boy 10. Girl 8. Boy 6 & Boy 2. Mr. Thom recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood for the present and a little Bread and Soup

88. Martha Close, the same person as in Mr. Thom report sent in as Coke alias Johnstone. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and a little Soup, she stays with another Widow, who gets bread and Wood and Cooks at the same stove.

89. Alice Flanagan, 369 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. Widow, has two children 11 & 2 years of age, Mr. Tyner recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood and an allowance of Wood for the Winter.

90. Bridget Kenny 25 Husband able and willing to work if he could get it, he will show himself to morrow, Irish. R.C. No children, Married 3 months decent looking Folks, clean in person, but not in apartment. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup to have 1/4 Cord Wood & nothing else. Weekly Committee.

91. Mary Brennan, 50 Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 17 Buffalo. Girl 15. Boy 14 in Ireland, Girl 11 Boy 9. Cannot get work for self or children, clean in person, but dirty in Apartment, Capt. Elmsley, recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

92. Hugh Smith 38. Wife in good health, Irish. R.C. he is lame having been hurt, by a fall on Board Ship 5 years ago, not able to work much, looks like a hard drinker, Nose red lips White, and dirty in a sorry way, Boy 15 out of place, Girl 11 at Service. Capt. Elmsley leaves this Case to the Committee. ^Fbr. 22. Report Corrected by Capt. Elmsley^

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93. John Gibbons 41. Wife a most awfull looking animal. Eyes bunged up, face fiery red, bloated [etc.] he is well Known to the House of Industry as a great drinker and loafer, Capt. Elmsley will not recommend him as he has no children.

94. Margaret Cronan, 39. Irish R.C. Boy 14 drives Carts at excavations during Summer, no work now. Boy 11. Girl 7. Gets a days Washing occasionally, they are tidy, but live in a bad vicinity, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

95. Bridget Horan. 40. Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 16 at Service [dollars] 4 per Month, Boy 14 cleans snow, Girl 12 sore Eyes, smart looking Woman, but lives in the most degraded Neighbourhood, much against her will say's she. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

96. Catherine Moony 50. Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 21 in Ireland, Girl 12 sore Arm, lives in a pigstye, but seems decent in dress and appearance Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

97. Margaret OBrien. 62 Spinster. Irish. R.C. sickly looking, Nose red, apartment a pigstye. Capt. Elmsley leaves the Committee to judge.

98. Mary Sumers No. 54 Stanley St. no such number a Vacant Lot.

99. Daniel Healy 50 Lame and delicate in health, Wife Confined 5 Weeks since has puerperal fever which has brought her to deaths door, Irish R.C. Girl 13. Twin Boys 8, one with sore leg, girl 4. Clean decent people, steady. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup

100. Dempsey Judy. 53. Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 19 at Service [dollars] 3 per month. Boy 17 [dollars] 3 per month, Boy 15. dirty in every way, has palpitation of the heart and looks sickly. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

101. Mary Brien, 40 Widow Irish. R.C. Boy 11. Boy 9. Works when she can get. Looks very respectable Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup

102. James Sherdon 71. Widower, Irish. R.C. Son 26. the old Man lives with this Son, is able and willing to work, but cannot get it. he is to show himself to morrow, Son 20 at St. Lewis, Decent Folks. Capt. Elmsley recommends Bread Wood & Soup to Cut Wood for relief. Weekly Committee.

103. Bridget Epperson 45. Widow. Irish. R.C. Son 22 Married in Toronto out of Work to show himself to morrow, Son 20 also to show himself Piggery of an apartment, Committee to decide. Visited by Capt. Elmsley.

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104. Catherine OBrien. 103 Stanley St. no higher number than 97 on this Street.

105. Ann McCue 43. Widow 5 years. no children, sells fruit when Steamboats are running but cannot do in the cold weather. Washes when she can, but lately has been much ailing. decent in apartment and person, Lives in same house with Sarah Harahy. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

106. Ann Bagley. 40 Widow. Ch of Engl. Boy 7. Girl 4. Tailoress, but finds it verry hard indeed to obtain employment, Very respectable, wishes for Wood only, which Capt. Elmsley recomd.

107. Alice Spilling 71 Widow 10 Months, Presbt. Son 46 in England. half Sister living near the Don, who has two Sons, one a Caster and the other a Clerk in a Store, but cannot receive assistance from them, she sews at the tailoring business, but cannot get it, very clean tidy and respectable old Lady, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

108. Elizabeth Buggy. 35. husband very delicate. Boy 8 Boy 6. Boy 5. Girl 3 very sickly, Boy 1 year. Irish. R.C. decent people obliged to burn an old Bedstead for fuel last night, to save them from perishing. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup to have relief but husband to Cut Wood. Weekly Committee.

109. Mary Tannor. 65 Ann St. no such number on this Street. Visited by Capt. Elmsley she found herself at the Committee Room. No. is 55. 3rd or 4th door on Ann St. at Mutual. 3 children 2 girls one Boy all under 10. Widow about 40. Irish Methodist 8 [pounds] Bread & Soup

110. Jane Cummings. Yonge St. opposite College Avenue. She has left that place, visited by Capt. Elmsley

111. Sarah Ryan 61 Richmond St. no such person there, the Corner Number is 91.

112. Elisa Holland. 60 Widow 8 years, blind of an eye and imperfect sight of the other, Ch of Engl. Daughter 20 Married in Toronto, son 17 out of place, rather dirty in person and apartment. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

113. Margaret Hunter. 30. husband able and willing to Work, but cannot obtain employment, to show himself, Boy 5. Girl 3. Boy 1 month. Ch of Engl. not very clean either in apartment or person but seemingly respectable. Capt. Elmsley recomd Bread Wood & Soup.

114. Catherine Shannahan. 50. Widow. Irish. R.C. 3 Children in the House of Industry. Recomd. by Capt. Elmsley for relief during the Winter, as she intends to leave Toronto in the Spring. To have 4 [pounds] Bread & Wood during Winter.

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115. Jane Cummings, when Capt. Elmsley visited he found that she had been sent to jail, and her two Boys about 10 & 12. left destitute, the Father is a lame Man dissipated in his habits, and the children don't know where he is at present, they belong to the Ch of Engl, and Capt. Elmsley recomd. them to be taking into the House, until the Mother gets out of jail, or gives them up to the House. To be admitted.

116. Mary Ann Collins 53 Agnes St. Married, 47 years of age, English Ch of Engl. Boy 12 girl 16. husband and Wife both in a bad state of health. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood.

117. Ann Brunell. Back of 65 Park Lane. Widow 43. English Ch of Engl. Daughter 23 Married, one 18 lives at home, lives by needlework when they can get it. clean and decent Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood.

118. Sarah McNichol. 8 Terauly St. Widow. 51 years of age. English. Ch of Engl. girl 14. girl 16. girl 18 all three in Service. She goes to Service, when she can find a place, Mr. Hobson recomd. Cut Wood

119. Mary Marritt. Elizbeth St. 3 doors from Albert St. not to be found.

120. Julia Yorrick. 8 Centre St. Widow. 52 Irish. Ch of Engl. Boy 10 years of age. verry clean and respectable, but poor and in bad health, lives by Needlework. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut, 6 [pounds] Bread and 1 qt. Soup.

121. John Hudson. Back of Rowells. Queen St. Married, about 50 years of age. English Ch of Engl. 6 children. Boy 16. Girl 11. Girl 10. boy 8. Boy 7. boy 4. Not able to Cut Wood at present on account of Bad shoes, and his feet being frost bitten, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood, a little Bread & Soup. Mr. Hobson has not the best opinion of him, not to have any other relief than the Wood, as he imposed upon the Church, getting Wood from there, the same Day he did from the House.

122. Ellen Wilson 37 Elizabeth St. no person of that name known there.

123. Francis Koil. back of 75 Centre St. no person of that name.

124. Ann Silver 124 Agnes St. Married 64. English. Ch of Engl. an industrious and deserving Woman, but little can be said in favour of her husband. Mr. Hobson recomd. on her account Wood.

125. Martha Daveney 90 Edward St. Widow Cold. [Coloured] 56. Baptist Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut

126. Ann Dedveld 124 Elizabeth St. Widow Cold. [Coloured] 60. Methodist girl 14. Mr. Hobson Wood Cut & Soup

127. Johanna Flaving 92 Queen St. Mard. [married] 40. husband much older Irish. R.C. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood for the present.

128. Sophia Dunk back of 112 Sayer St. Mard. [married] 53. English. Ch of Engl, daughter a very industrious girl supports her parents, by her work at Shoe closing both being in bad health and not able to work, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut, 8 [pounds] Bread & Soup.

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129. Ellen Moore 216 Centre St. Col. [coloured] Married. 32. Methodist. 2 children Boy 2 Girl 4. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood, but the husband to Work for it.

130. William Hobart 27 Elizabeth St. Single 72. Irish Ch of Engl. has applied frequently to be admitted into the House, Mr. Hobson has visited, and thinks the best way to dispose of him is to allow him Wood and 4 [pounds] Bread.

131. John Gooseberry. Back of 70 Elizabeth St. Cold. [Coloured] Married. Methodist 30 years of age, both in bad health, wife very ill in bed, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood & Bread for the present

132. Sarah Ann West. end of North St. Married. 29 years of age. English. Ch of Engl a very respectable family, but very poor on account of being out of Work, with a large family to support, boy 7, girl 5. girl 3 & one 5 months. husband gone in the Country to look for Work. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut and 8 [pounds] Bread.

133. Mary Rutherford 38 Spinster, Ch of Engl. No friends in Canada. Rheumatic has a very bad sore on her foot, which cannot be healed, unable to do much for herself in Consequence, seems a decent body, apartment tolerably clean. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

134. Sarah Ryan 60. Widow these 20 years. Irish. R.C. Son 23 in the Army, Daughter 21 at Service at [dollars] 4 per Month. She pays the Rent, makes a little by Quilting and Knitting, but her sight is becoming very imperfect. Clean and tidy. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

135. Mary Summers. 40 Widow. Irish. R.C. Boy 9. Boy 4. Endeavours to get Washing, but cannot, has a wild look and was in the Lunatic Asylum for 6 Months, but now discharged cured, she says, only half cured thinks Capt. Elmsley, who recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

136. Mary Doherty 29. Husband in Quebec Hospital with sore eyes, Boy 5 Months very sickly. Irish. R.C. Clean and respectable in person, she cannot find Work. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup

137. Ann Camp 67 Stanley St. no such person there, or thereabouts.

138. Johanna Quigly 56 Queen St. There is no such Number on Queen St.

139. Jane Armstrong. Palace St. opposite Gashouse in the Basement. Mard. [married] 32. husband 40. Boiler maker by trade, but out of Employment. 6 children Girl 11. Boy 10. Boy 7. Girl 6. girl 3 and Boy 10 months old. Irish. Ch of Engl. respectable people but poor. St. Lawrence Ward



140. George Clark. 387 King St. east. 34 Wife 35. English Ch of Engl. the husband has been Months out of employment which reduced them very much, she tries to make a living by keeping a boarder and working, can't get enough to do, husband looking for employment. St. Lawrence Ward.

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141. Hannah Hawkins. 71. Widow, no friends in Toronto Ireland ^R.C.^ ~~Ch of Engl~~ applies for admission, recomd. by Mr. Spencer, being old and infirm the Committee think it will be best to admit her, to be admitted.

142. Jacob Hausberger, recommended by Dr. Lett, able Man, to come and cut Wood, for relief.

Friday 14th January 1859

Present Messrs. T.A. Stayner. R. Yates and E. Hobson

143. Mary Martin. 485 Richmond St. Irish. R.C. Married. 3 children, Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood for two Months only.

144. Sarah Johnston, 255 Queen St. Ch of Engl. Mard. [married] 4 children, 7. 5. 3 and 7 days. The poor Woman was trying to wash a few things, though confined but seven days since, the husband is no great things, but for the sake of the Mother and children, Mr. Tyner recomd. allowance of Wood, 8 [pounds] of Bread and Soup. Committee thinks husband to Cut for relief.

145. Elizabeth Mundy, 132 Richmond St. Irish R.C. 29 Mard. [married] husband 34. 4 children 9. 5. 2. and 10 Months, husband has been away for some time. Mr. Tyner recomd an allowance of Wood 8 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

146. Mary Ennis, 369 Adelaide St. 29. Mard. [married] Ch of Engl. husband 30, willing and well able to work but cannot get it, they bear a good character. 2 children 8 and 2 years old. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood for two Months and Soup for the season.

147. Catherine Rodden, Queen St. South side in a yard, a few doors east of Parklane Irish. R.C. 24. 3 children, husband a tinsmith has a sore hand, Mr. Tyner leaves the Committee to decide.

148. Bridget Warren ^234^ Richmond St. Married. 29. Ch of Engl. 3 children, wretched place the live in, husband a drunkard, Mr. Tyner recommends Bread Wood and Soup for the Wife and children.

149. Ann Dunn, 144 Adelaide St. Widow 80. not at home when called upon, but her place was found clean and decent Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood and 4 [pounds] Bread per Week

150. Sarah Curran, in the Basement of the same house, Irish. R.C. 29 Widow one child 9 years of age, she is very poor. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood 4 [pounds] Bread & Soup

151. Mary Ann Alston, see Case 2. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood and Soup, the Wife tells him, that her husband's Arm is not well enough to cut Wood.

152. Sarah Kilroy, See Case 6. Mr. Tyner recomd. that her Bread should be increased to 6 [pounds], and to have Wood & Soup.

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153. Mary Joyce. See [Case] 530 (1858) has removed out of Mr. Thom's Ward, Mr. Thom has been informed that she needs no relief, taking off the list.

154. Mary Allan 253. Elizabeth St. Widow. 24 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Boy 18 Months old. Ill with hooping-cough intends going to Service when child gets better, she is a worthy industrious person, but unable to find work has been obliged to sell most of her things for food, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut and Bread.

155. Mary Merritt, back of 27 Elizabeth St. Married. Irish Methodist 5 children Boy 13. Girl 11. Boy 10. Girl 8. Girl 4 years of age. Supports her large family by her own industry, at Shoe binding, she deserves great credit, but her husband is a worthless drunkard. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wife and children strongly for Bread Wood and Soup.

156. Ann Waters. 145 Park Lane Mard. [married] Cold. [Coloured] 40 years of age Methodist, girl 7. Boy 1 year old, her Mother lives with her. husband left. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood 6 [pounds] Bread & Soup.

157. Sarah Wright 145 Park Lane Mard. [married] 26 years of age, in the same room with above Colored, Methodist 3 children, girl 12. girl 4. Boy 1 year old, husband stated not to be able to work, to be at the House at 2 OClock, for Doctor to report on the state of his health, If the Doctor says he is not able to work Mr. Hobson would recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

158. Fanny Smith 22 Duke St. is the Bank of Upper Canada, should have been 122. has been found since, she is supposed to be a gross imposter

159. Mary Conner in a house in lane west of Park's grocery McMahon St. with two familys, who all cook at one Stove. Irish R.C. 20 years of age 1 child 6 weeks old, she says she has no testimonials of marriage. Mr. Thom thinks she needs relief.

160. Elisa Randolph. Stone Cutter St. north of Duches [Duchess] St. Irish R.C. 50 years old. husband 47, a Barber or Labourer, one child, a girl 13. Mr. Thom recomd. a little work for a little relief.

161. Chrutie [Christie] Dixon. Don St. of [off] Parliament St. a Widow four years, her husband was robbed and murdered near Cauga [Cayuga], Scotch Presbyterian, 52 years of age she has been burned out since she came to the City and lost most of her things 3 children Mary 21, Sarah 16 and Catherine 30 years Sarah is at Service the other two unfit for service at present, Mr. Thom recomd. Bread and Wood



162. Edward Herbert 79 Seaton St. stops with his Son a Bricklayer who appears to be well of [off], when visited, the Daughter in Law told Mr. Thom, she did not think, John her husband knew, about his father applying to the House of Industry.

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163. Bridget Donohoe 146 Pine St. Irish. R.C. 30 years of age. 5 children, Boy 14, girl 9, Boy 7. Boy 5. Boy 3. husband dead 3 months Mr. Thom recommends 6 [pounds] Bread Wood & Soup

164. Nancy Phea, 20 Spadina avenue, not found, ran away from Mrs. Deering her landlady last night and insisted in carrying away her furniture to defraud said Mrs. Deering.

165. Mary Scott 58. Widow 10 years. Irish. R.C. Son 30 in Dublin. Daughter 19 at Service she pays the rent. decent old Woman in appearance, tidy and clean, but feeble and sickly. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

166. Bridget Gallan 40. husband deserted her, girl 7 Months, rather dirty and slovenly. No friends in Canada, Irish R.C. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup for the sake of the infant.

167. Margaret Gallagher 50. Husband an old Man, nevertheless, they have contrived to produce. a girl 7. Girl 5. Girl 2 1/2 all fine children, Professional Beggars, but Capt. Elmsley for the sake of the children recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

168. John McShane 60 Widower. Irish R.C. Lost an Arm, two Sons in the Country but they will do nothing for him, he strives to saw Wood, but cannot do much with one arm. Capt. Elmsley recomd. him to Cut Wood for the House for Bread Wood and Soup.

169. John McHale 50. All alone. Ch of Engl. healthy and strong, but cannot get work. has received Wood from Mr. Grasett. Capt. Elmsley leaves the Committee to judge for themselves.

170. John Corcoran 55. Wife strives to earn something by washing, but finds it very hard to get work, he is able to work and will show himself on Tuesday next, they are clean and tidy, 2 children, Boy 13 and Boy 10 Months. Irish R.C. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup if he cuts Wood for the House of Industry

171. Emma Pompador. Colored 80 years of age, Methodist, recommended by Mr. Woodsworth as a fit object for the House of Industry, has been an old resident of Toronto. Dr. Russell thinks her a fit case. Admitted on the 8th January 1859.

172. Mary Chadwick. Married. Ch of Engl. 5 children, Girl 11. Girl 10. girl 8. Boy 5. Boy 2 years of age they live in a house nearly opposite the Gas House, on Palace St. husband has been a long time out of Employment, but has had, a few days Work in the Gas Works, now, the Mother was not at home when called upon but very decent people. St. Lawrence Ward.

173. Joseph Armstrong, seeks admission, to be admitted the first vacancy. admitted in February 1859.  
^Left the House to take a place May 2/59^

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Tuesday 18th January 1859

Present Messrs. E. Hobson. J. Thom. J. Tyner & Revd. Dr. Lett.

174. Agnes Irvin, North east corner of Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] 31. English. Ch of Engl. girl 11. boy 7. girl 5 years old, they appear an industrious Family, husband is represented to have been ill for some time past, and unable to work, he will be examined by the Doctor, and if reported unable to Work, Mr. Hobson will recommend Wood, 8 [pounds] Bread and Soup

175. Ellen Wilson, 73. Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] 44 Scotch. Presbt. Clean and tidy in appearance, husband a Carpenter, had little work and lost part of last Summers wages. 5 Children, girl 11. Girl 10. Boy 8. Boy 3. Boy 2 years old. husband will Sharpen Saws, or make Axe handles, for Bread Wood & Soup if he requires it.

176. Susan Shepard 70 Emma St. No person of that name known there.

177. Ann OBrien 68 Sayer St. No person of that name.

178. William Scott 61 Sayer St. Marrd. [married] 47. Irish. Ch of Engl. No children at home, lost one hand, obtained living by selling papers, but times are hard with him. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

179. Elizabeth Keely. No. 60 Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] 36. Irish. Ch of Engl. girl 16. boy 11, girl 4 & girl 1 year old, she is a well conducted industrious Woman, in bad health, her husband is a worthless Man, who will do nothing for his family, not even cut Wood, he leaves home in the morning and returns in the evening, when his Wife is afraid to ask him where he has been, for the sake of the children, Mr. Hobson recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread Wood Cut & Soup.

180. Margaret OBrien from Stanley St. to rear of 57 Duches [Duchess] St. she gets four [pounds] Bread from House of Industry.

181. Mary Wilson rear of 57 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. R.C. 47. lame of one leg, has a boy 8 years of age, Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread and 1/4 Cord Wood.

182. Mary ^O.^ Kelly in same House. Irish. R.C. 40 Widow. 4 children John 10 lame, Girl 8. Boy 6. Girl 10 months. Mr. Hobson recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread & Soup.

183. Mary Farrell. Irish.R.C. 60. Son 18. Mr. Thom recomd. Wood, if the Son will work for it.

184. Mary Boylan, in rear of 122 Duke St. her Case reported 23th ult. [1858 Case 646]. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread. Fanny Smith a deserted Widow stops with her. Mr. Thom recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood Cut, and 4 [pounds] Bread.

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185. Catharine Roache 44 Pine St, cannot be found.

186. Henry Andrews, back of Store on Corner of Duke and Caroline St. English 46. Wife 43. one Child 2 years old. Mr. Thom recomd. him for a little Wood if he Works for it. he will not Work for it.

187. Mary Jane Field. In Parkinsons Yard in rear 128 Duke St. Irish. years old.R.C. 39. husband 33 labourer, gone to look for Work. 4 Children 15. 12. 9 & 7. Mr. Thom recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

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188. Ellen OBrien. Irish R.C. 40. lame with a sprained foot, stops with Catherine Sheldon. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread & Soup.

189. Catherine Shehan in Parkinsons Yard, in rear of 128 Duke St. Widow. Irish. R.C. 60 years Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds]Bread & Soup. and 1/4 Cord Wood Cut.

190. Ann Bottle 68. Power St. English Ch of Engl. 24 husband 25. Sadler by trade, gone in the Country to look for Work, one Child 2 years old. Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread Wood and Soup.

191. Elisa Spears. Irish. Ch of Engl.22 husband 24 unfit for work, with sore eyes. 1 child four months. Mr. Thom recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread, Wood Cut. & Soup. they live in rear of 43 Parliament St.

192. Rachael Philips 146 1/2 York St. colored on the Books for Wood, still has sickness in the House. Mr. Tyner recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread for a month.

193. Roger Power 144 1/2 York St. R.C. Wife and four Children, a miserable pair good for nothing except to beget children. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood & Soup

194. Charles Shields, Colored. Richmond St. Wife and 3 children, 6. 4 and 10 months. willing to work at anything, and at any wages, Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood by working for it. 6 [pounds] Bread, and Work for it.

195. Jane Reynolds, 151 Tecumseth St. Widow 3 children Ch of Engl. they are very poor Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood for not more than two Months.

196. Elizabeth Napier, 149 Adelaide St. Ch of Engl. Has a husband Gunmaker cannot get much to do. 3 children. Mr. Tyner recomd. Wood not more than two Months.

197. Susan Shepard this is the second time that Mr. Hobson has tried to find her, but has not succeeded, the first time she gave her address 70 Emma St. she applied again and said it was 37 Emma St, but she is not to be found there.

198. Ann OBrien 68 Sayer St. this is the second time Mr. Hobson, has called at the same Number, but she is not even known in the Neighbourhood.

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199. Mary Pearse. 33 Centre St. Widow 73. English. Methodist. respectable old Lady Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood. Cut
200. Eliza Burns, represented to reside at 107 Elizabeth St. No such number in the Street.
201. Sarah ONeil. 12 Albert St. Widow. 50 years of age, Irish. R.C. Son 16. she is industrious but not able to get Work. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood
202. Ann Kinnon 28 Edward St. Widow. 40. Irish. R.C. Boy 15. Work scarce, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood.
203. Mary ^Ann^ Muldoon, back of 52 Centre St. No Person of that name known.
204. John McClure. 20 Elizabeth St. Presbt. 50 lame not able to work, no family Mr. Hobson. recomd. Wood Cut.
205. Alex Moffat 90 1/2 Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] 30. Irish Presb. boy 2. girl 1. to Work for Wood.

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206. Catharine Richardson 66 Elizabeth St. Widow 35. Irish, R.C. can find little work, but said to be industrious, girl 10. recomd. for Wood Cut.
207. Johanna Brown. 109 Centre St. Number given wrong it appears 129 is the right number.
208. Catharine OBrien ^ 64 Stanly St.^ 51. Husband left her. Irish. R.C. Son 24 in this City but will do nothing for her, so she says, seems to be a respectable person, keeps herself tidy. Landlady speaks well of her. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.
209. James Muirhead 48. Widower. Presbt. childless, Crippled by sores on his hand, cramps in his back and sides, he will produce a line from the Hospital to say that he is unable to work. seemingly a decent sober person Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.
210. Antony Corrigan. 70. Widower these 14 years. Irish. R.C. Daughter 35 Marrd. [married] in Boston. The old man has been a hard drinker. A sleigh ran against him and bruised him severely, he is now confined to his bed unable to turn in it. Mrs. Magrath his Landlady, will attend to morrow on his behalf Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup for him.
211. Honora Ryan 52 Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 15 was in place, but has left it had [dollars] 2.00 p. month, paid her Mothers rent and is now trying to get another place, she seems to be a decent Body, Tidy and Clean, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.
212. Jane Dunlap. 35. husband sickly, but may saw wood, he will show himself to morrow, says he has one child in the House of Industry and one died there. Ch of Engl. not to clean in person.

213. Mary Hollaran 27. husband has a sore hand, but can saw Wood a little he will show himself to morrow, decent in appearance, Irish R.C. Girl 3 1/2 Boy 10 months. Ann Lahey & Margaret Weldon live with her. to saw Wood

214. Ann Lahey see Case 624 (1858) not able to come to the House herself, Mary Halloran will receive Wood Bread & Soup for her in turn.

215. Margaret Weldon, 22 Spinster, has the falling sickness, and once fell into the fire, and burnt her arm, No friends living, sent out from the old Country by the Workhouse, Lives with Mary Halloran, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

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216. Bridget Whelan. 34 Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 13. lives with a Marrd. [married] Sister decent clean and tidy. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

217. Catharine Hyslop. 31. Husband gone to New York to seek Work as Steam press Man. Ch of Engl. 3 children, Boy 5. Girl 3. Boy 11 months. [dollars] 6. a month rent, she has a verry sore hand, and cannot Work. Clean and tidy in person and appearance she wishes for Wood only, which Capt. Elmsley recomd.

218. Johanna Quigley 28. Husband a sailor, but she fears he has been lost at sea has not heard of him for two years. Irish. R.C. Girl 2. Washes when she can get it, decent clean and tidy. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

219. Henry Lane. 30 Queen St. no such Number on Queen St. east.

220. Ann Wilson 36. husband deserted her, Boy 12 apprenticed to a Tailor, and a Boy 5 Weeks old. Lives with Toomeys' Stanley St. Looks clean Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

221. Mary Michael Kelly. Victoria back of Baptist Chapel, no person of the name of Kelly ever known in those diggings.

222. Mrs. Hall. Agnes St. West. very deserving, particularly recommended for Bread and Soup. Husband to Work for Wood. five children, Girl 12, Boy 10 Boy 8. Boy 6. Girl 6 Months. Dr. Lett visited

223. Mrs. McDowdle, 4 small children 70 Dummer St.

224. Margaret Wilson no such person to be found.

Friday. 21st January 1859

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Thom

225. Mary Stewart. 164 John St. Free Presbt. Marrd. [married] 4 children, husband looks like a Drinker, Mr. Tyner visited, and after making enquiry, found them utterly unworthy of being recommended for anything.

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226. Elizabeth Pace, 89 Boulton St. 4 Children, 4. 6. 8 and 11 years of age, trying to get a living by washing and scrubbing, she is a respectable person, and deserves sympathy, Mr. Tyner Visited, and recommends all the House can afford to give.

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227. Ellen Armstrong, in Muttons yard Nelson St. Widow, 50. Irish. R.C. a Boy 19. a Carpenter, Mr. Thom, recomd. the Boy to come and do some Work for relief.

228. Ann McMaster 79. Caroline St. Irish. Ch of Eng. 55. husband 55. Mr. Thom recomd. a little Bread and Wood if the husband works for it.

229. Anastatia Murray 61 Pine St. Widow 30. Irish. R.C. Mr. Thom recomd. a little work for relief.

229. 230) one Stove [Murray and Moore]

230. Johanna Moore 61 Pine St. 34 years of age, Irish. R.C. husband 30. to come and work for a little relief, 3 Boys 3. 4 and one year old. husband to cut Wood.

231. Catharine Roache, found at last. 144 Pine St. Irish. R.C. 26. husband 30. gone to the country to look for work, 2 Children, John 9. Edward 7 months. Mr. Thom recomd. Soup and 4 [pounds] Bread, and 1/2 Cord Wood, for once only. Another family stops with them.

232. Charles Kline No. 1 Sydenham St. in Basement of Brickhouse, a German 48. Tailor by trade, Wife 38. four children, Boy 13 works for a Cigar Maker, a girl 10 expects to get a place, one child 3 years and a Baby, they are protestants, Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread and 2 pints of Soup p. day. ^To be struck of [off] the list, Mr. Thom finds that they are a drunken worthles lot^

233. Margaret Shehan, up Stairs Nelson St. No. 70. Irish. R.C. 25. husband 25. a tailor unfit for Work, he went in the Bush to chop and got his finger crushed between some Logs, 3 children 7. 5 and 2 years of age, Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread & Soup for a time and Wood for once only.

234. Margaret Kendry, rear of 122 Duke St. Scotch. Presbt. 42. husband 45, lately out of Hospital, a Carpenter by trade, on Crutches, fell from a building on 22nd Sept. and broke his thigh. Mr. Thom recomd. 10 Bushels Coke, 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week and 2 pints Soup p. day.

235. Ellen Thompson, in a Garden, north east Corner of Parliament & Queen St. Irish. ~~R.C.~~ Ch of Engl. Widow 35 years of age, 3 Boys 9. 7 and 5 years of age, Mr. Thom recomd. 10 B. [bushels] Coke. 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and 3 pints Soup p. day.

236. Ellen Mitchell. 64 Power St. English. Ch of Engl. 23. husband 24. unfit for Work a Bricklayer, 2 girls, one 3 years, one eighteen months. both Children sick have had the Scarlet fever. Mr. Thom recomd. Wood Cut 8 [pounds] Bread & Soup.

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237. Betsey Cornell, to continue her Wood Bread and Soup.

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238. Ann OBrien, 86 Sayer St. Widow 50. Irish. R.C. two Daughters one Married, but husband gone to Ireland expected back in the spring, she has no right hand, has a young child 12 Months old. The other at home at present out of place, they appear decent tidy people, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood cut, 6 [pounds] Bread and 3 pints of Soup.

239. Catharine Hislop 23 Sayer St. Marrd. [Married] 34. 6 Children, girl 11. girl 10. girl 8. boy 5. boy 3. boy 1. husband an Engineer but finds no work in his business, he jobs about the Rossin House till 9 and 10 OClock at night, for which he gets [dollars] 2 p. Week. they seem a Worthy family. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

240. John Mitchell, back of 146 Terauly St. Marrd. 46. Boy 12 years, been sick most all Summer, Cold. [Coloured] Methodist. Mr. Hobson recomd. 10 B. [bushels] of Coke.

241. Sarah OBrien, 91 Sayer St. Widow 50 years of age, Irish. R.C. Boy 10. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

242. Catharine Wiggins, 60 Elizabeth St. She left that House on Wednesday last.

243. James Doran, back of Chapel in James St. Marrd. [married] 42. in bad health, Wife paralysed. 4 Children at home, Girl 12. Boy 8. Boy 6. Boy 4. Mr. Hobson recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

244. Michael Gannan, 69 Emma St. Single, 50 years of age, Mr. Hobson recomd. Bread & Soup.

245. Mary Skivington, 30. Widow, Irish. R.C. 2 children, Boy 5. Boy 3. No friends in Canada, strives to earn something by Washing, but can't get employment, decent tidy, and respectable every way. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup. this not want Wood

246. Bridget Kelly, 30. Husband a labourer, looking for Work in Hammilton, Irish, R.C. one child, Girl 2 years old, No friends in Canada, can Wash very well, Clean and tidy. Mary Kelly lives with her, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread and Soup. to come and Work for Bread

247. Mary Kelly, 25. husband in the States seeking employment. No children yet but expects her confinement shortly, Irish. R.C. Lives with Bridget Kelly the above, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup. Wood alternately with above

248. Catharine Meehan 25, husband a Tailor, but out of Work and lame of a leg so that he can not do labouring Work, 4 children, Boy 8. Boy 6. Girl 3, and Boy 7 Months, rather dirty and slovenly, but for the sake of the children, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup

249. Bridget Quin 81 Stanley St. no such person known there.

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January 24th 1859.

250. Mary Steward, 44 Stanley St. no such person known there

251. Ann Walsh, 74 Stanley St. no such person known there

252. Martin Laughlin, 60. Wife sick in bed. 4 children at home. Son 20 Employed in the Manufacture of Ginger Beer during the Summer, now out of Employment, Boy 14 sells papers, Girl 8, Girl 5. The entire lot filthy and slovenly in the extreme, in person apartment, and every way, but Capt. Elmsley thinks, they must have some Bread Wood and Soup. to work for relief

253. Bridget OBrien, 45. Husband able and willing to work, he will present himself, Boy 6. She is an awfull looking Creature, from drink Capt. Elmsley thinks.

254. Ann Christian, Widow, sometimes gets a little sewing, but not much, Clean respectable in every way, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood only, as she does not wish for Bread or Soup.

255. Bridget Ryan, Visited by Dr. Lett who recomd. relief, if the husband will come to the House and be examined by the Doctor.

256. Mary Sweeny, 28. Single, R.C. Ireland, a young Women able to go to service, Committee think it no charity to give her assistance.

257. Ann Steward, husband out of Work, not living with her, gone to the states, one child a year old, Washes when she can get it. Wants Bread, Visited by the Revd. Mr. Boddy

258. Ellen Sloan, husband labourer out of Work, two children, Wife Charwomen, wants Bread and Wood, goods on point of being seized. Visited by Revd. Mr. Boddy

259. Isabella Grey. Widow 33 years of age, Scotch, Presbt. 2 children, Son 12, Daughter 4 years of age, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood.

260. Michael Tobin, Maria St. Irish. R.C. West. Two children, Jane 9. John 2. Miserable dirty, Revd. Dr. Lett recomd. Bread & Soup, and to cut Wood for Wood.

261. Walter Power, lodges in the same room and got Wood 3 Weeks ago.

262. Catharine McNulty. William St. West. Irish. R.C. 50. 5 children, Boy 17. at a printer, Girl 15 and Girl 20 have been at service, Ward places, Boy 8 at School. Mary 3 1/2 years old, Husband lame, Dr. Lett recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

263. Mrs. Daly 59. Bishop St. husband sick. Irish. R.C. 40. 5 children Boy 13 1/2. Girl 12. Boy 9. Girl 7. Girl 5. Revd. Dr. Lett recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

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January 25th 1859.

264. Lucy Vose, Ontario St. 24 Ch of Engl. Marrd. [married] husband 30 whose Arm was broken in England and not properly set, 2 children, Boy 4. Girl 3. Clean. Bread & Soup. and to Work for two turns, recomd. by Dr. Lett. to appear before the Doctor

Tuesday 25th January 1859.

Present. Messrs. J. Thom, J. Tyner. E. Hobson and Revd. Dr. Barclay.

267. Bridget Ryan, Bishop St. 34. Irish R.C. husband sore leg, 4 children James 7. girl 5. Boy 3. Boy 1. Dr. Lett recomd. Bread Wood and Soup. but husband to appear before the Doctor.

268. Joseph Jenkins, 109 Boulton St. Mr. Tyner cannot find a person by that name.

269. Mary Ryan, up stairs 36 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish. R.C. 32. husband 40, a labourer out of work, one child 5 Months old, Mr. Thom recomd. the husband to Work for relief

270. Sarah Renay 47. Caroline St. Irish. Ch of Engl 32. husband 33. a Blacksmith out of Work, 4 children, boy 10. boy 7. Mary 5. Girl 2. Mr. Thom recomd. the husband some Work for relief, for the sake of the children, he understands the husband drinks.

271. Mary Finlay. 67. Sumach St. Irish. R.C. 55. husband a tailor 40. out of Work, one girl 7 years old. Mr. Thom recomd. the husband to work for bread, they receive some relief from the House of Providence they are very dirty

272. Michael Lamasney, in Blairs yard Nelson St. a Carpenter 36. Wife 35 Irish R.C. 4 Children, girl 13. Boy 8. Boy 3. girl 7 months, Wife troubled with Erysipelas in her face, Mr. Thom recomd. him to Work for Bread Wood and Soup.

273. Mrs. Gorman, in all back places, Mr. Thom desires them, to give the No. of the House in front, stating that theirs is in the rear.

274. John Kenny 47. Irish. R.C. Lost a leg at a logging Bee. Wife washes, when she can get it, No children at home, looks tolerably decent and lives with decent folks, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

275. Ann Camp. 28. Husband in Penitentiary, 2 children, Girl 3. and Girl 10 Months, Professional Beggar, lives in one of those awfull dens on Stanley St. for the sake of the children Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

276. Elizabeth ONiel, 40. husband sick in bed, 3 children, Boy 9. Girl 7 and Girl 2. Awful den: dirty and slovenly every way, for the sake of the Children, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup. ^same House as above^

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277. John Burkley, 50. Bachelor, Nearly lost the use of his eyes, unable to earn his living, lives with decent people. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

Friday 28th January 1859

Present The Revd. Dr. Lett & Mr. E. Hobson.

278. Esther OConner. last House at the North end of Elizabeth St. No person of that Name Known there.

279. Michael Butgess 21 Centre St. No person of that Name Known there,

280. Ann Gillow, 126 Terauley St. Widow. 40. Irish. Presbt. 7 Children, girl 17. girl 15. boy 7. girl 5. girl 4, girl 3, a boy 6 Months, appears to be industrious, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut, and Soup if she wishes for it.

281. Margaret Caraghan, 92 Queen St. Widow, 50. Irish. R.C. no children, Mr. Hobson thinks she ought to go to service, she lives with a person by the name of Flaving who has Wood from the House, recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread this time

282. Stephen Wood, 79 Albert St. Marrd. [married] 38. English, Methodist, boy 13 and Girl 8. has been very ill for some time past, he is highly recomd. as an industrious and well conducted Man, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood, 8 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

283. Hannah Spilling, back of 20 Agnes St. She is having Wood from the House, and is now applying for bread, says her husband is not able to work, to come and see the Doctor, if her statement is correct, Mr. Hobson will recomd. Bread.

284. Dennis Collins, South Park St. near the Don, has two children, oldest 4 year. Tailor but no Work. Wife Needle Woman but no Work either, wants Wood or Bread, Visited by Revd. Mr. Boddy.

285. James McCrum. labourer, out of Work, Wife and two children eldest 4 years Wife works as Laundress, but out of Employment Visited by Revd. Mr. Boddy 1/4 Wood

286. Ellen Tannin, Revd. Mr. Boddy called at several Houses, but cannot find any tidings of her,

287. Harriett Norton, 239 Palace St. 6 children, 5 at home, Eldest 16 years, husband alive a Carpenter out of Work, young Baby 12 Months old, wants Bread and Wood, Visited by Mr. Boddy.

288. Catharine Mack, Kingston road, west side of Railroad Track-four children Widow, bad Arm, Charwoman unable to get work, Visited by Revd. Mr. Boddy.

289. John Sturgess, sick, 60. Colered, Wife 29. 5 Children, Girl 11. Boy 10. Girl 5. Boy 4. and Boy 2. 130 Bishop St. Dr. Lett recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

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290. Mary Hardy, 60. Widow. R.C. 234 Richmond St. has one Daughter 19. she was sewing, when Mr. Tyner visited, and the Mother Washing, they are tidy and comfortable, they want Wood, Mr. Tyner thinks it may be as well to let her have one 1/4 cord for once, but leaves the Committee to decide.

291. John Maley, 87 Richmond St. Irish, R.C. 45. Wife about the same age, 3 children, girl 9 Boy 7 and Boy 4. They are filthy, which is a proof that they are lazy, Mr. Tyner recomd. husband to break stones.

292. Mary Gallagher, 144 1/2 York St. Irish, R.C. 42. says she is marrd. [married] that the husband has been in hospital, Mr. Tyner found the said husband next door, where he got shelter after coming out of hospital, say's he dare not enter where his Wife Mary is, as Mrs. Green drives him out, recommends nothing.

293. Mary Spence, Irish, R.C. Widow, 50. one girl 16, at service at [dollars] 3 p. Month but can do nothing for her Mother, as she has no other children and looks like a hard case, Capt. Elmsley thinks he must leave it to the Committee to decide.

294. Messrs. Wm. J. Turner, & Mark Thrush, called on behalf of George Allan, an inmate of this institution, and proposed to pay a portion of the cost of his support, from the friends of the Odd Fellows Society, and desired to know how much the House would be content to take, as a permanent remuneration for his maintenance. Mr. Thrush lives 171 Centre Street. Referred to General Committee. See [Case] 439 (1858)

296. James Keating 24 wife 24 in confinement. R.C. Irish 62 Dummer St. in same House with ^Luke^ White who has 3 Children 1/4 Alld. [allowed] to come & work. 4 [pounds] of Bread to each.

297. ~~Mary~~ ^Margt.^ Saunders St. Patk's [Patrick's] Market 35. Dennis husband in hospital. Mary 16 Anne 11 Margt 5. 1/4 Cord & 6 [pounds] of Bread. Mary to go to work or no more relief

298. Mrs. French, one child. Dr. Lett proposes to take child into orphan Home & then Mother to go to service. One loaf with no more

299. ~~Mary~~ ^Anne^ Mulloney W. [widow] 68. 58 Dummer St. with Mrs. Kenny, who has 4 children 1/4 cord 6 lbs. [bread]

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300. Bridget Sullivan. with note from Mayor & report from Mr. Kennedy. young girl. no relatives. on Rees Warf. to come into house, until a place can be procured for her, It seems that she prefers being out, as she had not made her appearance

301. Mary Morrisson 23. W. [widow] seven weeks C of E. Thos. 3 years. Back, necessities. 2 [pounds] & soup ~~1/4 wood~~ Mr. Thoms' report. in same house with White. & White to come & to work.

302. Paul Filion, French Canadian 67. Bread & Soup.

303. Catherine Wiggins 26 Richd. [Richmond] St. opposite Wesleyan Chapel. 34 Deserted by Robt. Her husband. two children 7 & 4 sore leg. good reputation {8} [pounds] bread. Wood & Soup.

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Present The Hon. Capt. Elmsley. Revd. Dr. Lett and Mr. E Hobson

304. Mary Caldwell, 50. husband deserted her, Ch of Engl. very delicate in health Son in the 100th Regt. [Regiment] Daughter 22 in Service at [dollars] 3 p. Month, Daughter 19 in Service at [dollars] 3 p. Month, Girl 3 at home, Lives in an awfull den, filthy in every way, for the sake of the Child Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread and Soup.

305. Bridget Grimes, 36. husband to show himself, Boy 4 Boy 16 Months, Clean and tidy

306. Ann Walsh, 40. husband sick in bed, Girl 14 apprenticed to a dressmaker and Girl 11. both Girls Ch of Engl. Mother R.C. Father any thing or nothing as you please, Tolerable clean, has Wood to last ten days, would like some Bread and Soup, which Capt. Elmsley recomd.

307. Mary Kavanaugh, 17 Agnes St. Marrd. [married] Irish, R.C. Boy 4 Girl 1 year old, husband able and willing to work, Mr. Hobson recomd. that he should break Stone for Bread and Wood.

308. Mary Jane Hopkins 98 Elizabeth St. Widow 34. Colered, Methodist, Boy 16 in the States, Boy 15 in place at [dollars] 1.00 p. Week. Boy 10 at home, industrious. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood Cut.

309. Isabella Dunlop, 17 Elizabeth St. single appears about 30 years of age Mr. Hobson thinks she ought to go to service

310. Sarah White, North of the Necropolis, Irish. R.C. 32. husband 36. a labourer out of Work, 6 children, Boy 12. Girl 10. girl 8. girl 4. boy 2. girl 5 weeks old. Mr. Thom recomd. 8 [pounds] Bread and Soup for the day, after to Work for relief

310. 311) Live in one house

311. Mary Morrison, Widow 23. Irish Ch of Engl. one Child 3 years old Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup

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312. Alcinda Buttler, lives in a low Tavern, the east side of Bay St. she has a Negro child of about 4 years, she came to the place about 6 Months ago. went to the Country returned about 6 Weeks since, she is destitute, Visited by Revd. Mr. Kennedy.

313. Catharine Wiggins, Richmond St. opposite Wesleyan Chapel, 34. deserted by her husband, has two children at home, girls 7 & 4. Ch of Eng. she has a good reputation, and a sore leg. Mr. Tyner recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

314. John Morris, 87 Richmond St. R.C. Widower, aged 58. has no family, Mr. Tyner recomd. for him to go in the Country, and make a living as best he can the Committee to judge.

315. Ann Linch 159. Richmond St. no person of that name to be found there

316. Thomas Cook. 60. English, Ch of Engl. labourer has been 14 years in Toronto Paralyzed, no friends, has been a out Pensioner for some time, recomd. by Dr. Russell as a fit case to be admitted in to the House, admitted.

317. Sarah Eansor, Mrd. [married] 33. English, Ch of Engl. 4 Children, boy 12. boy 10. girl 6. boy 3 years old, near her confinement, both husband and Wife industrious, has a little Work each Day, but the family large, for which reason Mr. Hobson recomd. assistance.

318. Mathew Leach, 26 years of age, Ch of Engl. Ireland, a Brother somewhere at Perth Working about, he is Consumptive, was turned out the Hospital uncurable, has been allowed to stay in the Outbuilding, but on account of his illness admitted temporary in the House.

Friday 4th February 1859.

Present. Hon. Capt. Elmsley, Messrs. R. Cathcart. E. Hobson and Revd. Dr. Lett.

319. Margaret Lawrence, 126 John St. Marrd. [married] Ch of Engl. 48. husband 58. has one daughter at service, another trying to get a place, the Family appear respectable, but very poor, Mrs. Grassett recomd. them for Wood, Mr. Tyner thinks it may be as well, to let them have Wood for the present, and 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month.

320. Margaret Shirlock 37 Duke St. Mr. Thom cannot find her.

321. Margaret Phair 11 Sydenham St. no such number.

322. Jane Beaty 40. Marrd. [married] husband feeble old Man, one Child at home Girl 10. Ch of Engl. Ireland. Dr. Lett recomd. Bread & Soup.

323. George Monk 37. Ch of Engl. Irish, Wife and two Children, Boy 10. Girl 7. out of Employment, a Bookkeeper, goods seized for rent, in great distress, Wants Bread and Wood, recomd. for the same by Mr. Boddy. to have 8 [pounds] Bread and Wood.

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324. James Prest, an Inmate 9 years of age, gone on trial previous of being bound, to Edward Martin, a Farmer of Mono, James is Brother to Joseph 5 years old, now in the House. See Case 236 (1858.)

325. Ellen Nightingale, 104. Pine St. Irish, Ch of Engl. Widow, 3 Boys', one 14. prentice [apprentice] to a Carpenter, receives but little to assist for his Board, one Boy 11 and one 7 years of age, She has parted with everything for Bread, Mr. Thom, thinks it a very distressing Case, and recomd. Wood, 8 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

326. Margaret Potter, 81 Park Lane, Marrd. [married] 23 years of age, Canadian, Methodist. baby 3 Weeks old, husband a Smith. Mr. Hobson recomd. him to Work for Wood and Bread

327. Bridget Day. 99 Sayer St. Marrd. [married] 33 years of age, Irish, R.C. 3 children girl 4. girl 2. Boy 3 Months old, Mr. Hobson recomd. the husband to break stone for Wood and Bread

328. Elizabeth Reed, 184 1/2 Centre St. Marrd. [married] 30. English. Ch of Engl. 2 children girl 2 and girl 3 years old. Mr. Hobson recomd. husband to Cut Wood for Wood

329. Fanny Furlong, 25 Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] 40. Irish. R.C. 3 children boy 13. girl 7. boy 5. husband said to be ill, but looks well, was told to see the Doctor at two OClock, if not able to Work, Mr. Hobson recomd. Bread and Wood

330. Jane Wood. 3 Sayer St. no person of that name known there.

331. Mary Looker. 86 Elizabeth St. no such number in the street, and no person of that name known there.

332. William Gallagher, 44 Centre St. Marrd. [married] 44. Irish. R.C. 4 children girl 7. girl 5. Boy 3. Boy 1 year old, says he is ill and not able to Work, told to see the Doctor, if reported to be so, Mr. Hobson would recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread & Wood

333. Jakob Jones. 224 Sayer St. Mrd. [married] Cold. [Coloured] 26. Methodist, girl 2 year, and Girl 1 Month old, Mr. Hobson, recomd. the husband to break Stones for Wood and Bread

334. Mary Ward. 17 Agnes St. Mrrd. [married] 19. Canadian, Ch of Engl. No Children, but not able to find Work, husband had better break Stone for Wood and Bread.

335. James Armstrong, 58 Duke St. a Sadler, Irish. Ch of Engl. Wife 34. one Boy 8 years. husband says he is 43. and that he is unfit for Work at present with a sore shoulder, Mr. Thom recomd. he should come and see the Doctor.

336. Cannot find Jane Bowes. Mr. Thom Visited

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337. George Troyer. 420. King St. Nova Scotian, 47. Wife 36. Ch of Engl. unfit for Work with fever and Ague, and a little Asthma, Mr. Thom recomd. Wood and 6 [pounds] Bread.

338. ~~Ellen~~ ^Elizabeth^ McCarty. Lives in same house, in an adjoining room with George Troyer, they both Cook at the same fire place, Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread, and if she continues to stop with Troyer to get 1/4 Cord Wood between them in three Weeks.

339. Catharine Cane or Kane 315 Queen St. Irish. R.C. 45. Widow. 3 children, Boy 15 Girl 9. Girl 6. Mr. Thom recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood for once, and 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week for a Month

340. Mary Jane Tremble, 150 Seaton St. Irish. Ch of Engl. 50. husband 50. a labourer or gardener, 5 children 10 to 5 years, Mr. Thom recomd. the husband to Work for Bread Wood and Soup.

341. Grace Darker. 67 Sumach St. was not at home when Mr. Thom Visited, she lives in the same House with Findlay a Tailor, and sleeps on his Work board. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup, and if she stops with Findlay to have Wood in her turn. She is on the list now for 6 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

342. Margaret OBrien can not be found.

343. Margaret Morris. 30. Husband a Labourer, has a very bad sore under his Arm. Ch of Engl. Boy 3. Girl 11 Months, Neighbours speak well of them, Mrs. Grasset recomd. her strongly, Ague all Summer, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

344. Margaret Conner. 44. husband seeking Work. Irish, R.C. 5 Children, Girl 18 at Service [dollars] 5 a Month, but will not give her parents anything, Boy 15 on a Farm at Collingwood, Girl 11. Girl 5 and Girl 3. Tries to get Washing, rather dirty, but for the Childrens sake Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

345. Catharine Meade 26. husband a labourer. He will present himself to Morrow. Irish. R.C. Boy 9 Months. A Nephew 7 years old depending upon them. She gets something by Shoebinding. Clean decent respectable people.

346. James Muirhead. 45. Widower. no children, afflicted much with Rheumatic pains all over, Neighbours say he is a quite sober body, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup. Ireland. Prebt. [Presbyterian]

347. Catharine Cadwell. 30. husband died of hard drinking two Months ago sells Appl. [apples] and has Girl 8 and Girl 6. Filthy in person apartment and children, Nevertheless for the sake of the Children Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

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Tuesday 8th February 1859

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth. J. Tyner E. Hobson. R. Cathcart & Rev. Dr. Lett.



348. William Johnston, brought back to the Institution a boy apprenticed to him, on the 16th of April 1857. the Boy had a sore head at the time he was taking from the House, and instead of getting better, it has been getting worse, he is not able to keep him any longer as he has a family of his own, and is afraid it may affect them, he has nothing against the Boy, except the sore head

349. Mary Constantine 113 Queen St. Irish. R.C. 36. husband 40, a Tailor 2 children, Boy 5. Boy 6 Months, Mr. Thom recomd. 1/2 Cord Wood and 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week for one Month only.

350. John Farrell, 35. Widower. Ch of Engl. has a sore hand, not to [too] clean, 2 children, Boy 7. Girl 4. A Woman present, who seemed to be large in the family way, appear'd to have a great deal to say on his behalf, after enquiry it was found, they live together, but she is not his Wife, Capt. Elmsley will [not] recomd. such people, leaves the Committee to judge.

351. Sarah Good. 295 George St. No such person there.

352. Jane Dale. Adelaide St. in Palmers Yard, marrd. [married] no family, husband in jail, recomd. by Dr. Jones, Mr. Tyner, thinks perhaps it is best, to give her 1/4 Cord Wood, for the present.

353. Edward Herbert, aged 70, did live with son on Seaton St. Said son was to hard up himself these hard times to keep him any longer, having a Wife sickly and five small children, Mr. Thom thought, that his Son should, support, him, and so indeed he should, in ordinary times, but these are extra, ordinary times, Capt. Elmsley begs the Committee to reconsider his Case, and afford the poor old Man such relief as his age and Circumstances warrant

354. Mary Foster, back of 94 Duches [Duchess] St. English. Ch of Engl. 49. husband 53. A labourer not very stout, a boy 8 years of age, Mr. Thom recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread and Wood.

355. Widow McCauly 69 Queen St. is in St. James Ward, Mr. Thom called upon her and told her to go to Capt. Elmsley.

356. Margeret Brown, 29 Centre St. Widow. 50. Colered. Methodist, Mr. Hobson the {blank}

357. Nancy Riley. 66 Bishop St. Mard. [married] 35. Irish. R.C. husband 50. ill. 3 Children, husband to bring a certificate from the Doctor 8 [pounds] Bread for the present.

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Friday 11th February. 1859.

Present. Rev. Dr. Lett and Messrs. E Hobson and R. Woodsworth

358. Jane Heeney See [Case] 516 (1858) referred to general Board.

359. Ellen Lawson 154 Palace St. Widow. 53. Ch of England. 2 Children. Sells Appl. [apples] and gets Money allowed from another son. Revd. Mr. Boddy recomd. Bread and Soup.

360. Sarah Johnston. 91 years of age, Ch of Engl. Would like some Wood and Bread. Revd. Mr. Boddy.

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361. Margaret Hase 50 R.C. 2 children. Sells appl. [apples] and Sweet stuff Revd. Mr. Boddy recomd. Wood

362. Julia McCollough 39. R.C. 2 children, husband left her. Mr. Revd. Boddy recomd. Wood

363. Charlotte Miller. 7 York St. no such Number as 7 in said St. [street] Mr. Tyner

364. Margaret Mealey 87 Richmond St. has removed from there.

365. Sarah Halbert 479 1/2 Richmond St. West, Ch of Engl. 52. husband 58 has one Shilling p. Day Pension, is not able to Work, has 3 children, Boy 9. and two girls 12 & 6 years of age, they are very poor, they pay [dollars] 4 p. Month rent. Mr. Tyner recomd. for the present, Wood, 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week & Soup.

366. Margaret Cronan 43. Widow Irish. R.C. 3 children Boy 14. Boy 11. Girl 8. Tries to get Washing, but cannot succeed, Person, children and Apartment dirty. Nevertheless for the sake of the Children, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

367. Margaret McCarty. 30 Husband a Tailor, cannot get any employment, rather sickly, Boy 7. Boy and Girl Twins, 3. Girl 4 Months Irish. R.C. Tolerable clean & tidy Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread and Soup.

368. Ann McAuliff 66. Widow. Son 40 in Montreal. Daughter 24 Marrd. [married] in this City, but has a family to Care for, decent old Body, carried a fruit Basket last Summer, but cannot do so this Cold Weather, Lives with the above McCarty, with whom Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood alternately, and Bread for herself and Soup.

369. Fanny Myers. 39 Marrd. [married] Irish. Ch of Engl. husband a Carpenter out of Employment 3 children. Boy 11 Girl 4. and Girl 18 Months, has been Visited by Revd. Mr. Grasset who recomd. Wood & Bread

370. Alfred Dumarse returned from Antony Shore, who has taking John Gillan in place as an apprentice, Dumarse has something the matter with his thigh and is sent to the Hospital. See [Case] 390 (1858)

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Tuesday 15th February 1859.

Present. Mr. E Hobson and Revd. Dr. Lett.

371. John Barrett, 70 McMahon St. Irish. R.C. 74. Wife 60. one girl 19 Paralized, 6 [pounds] Bread and Wood. on Mr. Thoms recommendation.

372. Sarah Hardiman, 44 James St. Widow. 60. Irish. Ch of Engl. one Boy 19. gone to the Country to look for Work. She stops with Richard Burr, an old Man and cooks at his stove, Mr. Thom recomd. them to have 1/4 Cord Wood for once, and 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

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373. Michael Coulter, 113 Nelson St. 55. Irish, Ch of Engl. Wife 50. Mr. Thom recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood Cut, and 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

374. Mathew Dale, 87 Richmond St. 40. R.C. a Wife. an Girl 15. Mr. Tyner recomd. 1/4 Cord Wood and no more.

375. Anne Prickett 89 Richmond St. in the yard, Mrd. [married] 28. recomd. by Mrs. Strachan two children, one 2 years, one 4 Months, Mr. Tyner recomd. Bread Wood & Soup

376. Hannah McDowell. 15 Shepard St. in the yard, not at home when Mr. Tyner called, but on enquiry he found her to be a proper object of Charity and recomd. her as such.

377. Mary Kane 49 Boulton St. Mrd. [married] Ch of Engl. Husband away for three Weeks seeking Work, 3 Children. 6, 3 and 10 Months old. recomd. to Mr. Tyner by Mrs. Strachan, who recomd. Wood for one Month. and Bread and Soup.

378. Died this day, George Graham, of general Debility. See Case 46 (1858)

Friday 18th February 1859.

Present The Revd. Mr. Borland

379. Eliza Death, 34 Duches [Duchess] St. Widow. English, Ch of Engl. 47. a Boy 12 years of age, sells Newspapers, Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, and Wood 3 Weeks from the time that Margaret Keef got hers' last, as they both Cook at one Stove.

380. Mary Cavanagh. Irish. R.C. 61. husband 64. Mr. Thom recomd. the Man for Work.

381. Lucy Ronan, 2nd. Door Bethunes Lane, of [off] George St. Irish. R.C. 20 years of age, husband gone to the Country, one Child 2 Months old.

382. Biddy Burke, lives in the same room with the above, Irish. R.C. 22. 2 Children 4 and two years. husband gone away, these two Cook at the same Stove Mr. Thom recommends 1/4 Cord Wood for once and four pound of Bread each for two Weeks, to see what returns their husbands make, as they are looking for them.

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383. Elizabeth Robertson, Canadian, 23. Presbt. husband 30, appears to be far gone in Consumption, one child 2 1/2 years old, Mr. Thom recomd. 10 Bushel Coke and 6 [pounds] Bread p. Week. they live back of 92 Duches [Duchess] St.

384. McDowell, 24 Centre St. to be continued on the Books.

385. Elisa Jackson, 50 Centre St. Mrrd. [married] Colered. 30. Methodist, one Child living with her Sister, who was Confined about a Week ago, and has another Child about 2 years old, both their husbands in the Country looking for Work. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood for once and no more.

386. Frances McMorris, 62 Elizabeth St. Marrd. [married] 50. Irish. Ch of Engl. Son a Shoemaker wants Wood, but husband to break Stone for it.

387. Lucy Ann Preston, 85 Elizabeth St. Widow. 33 Colered, Baptist, 6 Children Boy 17. boy 15. boy 11. girl 9. boy 7. girl 5. all out of Work. She appears a clean industrious Woman, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood for this time only.

388. Bridget Williams, 75 Sayer St. Marrd. [married] 30. Irish. Ch of Engl. 2 Children Boy 3 and Boy 1 year old, husband in the Country, Mr. Hobson recommended before, that if any thing can be done, the husband has to come to Work.

389. John Koyle 55. Widower, Son 21 Foundry Man out of Work, Girl 19 Married and poor, Boy 12. Girl 11. Girl 10 at Service no Wages, Irish. R.C. able and willing to Work will present himself to Morrow.

390. Mary Kelly. 30. Widow, Irish, R.C. Girl 1. quite delicate, tries to get Washing but cannot, rather dirty, lives in a bad Neighbourhood, but is well spoken of, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

391. Sarah Ann Condall. 36. husband a Butcher in Winter, Gardener in Summer but now out of Work, Boy 10. Girl 7. Girl 2. Ch of Engl, decent in appearance he will present himself to Morrow.

392. Jane Doughty 38. husband a Bricklayer, out of Work. Decent folks. Boy 10 Girl 8 Boy 6. Boy 3 Girl 1. Ch of Engl. He will present himself to Morrow for Work-

393. Jane Bell. 36. Husband a Bricklayer, Ch of Engl. Boy 12. Girl 10. Girl 8. Girl 4. Girl 9 Months, decent people, he will present himself to Morrow for Work.

394. Miles Kelly. Could not find him out.

395. Annie Campbell. Not to be found

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396. Jane Cummings, 45. husband has a very sore leg indeed, occasioned by a kick from a horse about 12 years ago, which was then healed but owing to his habits of excessive intemperance for several years past, it has again broken out, and now renders him quite unable to work. he might be cured if he would refrain from drink. Boy 11. Boy 9. The former sells Newspapers, and the latter is in delicate health, Irish. R.C. They live in a horrid den, buried in filth, Capt. Elmsley thinks, it best for the Committee to judge.

397. Catharine Costello, 35. Widow, Irish. R.C. Boy 7. decent body, clean and tidy get's Washing when ever she can, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread & Soup.

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398. Ann Campbell. Not to be found.

399. Christina McDonnell 38. Widow. Irish. R.C. two children, Asthmatic, Rheumatic, Spasmodic, was a Cook once, but was obliged to quit service on account of ill health, poor weakly looking Creature, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread and Soup.

Tuesday 22nd February 1859.

Present, Messrs. Hobson. Forster [Foster] and Revd. Dr. Barclay

400. Ann Rushford, in lane east of Burrows, Jarvis St. Irish. R.C. 40 years. husband 50, 4 children, Ann 11. Nelly 9. Phil 6 and Pat 1 year old, Mr. Thom recomd. Work for relief.

401. Miles Kelly 30. Labourer, recommended by Capt. Elmsley for Work.

402. Patrick Smith, has a Wife and two children he has no work and Consequently in great distress. Mr. Tyner recomd. him to break stone.

403. Bridget Rogers, 312 Queen St. Widow, Irish. R.C. 48 years of age, 5 Children John 23 and Morris 21. out of Work. Bridget 12. Margaret 7 and Lousia 2 years, Mr. Thom recomd. a little Work for a little relief.

404. Mary Stewad, Widow, 60. Irish. R.C. No Children, not more than half witted Carried a Basket in the Summer, but Cannot do that in the cold weather, at her time of life, tolerable clean. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood Bread and Soup.

405. Mary Huges, 50. Widow, no children, respectable in person and apartment is a good seamstress, but during these hard times can get no employment is therefore in great need, Capt. Elmsley, recomd. Bread Wood and Soup.

406. James Cunningham, recommended by Mr. Thom for Work, likewise recommended by Dr. Barclay.

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Friday 25th Fbr. 1859.

Present Messrs. Hobson. Foster and Dr. Barclay.

407. Mary Ann Creighton afflicted with sore eyes, has been in the General Hospital for about 5 Months, sent by Dr. Gardner with the request that she be admitted in the House of Industry, the Weekly Committee refer the Case to the General Committee, and in the mean time send her back to the Hospital.

408. Sarah James, 38. husband a printer, but has been out of Work a long time, and has been getting a little Employment at the Lawyers Hall by Writing. Girl 12. Boy 10, Girl 8, Girl 13 Months. Ch of Engl. Mrs. Grasset Mrs. Badgely and Mr. Gilmor will give her recommendations, which if she produces, Capt. Elmsley would recomd. Bred Wood and Soup. They have also been keeping Tavern, but have failed in making any thing of that, they have a large quantity of furniture but it is seized for debt, Capt. Elmsley

did not see the husband, but he will show himself on Tuesday. They had relief from this House last Winter.

409. James Lennon, 55, able and willing to Work if he could get it, a labourer. Wife in delicate health, and getting quite deaf from disease. Daughter 25 Marrd. [married] in Weston, but very poor, Daughter 21 in Service at [dollars] 3 p. Month but gives nothing, Daughter 16, Boy 15, Grandson 5. Decent people and clean, husband will show himself to Morrow, to be put on Stone breaking.

410. Mary Lavell, Capt. Elmsley has visited this Woman before, and a renewal of his acquaintance confirmed the previous estimate he had formed of her, as a good-for-nothing, She and Margaret Trenor live in the same room, but they both accused one another of selling the Wood they got from this Institution, and also from another benevolent establishment. Both R.C. Capt. Elmsley earnestly advises that they be both struck of [off] our Books, for every thing

411. James Griffin, 90 Agnes St. Marrd. [married] Cold. [Coloured] Methodist, one child a Girl 3 years old, bad hand, not able to Work for a few Weeks, Mr. Hobson recomd. Bread 4 [pounds] p. Week and Wood.

412. Ellen Doody, Corner of Duke and Ontario St. Widow. Irish, R.C. 37 years old 5 children, one 17. sickly, and one 13, Girl 19. Girl 15. And girl 9 years. they are out of Employment, Mr. Thom recomd. them strongly for Employment for relief.

413. Pat Galley 144 Queen, No such Number in Queen St.

414. Mary Hutson 232 Richmond St. no such person to be found.

415. Sarah White, Mr. Thom recomd. the Husband for Work.

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Tuesday 1st March 1859.

Present. Messrs J. Thom and E. Hobson.

416. Catharine Roany, 28 Edward St. Marrd. [married] 25. Irish. R.C. one child a year old, her husband left her about 3 Months ago for Montreal she appears a clean industrious Woman, but unable to obtain Work, Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood cut.

417. Charlotte Hudson, 224 Sayer St. Marrd. [married] 25 years of age, Colored four children, husband refuses to Work for relief, Mr. Hobson reported this Case a few Weeks before [1858 Case 751? Elizabeth Hudson?].

418. Francis Wardrobe, 89 1/2 Sayer St.

418 1/2. William Robinson, died this day in the outbuilding of Consumption a Native of Ireland, Ch of Engl. 50 years of age, Mr. Grassett sent the Man here 3 days ago.



419. Jonathan Lodine 24 Colrd. [Coloured] gardener in Summer. Cut wood in Winter but finds it difficult to obtain employment these hard times. Wife Washes when she can get it girl 15 Months. very decent-like people. Clean and tidy in every respect. He will show himself (for Work if any is to be had) on Friday next recomd. by Capt. Elmsley.

419 1/2. William Pellatt aged 6 years sent to the house by Mr. Grassett his parents being sent to Gaol for a Month.

420. McDonald Sarah 21 years of Age single recommend by Mr. R. Gilmor for admission to the House the board will admit her. Roman Catholic

421. Mathew Maher, 107 Nelson St. 40 years of age. R.C. Wife about 40, rather delicate, unfit for Work, Mr. Thom recomd. them as a deserving Case.

422. Catharine Allen. 31. Husband deserted her, 2 children. Boy 3. Boy 1 1/2. and near her confinement again. All her friends are still in Ireland. Lives at the back of 73 Stanley St. seems respectable, clean and tidy in her person, and Children. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood and Soup which she recd. [received] at her former residence.

423. Amanda Skyler, Adelaide St. near Yonge St. 65 years of age Ch of Engl. has no one to provide for her, she lives with a friend who is poor also. Mr. Tyner recomd. 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

424. Honora Sullivan. 30. Widow. R.C. 4 children. Boy 11. Girl 9. Boy 7. Boy 4. opposite 82 Stanley St. decent, Washes when she can get it. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread Wood & Soup.

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Tuesday 22 March 1859

Present Messrs. Hobson, Thom & Revd. T.S. Kennedy

425. Mrs. Westley a Widow lives in Boulton Street has been afflicted for the last four weeks with inflammation of the legs refused to be taken into the hospital, recommended by Dr. Lett, and ordered to be admitted into the house

426. Mrs. Sarah Cook Widow applied to have her little boy admitted into the House his name Jacob seven years and two months old, she wishes to get a situation and will then pay for the board of the child. ordered to be admitted for a short time.

427. Mathew Minnick an old pensioner, brought up for having left the house without leave and returning very drunk. Committee ordered him to be put out into the sheds for a week-and if he leave the house he is never to be readmitted.

428. March 23/59. Catharine Ryan 5 years of age, and Elisa McCarty about 16 years of age, Blind, both Children have been Inmates of the House before, Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate sent them to Day to be taking Care of, during their Parents Imprisonment.

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Friday 25 March

Present Mr. Hobson, Rev. T.S. Kennedy Messrs. Thom & Tyner

429. James McMahon a Boy about 6 years of age, sent to the House by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, his Mother having been this day Committed for a Month to jail, for disorderly Conduct.

430. March 26th Sent by the Mayor, a Boy about 2 years old, he was dropped on the 24th instant near Mr. W. Gilley's House, 62 Temperance St. about 5 O'Clock in the Morning, a Woman was seen running away from the spot.

Tuesday 29th March 1859.

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson. J. Thom & J. Tyner.

431. Esther Nesbet. applies to the Committee to be sent to Kingston. Widow 25. Ch of Engl. Ireland. one Child Girl 2 years old, has friends in Kingston. Supt. ordered to send her to Kingston and pay her fare.

432. James Patton, Widower, 34. R.C. has been in Hospital for 2 Months with frostbitten hands, he was sent here by the Mayor to be admitted for a Week, by that time he thinks he may be able to Work.

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Friday, 1st April 1859

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Thom, & J. Tyner.

433. Judy Dempsey 53. Widow. R.C. Girl 19 at Service. [dollars] 4 a month, pay's her mothers rent, Boy 17 at Service for Board Lodging, & Clothing; intends to go on Board a Vessel on the Lake in the Spring. Boy 12 lives with her, She is in a very delicate State of health, and quite unable to earn her living. She has, She say's, a great palpitation of the heart; if the Doctor confirms this is sufficient reason for her inability to Work, Captain Elmsley would recomd. that she be continued for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. Mr. McDonell one of our Trustees, speaks highly of her Moral Character, having known her for some years.

434. Robert Jones, 63. Irish. Ch of Engl, this is the second Time that he promised the Committee, that he would not come any more by receiving a Loaf of Bread.

435. Amanda Skyring. 62. Married. Canadian. Applied to the Committee to be admitted in the House, as she is not able to procure Work sufficient to keep herself, and she has no one to provide for her, the only Son she has is in New York. N.Y. and her husband has been a Inmate of this house since Novbr. 1857. The Committee admitted her, on Condition, to make herself general usefull. She seems a very decent old Woman. Ch of Engl. Admitting

436. April 4th Thomas Cook, died this day, of Paralysees. See [Case] 316.

Thursday 5th April 1859.

Present. The Revd. Mr. Grasett, Revd. Dr. Lett. Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Thom.

437. Nancey Moore. Her ration of Bread to be restored See Wood Book.

438. Mary Rutherford. do. [Ditto] do. [ditto]

439. Mary Butler, recommended by Colonel Savage to be restored to her ration of Bread for a Month or Two. Referred to the Visitor of the Ward in which she resides.

440. Mrs. Woodward, applies for the restoration of the Children of Elizabeth Prest. The application to be referred to the general Committee.

441. Margaret Hendrie, applies for restoration of rations. Her husband to be examined by the Medical Officer

442. Anna Kyle, her husband to be examined by the Doctor at two O'Clock to day. If found unfit for work, her ration to be continued for a short time.

443. Betsey McCarty. Applies for ration refused.

444. Elisa Polland to have rations for a couple of Months, on recommendations of Visitors of the Ward.

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445. Bridget Driscold, to receive 6 [pounds] Bread for 6 Weeks on recommendation of Visitor

446. Mary Finch, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for 2 Months.

447. Ellen Healey. 8 [pounds] of Bread for a Month.

448. Eliza Powell, recommended by Visitor of the Ward & the Mayor. to have 12 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

449. Margaret Burns. 8 [pounds] of Bread for one Month.

450. Mary Flinn. referred to Visitor of Ward. recomd. by Capt. Elmsley 8 [pounds] of Bread for 6 Weeks

451. Jane Miller. applies for Wood refused.

452. Eliza Gunsell, referred to Visitor of Ward

453. Ann Sawtell, to be restored to her ration, 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

454. Catherine Steward, recommended by Dr. Lett. to be restored to her ration of Bread.

455. Sarah Ryan, her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread to be restored

456. Mary Ann Sullivan. Mr. Thom Visitor of Ward. recomd. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

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457. Ann Duffy. recommended by Revd. Mr. Kennedy, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. for a short Time

458. Ellen Rogers. recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett, to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week, to have 2 [pounds] Bread p. Week

Friday 8th April 1859.

Present. The Revd. Mr. Grasett, Mr. J. Rowell and Mr. J. Thom. And Mr. Hobson.

459. Salina Mason. Recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett, to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for 6 Weeks.

460. Mary Young, 4 [pounds] of Bread for this day only.

461. Mrs. Barrow, recommended by Mrs. Ridout for half a Cord of Wood, there is no Wood in the yard, and no more given out this season. but in this Case the Committee will allow a 1/4 Cord of Wood, the husband of the Woman is in the last Stage of Consumption.

462. Ann Nickols. recommended by Mr. Thom, Ward Visitor, to be continued on List for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and 1/8 Cord Wood for once. She is a poor helpless and very deserving old Woman.

463. Mary Rutherford. To come and see the Doctor at 2 OClock, and if found not able to Work, to be restored to 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. Visited by Capt. Elmsley, and highly recommended by Mrs. Grasett.

464. Johanna Lavett, Colered, to have no more relief this Summer.

465. Mary McKeever, to be restored to her ration of Bread. 4 [pounds] p. Week by Dr. Lett.

466. Mary McCauseland, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread for this day only.

467. Mary Ann Boughton, recommended by Ward Visitor Capt. Elmsley, for 6 [pounds] of Bread, but as the Children are grown up, and some in Employment earning Money, The Weekly Committee Consider she ought to do without relief from the House during the Summer Months.

468. Margaret Jones, recommended by Capt. Elmsley. to be restored to 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

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469. Mary Marritt, to be restored to her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. recomd. by Mr. Hobson

470. Charlotte Heath, Widow. 70. Ch of Engl. English. 17 Edward St. recommended by Mr. Hobson. to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

471. April 11th died this Day, Adam Baker 91 years of age. See [Case] No. 11 [Case 11 1/2, Dutch from Whitchurch] & 438 (1858):

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Tuesday 12th April 1859.

Present. Mr. J. Doel and the Revd. Dr. Lett.

472. Martha Ann Beaty, recommended by Capt. Elmsley, to be restored to 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, for 6 Weeks

473. Susanna Pooler, recommended by Dr. Lett to be restored to her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

474. Edward Byrne, 64. Single. R.C. Ireland. only one Arm, not able to support himself, wishes to become an Inmate, Mr. Westmacott send a Note stating, that the Cashier of the Bank of Upper Canada would like to have the Man admitted, if there is room. The Weekly Committee admitted him.

475. Mary Phair, recommended by Dr. Lett to be restored to 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

476. George Fraser, still under Hospital treatment and unfit for Work. Mr. Thom recommends them, to be continued on the List for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

477. Patrick Casey, recommended by the Revd. Mr. Boddy, to be continued on the relief List for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

478. Bridget Henesy, Power St. and Mary Skivington 51 1/2 Duches St. Mr. Thom visited, but cannot find them, and no one in the Nighbourhood knows any thing about them.

Friday 15th April 1859.

Present, Mr. J. Doel and Rev. Dr. Lett.

479. James Kennedy, to be readmitted in the House. The Trustees have come to a understanding, regarding Kennedy's Pension (See [Case] 744. A.D. 1858.)

480. Mary Brothers. recommended by Mr. Thom, to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

481. Isabella Philips. 146 Terauly St. Widow, 38, Irish, Ch of Engl. Girl 20. Girl 14, and an Idiot Boy 18. the Poor Woman lost her Eye sight, Mr. Hobson recomd. 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

482. Anne Sawtell. Brunswick Terrace Spadina Avenue. bread 4 [pounds] 1 month.

483. Elizabeth Capel, No. 8 Terauly St. Visited by Mr. Hobson, who recomd. her to be put on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread, for one Month.

484. Jemima Clements, recommended by Mr. Doel. to be continued on the List for 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, if she brings a line from Revd. Dr. Lett, Ward Visitor. ^S. Lett.^

485. Edward Jones, died in General Hospital, April 16/59. See his Case 286. (1858)

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Tuesday 19th April 1859.

Present. The Revd. Dr. Green and Mr. J.P. Battersby.

486. Sarah Trim. applied for admission, but as she belongs to Cobourg, and was sent back there, in Septbr. last, at the expense of the House [1858 Case 333], the Committee ordered her to find her way back this time as best she may.

487. Mary Brown, an Inmate applied to the Board to be allowed to go out some times, the Committee gave her to understand, that if she was allowed to go out, to come home sober, or else, remain out altogether.

488. Rebecca Amos, recommended by Mr. Hobson to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, for a Month the family is down with the small pox, and are in great need.

489. Jemima Clements, to be restored to her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week Entered before Friday 20th April 1859

Present. Mr. Battersby

490. A male child, four Weeks old, was sent to the House yesterday evening at half past nine, by the Revd. Dr. Lett, at whose door the child had been left. packed up in a Basket. as the child is so very young. and sickness in the House at present. I thought it advisable to take it right away to a Wet Nurse, at 4 Dollars p. Month. of which the Weekly Committee has approved of. The Revd. Dr. Lett has since traced out the Mother whose name is Rachael Dixon. he intends to have her brought to punishment. The Child is at Nurse at Mrs. Duggen, in Stanley St. near Victoria St.

491. Louisa Bolton, recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett to be restored to her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread for a Month longer. has 2 Children 4 & 3 yrs of age has a husband, but has no work. ^case to be reported on afresh^

492. April 23th died this Day a Male Child about 3 Months old. Consumption See [Case] 690 (1858) [mother Eliza Nolan]

Tuesday 26th April 1859.

Present. Messrs. R. Yates and E. Hobson.

493. Julia Dwyer, 25. Married, Ireland. R.C. 3 Children, husband away seeking Work. Mr. Thom recomd. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week for a Month.

494. Elizabeth Farrel, to be admitted temporally for a few days in the outbuilding.

495. Sarah Gillaghan, an Inmate, brought before the Committee, for fighting and Quaralling with other Inmates, and for making use of profane Language. The Weekly Committee, ordered Superintendent to lock her up, keep her upon Bread and Water, and if that wont Tame her, to Cut of [off] her hair.

495. Sarah Trim, if Superintendent gets no answer to his letter, from the Mayor and the Revd. Mr. Shortt of Port Hope, to send her back there. as soon as possible, and to pay her Fare. See Case 486.

496. Anne O'Donnell, Sister to Ellen Jane, and Margaret. gone on Trial with Dr. Rolls of Wardville. C. W. [Canada West]

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April 27. 1859.

497. Recd. from Mr. J.W. Collins, Treasurer of the Township of Whitchurch the sum of nine Dollars in full, for Keeping of Dilliabough [1858 Case 11 1/2, David Dillabough, Dutch from Whitchurch, Case 31 died] and Baker [1858 Case 11 1/2, Adam Baker, Dutch from Whitchurch, 1859 Case 471, died]

498. James McMahon, who was taken away by his Mother, a few days ago. was sent back to Day by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be admitted in the House as the Mother has been sent to Jail again for a Month. April 28/59.

499. James Hunter, a boy about 14 Months old. Taking away from Mary Dyson his Nurse. and brought to the House.

Friday April 29th 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

500. Sarah Williams, to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

501. Ann Holborn, to receive 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, until she leaves for England.

502. Ellen Fitzpatrick, strongly recommended by Capt. Elmsley (Ward Visitor) to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

503. Margaret Mahon, strongly recommended by the Revd. Mr. Borland for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, to bring a line from Mr. Hobson Ward Visitor

Tuesday May 3th 1859.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & J. Tyner.

504. John Shea, Irish. R.C. Lost part of his feet by frost, wants Money to set himself up to peddle, Weekly Committee refused given any Money.

504 1/2. Anna Newberry, applied for assistance to support a child 2 Months old. which was found on the Side Walk near the Don Bridge, female Child nothing known about the Parents. the Weekly Committee allowed [dollars] 2.00 per Month, and 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. To Commence from the first day of May, 1859.

505. Mr. G. Coles Tender for May [at] 7 1/2 [pence] per 4 [pounds] Loaf, accepted.

506. Eliza Powell, to be taken of [off] the Bread List, as her husband is back, and her Boys old enough to Work.

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Friday May 6th 1859.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson

507. James Byrne, sent here by Dr. Gardner, and recomd. by Dr. McCaul, to see if he can be admitted for a time, the Weekly Committee can not admit any Person not belonging to Toronto, and this Man belongs to Cobourg

508. Mary Bennett, recommended by Mr. Tyner Ward Visitor, to be put on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

509. Mary Butler. 33. Widow. Irish. R.C. Blind and Paralized, has been an Out door pensioner for Years. Sent by the Mayor to be admitted. Admitted by the Weekly Committee.

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Tuesday May 10th 1859.

Present Mr, E Hobson

510. Anne Woodcock, Widow. English. Ch of Engl. 2 Children, has been living in the States for five years, wants relief, advised to go to the Mayor to see if he will send her back again, to have a loaf of Bread in the meantime.

511. Mary Brown, asked leave to go to Church last Sunday, was seen leaving the Church during Service, and has not returned since, to the House, she is an old offender.

512. Charles Mitchell 54 Scotch. Presbt. Family in Scotland. Sent to the House by the Mayor, to be admitted for one Month, as he expects some funds out from home, and is destitute at present. admitted by Weekly Committee

513. Esther Merchant, died this Day (May 12/59) of Inflammation see [Case] 384 (1858)

Friday May 13th 1859.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. J. Tyner

514. Jane Lancaster, 30. Widow. Ch of Engl. Native of Ireland. 6 Children, two given up to the Orphan's Home, and two to this Institution by the advice of the Revd. Mr. Kennedy. a girl 8 and a Boy 3 years of age, She will be enabled to get her own living now. having only one child at home, the Committee think that ^she^ ought to do without relief from the House. (took the usual Letter)

515. Rose Condle. Girl 17 years of age, English. Ch of Engl. To be admitted until she gets a place.

Tuesday May 17th 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Rev. J. Borland



516. Jane Murray. 20 years of Age, from Ireland has lived in Toronto about 5 years. Is a Roman Catholic. Has been in the House twice before. Has also been in the Hospital. Is unable to do any hard work: Can {write}. Also.

517. Mary Burns. 19 years of age. From Ireland. Has lived in Toronto about 5 years. Has very weak eyes and cannot therefore earn her living. Is a member of the Church of Rome. This as much as the preceding case- referred by the visitor, Mr. Tyner.

518. Mary Leonard. An inmate of the House is permitted in her application to leave the house. She wants to go to Kingston.

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519. Sent Notice to the Revd. Mr. Grasett, about providing Places for Emma and Robert Lancaster (according to rule) both Children belonging to the Church of England.

520. Mary Sullivan, 42. Married, Irish. R.C. 2 children and a drunken husband, she is recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett, for 6 [pounds]of Bread for herself and two Children, for two Weeks. No. 6 Queen St. West.

May 20th Friday

Present. The Revd. Mr. Borland and Mr. E. Hobson

521. Sarah Kilroy. Widow. Church of Rome. About 35 years of age. Has three Children. two girls and a boy. See the case reported No. 6. referred to Mr. Tyner.

522. James Barron. 56 years of age. a Widower. from Ireland. Member of the Church of Rome. Recommend by Messrs. Rice Lewis & C. Gamble. is unable to do any thing for his Maintenance. Is admitted subject to the Drs. examination. Dr. Haswell thinks Barron is a fit Case for admission.

523. Maria Free. this case referred to Mr. Thom for examination.

524. Thomas Killally. see this Case reported [Case] 133. (1858) Has recd. assistance from the House at various, and as well, as been an inmate. He is now suffering from parallaxis of the side. Is unable to work. Has a Wife, living in the Country. Has two Children. two daughters, the one is 17. years old and other 9. both from home. This Case referred to Capt. Elmsley. ^Capt. Elmsley, leaves the Committee to decide, the Committee, will not do anything for him, as he left the House of Providence, and took his Child out June 9^.

525. Mary Jennings. (See Case 590. 1858) Case referred to Mr. Tyner.

526. Eliza Wheat over 60 years of age, is a Widow. Has no Children or other Relatives in the City. From Ireland. Has residence in Canada over twenty years. Is a Member of the Church of England. This case will be examined by Mr. Hobson, and if a proper one she will be admitted to the House.

527. Elizabeth Monday. Referred to Mr. Tyner.

528. Catherine Ridout. (99. Stanley St.) referred to Capt. Elmsley.

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529. Margaret {Graney}. Widow with 3 Children. Has been visited by Mr. Hobson. Is recommended to receive 6 [pounds] bread per Week.

530. Mary Burns and Jane Murray. were visited by Mr. Tyner. and being unable to earn a living are allowed 4 [pounds] of bread per Week.

531. Jessy Sullivan 24. Ireland. R.C. Lost one leg, wishes to be admitted into the House of Industry, his friends in New York and Rochester, advised to find his way to his friends.

532. John McFall, 8 years old, Canadian, Ch of Engl. His mother is sent to Hospital, admittted until his Mother gets better. Taken away by Mary Scholes (his Godmother) May 24

533. Sarah Philips, to be on the Bread List for 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

534. Mathew Leach. Died this day; of disease of the heart. See Case 318. (1859) May 24/59

Tuesday May 24th 1859.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and James Foster.

535. Mary Jane Thompson, and William Thompson, two Colered children, from 12 to 14 years of age. Sent by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be admitted in the House, as they are destitute. The Girl has been an Inmate before, and given a great deal of Trouble, also she denies the fact of her having been here, and is giving such unsatisfactory account of herself that Mr. Foster thinks it proper to make some enquirys about her, before they are properly admitted. to stay in the outbuilding the mean time.

536. George Woods, Colered, Widower, 82. Methodist, has no means of supporting himself. recommended by the Lord Bishop of Toronto, who has known him since 1832, to be admitted for the present.

537. Maria Jennings, Widow, 3 children, Irish, R.C. Recommended by Mr. Tyner to be restored to 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

538. Elizabeth Mundy. Deserted by her husband Irish. R.C. 4 Children, Mr. Tyner recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present. The Mother is only 32. if the children could be disposed of she may go to service.

539. Sarah Kilroy, Widow. 34. Irish. R.C. 3 children, girl 15 at Service, a Boy 9. and Girl 6. at home, Mr. Tyner recommends, the children to be given up to the Sisters, or this House, and for the Mother to go to Service, or else we may be burdened with them for years to come. The above three persons live in 132 Richmond St. the old Emigrant House.

540. George Smith a Boy 8 years of age, an Inmate, gone on Trial with Alex Taylor Farmer of Gwillembury. See Case 365 (1858).

541. Mary Ann Irving to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

542. Mary Jane Thompson. Taking to Jail. May 25. (See Case 535).

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May 25th 1859.

543. James Nealy. An Inmate left the Institution, without asking Leave

544. Harriett Westly, 26. Irish. Ch of Engl. Died this day, May 26th of Consumption

545. Mary Miller, removed to St. Georges Ward, The Revd. Mr. Kennedy, recommends that she be continued on the Bread List. 4 [pounds] p. Week.

Friday 27th May 1859.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and James Foster.

546. Mary Sullivan, to be continued on the Bread List until the 15th of June, for 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

547. Mary Brown, to be admitted again, on Condition that she is not to be allowed to go out again, and she should leave without leave, not to be admitted again, See Case 511.

548. Henry Daniels, 33. English. Ch of Engl. Single, Painter by trade, worked for Mr. Thompson Yonge St. Fell of [off] a Scaffold and broke his wrist, to be admitted until his arm gets well. Recomd. By Mr. Wiman.

549. Charlotte Heath, to be restored to 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, recomd. by Mr. Hobson.

550. Mary Bennett. Recommended by Mr. Stayner and Mr. Tyner Ward Visitor to have 8 [pounds] of Bread instead of 4 [pounds] husband sick, and herself near her Confinement. See [Case] 508.

Tuesday 31th May 1859.

Present Messrs. J. Thom and E. Hobson.

551. Elizabeth Edwards, 11 years of age, Orphan. Parents died in Niagara about 3 years ago, Mrs. Godson of Toronto brought her from Niagara as a Servant. The girl left about 2 Months ago, on account of bad treatment, Religion not known. She is to be admitted for a time.

552. Mary Scott. recommended by Capt. Elmsley to be put on the Bread List, for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, permanently, See his report Case 165. To have 4 [pounds] ^Bread^ p. Week.

553. Mrs. Galespy, from Maitland, applies to have her child admitted 2 Weeks old. recomd. by the Committee to go to the Mayor and see if he will give her a pass to take her to Lockport where her Mother resides.

554. Thomas Killalee, 60. Widower, no friends in America, crippled by Paralysis, unable to Work. Was dismissed from the House of Providence for frequent breach of the Rules, Sober Man. Capt. Elmsley leaves his Case to the Committee. See Case 524. Committee will not relieve this Case.

555. Sarah Duggan, a Female Foundling, has been out at Nurse, at the Expense of the House, with Mrs. Ball. Markham. The Child has been taken back to the House this day. See page 142. Case 207. (1857)

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June 1st 1859.

556. Mary Ann Ball, removed in to St. Patricks Ward, recomd. by the Revd. Dr. Lett, to be continued on the Bread List.

557. Mary Butler, asked leave to go out yesterday, and has not returned since, ~~most~~ it is likely, she has returned to her old place where she used to stop.

Friday 3th June 1859.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Thom.

558. Patrick Curran, 76. Ireland. R.C. seeks admission in to the House, no room at present, he say's, if he could be assisted with a Loaf of Bread p. Week. that would enable him to get long. recomd. By Mr. Lawler M.D.

559. Rachael Philips, 37. Colered, husband left her. 3 children, girl 9. Boy 5. and Boy 3 years of age, wants to get her two youngest Children admitted in the House, No. 88 Sayer St. Mr. Hobson will visit.

560. John Scott, wants relief for himself and Family, able Man, has been offered Work in the Country, but declined accepting of it, Committee will not allow any relief, to try and do without this Summer.

561. Mary Callaghan, desires to leave the House, a Sister that lives in Pickering, and is near her Confinement, wishes her to come and stay with her. June 4th. Leave to go

562. John Mullholland, a Lad 13 years of age, sent by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate. The Boy says he belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. Sent a Notice to Capt. Elmsley June 7.

Tuesday 7th June 1859.

Present Mr. Wm. Mathers

563. John Mullholland, Case 562. to be admitted in the House, and Capt. Elmsley to be notified, to get a place for him. Orphan. R.C. from Ireland.

564. Sally Johnston, sent by the Mayor to be admitted in the House, she is a feeble old Woman 90 years of age, and no one to provide for her. admitted by Weekly Committee

565. Bridget OBrien, a loaf of Bread ^Widow. Irish. R.C.^

566. Rachael Phillips, Marrd. [married] 37 years of age. Colored, husband left her, she says he is gone to the States, we only have her Word for it, they had relief all the Winter. She now resides at 88 Sayer St, She has 3 children, girl 9 going to Service, boy 5, and Boy 3 years old. Mr. Hobson visited, and was told by the Landlord, that she was in the habit of admitting Men to her room at all hours of the night, and that she is a Woman of very bad Character, and Mr. Hobson will not recomd. the Case.

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Friday 10th June 1859

Present Mr. Wm. Mathers

567. A male foundling, sent to the House by the Mayor, the child had been left with Catherine Rodden on Duke St. near Nelson St. by its Mother who promised to pay her for the nursing of it, but cleared out afterwards and can not be found, as the child is only six Weeks old, and can not be brought up in the House, the Committee agreed to pay Catherine Rodden [dollars] 4 p. Month for the nursing of it until it get old enough to be taking in the House.

568. Johanna Langley, wants relief. to come to morrow and help scrubbing, and get some Bread for it.

Tuesday 14th June 1859.

Present The Revd. Mr. Boddy.

569. Amelia Simonds to have 8 [pounds] of Bread for a Month. recomd. by Revd. Dr. Lett, Ward Visitor. See Case 532 (1858).

569 1/2. Ellen Mack, recomd. by Mr. Donohoe, to have a loaf, fore the present. Ireland. R.C.

570. Mary Balfour, recommended for a Continuation of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, by Mrs. Grasett. to be visited by Capt. Elmsley. Richmond St. No. 91.

571. Elizabeth Edwards, gone to Place with John Brock. Farmer of North Dorchester [Dorchester] Middlesex [Middlesex] June 15/59. (See her Case 551.)

572. Catherine Wilson, 37 years of age, a Boy 7 years old. Complains of Pain in the Head. Ch of Engl. Cannot get Work to do, clean and tidy, two Apartments well supplied with good Furniture. Capt. Elmsley recomd. 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. She is also recomd. by Mrs. Grasett. Weekly Committee ordered 4 [pounds]

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573. Ellen Jane ODonnell, left the House on the 13 instant and has not returned, left Notice at the Police Office, as to her Description, See Case 379. (1858) ^fetched back June {20}^

574. John Mullholland. Case 563. ran away on the 14 instant and has not returned.

Friday 17th June 1859.

Present. The Revd. Mr. Boddy and Mr. E. Hobson.

575. Elizabeth Kerr, 28. Widow. 4 Children, has been living in London the last five years, came to Toronto to seek Employment, recomd. by Mrs. Grasett. to have a loaf for the present. Chof Engl. Irish.

576. Emma Graham, at present in the lying in Hospital, Mrs. Winters the Matron applied on her behalf. She says that she has a bad husband, and 5 Children besides the Baby. They are all distributed amongst her friends, Cannot be longer kept in the lying Hospital

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Wants her to be taking in the House of Industry for a few Months, as she is not very strong. but as she belongs to the Town of Bowmanville, the Weekly Committee thinks her Case. not a fit one to be admitted.

578. Mary Burns, applies for admission in to the House, has been an Inmate once and has been in the House of Providence, where she was turned out, on account of not taking a suitable place, when offered to her. She gets relief from this Institution, see her Case 530.

579. Thomas Killaltee, applied again for relief, refused, see his Case. 554.

580. Mrs. Grey a poor Widow, and Son, recomd. for temporally relief by Mr. Grasett and the Revd. Mr. Boddy.

581. Thomas Dean, a Boy about 8 years of age, sent to the House by Mr. Gurnett P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Boy says that his Father is dead, lived in Whitby, the Mother, this Boy and two more Children, came by Rail to Toronto, when she abandoned this Boy, who was picked up by the Police, and sheltered in the Station House for several nights. The Boy can't ^{(June 20)}^ give any satisfactory account, as to his Birthplace, or Religion, to be admitted.

Tuesday 21st June 1859.

Present Mr. J. Tyner & W.J. MacDonell.

582. Robert Coleclough. 68 years of age, Irish. Ch of Engl. A old Pensioner, is desirous of becoming an Inmate. Committee refer his Case to general Board. Was admitted by General Board, on Condition to pay his pension, to the Institution.

583. Henry Daniels, stayed out late at Night, (Contrary to the Rules of the House) and clim'd over the Fence, thereby encouraged a nother Man that saw him do so, to do the same, had to leave the house through it. June 22.) See his Case 548.

584. William Scott, recomd. by Mr. Hobson to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, See his Case 664 (1858).

Friday 24th June 1859.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & W.J. MacDonell.

585. Emma Greening 35. Marrd. [married] English Ch of Engl. Sent by Mr. Gurnett. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for relief, as the husband is in jail. she has 3 children. The Committee allows 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, she thinks that she may get along whit [with] that.

586. Edward Fitzgerald, 65. Irish. R.C. has one Son, a labouring Man, in Town, recomd. by Mr. Chs. [Charles] Robertson for admittance in to the House. Committee Consider his Case to be recommended to the Ward Visitor, his Son is not able to support him, as he has five Children of his own to support.

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587. Mary Burns, applied again for admission, See her Case 578.

588. Miss Thomas applies for admission for a Mrs. Anscombe an old helpless Woman, her Case to be referred, to the Visitor of the Ward.

589. Ann Kelly, applies for relief, referred to Ward Visitor. recomd. to have a Loaf of Bread for the Present.

Tuesday 28th June 1859

Present Mr. Hobson

590. Emma Graham, See her Case 576. Supt. to pay her Passage to Port Hope, and to give her 5/ [shillings] to land with.

591. Mary Newnan. [Noonan] Marrd. Ireland, Ch of Engl. 8 Children at home, just out of the small Pox, 67 Park Lane [University Ave.]. recomd. by Mr. Hobson for 8 [pounds] of Bread.

592. Thomas Brown, died this Day of general debility See his Case 174 (1857) July 1st.

Friday 1st July 1859.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Tyner.



593. Sophia Anscombe, 73 years of age. Widow, English. Ch. of Engl, seeks admission, into the House of Industry, She is at present living with her Son, who has five children of his own, out of Employment, Consequently unable to support his Mother any longer. To be admitted.

594. Maria Pearson, 28. English. Ch of Engl. deserted by her husband, and consequently in great distress, applies for her two little Boys (3 and 4 years of age) to be admitted in the House for 14 Days, as she has a place to go to, and thereby will be enabled to pay her rent. Children to be admitted.

Tuesday 5th July 1859.

Present The Revd. Mr. Grasett and Mr. J Rowell.

595. Susan Walsh. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, for one Month, recomd. by ^Revd.^ Dr. Lett.

Friday 8th July 1859.

Present the Revd. Mr. Grasett.

596. Mary MacDonnell, says that she took a child to Nurse, from one of the Women in lying in Hospital, for which she was promised to be paid, but found that a few days after the Mother of the Child has cleared out. She wants to know if the Board will not allow her some thing to keep the child. Enquirys to be made about her.

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July 8th 1859.

597. Margaret Stewart's four children, two Boys 9 and 7, and two Girls 6 and 5 years of age, were sent to the House by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be taking care of until she comes out of jail, where she has been Committed, on account of Drunkeness.

Tuesday 12th July 1859.

Present Messrs. Doel & Gilmor, Hobson

598 Jane ^Ward^ ~~Johnston~~. (No. 39 Queen Street West.) Unmarried has 1 Child Girl 3 Months old. The Father of the Child has Deserted the Mother. Recommend the Mother to put her Child in the Public Nursery, The Father of the Child's Name is ^William^ Johnston.

599. Jacob Cook. refer to No. 426 [Sarah], ordered to be admitted for a short time, has a Boy 7 Years old, offered to take the Boy into the Institution. Admitted. Ordered to get bread for a few days.

600. Jane Murry Refer to [Case] No. 190. 1858. Desirous of being admitted into the Institution. to be admitted for a short time.

601 John Smith produced a letter from the Mayor asking Relief. Lives no. 21 Regent Street North. Referred to Mr. Thom

602. Mary Young. 3 years of age, and Charles Markham 2 1/2 years of age, (both Foundlings brought up in the House of Industry,) gone on Trial with Mr. George Bullock, Yeoman of the Township of Mono, and if they should suit after a Months trial, to be adopted.

Friday 15th July 1859

Present Messrs. Doel, & Gilmor, Dr. Lett

603. Mary Macdonnell See Case 596. Recommended to come before the Regular Monthly Meeting on Tuesday 18th Inst.

604. Mary Balfourd Richmond Street East asking Relief. Case Referred to Capt. Elmsley.

605. Susan Manning. Wants to be admitted into the house. recommended by Mr. Adam Crooks. Religion Church of England. Age 73. Widow to be admitted.

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606. John Smith Whose Case was brought up at the last meeting, and ^referred to^ Mr. Thom. who reports the Case worthy. and to receive 4 [pounds] Bread per Week. Age 60 Wife about the same belongs to St. James Church.

607. Catherine Thompson. 38. Widow, Ireland. Ch of England, 2 Children at home, William St. West, recomd. by Dr. Lett, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread, to the end of July

608. Mary Balfour, 62. Widow. Irish, Ch of Engl. A Weakly Sickly old Woman, has been a Midwife but is now past that kind of business, no children and quite friendless, unable to earn any thing. A nice decent sober tidy old lady. Capt. Elmsly recomd. 4 [pounds] of Bread permanently. July 17/59. to have the Bread.

607. Edward Fitzgerald, (see his Case 586) Capt. Elmsley visited and reports, that E.F. ought to be able to forage for himself during the Summer Months, his Son is a full grown healthy Man: July 17/59. (See Capt. Elmsleys report Book.)

608. Catherine Wilson 37. Widow. Boy 7. (No. 65 Victoria St.) Complains of pain in the head. decent clean and Tidy, Cant get work. Ch of Engl. four pound of Bread p. Week.

Tuesday 19th July 1859.

Present the Revd. Dr. Green & Mr. J.P. Battersby.

No Applications, Consequently no Business done.

609. Emily Cooper, died this Day {blank} See her Case 574 (1858) [widow, 30 yrs.]

Friday 22th July 1859.

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Present Mr. J.P. Battersby.

610. Jane Ward, (See her Case 598.) applied again for relief, to have a loaf of Bread for the present. referred to Mr. Thom Ward Visitor

611. Rosanna McClesh applies for relief referred to the Revd. Mr. Boddy. She lives with her Son in Law, William Brotherson a Blacksmith.

612. July 25th. 3 Children, sent by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be taken Care of in the Institution, during the Mothers Imprisonment for disorderly Conduct for an Month, Johanna Hogan 9. Richard Hogan 5 and John Hogan 2 years of age.

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July 25th 1859.

613. Barthw. McMahon. 35 years of age. Irish. R.C. Labourer, has been blind for five years, and is now in the last stage of Consumption. has no friends, excepting one Sister a Widow, with whom he has been living, and she intends leaving here, for St. Lewis, where some of her Children are living. B. McMahon, is recommended by Mr. R. Gilmor, and Dr. Haswell as a fit Case for this Institution.

Tuesday 26th July 1859.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Tyner

614. Robert Potts applied for relief, for his Wife and Family referred to. Mr. Tyner Ward Visitor.

615. Jane Murray, thinks that she will be better outside, on account of her health, this is the second time leaving after being admitted. See Case 600.

616. Thomas Perry, a Boy 14 years of age, full Orphan, Irish. Ch of Engl. destitute. Sent by Mr. Gurnett P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken in the House for a while, and if possible to get a place for him in the Country to save him from a worse fate.

617. George Allan, a Member of the Oddfellow Society, dismissed from the House on account of the Society not paying for his Board, according to the promise made by their Committee. to the Weekly Committee of the House of Industry (see [Case] 294.)

Friday 29th July 1859.

No Committee, and no Applicants.

618. John Murray. (Colored.) died this day of Consumption See Case 408 (1858) [5 yrs., son of Bridget Murray] July 30/59.

619. A child about 3 Weeks old, was found in Nelson St. on the 12th instant and given in charge of the Police, His Worship the Mayor sent a Note at the time to Supt. with a request to have the Child taken in the House. The Woman that temporally took charge of the Child from the Police, brought it to the House

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to day with a Note from the Mayor, the Child is in a very low Condition, the Supt. sent it out to a Wet Nurse. a Mrs. Hogan No. 7 Stanley St. July 30th. Approved of by Weekly Committee August 2.

619 1/2. William Eldon, had leave to go out, but has not returned. See Case 461 in 1858.

620. Barthw. McMahon. died this 30th day of July, of Consumption. See Case 613.

621. William Murray. (Colored) taken out of the House by his Mother [1858 Case 408, 3 yrs., son of Bridget Murray].

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Tuesday, August 6th 1859

Present Robert Cathcart and Mr. E. Hobson.

622. Mary Randolph. 60. Irish.R.C. husband 30 (Colored) a Barber. 2 Children. applies for relief, to have a loaf for the present, and to bring a Note from Capt. Elmsley, sent Friday to Weekly Committee to have a loaf p. Week. recomd. by Capt. Elmsley.

623. Thomas Killally, applied again for relief (See his Case 554.) referred to general Board, as his Case has been disposed of by Weekly Committee before.

Friday 5th August 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

624. James Fitzgerald, had relief last Winter [1858 Case 732], applies for relief of Money, to set himself up with a fruit Basket, Committee cannot give any Money, but will allow him a loaf of Bread for the present.

625. Eliza Waters, 30 years of age. Single. Irish, R.C. has been five years in Toronto, she says that she had to leave her place on account of ill health, was a Week in Hospital, discharged from there, she brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends her to be admitted for a short time. To be admitted for a time, by Weekly Committee.

626. Alice Murry, Widow, 47 years of age, 165 Centre St. 3 children at home. girl 15. Boy 13. and girl 8 years of age. Committee offered to take the Children and provide for them, as it is against rule to give relief where children over 10 years of age are kept at home in idleness, the Mother would not Consent to give them up.

627. Sarah McFail, recommended by Dr. Lett to be restored to her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. Committee ordered 8 [pounds] of Break p. Week.

Tuesday 9th August 1859.

No Committee, and no Applicants

628. John Chadwick's 3 Children sent to the House by the Revd. Mr. Darling, temporally admitted in the House, (subject to the approval of the Board) The Mother (who was a very intemperate Woman) died a Week since suddenly, the Father is sick in Hospital, Consequently the Children are unprovided for, the oldest a girl 12. the next a girl 8. and the youngest a boy 6 years of age. The Children were born in Canada and belong to the Church of Engl.

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629. Sarah Wayland. 9 years of age. was apprenticed to Chs. [Charles] Minchin of St. Mary's C.W. [Canada West] on 21st June 1858. She returned to the House this day, with the Sanction of the General Board.

630. William Cole. (a Mute) taken away by his Mother who is promised to get him admitted in the deaf and dumb School.

Friday 12th August 1859.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson

631. William Scott. applied to get two of his Children admitted, refered. to Public Nursery, as he is willing to pay for them.

632. Eliza Waters, to leave the House, on account of breaking trough [through] the rules. going out without leave, and her idle habits. See Case 625.

633. John Chadwick. Signed two of his Children over to the Trustees, Mary Ann 12 years of age, and Fanny Jane 8 years of age, the Boy to be admitted for a Week or Two, until the Father gets employment to enable him to provide for him. See Case 628.

634. A Female Child. was sent to the House by Alderman Sherwood, it was found about 3 OClock this Morning. (August 13/59) by Constable Lavallie somewhere near the Residence of the Revd. Mr. Grasett. The Child being only about fourteen days old, and having no person fit to nurse it in the House. Supt. sent it to Mrs. Blakely, (No. 17 Stanley St.) to wet nurse, [at] [dollars] 4 p. Month. approved of by Weekly Committee.

Tuesday the 16th August 1859

Present the Revd. J. Borland

635. William Eldon having been guilty of Conduct which subjected him to a fortnight incarceration in the jail, and it being a second time in which he has so conducted himself. is dismissed the house, and advised to go to into the Country to seek employment See Case 619 1/2

636. Catherine Wilson, her husband has left her and has been away about three months. ^She^ lives Princes [Princess] Street, has three children, the eldest a little girl in her fifth year the next a little boy about a year and a half old, and a babe about four months old. Both belong to the Church of England. She wishes to have her second child admitted to the house. Having made application to the orphan's home she is referred to its directors; and in the meantime to be visited by the Visitor of her district.

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Friday Morning 19<sup>th</sup> August 1859.

Present The Rev. J. Borland.

637. John Hanlon, is from Lanark. Not belonging to the City area and desires of going to a Son residing near to Bytown, is advised to apply to the Mayor for assistance to go there. J. Borland

Tuesday 23<sup>th</sup> August 1859.

Present Mr. James Foster.

638. Violet Johnston, (Edward St. opposite Fergusons Tavern.) nursed a child for eleven Months, for which the Mother of the Child paid her [dollars] 5 p. Month, until about seven Weeks ago, when she (the Mother) had to leave Toronto with Mrs. Sinclair to whom she was engaged as Wet Nurse. V. Johnston wants to know if she can get the Child admitted in the House, or else get paid for the nursing of it. refer'd to general Board.

638 1/2. Mary Donner, a pensioner of the House, applies for relief in Money to pay her rent, lives with Mr. Gaudy a plasterer, Corner of Terauly and Anne St. referred to Visitor of the Ward. Committee cannot pay any Money.

639. Samuel Porter. 30. Married. Irish. Ch of Engl. from Montreal, where he left his family, he is a Cabinet Maker by trade and came to Toronto to seek for Work, has been promised Employment by Messrs. Jaques and Hays. But not able to do anything at present on account of having the ague, no Money and no friends, recommended by Mr. McCord, to be admitted temporally.

640. Ann Hogan, brought a Note from Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, requesting Superintendent to give up her 3 children. See Case 612. August 25/59.

Friday 26<sup>th</sup> August 1859.

Present Mr. Hobson.

641. Sarah Renton, 35 years of age. English. Ch. of Engl. 3 children, husband gone to Cincinatty to seek work, lives 191 Sayer St. to be visited.

642. Ann Dixon. 35 years of age, Widow, Irish, Ch of Engl. 5 children, from Kingston, she has a pass, to go back to Kingston, but applies to the House for a little relief in Money, which the Committee can not grant, but allowed her some Bread.

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643. William McDowell, No. 24 Centre St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Wife a R.C. no children, seeks relief for himself and Wife, the Wife being a strong able Woman, the Committee think they should provide for themselves during the Summer Months.

644. William Scott, applied again for the admission of his 3 children, brought a Note from the Mayor. But as his Case has been before the Weekly Committee, two Weeks ago, he is now, recommended to bring his Case before the General Board.

645. James Cuddy 63 years of age, Irish. R.C. in Canada 14 years, applies to be admitted in the House, on account of bad eyes, he brought a Note from Lady Robinson. admitted.

646. James Irvin, applies for admission into the House, he is partial blind, says he has been in Hospital for twelve Months, to bring a certificate to that effect and some recommendation. Single. English. Ch of Engl.

647. George Hart. 17 years of age. English. Ch of Engl. from Kincardine, Canada, came to Toronto to seek Work, fell ill on his way there. Recommended by the Mayor, for a few days admittance until he gets a little stronger. Admitted by Committee, but recommended to try and get in Hospital.

648. William Murray. (Colored) Sent by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be taken care of as the Mother is sent to jail for a Month.

Tuesday 30th August 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

649. Isabella Low, between Berkly and McMahon St. 51 years of age. Scotch. Presbt. her Father lives with her, is sick and 81 years of age. Mr. Thom recomd. 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

650. Alice Murry, 44. Widow, Irish. Ch of Engl. 5 Children, a girl 15, and a Boy 13. at home. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. (See 626.)

651. Susan Walsh, to be continued on the Bread List for another Month, she has a Orphan child to bring up, belonging to her Sister

652. James Irvin, brought a Certificate from Hospital (See his Case 646.) to be admitted for a Time, subject to Doctors examination.



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653. Sarah Renton. (See Case 641) to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

654. Elizabeth Blanchard, Sayer St. No. 103, 45 years of age, English. Ch of Engl. Married husband a Shoemaker left Toronto to seek Work. 3 small Children. To be visited. Visited, (the youngest child died since). to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

655. Margaret OBrien, applied for relief, she is single and able to Work, to call on Ward Visitor.

656. Margaret Jones, has removed from St. Andrew's, to St. James' Ward, recomd. by Capt. Elmsley, to be continued on the Bread List, the same as before.

Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> September 1859.

Present Mr. J. Doel.

657. Notice sent to the Revd. Mr. Grasett. (this 6<sup>th</sup> day of Sept.) to procure suitable places for the following four Children, belonging to the Church of England, James Prest. Eight, Joseph Prest. five, Mary Ann Chadwick. Twelve, Fanny Jane Chadwick Eight years of age.

658. Mr. Paul Stewart. applied for the admission of a female Child, strongly recomd. by the Revd. Mr. Grasett, the Case referr'd to next Friday.

659. Eliza Wheat, has been an Inmate, applies to the Committee for a Note, to take to the Revd. Mr. Grasett.

660. James Nealy, has been an Inmate, but left on his own accord last May. his Mother applied to get him admitted again, he is a well known Case, Constantly makes use of profane Language, and Corrupts the children about the House. Weekly Committee decline admitting him this Time.

661. Ann Roberts, and Children, reffer'd to general Board, to be allow'd 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week until then.

662. Mary McDonnell, her Case was decided by general Board in July, Miss Rankin called on her behalf, testifying as to her Character being good, and that she knows her to be a clean Woman, and industrious, and if possible for the Board to reconsider her Case, and allow her something for the nursing of the Child, not for the time, that she has had it, but for the time that she may keep it, if the Board will allow her to do so, (referrd to general Board)

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663. Foundling, out at Wet Nurse with Mrs. Hogan, No. 7 Victoria St. died of Diarrhea. See Case 619.

664. Alexander McNickel, came to the House last night, with a Note from his Worship the Mayor, who wished to have him admitted for a few days, the Man did not stay long, he seems to be suffering from the effects of hard drinking.

665. Fanny Whealan, No. 136 Richmond St. West, reffer'd to Mr. Tyner Ward Visitor. Fossetts Yard

666. Thomas Murphy, 2 1/2 years of age, Canadian, R.C. Was sent to the House, by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be taking care of during the Mothers imprisonment in jail, for one Month for disorderly Conduct, The Mothers Name is, Ann Wallace alias Ann Doyle.

Friday 9th September 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

No Applications, Consequently no Business done.

667. Boy four years of age, sent to the House by his Worship the Mayor, to be taken care of during the Mother's imprisonment in jail, for one Month. Sept 12/59.

Tuesday 13th September 1859.

Present the Revd. Mr. Boddy and Mr. Hobson.

668. Mrs. Harper, from Guelph, applied to have a girl 26 years of age, admitted in the House, the girl is decrepit, and imbecile, has friends in Guelph, Committee recommends Mrs. H. to take the girl back to Guelph.

669. William Eldon, applied again for admittance, referr'd to general Board. See Case 635.

670. F.W. Reetye, has belonged to the German Legion, brought some recommendations from Lady Robinson, he would like to become an Inmate for the Winter, but will try first to get some light employment, if he can not succeed, he will then apply to the general Board.

671. Frederik Walters, 42. from the States, has been in Hospital, nearly blind, wants relief from the House, recommended. to go back to the States, to his family.

672. William Cordigan [Corrigan], 37. has been in Hospital, wants relief from the House. his family live in the Township of Wallace, County of Perth, Committee recomd. him to go back to his family, as the House can not support the Poor from other Municipality's.

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673. Mary Sweeny, 28. Irish. R.C. single, brought a Note from the Mayor, requesting a few days admission for her, was in the House since the 9th instant, allowed to stay a few days longer. (left the place on her own account, same day.)

674. Ann Turner, 32. Irish. R.C. one child four Weeks old, she comes from Kingston recommended to go back to Kingston, to have a loaf of Bread in the mean time. The Committee of 3th January 1860, decided that Ann Turner have 1/4 Cord Wood and no more.

675. A male Foundling, out at Nurse, died this 14th day of Sept. of diarrhea (See Case 490.) was at Nurse with Ellen Duggan.

676. A Boy four years of age (See Case 667) stray'd away from the House to day (Sept 15th) during the time the gate was left open, for the Baker to deliver the Bread. proper notice has been given at the City Police Station.

Friday 16th September 1859.

Present. the Revd. Mr. Boddy.

677. Ann Burns, 35. Irish. R.C. just out of jail, says that she is not very strong, she was sent by the Mayor, with a Note in which he recommends her to be taken in the House for some time, until she gets stronger. To be admitted for a few days, subject to Doctors examination.

678. William Scott. Widower, 34 years of age, Irish. Presbt. 3 Children. Boy 9. Girl 5 and Girl 3 years of age. Cannot procure sufficient Employment to keep himself and Children, wants to give them up to the House. referr'd to the general Board, as his Case has been before the Weekly Committee. (See Case 631)

679. Ann Jackson. Colored. No. 88 Edward St. and Mary Jane Ryans. Colored, in the same House, refered to Ward Visitor.

Tuesday 20th Sept. 1859.

Present. Messrs. W.J. MacDonell and J. Tyner.

680. Elizabeth Kenedy, Widow, 40 years of age, Irish. Ch of Engl. 6 Children at home Girl 18. Boy 16. Girl 10. Boy 8. Boy 6. and Boy 4 years of age. She brought a Note of recommendation from Mrs. A. Baldwin, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, if found deserving after being visited, lives at No. 102 Victoria St.

681. James Cuddy, or Gillicuddihy, an Inmate, had leave to go out and see a friend yesterday, was found begging by Mr. J. Tyner, said that he had leave from Supt. to do so. when accused of it this Morning. he denied the fact, was Cautioned not to do the same again. See Case 645.

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682. Margaret Eaton, wants Wood, brought a Note from Mrs. McCaul, no Wood on the premises yet.

683. Thomas Killaltee, applied again for admission, for himself and Child, Mr. W.J. MacDonnell will try to get the Child admitted at the Sisters. and Killally is to apply again in November. he gets Bread from the House.

684. Mrs. Collins, applied to the Board for means, to travel in the Country, to the place where her little girl, Barbara Leavy, was apprenticed from the House, as she intends to take the child away. The Weekly Committee refers her Case to the general Board, if she likes to apply.

685. William Scott. Signed his 3 children over to the Trustees, of the House of Industry. Robert aged 9 1/2 years. Margaret Jane aged 5 years. and Sarah Ann aged 3 years. Irish. Presbyterians. See Case 678.

686. Mary McDonnell. (See her Case 619 [different child?]. and 662.) gave up the Child to the House.

Friday 23th September 1859.

Present. Messrs. W.J. MacDonnell and J. Tyner.

687. Mary McDonnell. Widow, Irish. R.C. 3 children, refered. to Ward Visitor

688. Catherine Fitzpatrick, to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

689. Margaret OBrien, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. for the present.

690. Sent the two little Boys, Pearson, to their Mother at Quebeck. Captain Percy kindly took charge of them, free of expence, in the Boat Bowmanville, Sept. 24/59. (See Case 594.)

691. James Hunter, 1 year and 7 Months old, died this day 26th Sept. 1859. from the effects of a scald.

Tuesday 27th Sept. 1859.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson.

692. Jane Murray, No. 23 Queen S. east. has been an Inmate, applied to be restored of to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. to be restored.

693. Harriett Larson, died this 28th day of Sept. of Apoplexy, See her Case 244 (1858)

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694. Notice sent to the Revd. Mr. Gregg (this 30th day of Sept.) to procure suitable places for the following 3 children, belonging to the Irish Presbt. Church, Robert Scott aged 9 1/2, Margaret Jane Scott, aged 5, and Sarah Ann Scott aged 3 years

Friday 30th September 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

695. Ellen Rogers, Widow, 82 years of age, Irish, R.C. has received out door relief for many years, applies to be admitted into the House, as she is getting very feeble and not able to take care of herself. to be admitted.

Tuesday 4th October 1859.

Present. The Hon. G.W. Allan, and Mr. Hobson The Revd. Mr. Grasett and J. Borland

696. Sophia Watkins, No. 15 Emily St. St. Georges Ward, applies for relief, refered. to Visitor of the Ward, and to have a loaf in the mean time.

697. Ann McMahon, No. 141 Adelaide St. St. Andrews Ward. refered to Visitor.

698. Sarah McCutchin, Widow, Irish, Ch of Engl. 84 years of age, she has been in Canada these last 30 years, but not in Toronto, has 3 Grandsons, living in the Township of Mono, they are Farmers and well to do, she was sent to the House by Mrs. Grasett, to have her Care brought before the Committee. The Committee ordered Superintendent to find out from the Postmaster at Mono if he knows the McCutchins, and where they live, and Sarah McC. to have shelter in the House for the present.

699. Hannah Roberts 28, Welsh, Ch of Engl, deserted by her husband, signed over to the Trustees, her 3 children, Mary Jane aged 3 years, Catharine aged 2 1/2 years, and Joseph aged 2 Months. The youngest (Joseph) sent out to Wet Nurse with Mary McDonnell. See Case 661.

700. Mary Marshall, wants Bread, (to bring her Number)

701. Ellen Sullivan, 30. Marred. [married] Irish, R.C. 3 young children, husband a Labourer. she is to bring her Number, and to be refered to Visitor

702. Alice Murphy. 25. Marred. [married] husband 40 a Labourer, Irish, R.C. 4 Children Girl 7. Girl 6. Boy 4. and Boy 2 years of age, the husband cannot get Employment enough to support them, they live on the South side of Ann St. east of Church St. Mr. Rutherford enquired into the Case, and recomd. 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, as the Visitor Capt. Elmsley, is away to England.

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703. Mary Donner. No. 61 Hayter St. 51 years of age, Mard. [married] English, Ch of Engl husband in a Lunatic Asylum in England, a Boy 18 in England, and a Boy 10 apprenticed from this Institution, she is in a delicate state of health. Mr. Hobson recomd. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

Friday 7th October 1859.

Present. The Hon. G.W. Allan

704. Ann Duffy, an out door Pensioner, applies to get her Child admitted for a few Months, that she may be enabled to go to service, Hon. G.W. Allan thinks it against the Rule of the Institution to do so, but as he is alone to day, he would referr her Case to next Weekly Committee.

705. Mary Green, next to 182 Centre St., to be visited

706. Sarah Kilroy, wants relief, able Woman, to [too] soon to be put on the relief List, but to have a loaf for the present.

707. Sarah Charlton, {blank} Sumach St, to bring her Number and to be visited

708. Mary Ann Humphrys 37 Emma St. to be visited

709. Peter Brennan applies for part of his pension, refered to general Board.

710. Jane Chambers, 57 Duches [Duchess] St. to be visited

711. October 10th Mary Green, in rear of 182 Centre St. Widow, thinks she is 71 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl, lives with a Marrd. [married] daughter and two children whose husband is gone to the States to see for Work. Mr. Hobson thinks it would be well to allow 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

712. Mary Ann Humphrys, 37 Emma St. Mr. Hobson made enquiry's, but was informed that no person of that Name was known there.

713. Jane Chambers, 57 Duches St, Irish, 2 Children, Boy 7 and Boy 4, lives in the same Room with Mary Burns. There was a room full of Man and Women about 10 OClock in the Morning, and appeared to be drinking. The place is fearfully dirty

714. Margaret Grany, back of 85 Duches [Duchess] St. clean and tidy place, gets Bread from the House, she says that Catharine Bloomfield stopp'd with her for a few nights and then went away, she this [does] not know where she lives now.

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Tuesday 11th October 1859.

Present Mr. R. Gilmor, Mr. J. Doel and Mr. E. Hobson.

715. John McBurney. 35 Year old North Ireland. Church of Scotland (Paralytic) no friends in the City, has lived Eighteen years in Toronto. recommended by the Mayor for admittance, recommended for admittance.

716. Mary Brown lives on Elizabeth Street, lives with Mr. Cartland, Shoe Maker. Case to be enquired into.

717. ~~Jane~~ Mary Ann Moore recommend by Mrs. Grasett No. 7 Maple Lane St. Patricks Ward applicant for Bread, ordered to receive Bread.

718. Fanny Whalen lives in Fossetts Yard, near the Lawyers Hall. Return [to] the Books for 4 [pounds] Bread.

719. Ann Lynch wishes to get a Girl who lives in the Country, and has a Child, and wishes the institution to take her Child. referred to the Orphans Home.

720. Mary Green refer to No. 696-705.

722. Sophia Matthews. Case examined out by Rev. Mr. Lett, and recommended by him for releif has two Children one a Girl of 5 Years old the other an infant in Arms. to receive 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

723. Anna McMahon, No. 14 Adelaide St. Widow. 40 years of age, one child a Boy 7. She has a sore hand. Mr. Tyner recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week until her hand gets better.

724. John Woon Nichols, Orphan. 9 years of age, Canadian, ChofEngl, to be admitted into the House, and to be apprenticed out according to the Rules of the Institution, with the full Consent of his Grandmother, his only relative.

725. Mary Ann Moor, 26, Irish, ChofEngl, 3 Children. Boy 9. Girl 3. Baby 9 Months. husband left in May seeking Work, is a Labourer. She says that he is a sober Man. She seems to be a decent Woman.

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726. Fanny Farrell, lives in the same House with Mary Ann Moor, she is 23 years of age, Irish, R.C. 2 Children, a Boy aged 2 years, and a baby 8 days old, she say's that she has been living in Clinton, where her husband left her, they had been living in Clinton for 2 years, she was sent to Toronto by the Reeve of Clinton.

727. Notice sent (this 14th day of October) to the Revd. Mr. Grasett, to find suitable places for Jacob Cook, aged seven years and eight months, and John Woon Nichols, aged nine years, both Boys belonging to the Church of England.

Friday 14th October 1859.

Present Mr. J. Doel Mr. Hobson, Gilmor & Dr. Lett.

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728. Mary Miller 75 Years Widow English, Church of England wishes to be admitted into the house. admitted.

729. Mary Brown. Aged about 40 recommended by Mrs. Grasset, lives in St. James Street. requested to send the no. [number] of the house she lives in that she may be visited.

730. Mary [Moor] refer to No. 725. recommend to get 6 [pounds] Bread per Week.

731. Jane Chambers Widow 2 Children 1 Seven Years and 1 four. Both Boys, refer to Case No. 704. Says she is going to move away from the house she is in. Requested by the Board to Come back when she gets away from from the company she is at present in.

732. Ann McMahon See Case No. 723. recommended to receive 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

733. James Moore 66 Years old native of England lives with (Wooden [Wootten]) Who ^Keeps^ a saloon in College Avenue (is ruptured). recommend to receive 4 [pounds] Bread per Week.

734. John Woon Nichols, gone on trial with George McMann of Mono (see Case 714.)

735. Fanny Chadwick, gone on trial with Abraham Eyer of Markham (See Case 633)

736. Mrs. Bailie. No. 10 Albert St. Widow, the husband died a few Weeks ago and left the Family in the greatest distress. Irish. Presbt. 5 Children. recommended by Mr. Hobson to have a reasonable allowance of Bread, for a time, the Mother being Confined to her bed at present.

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737. Mary Brown, No. 8 James St. 40 years of age, no friends or relations Irish ChofEngl a Number of years in Toronto, has been in the Hospital for some time with a bad foot, Mr. Hobson Ward Visitor thinks something must be done for her, admitted the subject to Dr.'s Examination, Dr. Small thinks she is capable of earning her living. to have 4 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

738. Catharine Fitzgerald, 57 Emma St, 30 years of age Irish R.C. Married, husband in Lunatic Asylum. 3 Children, Boy 6. Boy 4. Boy 2 years of age. Mr. Hobson recommends some assistance. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

739. Sophia Humphrys. 57 Emma St. Irish. ChofEngl. 24 years of age. Married, husband left her 3 Months ago, since which time she has not heard from him. 4 Children, boy 5. boy 4. Girl 3 years and a Boy 4 Months old. she appears an industrious Woman. Mr. Hobson recommends relief. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread

740. Sarah Charlton. 57 Emma St, about 40 years of age. English. ChofEngl. Married, husband left her and taken the Children with him, so she has only herself to support, which she is well able to do. to go to Service

741. Catharine Hughes. No. 73 Richmond St. Widow. 38 Irish ChofEngl. has a girl 14. in the Country at Service. lived in Service at Brampton for 5 years, when last Fall she met with an accident, which compelled her to come to Hospital, has tried Service again, but not able to work. to get back to Brampton.

742. Henry Ireland, an Inmate, had leave to go out last Tuesday, did not come back on his own account, but was brought back several times by a friend, when each time he took the Fence and cleared out again, he has been sadly deranged of late, and there is no possibility of keeping him in the House against his will, as he is getting worse every day. See Case 743 [& 416] (1858) Sent to the Asylum Octbr. 18/59.

743. Anne Roberts, signed her 3 children over the House (October 14/59) as belonging to the Church of England, herself likewise belonging to the same Church, about an hour after she brought Mr. OKeef the Priest to the House, who claimed them as belonging to the Church of Rome, and herself as belonging to the same, she said that the Letter of Assignment was a forgery, on my (Supt.) part. See 699.

Tuesday 18th October 1859.

Present Mr. E Hobson, Mr. Rutherford and Dr. Green.

744. Morris Convey. 43. R.C. Irish, has been in Hospital for some time, seeks admission into the House, Too Many in the House at present, Cannot be admitted.

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745. Barbara Leaney. 13 years of age next Birthday, (by the Indentures,) was brought back to the House by Mr. Henry Brethour, (with whom the Child was apprenticed) on account of a Breaking out in her head, which appears to be an old sore. [1857 Case 206] Canadian. ChofEngl.

746. James Dogherty, an old Inmate, has been away for four Months working for his living, the work has failed, and he now seeks admission into the House again, as he is a verry usefull, and industrious Man, and not able to procure a living out side, on account of some affliction about his face. he is to be admitted, by order of Weekly Committee.

Friday 21st Oct. 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson. Rev. J Borland. Mr. Battersby. Mr. Tyner & Dr. ^Lett^

747. John McDowell applies for his Children. The case is referred to the Board.

748. Alexander Stewart 80 years of age Church of England. from Ireland, has lived in Toronto and adjacent parts for the last 15 years. Is a Widower; has a daughter (Married) in the City. Wants admission to the house. House already full. admission refused.

749. James and John Maley, two Children of about 9 & 5 years of age. Sent to the house by the Police Magistrate; their parents having been sent to gaol for drunkenness Irish. R.C.

750. Two Children. James and William Adair of 7 & 2 years & 9 Months. sent to the house by the Mayor. they are from Toronto Township. abandoned by the father. they being diseased with Itch, the Dr. is requested to see if they can be taken to the Hospl. [hospital] Could not be taken in the Hospital, admitted in the House.

751. Ellen Kerr. to be visited. Corner of Bolton and York Street Mr. Tyner having reported her case she is allowed a loaf of bread.

752. Mary Murphy is a Widow from Ireland, has one child. lives in Palace Street 206. referred to the general visitor of that district.

753. Margaret Byers, back of 28 Richmond St. deserted by her husband. 2 children one 4 years, the other 6 Months. Scotch. Methodist. Mr. Tyner recomd. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, for the present.

754. Mary Cambridge, 28 Richmond St. 26 years of age. deserted by her husband and child. Mr. Tyner recommends nothing, leaving the Committee to decide.

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755. Catharine Bloomfield, No such Number as ~~84~~ ^75^ Queen St. in St. Andrews Ward. the odd Number is in St. Andrews Ward, not the even Mr. Tyner visited her and says in his letter she has 2 Daughters at Service one 18 years and the other 14 years she has a boy about 9 years of age which she takes round with her begging. Mr. Tyner says I do not advise her to get relief. Church of England

756. Cornelius Higgins. 60. Irish. Ch of Engl. has been visited by Mr. Tyner who recommends that something should be done for them, has been visited by the Doctor, and greatly recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett who has known him for many years, as a decent and respectable Man, Mr. Tyner and Dr. Lett think him a fit Case for the House. admitted.

757. George Bennett. has been visited by Dr. Small who reports that he has had two attacks of Paralysis, and is suffering from chronic softening of the Brain, Mr. Tyner advises to have Bennett taken in the House. admitted by Weekly Committee. ChofEngl

758. Sent, by Mr. Gurnett P.M. [Police Magistrate] to the House of Industry, the 3 children of John Good, who was committed to jail for a Month, and whose Mother abandoned them, until the said Good be released from jail. John aged 13 born a cripple, Lissey aged 8 and Samuel aged 6 years. ChofEngl.

Tuesday 25th October 1859.

Present none.

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759. Notice sent to the Revd. Mr. Grasett (this 26th day of Octbr.) to procure suitable places for the following four children of Margaret Steward, belonging to the Church of Engl. James aged 9 years. John aged 7 years, Elizabeth aged 6 years and Georgina aged 5 years. See Case 597.

760. Thomas Dean, gone on trial with Thomas Lovatt. Farmer of Thornton. See Case 581.

Friday 28th October 1859.

Present Mr. Hobson

761. John Densmore, 69 years of age, from Ireland. ChofEngl, an old Pensioner, has been in Canada for 28 years, lately discharged from Hospital, not able to get his living as he is verry feeble. to be admitted into the House.

762. Elizabeth Steward, gone on trial, previous of being bound, to James Cochrane, of Streetsville. Octbr. 31st. See Case 592 [597].

763. Police Constable LeVallee, brought to this Institution (by Order of Mr. Gurnett P.M. [Police Magistrate]) a female Child about 3 years of age, which was found upon the Banks of the Don, no trace of the Parents can be had, Name and Religion not Known. (found out since that the Mothers Name is Mary Ann McMannamie.)

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Tuesday. 1st November 1859. Present Capt. Elmsley & Mr. Cathcart

764. Mary Murphy. See No. 770 of 1858. To be Visited again as she has not been on the books since last Winter.

765. Thomas Killaly. Paralytic. Frequently before the Committee. Brings a strong recommendation from The Mayor. Admitted

766. ~~Ellen~~ ^Eliza^ Cunningham 24. Spinster. Father dead. Mother in Ireland. No friends in Canada. Has been in Hospital with sore eyes and weak Lungs: discharged therefrom on acct. of bad atmosphere. See Dr. Gardners Certificate. No. 12 Duchess Street. To be Visited.

767. Maurice Conway. See No. 744. As the Committee of the 18th ulto. [ultimo] has decided not to admit this man, the case is referred to the Genl. Committee of the 15th inst.

768. Mary Curley. 34. Husband died. last July. Catholic. Girl 9 in the hospital, burnt, Girl 7. Girl 5. Girl 2. Brother on Yonge St. 10 Children, only a laborer. Lives in Mr. Crawford House Richmond St. Mr. Tyner recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread.

769. Joseph Armstrong. 64. Widower. Childless. No friends in Canada. General health Good. Was an inmate last winter. Went to out in the spring, and found Work, but now cannot. Church of England, admitted in Debr 1859. left to go to a place April 17/60.

770. Mary Dowdall. 30. Husband in St. Louis. Lives now in Brock St. Girl 9. Girl 6. Girl 5. Girl 3. Boy 8 Months. Visited by Dr. Lett. Expects to receive assistance from her husband, shortly. 8 [pounds] bread.

771. Cornelius Higgins, left the House, intends to reside with his friends. See Case 756.

Friday 4th Nover.

present R. Cathcart & Mr. Hobson for Mr. Elmsley

772. Catharine Feehan R.C. aged 20 years. a child Girl 5 weeks old. unfortunate lately from Dundas Street Trafalgar but last year from County Galway in Ireland. Cannot be admitted

773. Mary Anne Bell. and [an] old Widow 76 years of age Irish Church of England has no family seeks admission. (to be Admitted first Vacancy). admitted Novbr. 7/59.

774. Eliza Cunningham see 766. to be referred. to the Doctor. (see [Case] 775) To have 4 [pounds] of Bread for 2 Week four [pounds] p. Week

775. Dennis Shea Aged 35 years Married a Wife and one child baby he has but one leg [Case] 774 lives with him. Irish R.C. has been in the Army 8 years has 6 d [pence] per day for 9 months. lives in Dutches [Duchess] St. No. 12.

776. Mary Anderson Widow 40 years of age Irish 10 years in Canada R.C. has one child a Girl 2 years old. lives with Robert Hasting. No. 27 Queen St. in back yard 4 doors from Dummer St.

777. Novbr. 5th A Male child about a Month old, (which was left this morning in the House of Mr. Joseph Boyd, of the G.T. [Grand Trunk] Railway Inn,) was sent to this Institution by A. Wilson Esqr. Mayor. Nothing known of the party who left it. sent out to Wet Nurse with Mary McDonnell. Called Charley Wilson.

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November 7th 1859.

778. Notice sent this day (7th Nover.) to the Hon. Capt. Elmsley, to procure suitable places for the 3 children of Hannah Roberts, belonging to the Roman Catholic Church. Mary Jane aged 3 years, Catharine aged 2 years, and Joseph aged 2 Months. See [Case] 743.

Tuesday 8th November 1859

Present Mr. E. Hobson. Mr. J.L. Robinson and Mr. R. Woodsworth.

779. Mary Murphy, applies for relief, to come again, no means at present to assist

780. Lewis Hunter, rear of 91 Centre St. Married. English. ChofEngl. Carpenter aged 36. lately from England, with Wife and four Children, Boy 10. Boy 6. Girl 4, and Boy 2 years of age, out of Employment, to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week for the present.

Friday 11th November 1859.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

781. Catharine Allen seeks relief, recommended to come in the course of a fourthnight.

782. Elizabeth Aldgate. Widow 53. England, ChofEngl. 2 children at home, Boy 13 Girl 11. recommended by Revd. Mr. Kennedy and Revd. Dr. Lett. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

783. Mathew Minnicks, Irish. R.C. an auld [old] Pensioner, has been an Inmate before, recomd. by Capt. Ferris for admission. admitted.

784. Sarah McCutchin, left the House, in Company with her Grandson Charles McCutchin who is gone to take care of, and provide for her. Novbr 12/59. (See her Case 698.)

785. Sarah McDonnell, an Inmate, was sent to the General Hospital in August, was discharged this Day (Novbr 12th) from there, and readmitted in this Institution (See Case 420)

Tuesday the 15th Novr. 1859.

Present Revd. J. Borland Mr. E Hobson

786. Mary Anderson. Widow. has one Child is a Roman Catholic about 40 years of age. has lived for the last 10 years in Toronto. is advised to put her child ~~ren~~ away and to seek service, being healthy & strong.

787. Robert West is a sickly man. has a Wife and two children, a son and daughter. both grown up. is a deserving man. Will be visited by Mr. Hobson.

787 1/2. Alexander Steward to be admitted the first Vacancy. See Case 748.

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788. Richd. D. Jeffers has a wife and two sons. both young. is 61 years of age has been in the army. lives in King St. West 186. is to be visited.

789. The child Joseph, of Ann Roberts, was (by request of Capt. Elmsley, to the general Board) given up to the Sisters of St. Joseph, and sent for to day, Novbr 17th See Case 778. was sent back to the House in January 1860.

Friday the 18th Novr 1859

Present Revd. J. Borland & Mr. E. Hobson.

Several cases were before the Committee which have been referred to the visitors.

790. The case of R.D. Jeffers as recommended by Mr. Tyner has been considered. He is allowed 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

791. James Irwin ~~Irish~~ From Ireland. belongs to the Methodist Church. has 4 Children, a boy 13 years, boy 9 and two girls 4 and 2 years, is recommended by the Rev. Mr. Kennedy for assistance. Is allowed for the present 8 [pounds] of Bread.

792. John Harrison, 220 Sayer St. Mrrd. [married] English. ChofEngl. 2 Children, Boy 8 and Boy 2 years of age, The Wife a clean industrious Woman, husband Consumptive, and at the present time bad with the Bowell Complaint, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

793. Rose Johnston, Widow these four years, lives No. 31 South Park St. 3 Children, Girl 9. Girl 7, and Girl 5 years of age, from Ireland. ChofEngl. She used to do the Washing for Colonel Savage and Family, but they are away now, She seems a Clean industrious Woman, Suffers from the Ague. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

794. Emma Lancaster, gone on trial, with Mr. John B. Winters, Farmer of Toronto Township, (See Case 514.)

Tuesday, 22nd Nobr. 1859

Present Mr. E Hobson

795. Julia Malone, 36. Husband in the States, and gives her no assistance, used to get washing from the Government folks, but now has great difficulty in obtaining Employment. is very Rheumatic, seems to suffer much pain, 4 Children Girl 9. Boy 5. Boy 3. Boy 2 years old, Irish. R.C. Capt. Elmsley, recomd. Bread now, and Wood when issued. Committee allows 12 [pounds] Bread p. Week.

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796. Bridget Dean, No. 36 McMahon St. Married. Irish. RC. seven children Girl 14. Girl 10. Boy 9. girl 7. girl 5. girl 3. and Boy 2 Months old, The Hon. Mr. Allan, visited and recommends temporary relief, and for the oldest Girl to be provided with a place in the Country from this House. The Mother refused to part with the girl, Consequently relief was refused by the Committee (See report No. 1. St. Davids Ward.)

797. Catharine Connors ^or Collins^ 57 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish R.C. husband left about six Months ago to look for Work, has not returned, she has one Boy 7 years old, and was confined of twins about 6 Weeks ago, one is dead the other still alive, seems a respectable Woman, and most willing to Work when she can get it to do. The Hon. Mr. Allan, visited and recommends a little Wood when given out, the Committee allow 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and to have Wood when given out. (See report No. 1 St. Davids Ward)

798. Jane Cummings, Caroline St, east side between Duke and King Streets, two Boys one 11, the other 9. The husband, is suffering from an ulcerated leg, which incapacitates him for almost any sort of Work. The oldest Boy, runs errands and sells papers, the youngest is a miserable weakly Child, and can do but



little, Hon. Mr. Allan, recommends relief in Bread which he thinks would be well bestowed. Committee allow 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. (See report No. 1 St. Davids Ward) Irish. R.C.

799. Catharine Dobson, seeks admission in the House until she can be taken in the Lying in Hospital, has been living on the Davenport road, refused, as it is against the rules to admit people in the Family way

800. Mary Berney. Married. 26 years of age, from Ireland. R.C. husband in the House of Providence unable to work on account of a broken leg, the Woman is near her Confinement. Capt. Elmsley recommends her to be taken in the House, until she can be received into the Lying in Hospital, refused on the same grounds as the above, but to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. ^one child 1 month old (a Boy) husband^

801. John Maguire, 64 years of age, No family, one Arm, but a healthy strong Man, refused assistance, should make his own living

802. Thomas Parker, comes from the lower Province, where he lost both his hands by frost, a loaf of Bread for the present, and recommended to go to the Mayor to see if he can get a pass, to enable him to get back to Quebeck where he left two of his children.

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Friday 25th November 1859

Present. Messrs. James Foster and E. Hobson.

803. Edward Fitzgerald, 61 years of age, Irish, R.C. seeks admission into the House, recommended by Mr. Rice Lewis, no room at present. He is to be visited, after that the Committee will judge what relief he stands in need of.

804. Catherine Galvin, Widow. 29. Ireland, R.C. and child a girl 8 years of age. She says, that if she was to part with her child, Ladys would procure good and light places for herself, but she does not intend to part with her Child, on that account the Committee can not relieve her Case, as the fault of doing better lies with herself, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread. Decbr. 9th.

805. Judy Kelly, ~~Irish~~ Dale St. 40 years of age, Married. Native place Ireland, R.C., one child, a girl 4 years of age, husband in bad health, and sore Eyes, recommended by Ward Visitor for 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week (lives in Bolton [Boulton] St. No. 53)

806. Mary Morrow, 46 Centre St. Widow, 51 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. 2 children, one girl 13 at Service, and girl 11 at home but will go to place in a few days, Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread, as the mother intends to take a place as soon as she get one, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

807. Jane Chambers, said her residence was at No. 8 George St. east Side. The Hon. G.W. Allan has visited from one end of Caroline St. to the other, but cannot find a No. 8. The Visitor thinks, there

probably was such a Number on the east side of Caroline St, but nearly all the Houses on that side between King and Front Streets have been burnt down.

808. Alexander Steward, admitted into the House, Novbr 26/59. See Case 746 [748].

809. Some of the Inmates, complained yesterday (Sunday Novbr. 27th.) about the disorderly behaviour of William Eldon (likewise an Inmate) towards them, on enquiring, I found him very much the worse for liquor, and very noisy in his Language. he had leave to go to Church in the Morning, and instead of Coming back to his dinner like the rest, he came in about 4 OClock in the afternoon and found his way into the dining room, where the Revd. Mr. Wickson was reading Service at the time to the Inmates, Eldon interrupted the Service several times, to the annoyance of every one there, and after Service stepped on the toes of helpless old Men. To keep quite [quiet] and peace (being Sunday) I thought the best would be, to turn him out of doors, until Tuesday, when he may make his appearance before the weekly Committee, this is not the first Offence. (Supt.) See Case 669.

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Tuesday 29th November 1859

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Thom.

810. Catherine McLachlan, 19 years of age, from Scotland. R.C. afflicted with the Kings evil [tuberculosis], has been in Hospital for seven months, left there about a Month ago, as the case is incurable, She was recommended by the Mayor for admission, but as her Case requires constant attention, the Committee think that it would be best to let her remain with her own Family, where she would receive better attendance, and allow her some out door relief and some Linseed Meal.

811. Robert West, 54 years of age. Married. from Ireland, ChofEngl. No. 16 Albert St. the man is Consumptive. Mr. Hobson visited, and recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

812. Mary Ann Moor, to have 2 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, in addition to the 6 [pounds] p. Week previously. See Case 275 [725]. Revd. Dr. Lett recommends.

813. Ann Spillings, No. 19 Shuter St. Widow, 72 years of age. Presbt. Capt. Elmsley recommends her as deserving. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and Wood when given out.

814. Margaret Doyle, Palace St. Lees Houses, Marrd. [married] 35 years of age, 3 children Girl 8 Boy 5 and girl 2 years of age, Husband, left her in Hamilton and she came back to Toronto in June, she lives with an old Widow Mary OBrien, the neighbours speak well of her, as an industrious and well behaved Woman, she was ill in bed when visited. Irish. R.C. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. Decbr. 9th.

815. Ellen Kerr, 224 Corner of Queen and McMahan St. Widow, 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. one child a boy 6 years old, lives in a Room with an old Widow Woman (Dolly Gann). They pay a Dollar a Month between them for the Room, They are both Pensioners of the House during the Winter Months, The

Hon. Mr. Allan has visited and recomd. them for Wood. As Wood is not given out yet, she is to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and Wood when given out. See report. St. Davids Ward No. 2.

816. Edward Fitzgerald, lives in a small lane between Jarvis and George Streets, in the House of a labourer of the name of Martin Bryan, Ireland. R.C. he seeks admission into the House, no room, to have a loaf for the present, and to endeavour to get admitted in the House of Providence, if he cannot succeed to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. See Visitors report, St. Davids Ward No. 2.

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Friday 2nd December 1859

Present: Mr. J. Thom.

817. Mary Ann Jones, has been living in Toronto Township, her husband made an assignment of his goods to another Man, and cleared out himself, she has 5 children, She went to Hamilton to live but last Monday the Mayor of Hamilton sent her down to Toronto. She brought a Note from Mrs. Grasett to the Committee recommending her for some Bread, to have a loaf for the present, and recommended to go to her own Municipality, for relief,

818. Nathaniel McNight, 48 years of age, has a Wife and 9 children in England. from Scotland, Congregationalist, he was refused admittance in the Hospital and recommended here as requiring rest and Comfort by Dr. Gardiner, there is no room in the House, but the Committee will allow him to stay in the outbuilding for a Week.

819. Catherine Johnston, 30 years of age, lives in Maria St. husband left her, from Ireland, ChofEngl. has one child 2 years of age, Recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett, visitor, for some Bread, to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

820. Several Cases referred to the Visitors of the different Wards.

821. Mary McGrath, Grand Trunk Cottages, of Palace St. Married, 28 years of age, 3 Children, Boy 5 Boy 3 and Girl 5 weeks old ^dead^, the husband is in hospital, \* and the Wife seems destitute, says she belongs to the Church of England, and husband belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. to have 8 [pounds] Bread p. Week. ^\*imposition^ ^\*out now^

822. Catherine Allan, No. ~~77~~ ^83^ Stanley St. Irish. R.C. 32 years of age, husband deserted her these 13 Months, the last she heard of him was, that he was in hospital in New Orleans, having nearly lost his sight by hard drinking, 3 Children, Boy 3, Boy 2, Girl 8 months old, Capt. Elmsley has visited and recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and Wood when it is given out. See Case 422. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread.

823. Eliza Robinson, No. 29 Stanley St. Capt. Elmsley, visited the aforesaid, but she was not at home, she called at his (Capt. Elmsley's) House this morning and informed him, that she was a Widow with 3 Children, all of whom are with Farmers in the Country for their board and lodging & clothing, She aleges

that her health will not permit her to work much, but as appearances do not bear out the allegation, the Visitor would suggest that she be required to bring a Doctors certificate confirmatory to her own statement, before she receive any attention from the Weekly Committee Decbr. 2nd.

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Tuesday 6th Dcbr. 1859.

Present, William Mathers and Mr. J. Hobson,

823. [Case number 823 repeated] Assinnath McLean, rear of 229 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl, Widow 48 years of age 6 Children, Daughter 20, ditto 17, do. [ditto] 13, do. [ditto] 9, do. [ditto] 5, do. [ditto] 3 years of age, all at home except the one 13 who is at Service. Mr. Hobson has visited. to be allowed 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

824. Jane Fleming, rear of 238 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 53 years of age Girl 23 years of age, confined to her bed at the present with Rheumatism, grandson 8 years of age, has been visited. to be allowed 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

825. Frances Hood, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week instead of 8 [pounds] p. Week.

826. William Hudson, No. 99 Boulton St. Colered. Baptist. 4 Children, aged 10, 5, 2, and one 5 weeks old, the Wife is sick. Mr. Tyner has visited and recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week for the present. to have 8 [pounds] p. Week.

827. Rose Foley, 132 Richmond St. Irish. R.C. 26 years of age, Single, her Eyesight is bad, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

828. Mary Short, 136 Richmond St. Widow, 45 years of age, Irish. R.C. has one daughter 13 years of age who is a Simpleton, She begs for a living, Visitor thinks it would be as well to allow her 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

829. Eliza Clarke, 132 Richmond St. Irish R.C. Married, but she and her husband live apart, not able to agree long together, She has two children, one 3 years, the other about 6 months old. Visitor thinks it advisable to allow a little relief, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread ^p. Week^.

830. Maria Hebert, 332 King St. east. Irish, husband English, ChofEngl. 4 Children, Boy 14 employed in the Colonist Office at [dollars] 2 p. month. girl 12. girl 8 and girl 4 years of age, they spent all their means, and had it not been for a little assistance from the Mayor, and the St. Georges Society they must have starved, Visitor leaves it to the Committee, (See report St. Davids Ward No. 3.) To have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

831. Sarah Killroy, 36 years of age, Widow, Irish, R.C. 3 children, 14, 9 and 7 years of age she is willing to work when she can get it to do. The Revd. Mr. Kennedy has visited, and recommends her as deserving of relief. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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832. Phoebe Gray, No. 96 1/2 Elizabeth St. English, ChofEngl. Widow, 53 years of age industrious but unable to obtain Work. She lives with a Married Daughter, Mr. Hobson has visited and recommends 4 [pounds] of Breadp. Week, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

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833. George Fraser, No. 4 Osgood[Osgoode] St. when the visitor called, neither he or his Wife were at home, they have no family, and the neighbours say that they are both able to Work, since then the Wife called on Visitor and stated that her husband is not able to work, recommended to see the Doctor.

834. Mary Hughes, No. 22 Elizabeth St. Single, Irish R.C. 38 years of age, states she has some inward Complaint, and not able to do hard Work, Visitor thinks she had better see the Doctor, and if he reports that to be the Case, to be allowed some Bread and Wood.

835. Mary Tanner, 191 Sayer St. Irish R.C. Widow 43 years of age, in good health lives by Washing, 3 Children boy 4, girl 6 and girl 8 years of age, Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee

836. Donald Robertson, 28 years of age, Single, Scotch Presbt. suffers with sore Eyes which prevents him from making a living, brought up to the Draper Business, gets his Lodging for nothing, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, lives at No. 62 Dummer St.

837. John McBurney, an Inmate applied for means to travel with to an Uncle of his in Canada West, refused, asked leave the same day to be allowed to leave the Institution, leave to do so. Maurice Conway to be admitted in his stead. See his Case 744 [715].

838. Bridget Newing, lives in the rear of 48 Scott St. Mrd. [married] 21 years of age, 2 children Girl 3 and Boy 18 months old, Irish R.C. husband left her 14 Months ago, she does not know the reason why he did so. She is willing to Work, but cannot get sufficient to support herself and Children. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

839. Lucy H. Garvin (Eight years of age last May) returned to the House (Novbr. 24/59) from William Burr of Malton, and is now gone on trial (Novbr. 7th.) to Samuel Martin, Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. Toronto.

Friday 9th December 1859.

Present. Mr. William Mathers and Mr. E. Hobson.

840. Eliza Gunson, 67. Albert St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 64 years of age, rents a room from her married daughter, lives by quilting. Visitor recommends relief, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

841. Eliza Jamison 19 Centre St. Irish ChofEngl. Widow 44 years of age, 4 Children, girl 15. girl 14. Boy 10. Boy 5 years of age, oldest girl in Service, the Visitor is sorry to say it is a Case we cannot relieve as she is from the Country, the Committee allowed 8 [pounds] of Bread for to day, which she refused accepting.

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842. Eliza Walsh. 143 Park Lane. Colored. Methodist, Married, 35 years of age, husband a labourer about the same age, 4 Children, Boy 16. Boy 14. Boy 9 and girl 6. all of them in good health. The Visitor cannot recommend the Case.

843. Hannah Stinson, No. 4 Dale St. Irish R.C. Married, husband in Penitentiary for 2 years as one of the Brooks' gang, she 40 years of age, 3 Boys 8. 6. 3 years of age, lives by charing, her rooms are dirty. Visitor has no doubt she requires some assistance, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

844. Marcella Kennedy 80 Centre St. Irish R.C. Widow, 40 years of age, twin daughters 11 years of age, can get but little Work, or she would do for herself, The Visitor recomd. a little relief. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

845. Elizabeth Truss 29 Christopher St. Cold. [Coloured] Methodist, Widow 76 years of age, daughter 31 Grand daughter 5 years of age, Visitor recommends them as very deserving of relief, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

846. Margt. Walsh. 201 Elizabeth St. Irish ChofEngl. Widow 47 years of age, 3 children girl 13. boy 11 and girl 5 years of age, this is a very industrious respectable Woman the Visitor strongly recommends her for 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

847. Rebecca Amos in rear of 171 Centre St. Cold. [Coloured] M. [Methodist] Church. Widow 71 years of age a daughter about 30 years of age a Widow with 6 Children, girl 12 Boy 10. girl 8. girl 7. girl 6 and girl 5 years of age, has been 5 years in Toronto, they appear industrious and clean, they were allowed 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week last Winter, to have the same this Winter.

848. Mary Ann Jones, not to be found next to 63 Elm St. and no person of that name known there.

849. Margaret Daly 121 Bishop St. 36 years of age, Widow, Irish R.C. 3 Children Boy 13. Boy 11 and girl 10 years of age. She washed for Mr. Pennefather and other Members of the government, her little Boy was employ'd by Mrs. Pennefather, but since they have left the Boy is out of Employment as well as his Mother. The Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends them as deserving of relief. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

850. Elizabeth Thompson, 31. Widow, Canadian, ChofEngl., 3 Children, Boy 11 Boy 9 and girl 6. she is from Dundas, apparently to Winter in Toronto. recomd. to go back to Dundas.

851. Patrick Flanagan, 60 years of age Single, Irish. R.C. recommended by the Mayor for admission, No room. to have out door relief, 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.



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852. Clara Harper, Widow, Colored, 45 years of age, Three girls and one Boy, the oldest girl is 20. a smart young woman with a good Character from Mrs. Derbyshire, but since the government left, she can get no Work, on that account the family are in Want, the second girl 19. is not well, the third is from home, the boy is 9 years of age, The Mother herself is suffering from Rheumatism, Mr. Tyner recomd. 8 [pounds] of Bread, the Committee allow 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, as the Children are all grown up.

853. Mary Butler, 394 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. deserted by her husband, 4 Children Boy 10. girl 8. 6. 2 years of age she appears a person worthy of attention. Mr. Tyner recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and Wood when given out. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

854. Mary Derragh. 36 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. her husband is not with her, has two children and her old Mother, Visitor recommends her for 6 [pounds] of Bread and Wood when given out. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

855. Sarah Shields 22 Adelaide St. ~~Colored~~, ^husband Colored^, recommended by the Mayor, her husband has been recently sent to the Penitentiary, 3 Children Boy 6 Boy 4 and girl 3 years of age. She is 36 years of age. English ChofEngl. a smart Woman but not able to support her Children without some help, Mr. Tyner recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when given out, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

856. Mary Green brought a Note from the Revd. Dr. Lett for relief, but has not been visited, She is a young strong woman, and has only one child, The Committee is of opinion that she is able to suport herself, to have a loaf for to day.

857. William Eldon (see his Case 809) is to be readmitted in the to the House, on Condition that he remain in doors for a Month, without having leave to go in the Street, and at the end of that time Supt. to report on his Conduct. See Case 809.

858. George Fraser, examined by Dr. Small, whose statement is as follows, I have examined the aforesaid aged 49. He says he has been under treatment at the general Hospital for the last ten Months while suffering from "Dumb Ague" and that he has not improved in health. From what I have seen, I believe him to be quite Convalescent. See Dr. Small's statement filed.

859. Dennis Shae, Marrd. [married] in rear of No. 12 Duches [Duchess] St. Irish, lost one of his legs, the Wife confined of twins about 3 months ago, the only Children they have. The Visitor recommends them as deserving of relief, (See report St. Davids Ward No. 4.)

860. Margaret Bennett, Marrd. [married] in a yard on Nelson St. Visitor recommends temporary relief (See report St. Davids Ward No. 4.) to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week for one Month.



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861. Antony Corrigan, Irish. R.C. 80 years of age, very infirm, almost blind these 10 years, See Case 210 of 1859. Capt. Elmsley visited and recomd. Bread at present, and Wood when issued. See report from St. James' Ward. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

862. Bridget Ainwright, 25 years of age, husband in Hospital in New York, received a letter from him 3 Weeks ago, very ill indeed, 2 children Boy 3. and Boy 5 Months old, Sister in Barrie as poor as herself, Irish. R.C. Clean and tidy, recommended by Visitor for Bread and Wood. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

863. Mary Ann Boughton, 20 Stanley St. Widow, 44 years of age, and Daughter 22 at Service a Boy 16 apprenticed to Jaques and Hayes, She is a Needle Woman but gets nothing to do. Ann Nichols a nother Pensioner lives with her who receives 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. M.A. Boughton to receive the same amount Weekly. See report St. James Ward.

864. Jane Tynan and Ann Tynan, No such people at or near 77 Stanley St.

864 1/2. Mary Murphy foot of Scott St.in the Store House on the Wharf, 26. Widow, Irish R.C. one Child Boy 4 years old, Mrs. Fitzpatrick allows her to live in the same rooms with her, had relief last year. allowed 4 [pounds] bread per week

865. Ellen Sloan, old Wellington Hotel, 45 years of age, Mrd. [married] Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children Boy 15 partly makes the living but seck [sick] at present, Girl 8 and Boy 6. husband has been away 10 weeks to seek Work, received a letter from him shortly after he left, from Cincinaty and [dollars] 6. saw the letter, he there states that he has taken passage for New Orleans has not heard from him since. She appears to be a decent sober Woman, and in distress.

866. Ellen Blakely, in a Apple Shanty, belonging to Mrs. McCarney, opposite Jaques and Hayes factory. She says she is a Widow 32 years of age, Irish. R.C. 2 Children Girl 7. and a girl 12 Months old, She says she would like to earn her living but cant get Work, her Case was referred to the House by the Mayor.

867. Sophia Anscombe, 73 years of age, died last night Decbr. 11th of softening of the Brain, See her Case 593 in 1859. She has a Son in Town, sent Notice to him of his Mothers dead.

Tuesday 13th Decbr. 1859.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson, The Revd. Mr. Boddy and the Revd. Dr. Lett.

868. Sarah Williams, Irish ChofEngl. a Widow, has been an Inmate of this Institution, rather queer in her head, strongly recommended by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy for readmission, She is to come before the Doctor at 3 OClock this afternoon,

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869. Catharine Murray, 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married. 50 years of age, 2 children, boy 10. girl 8 years of age, She states that her husband broke the bone of his wrist last year which unfits him for Work. Visitor told her, that he must be reported on by Dr. Small

870. Catharine Laurie, rear of 15 Elizabeth St, Irish, R.C. Married. 22 years of age, her husband left for the States in May last, they have been in Toronto six years, She works a little and begs for the balance, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread.

871. Sheppard Rosanna, 88 Sayer St. Irish, R.C. 30 years of age, Widow, 3 children boy 7. girl 5 and Boy 3 years of age. She is 3 years in Toronto, She appears industrious, and is in Want of Bread, Committee allow 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

872. Ann McGarry, 48 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 38 years of age, She has one Child a girl 3 years old, has been 6 years in Toronto, Visitor thinks she ought to go to Service.

873. Sarah Tomley, No. 10 Albert St. Irish R.C. Widow 38 years of age, 4 children girl 10, girl 6. Boy 4 and Boy 2 years of age, She is near her Confinement, The Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread.

874. Timothy Harrington, has been an Inmate, applies again for admission, no room at present to call again, and to be admitted the first vacancy.

875. Eliza Spears, lives at 62 Dummer St. the husband is to come and see the House Doctor. The Doctors opinion is, that Spears is able to Work, and saw Wood, unless the weather is very severe.

876. Mary Ann Jones, applied again for relief, she brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending her for relief, but as it is against the rules laid down in the By law, to assist parties belonging to other Municipalitys, The Committee declined relieving her, (She has had Temporary relief)

877. Ellen Blakely, referred to the House by Mayor, She is a person well known, and has been offered to be relieved from her Children by the Sisters, and for her to go to Service, but She prefers drinking, and a life of begging. Not to be relieved.

878. Eliza Cunningham, seeks admission referred to the Doctor.

879. George Fraser, applied again for relief, See Case 858. the Doctors report. relief refused.

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880. Mary Jane Field, No. 2 McMahon St. represented herself to be a Widow, having 4 small children to support, not her own, but the children of a Sister who was dead, and stated that she and the children were entirely dependent upon the little she could earn, by washing and scrubbing. On further enquiries by the Visitor, it was found that she had Married more than a year ago, a Man considerable younger than herself ^that she had no Children living with her and that she had a Son^, a Carpenter by trade who had Employment all the Summer up to lately, see Visitors report St. Davids Ward (No. 5) Committee will not allow any relief in this Case.

881. Julia Moore, Corner of Parliament and Queen St. cannot be found.

882. Jane Chambers, No. 20 Duches [Duchess] St. there is no Number 20 on Duches St. the Houses between No. 18 and 21 having been burnt and never rebuilt, the neighbours did not know any one of the Name of Chambers.

883. Margaret Mead 101 Beech St. the Visitor would recommend her Case to the Committee for relief, the Husband has been ill for several Months, and is still unfit for Work, they have one Child, and the Woman expects to be confined again almost imediately. (See report St. Davids Ward No. 5.) To have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

884. Sarah Harighy 181 Queen St. Widow, Irish, R.C. 40 years of age 4 Children, cant obtain constant employment, recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. to have 6 [pounds].

885. John Henderson aged 79. lives at No. 35 Richmond St. Colered. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when given out.

886. Mary ONiel, 32 years of age, Irish. R.C. deserted by her husband, decent Woman, Visitor recommends her for Bread and Wood (See Capt. Elmsley's report Book.) to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. W. [week]

887. Margaret McLean 55 years of age, Widow, Irish, R.C. has a Boy 13. sells Newspapers. She lost one Eye, and the sight of the other is very Weak, dirty and slovenly, looks dissipated, nevertheless on account of Blindness the Visitor recommends a little Bread. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

888. John Ward. 71 Widower, Shoemaker very feeble, works at his trade a little but cannot do much, bears a very good Character by them that know him. Visitor, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread and Wood. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

889. Ann Wilson. No such Number as 23 ^50^ Bond St. all vacant Lots around there, has been found See Capt. Elmsley's report. recommends Wood and Bread.

890. Catharine Murphy. No such person known at 24 Adelaide St. found. see Capt. Elmsley's report, recommended for Wood and Bread.

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1. The Infant referred to on page 1 & [Case] No. 1 was given to Mrs. Stewart of Dommar [Dummer] St. to nurse at twenty shillings per Mo. with two changes of clothing Jan 14th 1855
2. Child in [Case] No. 90 and on P. [page] 70 admitted to the ^House^ and given to Mrs. {Ryan} to nurse at five dollars pr. Mo. {Bakley} St. Mrs. ~~Mathews~~ Tonnars May 22nd 1856.
3. The foundling on Page 94 and [Case] No. 219 was given to Mrs. Dunbar of Elizabeth St. at four Dollars per month Mrs. Mair thinks she will take the child when about a year old. Oct 12. 1856.
4. Mary OBreins [OBrien] child on page 98 [Case 237] given to Mrs. Stewart of Elizth. St. to nurse at four Dollars pr. Mo. and Mrs. Smith to pay one half, but she never did. Oct. 24, 1856.
5. Foundling on Page 106 & [Case] No. 282 given to Mrs. Flora Stewart King St. at four dollars per month for nursing. Decm. 30. 1856
6. The child on Page 112 [Case 30] given to Mrs. Tannar to nurse who is living on Berkley St. to get four Dollars pr. Mo. Feby 28. 1857.
7. Child on page 127 & [Case] No. 120 given to Mary Tannar also. June 30th 1857.
8. Child on page 139 sent to the House by P.M. [Police Magistrate] [Case] No. 192 gave to Mrs. Boll to nurse at three Dollars pr. Mo.
9. The Child on page 142 & [Case] No. 207 was given

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given to Mrs. Elezabeth Gray Edward St. at five Dollars per month. name Sarah Douggan. Oct 13. 1857.

10. The Child brought to the Institution by Mrs. Scanlon See Page 152 [Case 274]. was retained in the House. Decm. 11. 1858.
11. The child abandoned by its mother recorded on Page 153 & [Case] No. 289 was given to Mrs. Eleza Rowland at five Dollars per Mo. Dec. 11. 1858
12. The Child sent to the House of Industry noted on page 164 & [Case] No. 25 was given to Mrs. Orr on Victoria St. to wet nurse at five Dollars per mo. Mar. 27. 1858
13. The second child on page 164 & [Case] No. 26 given to Mrs. Mary Hatton on Centre ^St.^ to wet nurse at five Dollars per Mo. child named William Street. Baptized April 14/58. Mar 27. 1858. died see [Case] No. 192. (1858.)

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14. The Child on page 195 & [Case] No. 270. given to Mrs. Hault Stanley St. [at] 4 Dollars p. M. [month] Augst. 7/58. died Augst 14/58 [Case 279].

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Friday 16th Decr. 1859.

Present Messrs. J. Hobson and J. Tyner.

891. Ann Smith. ^No.^ 71 McGill St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 40 years of age, 3 girls 7. 4. 2 years of age, they all appear clean, the Visitor was informed by the neighbours that she is a deserving person, he therefore recommends Bread and Wood when given out.

892. Margaret Finley. No. 70 Louisa St. Irish. ChofEngl. 50 years of age, charwoman her husband is afflicted with a bad leg, and states he has had the ague for the last year and not able to work, if so they may require a little Wood, but the Doctor had better report. Mr. Hobson visited.

893. Mary Constantine, No. 81 Agnes St. Irish. R.C. Married 37 years of age, 2 boys 2 & 1. years of age, Her husband states, he has past [passed] large quantitys of Blood for a long time past, he is a Tailor by trade but appears a poor cripple, the Visitor would recommend them for Wood after New year.

894. Bridget Franklin No. 173 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow, she does not know her age but appears about Eighty, She states she has no means of living, but has been supported by a poor family, but are not able to do any more for her for want of work, she requires Bread at once, and Wood after New year.

895. Sophia Dow, No. 27 Elizabeth St. in the Cellar. Widow 38 years of age, English ChofEngl. 3 Boys 14. 15 and 16 years of age, they are working for their food and clothing, and one Daughter who is at home with a very bad sore head, and at the same time she is not very bright. Mr. Hobson recommends her as requiring relief.

896. Eiza [Eliza] Fern, No. 70 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 28 years of age 2 children girl 6 and Boy 2 years of age, she appears a industrious Woman, Visitor would recommend one loaf of Bread p. Week, and some Wood after New year.

897. Ann Waters. No. 198. Centre St. Colored. M. [Methodist] Church. Married 41 years of age, 2 Children girl 8 and girl 2 years of age, the husband left her and is living with a Woman at the east end. Visitor believes her to be an industrious Woman, he would recommend Wood after New year.

898. Elizabeth Kerr, No. 18 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 30 years of age, 4 Children boy 8 and 3. girls 6. 4 and 2 years of age, Visitor was informed by the owner of the House that she was a very industrious Women, he would recommend Bread, and Wood after Christmas.

899. Joseph Henstridge, rear of 17 Edward St. English. ChofEngl. 27 years of age, Bookbinder by trade, Married 3 children, boy 5 boy 3 girl 2 years of age, she ^the Wife^, is near her Confinement, it appears a distressing Case to the Visitor, and he would recommend the man to Cut Wood for relief,

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900. Elizabeth Death, is not known at No. 104 Centre St.

901. Ellen Griffin No. 104 1/2 Richmond St. West. 50. Married. English. ChofEngl. She is a very respectable person, was burnt out at the late Fire on Shepard St. where they nearly lost all they were possessed of. The Visitor recommends Bread and Wood, to have 1/2 Cord Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week

902. Catharine Lavan, No. 38. Boulton St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 45 years of age, one daughter 18 years of age. The Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee to decide.

903. Rose Kelly, No. 52 Boulton St. has moved out of St. Andrews Ward.

904. Julia Linch, No. 62 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 43 years of age, only one child a daughter 15 at Service, the Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

905. Sarah Johnston, in a lane rear of Mr. Lewis, Adelaide St. ChofEngl. 32 years of age husband 37. 4 Children, aged 8, 6, 3, and 1 years, they are living in filth and dirt and the Visitor only recommends on behalf of the Children, To have no relief at present.

906. Margaret OKeefe, No. 136. Richmond St. Visitor will not recommend her unless he can find out something more about her. Mr. Tyner has since recommended her for Wood and Bread, Widow, 30. Irish. R.C. 2 children 5 & 3.

907. Johanna Quigly, No. 29 Adelaide St. she has only one child 3 years of age, the husband is away, the Visitor thinks that she is able to support herself.

908. Catharine Moore No. 141 1/2 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. She is a Widow 60 years of age, with one daughter 17, the girls sight is not very good, the Visitor thinks it would be as well to let them have a little Wood, but no more than one half Cord for the season. To have wood after December.

909. Margaret Keagan, rear of 52 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. She is a Widow 45 years of age, one Boy 9 years of age, the Visitor will not recommend more than a half Cord of Wood for the season.

910. Mary Ann Horigan, in the lane opposite Ritchey's Terrace on Adelaide St. Irish.R.C. Married. 3 Children, 8, 6 and 4 years of age, husband a plasterer, away from home seeking Work. Showed a letter to Visitor stating that the husband is sick at Cincinnati. She is a respectable Woman, and deserves assistance for a short time, the Visitor recomd. 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and Wood as soon as given out.

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911. Ann Dunn No. 149 Adelaide St. in the yard. Irish. R.C. Widow aged 58. and daughter 16. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee to decide, to have Wood after New year.

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912. Mary French, Corner of York and Boulton St. The Visitor could not find her.

913. Honora Ryan ~~57 Lewis St. west. No such person living there~~ ^No. 33 Boulton Street widow has one daughter 17 years of age^

914. Margaret Harrington, No. 47 Trinity St. 35 years of age Married, Irish, R.C. 2 Children girl 7. girl 2 years of age, the husband is 75 years of age a very feeble old Man, they live one a room with another party. The Man was an Inmate in this Institution last Winter.

915. Bridget O'Hearn, No. 12 Duchess St. lives in the same House with Dennis Shaw, whose Case is reported upon, She has two Children. The Visitor would recommend a little Bread, but if any Wood is given it must be recollected, that there is only one stove for both.

916. Bridget Burns, No. 68 Caroline St. occupies a room in a house belonging to her Sister a Mrs. Malone who is totally well off. Mrs. Burns is a Widow and has two young Children. The Visitor believes her industrious and willing to do what she can for herself, the Visitor recomd. temporary relief in the shape of a little Wood, See report St. Davids Ward.

917. Catharine Ryan. No. 91 Nelson Street, Muttons yard, has two rooms for which she pays [dollars] 2 1/2 per Month, is a Widow has two Children, girls out at Service, the oldest gets 3 1/2 [dollars] p. month the youngest [dollars] 2 1/2 p. Month, she is in want of Wood, she is too old to do much for herself, the Visitor recommends a little Wood, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when given out. See report for St. Davids Ward.

918. Ellen Rowbottom, the Visitor of St. Davids Ward (Hon. G.W. Allan) begs to bring her Case under the Notice of the Weekly Committee, the husband went of [off] to Cincinatty some 3 Months ago, and has not since been heard of, She is utterly destitute and near her Confinement, and sadly in Want of Bread and food, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when given out.

919. Bridget Moore, Blairs yard Nelson St. is past doing for herself, Visitor recommends a little Bread and Wood, See report St. Davids Ward.

920. Margaret Woods, lives in the same House as the above, a poor old Widow, Visitor recomd. a little Wood and Bread. See report St. Davids Ward.

921. Mary Enniss No. 47 Pine St. lives with a Sister in Law off of Pine St. She is a widow with two children six and five years of age respectively. Cannot get any Work and is in great distress for Wood, Her Sister in Law is not very much better off at present, as her husband although living, has been only employed



some time, the Visitor would recommend Mrs. Ellis ^Ennis^ for a little Bread. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when the time comes. See report St. Davids

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922. Ellen Casey, 21 Power St. husband is idiotic and unfit for Work of any kind, she is anxious to get him into the House of Industry, but failing that she may receive relief in Wood and Bread, she has but one Child, but the helplessness of her husband prevents her from doing much. (report St. Davids Ward No. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when given out).

923. Mary Rogers in the same House as above, is a Widow and her sight is so far affected as to render her incapable of doing any sewing or knitting, the Visitor, thinks her a fit object of charity. (report St. Davids Ward) to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

924. Ellen Cassey 322 King St. east, Has one small room and she and her husband an old infirm Man are allowed to use a neighbors Stove, Hon. G.W. Allan would recommend them for a little Wood. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood when given out.

925. Julia Moore. Lives with a Mrs. Thompson in a small House in a garden, belonging to Mrs. Radenhurst. on Parliament St. This Woman is really an object of charity She has suffered very much from Rheumatic fever, which has left her almost a cripple, She could have been half starved if it had not been for {blank}

926. Ellen Thomson who is recommended by Mrs. E. Baldwin for relief, She has 3 children the eldest 11 years of age. She seems a very industrious and respectable Woman and deserving of assistance Hon. G.W. Allan would recommend Wood and Bread. the above two are to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week between them, and Wood when given out.

927. Julia Monk, No. 13 South Park St. her husband and two children, respectable people and in the greatest distress, The Hon. G.W. Allans report St. Lawrence ^Davids^ Ward. They are to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and 1/4 Cord of Wood.

928. Mrs. Galvin, lives in a small house on Berkley St. Irish. R.C., (The Hon. G.W. Allan) would recommend her Case to the Committee for a little Wood, as she is a deserving Case. See report for St. Davids Ward.

929. Mrs. McConkey lives in a small House on Duke St. next to the Police Station, She is a Widow, her husband having lost his life by some accident at Hammiltons Foundry two or three years ago, she does what she can to support herself by selling Cakes and yeast, Hon. Mr. Allan, would recommend her as deserving of assistance.

930. Catharine Wolsey see [Case] 495. 1858 [Charlotte Wolsey]. Capt. Elmsley recommends Bread and Wood.

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931. Ann Ryan 52 years old, Widow 9 years. Boy 14 in Ireland, Boy 11 Vagabonding about the Streets, no friends in Canada says she is very ill, Doctors can tell if this be true, if not able to make her living Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood turn about with Mary Haloran with whom she lives, See report St. Davids Ward.

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932. Bridget Hennessey. 41 years old, Widow Irish R.C. girl 9 and Boy 7. No friend in Canada, works out when she can, slovenly and dirty, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood for once, and he will visit again.

933. Catharine Lahy, 33 years old. Widow, Irish R.C. No friends, Boy 13 in Mirror Office [dollars] 1 1/4 p. Week, looks very pale and sickly, tolerably tidy Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood turn about with the above, with whom she lives.

934. Bridget Halahan 45 years old, Widow. Irish. R.C. Boy 15 in New York, Girl 11 and Boy 9. look quite delicate. Says she has pains in her Bones, dirty and slovenly, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood only.

935. Ann Wilson 40 years old, husband deserted 18 months ago, Irish. R.C. a Boy 12 apprenticed in Belleville and a Boy 6 Months. She carried a fruit Basket in Summer, but is unable to do so now. Capt. Elmsley recommends Bread and Wood turn about with Mrs. McCarty who lives with her.

936. Margaret Dwyer 46 years old. husband clearing off snow, he will show himself to morrow. 2 Sons in the Army in India, Boy 16 gone to the far West. Boy 10. Boy 6. Irish R.C. Delicate in appearance says she cannot work, decent Body. Capt. Elmsley recommends Bread and Wood.

937. Ellen Fletcher 70 years of age, Widow, Son 20 in St. Louis, never heard of or from him. ChofEngl. Tidy old Body. Capt. Elmsley recommends Bread and Wood.

938. Ann Christian 60 years old, Colored, Widow, no children, no friends, Very delicate in health, lost all her teeth by Medicine Mercury. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood only all she asks for.

939. Rose Kelly 43. Widow, Son 24. in Chicago girl 20 in Detroit. Boy 19 in Cincinnati girl 12 would work if she could get it, tolerable tidy. Wood only.

940. Mary Collins, 67, Widow, quite unable to work, a poor helpless old thing, Irish R.C. Capt. Elmsley recommends Bread and Wood.

941. Elizabeth Burns, 55 years old, Widow, delicate health. Daughter 24 also a Widow with a girl 5 years old living with her, daughter works when she can get it, tolerably clean and tidy, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood only.

942. Mary Kelly, 30 years old, husband deserted her two years ago, Irish. R.C. in good health, girl 2. Works when she can get it, a Brother in Collingwood who has a family of his own, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood once, when he will again visit.

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943. Bridget Efferson 50 years old, Widow. Irish R.C. Son 24 Family of his own, Son 23, has a white swelling in his knee, She has sprained her ancle [ankle] terribly by a fall, no friends in upper Canada, tolerable clean, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Bread and Wood.

944. Jane Turner, a little girl about 12 years of age, she was sent to this Institution by the Mayor ^ (Decbr 13th)^ to be apprenticed out, she told the the Mayor that she had walked all the way from Thornhill, her father and mother are dead, the people she has lived with last turned her away and told her to come here, to the Poor House, she has been taken care of at the City Hall. ChofEngl.

Tuesday 20th Decbr. 1859.

Present, The Revd. Mr. T.S. Kennedy, Mr. J. Tyner, Mr. W.J. McDonell and Revd. Dr. Letts.

945. Eliza Richardson. 68 Elizabeth St. Irish, ChofEngl. Widow 30 years of age. 4 Children, girl 9. girl 7. boy 5 and girl 4 years of age, the Visitor thinks her worthy of assistance, the neighbours say that she is a respectable and industrious person.

946. Margaret Hopkins, 106 Sayer St. Widow 49 years of age. Irish, ChofEngl. she is in bad health, 2 Boys at home 11 and 13 years of age, Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood in new year.

947. Sarah Warner. 155 Sayer St. Irish. M. [Methodist] Church. Widow 60 years of age no family. intends shortly to go in the Country. Visitor recomd. Wood ^ (no more)^ has a Girl 19 yrs. age at Service

948. Elizabeth McBride, 47 1/2 Centre St. Irish, M. [Methodist] Church. Widow 40 years of age 2 children girl 9 and boy 5 years of age, and her Mother an old Woman 90 years of age very infirm that she requires a person constantly attending on her, and yet everything is clean and comfortable, Visitor thinks them worthy of relief. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week and Wood.

949. Ann Franklin, No. 12 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow 30 years of age, 2 children boy 5 girl 2 years of age, not at home when the Visitor call'd, but he was informed that she lived by begging a little and working a little. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p. W. [week]

950. Mary Jane Scott, 97 Sayer St. Colored, Married 30 years of age, 3 children boy 10. girl 5 and girl 2 years of age, husband gone to New York, they live in the same room with some more Colored people.

951. Barbara Leany, gone on trial with Adam Fierheller, Farmer of Markham.

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952. Ann Maria Jackson, No. 88 Edward St. Colored Methodist 10 Children 8 in Toronto and two in Slavery, She has 4 at home, 2 boys 3 and 5. and two girls 9 and 11 years of age, four in Service 2 girls 13 and 18. and 2 boys 14 and 16 years of age the Visitor thinks her very industrious but she will require some relief.

953. Margaret Wilson, 122 Elizabeth St. Scotch. Methodist. Widow 45 years of age, 3 children, boy 13. girl 6. girl 3 years of age. the youngest not able to speak, The Visitor was informed by the neighbours that she is an industrious Woman, and deserving of relief.

954. Margaret Sullivan, in a Apple Shanty between Revere House and York St. an Front St. a Widow has 4 children, the eldest a Boy 12 years old, the two next girls and the youngest a boy, she says that she never applied before for relief, appears a decent hard working Woman, She Wants Wood, Revd. Mr. Kennedy has visited and recommends her.

955. Johanna Kehoe 42 Adelaide St. No such Number on that Street.

956. Mary Jane Ryan 51 Boulton St. Widow 20 years of age, one child 11 months Colored. lives with her Mother and Stepfather, Mr. Tyner leaves the Case with the Committee, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

957. Anne Heron ^Anne O'Hern^, 132 Richmond St. Widow, Irish. R.C. 32 years of age, 2 girls one 10 the other 12 years of age. pays no rent. Mr. Tyner recomd. a little Wood.

958. Alice Flanagan 369 Adelaide St. West. Widow 35 years of age, Irish. R.C. 2 children girl 11 and girl 4 years of age. clean and tidy, Mr. Tyner recomds. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and two quarter Cords of Wood for the season.

959. Anne Kirk 273 Queen St. West. Widow 55 years of age, Irish, R.C. and daughter at Service, Mr. Tyner recomd. a little Wood.

960. Mary French 52 Boulton St. the place is shut up.

961. Mary Cotter 120 1/2 Adelaide St. West in the rear. husband away, she was to bring Visitor a certificate from Mrs. McMaster but has failed doing so.

962. Mary Jones 283 Queen St. West. Married 34 years of age. husband away. 3 Children boy 8 boy 5 and boy 3 years of age. Visitor would like to know more about her before he recommends.

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963. Margaret Brien, 37 Duchess St. Widow, no Children, occupies part of a room with a family named Mackay for which she pays 1 [dollars] p. Month, makes a living in Summer by going round with a Basket and selling small articles, she is Suffering from bad Eyes, and during the cold Weather is not able to go

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about with her Basket. she applied for Wood and Bread, Hon. Mr. Allan thinks her deserving of assistance.

964. Jane Chambers, 57 Duches [Duchess] St. a Widow with two Children is living in the House of one Burns, in a back yard of Duches [Duchess] St. she has the use of their Stove for cooking, and occupies a small bunk in one Corner of the room at night This is a dirty wretched place, and they seem an unthrifty set. she pays Burns and his Wife 5 d. [pence] a night for her lodging and the use of the Stove. She is in want of a little Bread and Wood, Hon. Mr. Allan visited.

965. Margaret Dunnacker rear of 45 Duchess St. a Widow ^infant^ 7 months old, she shares a room with a family of the name of Ryan, She appears to be a very respectable young Woman, she is willing to do what she can to support herself, but is tied down by the infant, she is in need of Wood and Bread, See report St. Davids Ward

966. Mary Coulter, 53 Duchess St. She and her husband are both old people. no children. and say they have no friends or relations to assist them, the husband goes out with fish for sale but has been ailing for some time, Hon. Mr. Allan thinks they are much in need of assistance for the Winter.

967. Mary Brien, 83 Nelson St. a Widow with two children, Boys 13 and 10 years old going to School at R.C. Bishops Palace, the Woman seems a stout active person but has been out of Work lately, and will find it difficult to get any Work during the Winter, she seems to feel inclined to help herself. Hon. Mr. Allen would recommend her for assistance during the cold weather.

968. Mary Wimens 61 Pine St. and Mary Ann Sullivan 34 Pine St. have both given wrong directions, See report for St. Davids Ward.

969. Dolly Cannon 66 years old, Widow, 8 children all dead, no friends in America would work if she could get it. clean and tidy, Irish R.C. Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood and Bread, on account of old age.

970. Ann Tooner 40 years old, Widow. 2 children, both dead, no friends would work if she could get it. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood only.

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970. Catharine Hughes, 38 years old, Widow Ch of Engl. girl 14 at Service for board and clothing in the Country, no friends, Broke her back by falling into a Cellar carelessly left open, bone sticking out perceptible, bent double, Clean and respectable, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

971. Elizabeth Buggy. 53 years old, husband in bad health she say's. He will show himself on Friday. 4 Children, Boy 9. Boy 7. Girl 5. Boy 2. Irish R.C. remarkably clean and decent. Committee to judge on view of husband.

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972. Ann Richwood 40. husband she says broke his foot, and cannot do much, he will show himself to morrow, Irish. R.C. No friends, 4 children, girl 11. girl 9, boy 5 and boy 2. Filthy in the extreme in every particular, apartments person and children, drinks hard. if not Capt. Elmsley thinks he is much mistaken, Committee will judge on view of the husband ^{Dec 27th: Comtee. gave wood to Cath. Turner. who lives with her & do not think Richwood deserving)^

973. Catharine Turner, 22 years of age husband deserted her 8 Months ago, girl 6 Months old, Sister Spinster, Sickly and out of place living with her, Irish R.C. Slovenly dirty. Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood turn about with Ann Richwood with whom she lives. had one quarter Cord of Wood, would like to have Bread for the remainder instead. 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week.

974. Ann Walsh. 46 years old, Irish. ~~Ch of Engl.~~ husband to ^{ChofEngl}^ show himself to morrow. his better half gives him a dreadful Character, sold all his Shoemakers tools to get drink, Fighting and swearing his customary recreation, her Children go to the Church of England, She belongs to any Church you please. 2 children, girl 14 at Dressmakers no wages, girl 12. Tidy and Clean, The Committee will judge on view of husband.

975. Bridget Halloran, no such person at 106 Nelson St.

976. Mary Toomey 55 years old, Widow, Irish. R.C. Children grown up, Poor lonely sickly creature, quite unable to work, dirty slovenly, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

977. Mary Healy, 40 years of age. Irish. R.C. husband is home she says, and cannot do much, he is to show himself on Friday, 5 Children, Girl 13. Twin Boys 9. Girl 4 and girl 18 months old, She is very delicate herself, no friends, tolerable clean Committee will please judge on view of the husband.

978. Mary Brennan, no such person at 66 Stanley St. ^has been found since Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood only^

979. Ann Cairns, no such person at 66 Stanley St.

980. Patrick Lindsey, no such Number as 45 Stanley St.

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981. Mary Carroll, 30 years of age, husband deserted her 4 years ago, girl 4 and girl 3. No friends in Canada, would work if she could get it. Tolerably Clean, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood only.

982. Mary Bray. 25 years of age. husband deserted her 12 month ago, one Child girl 2 yrs. would work if she could get it, Clean and Tidy, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood only.

983. Hugh Smith, 40 years of age. Irish. R.C. To show himself on Friday, sickly Wife knits a little, 2 Children, Boy 15 at [dollars] 4 p. Month pays the rent, girl 10 at 1 [dollar]. Capt. Elmsley leaves the Committee to judge on View of the husband.

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984. Bridget Horan, 44 years of age, Widow, girl 19 nearly blind, Seton on each temple [*Seton: a thread, piece of tape, or the like, drawn through a fold of skin so as to maintain an issue or opening for discharges, or drawn through a sinus or cavity to keep this from healing up*, Oxford English Dictionary], Boy 16 Shoveling snow, girl 14 at Service at 3 [dollars] p. Month, tolerably Clean and Tidy Capt. Elmsley recomds. Wood only.

985. Catharine Quinn 45 years old, Widow. Irish. R.C. Girl 19 at Service at [dollars] 4 1/2 p. Month, pays her rent, Boy 13 sells Newspapers, She was a Monthly nurse, but from ill health has been obliged to discontinue that occupation, looks very delicate, Capt. Elmsley recomds Wood only.

986. Catharine Mooney, No such person in Mathews Lane.

987. Joanna Ryan 40 years old, Irish. R.C. Girl 14. Boy 3. No friends. very clean and decent, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood only.

989. Henry Randolph, in a Shanty next to the Black Horse on Front St. east. 40 years of age, Colored, ChofEngl., Wife white Woman 55 years of age. 3 Children, girl 12. girl 10 and Boy 6 years of age. he is a barber, but has been in Hospital all the Summer, but turned out incurable disease of the heart. The Wife tries to make a living by selling a few Apples and Cakes in front of the place they live in, cannot make much by it.

990. Catharine Richardson, rear of 33 Louisa St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 36 years of age girl 11 at home, she appears a clean respectable person Mr. Hobson has visited,

991. Mary Henley 44 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 34 years of age, a Boy 9 years of age with his back spine very much injured, that it is not likely he ever will be fit to do laborious Work, she is living with a married Couple in a dirty House they say that she lives rent free. Mr. Hobson visited. ^to have no relief on account of {owner} sharing her Wood Mary Morrow^

992. Mary McCarty, 281 Park lane, no such number, highest number being No. 231.

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Friday 24th Decbr 1859.

Present The Revd. Mr. Kennedy, Mr. W.J. MacDonell, Mr. Tyner and Revd. Dr. Lett & Mr. E. Hobson

993. Ellen James 197 Centre St. Irish ChofEngl., Widow 7 Children, daughter 20 Mard. [married] husband left her, she was confined at her mothers about 3 Weeks ago, not able to any thing, Mr. Hobson recomd. Bread and Wood.

994. Ellen Ryan 237 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married, husband a Carpenter, but being an old man not able to do much Work. she applies for Wood on account of 3 grandchildren she has to support Boy 6 girl 4 Boy 2 ~~years~~ ^months^ of age, the Mother of the Children is in Service at [dollars] 4 p. Month out of which she is not able to pay much to the support of her Children, Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood

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995. Jane Henderson, 21 Sayer St. Irish Ch of Engl., Widow about 40 years of age, one daughter 14 at home, says the reason she is not in Service is that she is in bad health, but the Visitor thinks to go by appearance she seems in perfect health.

996. Martha Davney. 90 Edward St. Colored Baptist Widow 54 years of age, no family she is a clean industrious Woman, and Mr. Hobson thinks that she ought to have Wood after New year.

997. Bridget McMahon, 66 Emma St, Irish. R.C. Widow 35 years of age, girl 14 years of age, the Character Mr. Hobson found of her after enquiry is bad and he cannot recommend her Case.

998. Walter Power, rear of 51 Boulton St. 48 years of age Wife 46. Irish. R.C. no children he has a sore leg, Mr. Tyner recomd. 1/4 quarter Cord of Wood.

999. Mary King about 4 years of age, was sent to this House (Decbr. 24) by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, her Mother having been sent to jail.

1000. Margaret Gormley 136 Richmond St. ChofEngl. Irish. Widow 4 children, girl 12 Boy 10. Boy 8 and Boy 6. she is very badly in need of assistance, and Mr. Tyner recommends her for relief.

1001. Elizabeth O'Hearn 25 Brant St. Widow 73 years of age, Irish. R.C. she lives with another Widow by the name of Summers in the same House and using the same Stove, they want a little Wood Mr. Tyner Visited. They have not been long in Toronto.

1002. Jane Lancaster 369 Adelaide St, Widow. ChofEngl. Irish. 30, 2 children at home, girl 13 and girl 18 months, besides a child she nurses for which she gets paid Mr. Tyner recommends Bread and Wood for the season.

1003. Eliza Johnston 73 Richmond St. and Margaret Brewer 73 Richmond St. No such people at 73.

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1004. Jane Carren, 336 Adelaide St. West. Widow 60. Irish ChofEngl. has been visited by Mr. Tyner, She is in want of Wood and Bread.

1005. Jemima Carr 144 York St. Widow 40. Irish ChofEngl. 2 children out in Service and Boy 7 at home. Julia Fraser lives in the same room she is 27 years of age Irish ChofEngl. husband 35 they have one child 11 months. They live in filth and poverty, The Visitor thinks they ought to make their own living, the Committee allowed one quarter of Wood at present.

1006. Ellen Dowd, Marrd. [married] her husband in Hospital far gone in Consumption, Irish R.C. 29 years of age. 4 Children boy 9. boy 6. girl 3. baby 16 months, she lives in a House opposite of Ritchey's Terrace on Adelaide St. Mr. Tyner Visited and found them in extreme Want.

1007. Margaret OKeefe 136 Richmond St. husband deserted her, she is 30 years of age Irish R.C. two children, boy 5 and girl 3 years of age. Mr. Tyner recommends her for Bread and Wood.

1008. Mary Wardrobe 29 Adelaide St. Married, both she and her husband in the prime of life English. ChofEngl. 2 Children, Mr. Tyner thinks they ought to provide for themselves.

1009. Mary Eagan, is recommended by Mr. Stewart U.C. [Upper Canada] College Mr. Tyner is the Visitor and recommended her Case.

1010. Bridget Sullivan, Irish. R.C. Wife of a Soldier, married without leave, so left behind, no means of subsistence, Mrs. Mack kindly lets her have a room and lends her bed Cloths, The Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends an allowance of Wood and bread, which would enable her to pay Mrs. Mack for the use of her room and Stove

1011. Margaret McMinamee, Irish R.C. two Children, a boy 8 years with his Mother and the youngest in the House of Industry where he was sent by Mr. Gurnett P.M. [Police Magistrate] She is in need of Bread and Wood.

1012. Mary Mack Married, Irish R.C. 38 years of age. one child a Boy seven years old. They are both sickly, and in Want of Wood Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends them to have Wood with the above two Cases alternately.

1013. Ellen Nolan, one of the poor house foundlings, in a lane back of Bay St. recommended for Wood, by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy.

1014. James Fitzgerald. No. 94 Pine St. This family consists of the Man and his Wife and 3 children of the ages of 11. 9 & 4. The Man has lost one of his hands but is stout and active otherwise, can saw Wood and do light Work of that Kind, The Wife earns a little occasionally by scrubbing, They seem steady respectable people, and The Hon. Mr. Allan thinks if assisted now with bread and Wood. may be able to get an on, without it if he gets employment.

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1015. Mrs. Wood, No. 75 Sumach St. There must be some mistake in this Case. There is a Mrs. Wood living with her husband at No. 75 but when the Visitor appeared at the door, he found them in a very comfortable room, discussing a very excellent tea! and they quite disclaimed the idea of having applied to the poor house for relief, Hon. Mr. Allan visited.

1016. Sarah Hardiman and Richard Borrell, 44 St. James St. Both occupying rooms in the same House. Mrs. Hardiman is a Widow and a very old Woman. She says she has no friends or relations here. and she is certainly not capable of doing much for herself. Borrell is nearly blind and very infirm, The Hon. Mr. Allan thinks both of them fit objects of Charity.

1017. Margaret Kane. 44 St. James St. This old Woman lives with her Son in law, Joseph Christmas, who has himself a Wife and family of five children to support. Christmas seems a respectable man, but he gets Work occasionally just now and finds it no easy matter to support his family, Hon. Mr. Allan thinks a little Wood could be well bestowed.

1018. Mary Courtney or Courney. Blairs yard Nelson St. This Womans husband has gone to St. Lewis [St. Louis], and does not seem inclined to come back, she has two young children, and is certainly in great distress for both Wood and Bread, See report St. Davids Ward.

1019. Mary Hephron 82. George St. This Womans husband went off to St. Lewis [St. Louis] too! about four months ago, she is left to support her four children the youngest only seven weeks old, she seems a very decent little Woman and quite deserving of assistance Hon. Mr. Allan recommends Bread and Wood. See report St. Davids Ward.

1020. William Montgomery. rear of 41 Duchess St. The family consists of the Man and his Wife and five children, the husband has been out of Work for some time. they appear very respectable people, The Hon. Mr. Allan, recommends temporary relief, Wood and Bread for a few Weeks. See report St. Davids Ward.

1021. Sarah Clements 146 Duke St. a very respectable old Woman, living with her grand-daughter a young Woman of one & twenty who goes out as seamstress and so helps to support her grandmother, but cannot earn enough to pay for rent food and firing and so they ask for a little Wood. a deserving Case, See report St. Davids Ward.

1022. Thomas Parker 110 Beech St. This Man who has lost the fingers of both his hands. is quite deserving of assistance, he is trying to support himself and his little boy selling a few articles, tape, pens [etc.] Hon. Mr. Allan recomd. a little Wood See report St. Davids Ward.

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1023. Julia Mathers and Mary Steward, the Visitor has not seen them but will report by next Tuesday.

1024. Bridget Shehan, in the yard in rear of No. 41 Duchess St. She and her husband and 3 children of the years of 7. 8. 2. Shehan has been out of Work for some time, Hon. Mr. Allan thinks Shehan may cut Wood for temporary relief, which would be well bestowed, In the same room and next to these people, live a family their Name is [see Case 1025]

1025. Margaret Ryan. Husband and Wife and three children, (Margaret Dunnacker reported before lives with them) Ryan like so many now, has been out of Work for many Weeks, The Visitor recommends temporary relief, Ryan to cut Wood for it The Ryans and Dunnacker cook at one Stove. See report St. Davids Ward. ^Visitor found since each party has a Stove of their own.^

1026. Richard Lockhart, Bethunes Lane, a very decent respectable Man, He and his Wife occupy a small Cottage in the lane, She is infirm and cant do much Work, Lockhart is able and willing to Work when he can get it, has done nothing for some time past, Visitor recommends Temporary relief only, the same as the two above Cases referred to may get employment by and bye, Hon. Mr. Allan would like to be referred to again in Case of its being continued.

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Present, The Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin, Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Thom, J. Tyner.

1027. Catharine Martin, Irish. R.C. 40 years old, husband to show himself, girl 17 out of place where she had been for 2 1/2 years but left to rest herself for a spell. Boy 16 earned 1/2 [dollars] a day at the George Street drain, all the Summer, girl 7. and girl 5. Wretched hovel filthy in the extreme, Capt. Elmsley leaves the Committee to judge on seeing husband.

1028. Ann Carr, Case 721 of 1858. Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

1029. Honora Fitzgerald, 55 years old Widow. Irish. R.C. Daughter 14 at Service [dollars] 3 a Month. the rest of her Children away, much distressed in her lungs, having as she aleges over worked herself to rear a large family. Clean and tidy. Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood and Bread

1030. Ann Spilling, See Case No. 107 of 1859. Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

1031. John Thomas, 74. Gardener, Wife also old, but both are healthy, and very respectable in appearance, Clean, Tidy, in every respect. ~~ChofEngl.~~ ^Congregationalist^. Capt. Elmsley recomd. them for Wood and Bread. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, and Wood.

1032. Margaret Johnson, 68 years old. Widow, ChofEngl. to [too] old and feeble to work much. Capt. Elmsley recommends, Bread. and Wood turn about with Catharine Wilson

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1033. Bridget Halloran, 40 years old, husband out of Work to show himself, Irish. R.C. Boy 7. Lives with Ellen Fletcher, Capt. Elmsley leaves the Committee to judge on view of husband

1034. Francis Hackett, this person brought a letter from the Mayor (to the Visitor) in which he so earnestly recommended him for relief, that Capt. Elmsley has nothing to say upon the subject beyond the statement of the fact that he has a dissipated look and seems to have seen better times.

1035. Margaret OBrien, no such person at 73 Stanley St.

1036. Catharine Nugent. Widow 64 years old, ChofEngl. No. 122 Victoria Street. Clean and Tidy, recommended for Wood only, See Capt. Elmsleys report.

1037. Ann Scanlan, Widow 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. Girl 14 in Hospital, girl 3 at home. No friends in Canada which is not so great an evil as she enjoys most robust health, willing to work if she could get Employment, Clean and Tidy, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood, Turn about with Eliza Jolland, Ann Scanlan tells the Committee she is ChofEngl.

1038. Mary Duffy, 40 Widow, Irish. R.C. Boy 8. Boy 5. Niece 16 living with her who has sore Eyes and so cannot go to service used to receive [dollars] 4 a Month, Clean Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood only.

1039. Margaret Jones, 30 years of age. Irish R.C. 3 children Boy 6 girl 5 Boy 3 years old would work if she could get it, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

1040. Margaret Brennan, Widow 45 years old, a Daughter in Service pays her rent, Works when she can get it, very red face, Clear Eyes, looks somewhat dissipated and having no one but herself to provide for, Capt. Elmsley leaves her Case for the Consideration of the Committee.

1041. Sarah Miller 73. Widow. ChofEngl. a poor lovely old creature, gets [dollars] 1 a Month from the Church, one loaf from this Institution which is sufficient for her use. Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood in addition.

1041. Margaret Doran, Widow 26 years of age, Irish. R.C. one Boy 12 months old Clean and Tidy, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood only for once, when he will call again as it is likely that she may soon be joined again in the bands of Wedlock to a handsome young Chap the Visitor found sitting on a stool.

1043. Sarah Blake Widow 70 years of age, no friends to support her, remarkably respectable old Dame, clean tidy and neat. Capt. Elmsley recommends, Bread and Wood.

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1044. Ann Clarke, Widow Colored 50 years of age, Clean and Tidy, seems in robust health, having no one but herself to provide for, Capt. Elmsley leaves her Case to the Consideration of the Committee.

1045. Johanna Kelly. has an old Man for a husband who is afflicted with blindness, one child a girl four years old. They live in a Apple Shanty opposite Jacques and Hay's Factory with an old Widow Woman, Irish. R.C. Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends them, there is only one Stove.

1046. Rosanna McClesh. rear of A.M. Smiths new Building on Front Street, Scotch Presbt. Widow 47. lives with her Son in law Brotherson who has a small Blacksmith Shop. but his business is rather dull and his Wife sick in Bed. Visitor Mr. MacDonell thinks them worthy of assistance he would recommend 4 [pounds] of Bread and the usual allowance of Wood.

1047. Jane Doran rear of 37 James St. Irish. M. [Methodist] Church. Marrd. [married]& 42 years of age, 4 Children girl 13 boy 9. boy 7. and boy 5 years of age. husband a Carpenter, not able to obtain work has a bad hand, Mr. Hobson would recommend that he should Work for Bread and Wood

1048. Martha Bartlett 59 Elizabeth St. Irish, ChofEngl. Married. 33 years of age 2 Children Boy 9 and boy 3. husband got his leg much injured, by a fall, he had better see the Doctor, if he says he is not able to Work. Mr. Hobson reommends Wood after New Year.

1049. Eliza Wheat 36 Terauly St. a respectable old Woman. not at home when called upon but she is known to Mr. Hobson, he would recommend her for Wood.

1050. Eliza Higgins rear of 7 Albert St. English ChofEngl. Widow 40 years of age. 3 Children girl 12 in Service, girl 10 and boy 8 at home, Mr. Hobson was informed that she is a sober industrious Woman, and he recommends her for Wood next Week.

1051. Nancy Madigan, Elizabeth Corner of Albert St. Irish. R.C. Widow 55 years of age a daughter 15, get their living by sewing, but Work Is very scarce they are clean and comfortable the Mother is in bad health. Mr. Hobson recomd. Wood next Week.

1052. Catharine Willis. 47 Park Ave Colered Married, 22 years of age, M. [Methodist] Church. 4 Children boy 6. girl 5. girl 3 and girl 1 year of age, been 4 Months in Toronto. run from Slavery. husband in Montreal, Mr. Hobson recommends Bread and Wood next Week.

1053. Grace Langley 165 Edward St., the highest number in the Street is 125.

1054. Mary Green 129 Centre St. empty House, she used to live there.

1055. Mary Hopkins 98 Elizabeth St. Colered M. [Methodist] Church. Widow 34 one Boy at home 10 years of age. Clean and industrious, Mr. Hobson recommends Wood next Week.

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1056. Charlotte Sullivan 145 Park Lane empty House.

1057. Matilda Grey rear of 169 Centre St. Irish ChofEngl., Married 37 years of age, Boy 2 years old and an infant. The husband a labourer, Mr. Hobson thinks if he wants assistance he ought to Saw Wood for it.

1058. Sarah Wright 48 Emma St. Colered, M. [Methodist] Church. Marrd. [Married] 30 years of age, 4 Children, girls 10. 12. 13 and a boy 5 years of age, she says that her husband got his feet frostbitten, he must see the Doctor and if not able to work, Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood next Week.

1059. Emma Burke, 44 Edward St. Colered, Baptist, Widow 40 years of age, daughter 23. with 3 children, another daughter 13. her father and mother very old, Mr. Hobson would recommend a little Bread and Wood next Week.

1060. Mary Curley, 132 Richmond St, Widow. 35. Irish. R.C. 4 children, 9. 7. 5 and 3 years of age, Mr. Tyner recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread and an allowance of Wood for the season.



1061. Robert Potts. 148 York St. in the rear. Mrrd. [married] English. ChofEngl. 5 children 11. 8. 4. 2. and 2 months old, the Man is all but blind, they are getting 12 [pounds] of Bread p. Week, Mr. Tyner recommends Wood

1062. Maria Jennings, Widow. Irish. R.C. 2 Children, an old Pensioner, Mr. Tyner recomds. Wood for the season.

1063. Bridget McPhea 136 Richmond St. Irish. R.C. Marrd. [married] 38. husband 35. 4 Children 4 children living with her, one Daughter 20 married girl 17. Boy 15 and boy 12 years of age they want something but deserve nothing, Mr. Tyner leaves the Case for the Committee.

1064. Johanna Wayland 38 Boulton St. Marrd. [married] 20 years of age, her husband perhaps 60. Irish. R.C. one child 4 months old. Mr. Tyner considers them objects of Charity and recommends Bread and Wood for the Winter.

1065. Eliza Johnston 73 Richmond St. This is the second time Mr. Tyner visited No. 73. The house is occupied by a gentleman.

1066. Julia Mathers 52 St. James St. Husband and Wife and Two young Children, living in a small Cottage on James St. The husband has been out of Employment for several Weeks, Visitor recommends Temporary relief. husband to cut Wood.

1061. Mary Steward 44 Duches St. could not be found.

1062. Ellen Brown. 75 Caroline St. she and her husband occupy a garret in No. 75. They are a decent old Couple, and deserving of assistance, the husband is 76 years of age, Visitor recommends them for Bread and Wood, See report St. Davids Ward.

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1063. Catharine Eagan. 82 Caroline St. a Widow Woman with one Son, two and twenty a painter by Trade, who according to her account, has been ill for some Months and is still incapable of doing any Work, Visitors did not see the son, but has no reason to doubt her story, would therefore recommend Wood now, and be referred to again before it is repeated, See report St. Davids Ward.

1064. Catharine Fahy, 30 Duchess St. a Widow with four Children, The eldest a girl 15, is out at Service and is getting [dollars] 3 p. Month, the other Children are at School. Hon. Mr. Allan, recommends her for Bread and Wood during the very cold Weather.

1065. Ann Glynn, 88 George St, a Widow with four Children, all very young, She lost her husband a year ago, who fell from a building on Gerard St. and was killed, Visitor has relieved Mr. Glynn himself, Thinks her deserving and would recommend her for Bread and Wood.



1066. Mary Brothers. Blairs yard, Nelson St. She has been Known to the Visitor for several years, cant say very much for her character. as she certainly consoles herself occasionally with something stronger than Water! but having once broken her leg. she cant move about very readily, in Summer she does a little peddling, has to give that up in Winter, and is often in great want. Visitor recommends a little assistance during the severe weather. See report St. Davids

1067. Mary Moran 74 MacMahon St. a Widow with a young Child 11 months old. she lodges in the House of a labouring Man named Gordon, who has himself a large family to support, they seem very decent people, Mrs. Moran is a young healthy Woman who could readily support herself If were not for her Child. If assisted now, she would probably not trouble the House again, The Visitor would recommend a little Wood, See report St. Davids Ward.

1078. Three Children, Two Colored ones by the name of Towns, and one white child. all Boys, whose Parents having been sent to jail as disorderlys, The Children were sent here by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate. The Mother of the white child calld. for him Jan 25. her name is Margaret Fitzgibbon

1079. Sarah Wayland gone on Trial with Mrs. Steel on Park lane Toronto. returned from there, and on trial previous of being bound to John Goodchild (See [Case] 629.)

1080. Frances Hood, old Wellington Hotel, 2 girls at home 9. 5. gets a little Work as charwoman, a Widow. ChofEngl. gets Bread from the House, Mr. McDonell recommends her for Wood also. See report St. Lawrence Ward.

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1081. Ellen Lannin. Parliament St. Widow. husband died in Hospital, She is 54. has one Son 20 at home cant get Employment, gets fuel from refuse of Gas Works thrown over the Walls Visitor thinks this not an extreme Case, and would advise that the Son come and Cut Wood, See report St. Lawrence ^W.^ [ward]

1082. Catharine Kendrick 33 Terauly St. Not Known.

1083. Mary Wayland rear of 16 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 50 years of age 5 Children, girls 23. 21. 10 Boys 19 and 15 years of age, She appears a clean industrious Woman.

1084. Mrs. McNickle, 8 Terauly St. English ChofEngl. Widow 50 years of age. works as a charwoman, not being at home when the Visitor called, he is not able to give any further information.

1085. Sarah Ann Boel, 8 Terauly St. English. lately arrived from Windsor C.W. [Canada West] 5 Children 11. 9. 7. 5 and 1 year of age.

1086. Isabella Dunlop. 19 Elizabeth St. Colored M.C. [Methodist Church] Widow 45 years of age, Clean and industrious, Mr. Hobson recommends Wood.

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1087. James Ward 17 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married 39 years of age. 5 Children, girls 11 and 8. Boys 10. 4 and 1 years of age. They are in a dirty wretched State, Ward says he is not able to Work on account of bad hands, the Doctor must report his Case. Food and Wood is required.

1088. Ann Bagly 20 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 60 years of age, not at home when the Visitor called, but was informed by the Landlady, that she is an industrious well conducted Woman if so Mr. Hobson thinks she ought to be assisted.

1089. Margaret Jones 54 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. not being at home when the Visitor called, he could not find out particulars, except that she has 3 Children boy 9 and Two girls 16 and 4 years of age.

1090. Ann Davis rear of 76 Elizabeth St. not known there.

1091. Mary Green 111 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl, Widow, 50 years of age, lives principally by begging on account of no Work, Visitor thinks she will require assistance, (to have no more relief as the Visitor found out that she is a drunkard).

1092. Grace Langley 135 Elizabeth St. not known there, She has frequently applied for relief, always gives the wrong address.

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1093. Margaret Harris 186 Sayer St. Scotch Presbt. Widow 54 years of age. two Sons 12 and 8 years of age, clean and industrious, Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

1094. Mary McCarty 181 Park lane, Irish. R.C. Widow 60 years of age. one girl 10. She appears, and the Visitor was informed, that she is in bad health and not able to Work, he therefore recommends Wood and Bread.

1095. George Tallovere. Colored. 145 Park lane. Empty House.

1096. Elizabeth Lambert. 79 Park lane, Colored, Methodist. Widow 36 years of age 3 Children, girl 20. boy 12. and boy 10 years of age, not at home when the Visitor called, found the room very dirty.

1097. Elizabeth Reed 184 1/2 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Married 30 years of age. one girl 4. husband is Consumptive, not able to Work, he has a pension of 1/ [shilling] 3 d. [pence] p. day.

1098. Harriett Morris, rear of 74 Centre St, English. ChofEngl. Marrd [married] 3 girls. 19. 15 and 10. 2 Boys 10 and 7 years of age, husband states he is not able to Work on account of an accident. Doctor to report.

1099. Edward Scott. 97 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist. C. [church] 40 years of age 3 children boy 10. girl 5. and girl 2 years of age. in great distress, not being able to Work for the last five Months on account of Rheumatism Mr. Hobson recommends Bread and Wood.

Friday 30th Decbr. 1859.

Present The Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin, Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. J. Thom.

1100. William Martin 261 Queen St, lost his sight while blasting. 24 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. Makes Baskets now, Mr. Tyner recommends Wood.

1101. Michael Shannon, 55. Wife 33 years of age. 6 Children, boy 11. girl 9. girl 5. Boy {illegible}. girl 2. baby 2 Months. Irish. R.C. lives in the old Hospital, recommended by Mr. Brent. Mr. Tyner recomds. Bread and Wood.

1102. Margaret Burns, Married, husband sick, Irish R.C. 6 children, Boy 10, boy 9, girl 7 (twins boy and girl) 5 and boy 2 years of age. The residence is No. 21 Camden St. Mr. Tyner recommends an allowance of Bread and Wood.

1102. Susan Shields. 21 Camden St. aged 19. husband away, Baby 10 Months old. Irish. R.C. Mr. Tyner recommends a little Wood

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1104. Ann OBrien 136 Richmond St. Widow. Irish. R.C. strong healthy person (one daughter married at least says so has a young babe) Mr. Tyner leaves the Committee to judge for themselves.

1105. Margaret Turner 136 Richmond St. Widow 40. Irish. R.C. No Children at home, Visitor thinks she ought to provide for herself.

1106. Ann Foley 112 York St, Widow. 60. Irish. R.C. Mr. Tyner would recommend a little Wood.

1107. Thomas Beggs, Married 42. Wife 43. Scotch Presbyterian, 5 Children. girl 15 at Service, boy 10. boy 8. girl 7. girl 5 years of age. Corner of York and Boulton St. Mr. Tyner recommends Wood and Bread.

1108. Ann Cannane 132 York St. Widow 50. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends a little Wood.

1109. James Muirhead, back of 88 Richmond St. no such person to be found,

1110. Frederick Glenn. 121 1/2 Adelaide St. no such person there.

1111. Fanny Whealon 136 Richmond St. aged 70. Irish. R.C. She is a helpless creature Mr. Tyner recommends Wood and Bread.

1112. James Robinson, Queen St. aged 60. wife 40. 4 Children, 10. 8. 6 and 2. Irish. ChofEngl. Mr. Tyner recommends Bread and Wood.

1113. Margaret OConnell. 12 Duchess St. Lodges with Dennis Shae, whose Case has been reported some Weeks ago, and who is now receiving assistance from the House, Margaret OConnell is a single Woman out of Employment. and having no friends or relatives, Shae says, he and his Wife took her in, as a matter of Charity, a little Bread until she can get Employment is all the Visitor can recommend for her.

1114. Margaret OBrien. 57 Duchess St, The Visitor has no very good opinion of the Woman, but she is old unfit for Work, and believes is really in Want, she lodges in a house with four other Women, Chambers, Farrell and Burns, They are all badly off Hon. Mr. Allan recommends a little Wood.

1115. Robert Ferguson 106 {blank}. a deserving Case, but as he will probably not require assistance again, Hon. Mr. Allan has kindly given him a Wood ticket himself.

1116. Mary Ann Sullivan 68 not 16 Caroline St. and Ann Gardiner live Together. the first has a husband in the penitentiary sent there for being implicated in a row at the Railway at Port Credit some years ago, she is left to support herself and a young child, which she tries to do by knitting and sewing.

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1117. Ann Gardiner, is a Widow with 3 Children, Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend her for a little bread, and for Wood alternately to her and Mrs. Sullivan, as they both make use of the same Stove

1118. Henry Lawrence, 46 Caroline St. Lawrence, Wife and six children occupy an attic in rear of 46. Their eldest Son a lad of twenty, has only just come out of the Hospital having been ill with small pox, Visitor thinks that temporary assistance in Bread and Wood might be afforded them during the severe weather, and until the Son is able to do something for them.

1119. Flora Steward, 75 Caroline St. a widow with one child 9 years old, supports herself as well as she can by sewing knitting [etc.] She is much in need of fuel, she appears to be a very respectable Woman, and the Visitor thinks any assistance would be well bestowed.

1120. Ann Chapman, 102 George St. Cannot be found, must be the wrong number.

1121. Johanna OBrien, in the rear of 120 {blank} a Widow with four young Children, her father an old man of 70 lives with her, He is a tailor by trade, but is now very infirm, Hon. Mr. Allan recommends Wood and Bread.

1122. Bridget Halloran, 113 Nelson St. occupies a miserable little room, and is allowed to warm herself at her Landlords Stove, she is very badly off and deserves assistance.

1123. Mary Askins 64 Ontario St. No number 64.

1124. Bridget Rogers, 312 Queen St. East. a Widow with 2 children at home, one Son Married, has a family of his own to support, and she has one daughter out at Service at [dollars] 1 1/2 per month, She is much in Want of Wood.

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1125. Mary Eagan, rear of 27 St. James St. a Widow one Son 14 years of age. a very decent able Woman, if she gets some assistance during the severe weather, she will probably not trouble the House again.

1126. Elisa Macnamara, Beech St. a Widow with 3 young children, she and another Woman [Case 1127]

1127. Mary Anne Donaldson, occupy the same room, the latter has one child an infant 8 months old, her husband left her 4 months ago and went to the States to look for Work, she has not heard from him the last two months, Hon. Mr. Allan, would recommend temporary relief to Mrs. Macnamara in the shape of a little bread. and some Wood to be given between them, her and Mrs. Donaldson during the very cold weather.

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1128. Eliza Mullen, 88 Berkely St. at Mrs. Boyds, cannot be found.

1129. Ellen Fanning, 7 Seaton St. some mistake about the number.

1130. Catharine Corran. in the Cellar of 347 King St. East. Cannot be found.

1131. Mary Rice, North Park St. a Widow with one child, lodges with another Widow Woman. Hon. Mr. Allan, thinks that a little Wood for this month would be well bestowed, but after this month, she ought to be able to get on without it, unless the weather continues very severe.

1132. Catharine Hunter next to 99 Parliment St. The family consists of the husband & Wife and four children, of the ages of 10. 7. 3 and 8 months old, the husband has been out of work lately and they have had sickness amongst the children. assistance for one Month would be well bestowed, a little Wood and Bread.

1133. Bridget Cruse, she and her husband and 3 children girl 5. boy 8. boy 14 months, occupy a cellar room at the corner of North Park and James St. the husband has been out of work some time, and a little temporary assistance would relieve them from their present distress, and the Visitor thinks they would probably not apply again.

1134. Mary Ennis who lives at 76 Pine St. Visitor finds is a Sister in law of and bears also the same Christian name. as the Mary Ennis who was reported upon in Case 921. They were then living together but her Sister has since moved up to the West Side of the Town, Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend this woman for a little bread and Wood.

1135. Mary Mahone 68 Louisa St. English. Ch of Engl, Widow 40 years of age, lives by Shoe building for which she is paid 2 [shillings] /4 d [pence] per pair. Mr. Robson is informed that she is a well conducted industrious Woman, and would recommend Wood.

1136. Mary Black, rear of 13 Elizabeth St. Scotch. ChofEngl. Married 37 years of age 4 children boy 17 apprenticed to a painter, boy 13, girl 10 and boy 5 years of age, husband appears very ill, Mr. Hobson recommends Wood and Bread.

1137. Sarah Moor 18 Sayer St. No such number.

1138. ~~Mary~~ ^Nancy^ Emphy. 21 Centre St. French. Baptist. Widow 42 years of age, 2 children boys 5 & 2. They are very dirty people and live with another family in the same room, the Visitor leaves the Committee to judge.

1139. Mary Cavanagh, 28 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married 21 years of age, one child 12 months old, husband gone to the States four months ago to find work, since then she had to part with best part of her things for wood. Clean and industrious, recomd. Wood.

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1140. Julia Cummings, 47 Centre St. Irish, Ch of Engl. Widow 55 years of age, much troubled with Rheumatism, daughter 16 years of age a Cripple, they are clean and would be industrious if they could get any thing doing, Mr. Hobson recomds. Wood and Bread.

1141. Jane Fisher 78 Agnes St. not known there.

1142. Mary McCaffy 78 Agnes St. not known there.

1143. Maria French 155 Agnes St. no such Number the highest No. is 144.

1144. John Mitchell, Lane from Elm to Edward St. Colored. Baptist. Married 48. Left her husband in Slavery, 2 children girl 1 and 10 years of age, they are clean, can't get work, Mr. Hobson recomds. Wood. to see the Doctor.

1145. Rose Horseman 122 Elizabeth St. Canadian. ChofEngl. Widow 45 years of age. She cooks at the same stove with a respectable poor Widow named Margt. Wilson who has relief from the House. Visitor recommends Wood between them turn about.

1146. Caroline Thomas 156 Sayer St. Colored. Married, 40 years of age, girl 2, boy 4 and boy 6. She says her husband left her two months ago to seek work, since then she has not heard from him. Visitor would recommend Wood.

1147. Mary Ann Williams 152 Park Lane cannot be found

1148. ~~Jane~~ ^Anne^ Clark, 360 Yonge St. Married 30 years of age, 2 children 5 and 2 years old. English. ChofEngl. About 2 years ago her husband went to England as Ships Cook, since which she has not heard from him, She is a respectable industrious Woman, and Mr. Hobson would recommend Bread and Wood.



1149. Ann Turner, Widow one child a girl 4 months old, which almost incapacitates her from getting work, lives in a small Shanty on Front St. east of Bay St. with one McCarty who owns the Shanty in the Summer he is able to sell fruit but he can do little at present, another poor man lives there, Mrs. Turner has lived there about two months and requires Bread for herself and child and Wood to pay McCarty rent. They are all Roman Catholics, Revd. Mr. Kennedy thinks Turner an object of Charity. See Case 674. The Committee allowed one quarter load of Wood for once only, as she came up from Kingston to be confined in the Lying in Hospital, was advised to go back, but has remained ever since in Toronto.

1150. Ann Ward, Irish. R.C. lives in Watkins lane of Richmond St. a Boy of 9 years of age, Mr. Tyner recommends Wood and loaf of Bread p. Week.

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1151. Mary Holmes, No. 14 Donn St. Six Children only four at home, girl 13, girl 11, girl 9 and one child 3 years old sickly, ChofEngl. Rev. Mr. Kennedy knows them to be decent respectable people and deserving of assistance, the husband is out of Employment, recommended for Wood and Bread.

1152. Mary Askins, 64 Ontario St. was omitted in Visitors last report. He now recommends her for a quarter load of Wood.

1153. Mary McCauly foot of Scott St. with P. Kearney Waggon Maker, aged 50. Husband say 55, lately from Hospital with broken Collar bone, Doctors orders not work for a few weeks yet. The Wife partly lost the use of one hand. Irish. R.C. The Visitor recommends them for Wood and Bread.

1154. John Murray South Park St. Wilkinsons Houses next to No. 7. Aged 60. The wife avows to 30 but is more likely 40. 3 children girl 15 they say, but looks more like 25, would go to service if she could get a place, a Boy 12 and a boy 6 who earns a few Coppers about a Butchers stall, Murray worked for the Corporation but has nothing to do now, Wife kept a fruit stand near the Market but was driven away, and fined for not taking a stall. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends relief in Wood, on Condition that Father and Thomas come and cut Wood for it.

1155. Bridget Farrell, Colborn St. opposite Russels Hotel, Irish. R.C. one child at home aged 9. ^Mrs.^ Farrell is a charwoman but out of Employment at present. The Visitor considers her a deserving Case and would recommend her for Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread p. Week. This woman has no child at home and ~~two~~ ^one^ of her daughters is getting 12 [dollars] per month and another 2 [dollars]. The visitor is requested to make further enquiries about her.

1156. Margaret Kelly, in a backyard Melinda St. trough [through] a narrow passage West of the European Hotel. She is an old Woman between 70 or 80, has no one to depend upon, has lived about 10 years in the same place, Irish. R.C. everything in the House denoted poverty. Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends Bread and Wood.

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1157. Anne Convey 141 1/2 Adelaide St. Irish R.C. Marrd. [married] Husband 32 a worthless fellow, has 3 children by a former husband, boy 12, girl 10, girl 8, one of the girls is a cripple, Mr. Tyner would recommend Bread and Wood, providing the husband gets none of it.

1158. Catharine Bolan 141 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. out when the Visitor called they have 2 children Boys 4 and 2 years of age, they live in the Cellar. The Visitor recommends the Committee to judge for themselves, husband to Cut Wood.

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1159. Margaret Robinson 136 Richmond St. in a kind of Back Kitchen in rear of Fawcets House, her husband has been away from her these last 3 years, 3 children, only one of them at home a boy aged 8. The Visitor (blank) she is a Woman that would work if she could get it, he would recommend a little Wood.

1160. Mary Falster 139 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. aged 35. Husband about 40. 5 children boy 13 at Service at 2 [dollars] p. month boards at home, boy 9, girl 7, boy 4 and one 2 years of age. See report St. ~~David~~ Andrews Ward.

1161. James Robinson 519 Queen St. reported upon. See Case 1112.

1162. Bridget Ward 166 Richmond St. vacant Lot.

1163. Catharine Rossitter 220 Adelaide St. No such number there.

1164. Ellen Barclay. 35. Widow 2 years, girl 10 hired in the Country for Board and lodging, Boy 8, Boy 7, Boy 5, Girl 3. Would go out washing and Scrubbing if she could get it. No friends in Canada. Very red face. Dirty and slovenly, seems able to earn her living, but perhaps her four young ones are a heavy pull upon her resources. Capt. Elmsley will therefore leave her case to the Committee.

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House of Industry [background information]

1. Erected in 1848
2. Size 100 feet front 49 feet depth.
3. Builders Medcalf Forbes & Wilson Masons, R. Bell Carpenter, Wm. Thomas Architect, Cost [pounds] 1500.
4. Space of Ground 166 x 160, Cost [pounds] 365.
5. How many will it accommodate 80 to 100.
6. By whome was money Supplied? by private subscription.

Oct 23rd, 1856 W.G.H. [W.G. Hancock]

G. I. Purdy Farmer Blenheim No. 9 & 10 Con: ^ C.W.^

Ayr, P.O.

Samuel Vroom

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Mary Ann Dyas Brock St. No. 66

Kinston [Kingston] C.W. [Canada West]

Revd. Mr. Stewart's residence Yonge St. 232

opposite Mr. Webb's bakery.

Compleat the Indentures in the Case of Mary Ann McDowell and

Mr. Skelding of Scarborough 1 Feby 27/57.

Mrs. Hunter lives on the Corner of Adelaide & Yonge St. back of Fergusons Tavern, Toronto a child to nurse June 21/59.

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January 1st 1860

1. The select Committee met yesterday (Decbr 31st) to receive Tenders for Supplies to the House for the year 1860.

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr. and Mr. E. Hobson.

The following tenders were opened.

John T. Moor. Bread, at 9 [cents] per 4 [pound] loaf, best quality John Ryan at 9 [cents] per 4 [pound] loaf best quality. Mungo Nasmith at 8 1/2 [cents] p 4 [pound] loaf best quality C.J. Smith at 9 [cents] p 4 [pound] Loaf. James Girvin at five pence half penny, p 4 [pound] loaf, and 2 1/2 discount. George Coles at 8 [cents] p. 4 [pound] loaf, Mr. Coles Tender was accepted being the lowest, The Bread Tender is for a twelve Month, Privileges with each party throwing up at the end of each Month, by giving a Weeks notice within the Month.

For Groceries for a twelve Month. W.C. Griffith and Co. and Messrs. Dodgson Shields and Morton with Samples and prices attached, after carefull examination, The Committee recommended that the Messrs Dodgson Shields and Mortons Tender be accepted

Mr. P. Huttys Tender for the ensuing year, being the only one was accepted at 2 [dollars] 74 [cents] p [per] 100 Pound.

Margaret Harpers Tender for Milk being Satisfactory was accepted at 5 [cents] p [per] quart.

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Tuesday, January 3th 1860.

Present Hon. J. W. Allan, Rev. Mr. Grasett, Mr. Howell and Mr. E. Hobson

1. Martha Ford, rear of 37 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. 30 years of age Married. husband left her. 2 children girl 7 and girl 2 years of age, She is a Laundress, is very industrious when she can get any thing to do. Keeps her house and her children clean. Mr. Hobson would recommend her Case to the Committee for Wood and Bread.

2. Margaret Jones 54 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 40 years of age. 3 Children girl 17 in Service at 5 [dollars] p Month. She does what she can for her Mother, boy 10. and a girl 3 at home, she appears

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clean and industrious, thinks she could get long, if she could get a little wood from the House, which the Visitor recommends

3. James Bell 117 Elizabeth St. Colored M. Church, 35 years of age Marred [married]. 2 children girl 4 and boy 1 year old., The Visitor is informed that Bell is a steady, industrious man, but has not been able to work for some time past on account of his hands having been frozen, Visitor recommends wood.

Committee will allow wood this one time only.

4. Ann Conner rear of 19 Centre St. Irish R.C. Single 50 years of age, in bad health, lives with a poor Widow named Donohoe, Visitor recommends Wood. Committee desire to know how long Wood is recommended

5. Ann Duval 123 Elizabeth St. Colored Methodist Widow about 60 years of age, a daughter 15 at home, a strong young Woman, but she is deaf and almost blind, The Visitor would recommend Wood.

6. Margaret Black, rear of 17 Edward St. Irish. Married, 35 years of age 2 Children, a boy 6 years old and one 6 months old, The husband and Wife both able to work, the house is very dirty and so is the Family, The Visitor cannot recommend, but leaves them to the Committee.

7. Catharine McKendrick, no such number as 143 in Terauly St.

8. Chloe Hall 156 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist. Married, 32 years of age. 3 children boy 4 and twins 12 months old, The husband left about two Weeks ago to look for Work, Another woman in the House reported upon last Tuesday Week whose husband has left, Mr. Hobson would leave the Case to the Committee.

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9. Mary Mathews in rear basement of 181 Park lane, Colored. Methodist. Widow, about 60 years of age, lives rent free, she is in need of Wood which Mr. Hobson recommends.

10. Catharine McDonald, in rear of 80 Sayer St. Irish, R.C. Widow 40. 3 Children, a Boy 17 apprenticed to a Carpenter, not able to assist his Mother, a girl 12 and a girl 10 at home, she seems a industrious Women. The Visitor recommends Wood.

11. Jeremiah Parker, 20 Centre St. Colored. M. Church, himself and Wife each 70 years of ages she is nearly blind, and the husband has his hands and feet frozen, The Visitor is informed that they are very deserving of relief, and he would recommend them for Bread and Wood

12. Jane Curran, 389 Adelaide St. rear Bathurst St. Case has been reported upon see 1004 in 1859. Mr. Tyner recommends Wood to be sent to her as she is not able to come for it.

13. Johanna Kehoe 141 Adelaide St. was reported some days since see Case 955 in 1859. has been found. Widow 33. Irish R.C. 2 children girls 11 and 9. Wood for 2 months
14. Jane Haslip 139 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. 40 years of age, her husband lives, and works in the Country. 5 children, are only a short time in this City, the Visitor recommended her to go back to her husband, as nothing could be done in such Cases. The Committee will allow Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread for one Month.
15. Mary Folster, the Visitor advised the husband to see the Doctor, to report upon his Case, the Wife says that the husband is not able to come and see the Doctor (See Case 1160 in 1859) The Committee allowed a quarter Cord of Wood, but no more relief until the husband refers himself to the Doctor.
16. John Nolan ~~330~~ 129 Tecumseth St. there is no such number in said Street in St Andrews Ward – has a Wife and two children, Mr. Tyner would recommend 1 quarter cord for the season but no more.
17. Mary Henning, The Visitor reports no such number
18. Margaret Dillon. Irish. R.C. Garrison St. one of Mr. Robinsons Cottages she is a Widow aged 80. and liven with her a great grand Child 18 Months old, the Mother of the Child is a Widow and at Service, and pays the rent for Mrs. Dillon, Mr. Tyner would highly recommend her Case to the consideration of the Committee for relief.

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19. James Robinson 519 Queen St. 60 years of age, Wife 45 is his second Wife ChofEngl. 4 Children 10, 8-5 and 2 years of age, the old man got his feet frozen whilst Teaming the very cold weather, Mr. Tyner would recommend them as deserving of assistance.
20. Mary Caffee 30 Boulton St. Irish R.C. 30 years of age, deserted by her husband, she has one Child 2 years of age, Visitor did not see her but made enquiry about her, thinks it would be as well to assist her with a little Wood, during the very cold weather.
21. Christie Dixon 104 Queen St West. Visitor reports that the even Number is on the North Side of Queen St and consequently not in St Andrews Ward, but it appears that it is one of the old Numbers, as Mrs. Dixon declares she lives opposite the Lawyers Hall, and 104 is on her door.
22. Mary Livingston 206 Adelaide St is part of Mr. McDonalds garden
23. Elenor Fanning 7 Seaton St must be some Mistake
24. Ann Foley 79 Boulton St. House shut up no blinds to the window

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25. Bridget McMahon Hickmans Lane, Married 25 years of age, husband 27. Irish R.C. 2 Children Boy 3 and girl 2. Wife says the husband has sore eyes – the Visitor did not see him, leaves the Case to the Committee. The Committee decided that the husband come and cut Wood for relief.

26. Margaret Smith 101 Queen St West. Scotch Presbt. Widow. 3 Children, only one at home a girl 10 years of age, appears to do the best she can but work is scarce, Mr. Tyner would recommend Wood for 2 months.

27. Mary Price, Widow 60. English, Methodist, lives at 69 1/2 Richmond St West. she has one Son but not in a position to assist her, Mr. Tyner would recommend her Case to the Committee for an allowance of Wood for the season, and if granted he will attend to it, and pay the Cartage.

28. Ann Wilson, King St West. Shanty near Asylum, husband met with an accident scarcely able to walk. Two children both boys, one three years, the other five months, they are very poor, have with them another woman whose husband is in the Country

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29. Mrs. Moor, lives in a Shanty, corner of Simcoe and Front St. her husband is a sickly person, works when he can get it. They have 5 children all girls 14-11-9-7 and 3 years of age. They are very poor. Revd. Mr. Kennedy visited

30. Mary McCran 53 Spinster very sickly. Sister 43 also very sickly, Capt. Elmsley has known these two Women for many years, and while they could earn a little they never were a burden to any one, These hard times however have deprived them of the Employment they used to have, The Visitor would recommend them for Bread, and Wood turn about with Bridget Fleming with whom they live.

31. Bridget Fleming 30 years old, husband has been in the Lunatic Asylum 4 1/2 years. Irish. R.C. 2 children boy 6 and boy 3. Washes when she can get it. decent and clean. The Visitor recommends Wood only, turn about with the above Case.

32. Joanna Dunn, is a most deserving person in every respect and the Visitor recommends Bread and Wood.

33. Martha Ann Beatty 55 years old. Widow. ChofEngl. no family, Washes when she can get it, but the Visitor thinks few persons would be willing to employ her begrimed as she is with filth. She seems in delicate health and therefore the Visitor would recommend Wood only.

34. Mary McCarty, 24 years old, Widow, Irish. R.C. 2 Children boy 2 and boy 9 months old, a fine strong Woman, used to keep a shop but failed in business, when the winter is past she says she will go to the Country. Clean and decent, The Visitor recommends Wood only.

35. Alice Anderson, no such person 26 Stanley St.

36. Mary Moffat, no such person 51 Stanley St

37. Eliza Kennedy, Widow. 42. a girl 19 Married and lives with her husband in the Mothers House paying board, Son in law a joiner and Cabinet Maker, Boy 17 works with a painter 2 1/2 [dollars] per Week and plenty of Work, ChofEngl. girl 10, boy 8. Boy 7 and boy 4 1/2.

She is in good health and as are all her family, She sews for the Stores, and for Ladys, and has work. The Visitor leaves her Case to the Committee to judge.

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38. Margaret Grey 32 years old. Widow, Irish. R.C. 3 Children, boy 6. Boy 5. and a girl 15 months old, Tailoress by trade, but no work can be had these very hard times, Clean and decent, Capt. Elmsley recommd. Wood & Bread.

39. Catharine Ryan, Irish. R.C. The Visitor think that she is to [too] well known to need any remarks from him, he therefore leaves her Case in the hands of the Committee, she has two Children girl 7 and a boy.

The Committee are of opinion that she ought to give up her children and go to service.

40. Bridget Henry, Widow. 60 years of age, her Mother about 80 years of age lives with her in a miserable pigstye of a place, She used to carry a basket in Summer, but cannot do so in Winter, she looks very much like a hard drinker, her Sister is at Service at 6 [dollars] a month and pays the rent for the Mothers sake, Capt. Elmsley thinks that he must leave this Case for the Committee to judge.

41. Sarah Fitzgibbon, no such person at 73 Stanley St.

42. Jane Tynan, 30. Husband in Barrie seeking work, 3 children, boy 4 1/2 boy 2 and girl 1 year old. Washes when she can get it, but no person would employ such a mass of stench and filth, nevertheless on account of the children the Visitor would recommend Bread, and wood turn about with Ellen Fitzpatrick who lives with her.

Friday. 6th January 1860.

Present. Hon. G.W. Allan, Revd. H.J. Grasett Messrs. J. Rowell and E. Hobson.

43. Mary Holt, 33 years old, Irish. Chof Engl. Husband lame, laid up for 7 weeks, he will show himself, 3 Children Boy 12, girl 10 and a boy 5 years of age, very clean respectable and tidy, It appears to the



Visitor, that were it not for the Lameness of the husband, they would never apply for relief to the House of Industry, Capt. Elmsley leaves the Case to the Committee to judge on view of the husband

44. Ann Lyden, 40 years of age, husband in Kingston, 7 months, seeking Work, but she gets nothing from him, a girl 4 years old and one 18 months old, dirty wretched people all about, nevertheless, for the sake of the little girls Capt. Elmsley would recommend Bread and Wood. The Committee desire to know for how long are they recommended for relief.

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45. John Buckley, 50 years of age, Bachelor, very sore eyes, cannot see to work says he, the Doctor can decide this point, No friends in the City If the Doctor pronounces on his Case according to his own estimate thereof, Capt. Elmsley would recommend Bread and Wood turn about with Antony Corrigan, they live together.

46. James Shearden 72 years old, Widower, no encumbrance, Tolerable clean and tidy, can earn a little in the Summer, but at his advanced age, he can do nothing in the severity of this season of the year, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread. The Committee allowed Wood and Bread for two months.

47. Ellen O'Hearn, no such number at 90 Stanley St.

48. No such person as Mary Moffatt at 51 Stanley St.

49. Catharine Kerr, no such person at 21 Richmond St.

50. Sarah Linch, 100 Pine St. A decrepid old Woman, 70 years of age, occupies a small House with another Widow – Mrs. Galligher – Mrs. Linch is the Widow of an old Soldier, and was once in much better circumstances – she is to [too] infirm to do anything, and Mrs. Galligher lives with her and takes care of the House. Hon. Mr. Allan recommends them for Wood and a little Bread for two Months. Should the weather be very cold, then for a Week or two more.

51. Catharine Roach, 105 Beech St., This Womans husband Edward Roach has been out of Work for some time, they have 3 children – all young Boy 10, girl 3 and boy 18 months old. The Woman is expecting her Confinement almost immediately, they seem decent people, and the husband is willing to work if he can get it, Hon Mr. Allan recommends Wood and Bread, the husband to saw wood for it.

52. Jane Ferguson, Regent St. a single woman living with her mother an old woman about 60 years of age, they partly support themselves by needle Work, Visitor thinks that a little Wood might be given to them for this month.

53. Maria Farrell, 16 Duchess St, has one child ill with the small pox her husband has deserted her, it appears upon further enquiry that she has no husband. She is living amongst a very bad set, Hon Mr. Allan would recommend her for a little Wood until her child recovers, nothing more after that.

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54. John Davidson, 468 Parliament St. a gardener by trade, and was employ'd by Mr. Parsons during the Summer, he has been out of work for last 3 months and in consequence of the illness of his wife, who has been suffering since May last, from an incurable disease, he and his family of 3 children are now in great distress. He would be glad to saw Wood, if he could have some allowed him for it and if they had a little bread given to them for this month, The Visitor thinks that they probably would not require assistance again.

55. Mary Foster rear of 94 Duchess St. This Womans husband was formerly employed at the Gas Works, but he has been in bad health for the last 2 years and hardly able to do any work, Mrs. Foster earns a little Money by quilting and sewing – they seem decent respectable people, and worthy of assistance, Visitor would recommend them for some Wood

56. Bridget Conolly. 90 George St. This Woman with her husband and five children occupy the same rooms with another man and his wife, a very ~~drunk~~-drunken looking Couple. Mrs. Conolly's husband has one his feet frost bitten, and says he neither boots nor clothes, Hon Mr. Allan told him, he would give him a pair of Boots and a pair of warm Socks to put on, provided he comes up to the Poor House and saws wood afterwards.

57. Anne Farrell, A Widow Woman living in the same House with Mrs. Conolly She has 2 children, Eldest a daughter, grown up, who has been out at Service but has lately been obliged to give up her place, in Consequence of ill health The second is a little girl about 12 years of age. Mrs. Farrell seems a very respectable Woman, willing to work when she can get it – to do – and if she could get a little Wood during the severe Weather would probably not require further assistance. Visited and reported by the Hon Mr. Allan.

58. Mary Fahan 115 Nelson St. This Womans husband left her to go to Cincinnati in search of Work four months ago, and had not since been heard of – Mrs Tahar has 4 children, boy 10 – boy 8. Girl 6 – girl 3, she tries to support herself by needle Work but cannot always get it -to do- Hon. Mr. Allan recommends her for Wood and Bread, and likewise recommends the Case to be looked into again in the course of a few Weeks, to see if the husband has returned

59. Mary McCosling rear of 253 Elizabeth St. Irish, ChofEngl. Widow 53 years of age, 4 Children, girl 15. girl 14. goy 10 and Boy 7 years of age, all at home at present, the have been in Service, and expect place again in a few days, they are clean and industrious, Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood and Bread.

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60. Sarah Moor in basement of 17 Sayer St. Irish ChofEngl Married 45 years of age, husband a labourer, but says cant get any work though able and willing. Mr. Hobson leaves the Case for the Committee to decide.

61. Grace Langley. Larkins Lane Elm St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 36 years of age, 2 girls 12 and 7. goes out to Work, informed the Visitor that the Revd. Dr. Lett knows her Case well, Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood and Bread.

62. Michael Coughlin 12 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married 30 years of age, Wife same age. 3 children, girl 6 boy 3 and girl 3 months old, they are both able to work if they could get it, Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

63. Bridget Murphy, rear of 80 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Widow 41 years of age goes out to wash when she can get it, Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood.

64. Anthony Amos rear of 83 Sayer St. he is not known there.

65. Ellen Nugent 85 Louisa St. called to say – she would not require relief at present on account of her daughter going to Service.

66. Ann Biffin 104 Edward St. Irish ChofEngl. Marred. [married] 40 years of age, 4 Children boy 8, girl 7, girl 5 and girl 2 years old, husband a Carpenter but having been out of Employment for a long time, they require some assistance, Mr. Hobson recommends that the husband work for Wood and Bread.

67. Mary Shavanan. Sayer St between 224. & 228. No such person living there.

68. Phoebe Jackson, 27 Emma St. no person of that name known there.

69. John Hudson rear of 92 Terauly St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 40 years of age Wife about the same age. 6 children. Boy 15 in Service, girl 13 boy 11 boy 9. Girl 7 and boy 5 years of age at home. The Visitor will not recommend this Case on account of their dirty drunken habits. Unless he Work in the yard and cut Wood, and get a little Wood for it.

70. Bridget Purcell. 12 Albert St. Irish. R.C. 28 years of age married. child 7 months old, parted from her husband on account of his lazy drunken habits, she is a clean sober industrious Woman, and highly recommended by the Revd. Dr. Green and the Revd. Mr. Wood, Mr. Hobson would recommend her Wood and four pounds of Bread p [per]Week.

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71. Mary Butler 33 Widow, Irish R.C. nearly blind and paralyzed, she has been an Inmate before, but prefers a life of begging, she applied for Wood, Committee advised her to stay in the House, consented to stay in the House when she found her relief was to be cut of [off].

72. [William Collis] Mr. Shaw, Secretary of the St Georges Society, applied to the Committee (on the 3th instant) for admittance of an old man who has lately arrived in this City but as the House is full at present, the Committee agreed to give out door relief, if the St. Georges Society will provide him with a place to live in. ^Jan 10th William Collis, the aforesaid man, applied again to the Weekly Committee for admission, he lives with a Mrs. Summers in Stanly St. he is to be admitted the first vacancy in rotation, in the mean time he is to have Bread Soup and Wood from the House.^ ^72 years old English ChofEngl. Admitted on the 10th Fbr. 1860^

Tuesday 10th January 1860

Present. The Revd. Dr. Lett, Mr. R. Gilmor and Mr. J. Doel.

73. Ellen O Hearn 56 years old. Husband afflicted with rheumatism, says she Doctor to decide this point, he will show himself on ~~Thursday~~ Tuesday. Irish. R.C. a Son 17 out of Employ, quarrelled with his Employers, 3 other children, none at home she says she is to [too] old to work, appearances do not warrant that conclusion, the Visitor says the place is dirty, like a pigspen full of foul smells, (he the Visitor) leaves the Committee to judge on view of the Husband.

74. Mary Caruthers 25 husband deserted her 6 months ago, Boy one month old, washes when she can get it. tidy Clean and decent. Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood and Bread

75. Julia Gilmor 32 years old. States that her husband died 12 years ago, Being intoxicated the Visitor could obtain no coherent account of herself and Family. For example she stated that her youngest child was only 4 years old; she must therefore have endured a pregnancy of 8 years or so, if the child was not illegitimate, Two Boys in the "Boys Home"

Capt. Elmsley will not recommend the Case.

76. Ann Bagly, The Visitor says that she was shocked being visited on Sabbath. He refers to Page 253 of 1859.

77. Bridget Hase, no such person back of Goods House, Bond St.

78. Patrick Flinn, No. 39 Richmond St is uninhabited

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79. Sarah Fitzgibbon No. 93 Stanley St. is uninhabited

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80. Catharine Donohoe, 40 years old, husband deserted her, Washes when she can get it, Boy 12. Boy 10. Girl 8. Boy 4. Clean and tidy. Irish. R.C. Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood and Bread.

81. Ann. Cairns, 52 years old, Widow, Son 19. Very lame from a hurt received eleven years ago, quite unable to Work. She carried a Basket during the Summer, but cannot do that now. Irish. R.C. dirty, piggery. Visitor recommends Wood only.

82. Alice Anderson, 60 years old, Widow. Paralytic, obliged to use Crutches quite unable to work, The Church pays her rent, Tolerable decent Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

83. Ellen Carroll, common to all comers, provided she is paid for it – so the Visitor learnt from one James Connolly who will prove the same, Capt. Elmsley thinks there should be some investigation take place, on the part of the House of Industry, because such Characters should not be relieved, if what Connolly states be found correct.

84. Mary Fair 34 Richmond St. no such person living there

85. Michael Cambridge, 8 Temperance St., said building is occupied Reynolds Shoemaker.

86. Hugh Robinson 269 1/2 Queen St. married, aged 28. Wife 23. No Children ChofEngl. The Visitor told her she need not expect any assistance from the House, the husband was not at home.

87. Johanna Burns. 60 Bathurst St. The Visitor would hand this Case over to the Revd. Mr. Kennedy as it is in St. Georges Ward, In the mean time he will report the Case, Mrs. Burns is about 35. her husband about 36. has 5 children, girl 8. boy and girl 6 (Twins) girl 5 and Boy 3. Irish R.C. they are poor, Committee to judge.

88. Catharine Prince, east of 314. Richmond St West, off Brock St. near the Temperance Hall, Mrs. Prince is 28, husband 32. ChofEngl. as the Revds Mr. Kennedy recommended the Family, Mr. Tyner (The Visitor) will recommend Bread for the present, as the husband expects Work.

89. Christie Dixon 104 Queen St. West (old number). Widow aged 59 3 daughters, the eldest 22 in Consumption & next 17. and 13.

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90. [89. continued] ~~Scotch~~ St. Andrews Church. Born in the Lower Province, absent people and Mr. Tyner would recommend them for Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

90. Catharine Lucas, 101 Simcoe St. Widow, aged 51. No Children, English ChofEngl. respectable person Mr. Tyner would recommend Wood.

91. Jane Armstrong, North side of Duke St. between Berkely and Ontario Streets. The husband gets work occasionally at Carries foundry. They have a family of five children, and are very decent respectable people, but hardly a proper Case for the House, Hon. Mr. Allan cannot recommend them for assistance by preferr's given them an order for Wood himself.

92. Julia Conners, Duke St. behind Parkinsons Shop. A Widow Woman with one child, her husband has been dead for some years, She earns her living by washing and scrubbing, and is the Visitors believes an industrious person, but can only recommend her to receive Wood twice, and does not think that she requires any Bread.

93. Elenor Jones 70 South Park St. Labourer the husband out looking for Work, they came from London C.W. [Canada West] 3 Children, Elizabeth 5. William 2 1/2 Mary Ann ~~18 months old~~ 2 weeks. The Wife is delicate, Visitor recommends husband to Cut Wood. They are young people husband 33. Wife 27.

94. Julia McCullough 277 King St East, husband left her a twelve month ago, went off as she says drunk and fighting. No word ~~off~~ of him since. Irish. R.C. 2 children. Ellen 9 and Patrick 8. both at School, pays 8/ [shillings] 9d [pence] rent for a room, Charwoman, nothing to do at present. 40 years old. Visitor recommends Wood.

95. James Flinn, died this 11th day of January 1860. aged 75 years.

96. James and John Maley, the Mother of these Children, brought a Note from George Gurnett Esqr., P.M. [Police Magistrate] requesting Superintendent, to give the two aforesaid Children to their Mother. See Case 749. in 1859.

97. John McDowell rear of 50 Centre St. Visitor called at the House yesterday and was informed by the Children that their Father and Mother were out at Work. The Case being so well known to the House, that the Visitor will leave the Case to the Committee

98. Margaret Adams, refer to Case 704, in 1858. found the same as then

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Friday 13th January 1860.

Present, The Revd. Dr. Lett, Messrs. R. Gilmor and J. Doel

99. Jane Ward 100 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married 34 years of age, 4 children, girl 15, boy 10-7 and 4 years of age all at home, husband appears a clean industrious Man, who has seen better days, the Visitor recommends assistance in Bread and fuel for a month. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread for another Month Feb 13/60

100. Phoebe Jackson is not known at 57 Elm St. (found) She is married 47. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 girls 7 and 11. Husband gone to England, Cooks at the same stove as Mrs. Flemming recommended

101. Eliza Thomas, 210 Centre St. Colored Baptist. Widow 83 years of age, lives with her Son who is a waiter at an hotel, she is very clean both in House and person. The Visitor recommends them highly for Wood.

102. Mary Shavana rear of 238 Sayer St. Irish R.C. Married 30 years for age. 3 girls 6-4-1 1/2 years old, she is ill and confined to her bed and of course not able to do anything for a living, her husband left her about 10 days ago and she is well rid of him, as he used to spend his wages with bad Woman, and neglected his own Wife and family, the Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per week with Wood and Soup.

103. Cordalia Town 137. Centre St. Colored, Methodist, Widow 60 years of age she appears to be very ill, two daughters Women, one of them is married with whom she lives, and that daughters husband appears to have plenty of Work and the Wife is a Washerwoman, they have both Wood and food in the House, The Visitor would leave the Case to the Committee.

104. Michael Cambridge in a lane in rear of Mr. Rattrays Yonge St. 27 years of age, Married Irish. R.C. one Child aged 4 years, Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee – Cambridge to cut wood for relief

105. Mary Hanning, 25 Brant St. Widow. 70 years of age, She lives with one McNight, and uses the same Stove, Visitor recommends two quarter Cords of Wood for the season. Irish. R.C. Committee allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Wood. The poor old Woman said she had 2 Sons at Sebastepool.

106. Mary Maloney 60 Bathurst St. in St Georges Ward, and not in St Andrews.

107. Mary Livingston, 206 Adelaide St there is no such number.

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108. John Cavanagh, 30 Boulton St. Widower 52 years of age, Irish. R.C. has no family, but he has lost one of his arms, he says he will never trouble the House again after this Winter, Mr. Tyner would recommend Wood twice during the season.

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109. Mary Jane Astly 72 Boulton St. has 4 children, is a Widow, the husband shot himself some five months ago. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

110. Catharine Shanahan 87 Richmond St. Widow. 40. Irish, ChofEngl, 3 Children one of them in the House of Providence, a Boy 9 and a girl 7 at home. The Case is well known at the House. Mr. Tyner leaves the Committee to decide.

111. Mrs. Duprey 521 Queen St. The husband is a Carriage painter out of Employment, they are in want of Wood, and the husband is willing to cut wood for the House for a little Wood. The Visitor recommends that he may do so.

112. Mary Johnson 198 Centre St. was not at home when the Visitor called, Word was left for her to call on the Visitor, which has not done, consequently her Case can not be reported upon until next Friday.

113. Mary Smart 69 Emma St. English. R.C. Widow, 44 years of age, 2 daughters in Service 18 and 15 years of age, 2 Boys 9 and 12 years at home. they make a little by selling papers, she seems poor and in bad health. The Visitor would recommend Wood, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

114. Bridget Williams 30 1/2 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 33 years of age, 2 boys, 2 and 4 years old. Husband a labourer is a present at Work near the Queens Wharf. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee

115. William Cowan is not known at ~~97~~ 79 Sayer St. to cut Wood

116. James Price, Lees Cottages Palace St. From Ireland, R.C. in Consumption. 2 Children, girl 3 years and a boy 1 month old, his own age is 30, the Wife 23. The Visitor recommends Wood, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

117. Ellen Moran, in a hovel at the extreme ~~end of~~ easterly end of Palace St. Widow. 30. Irish. R.C. 4 children, girl 11. Boy 9. boy 7 and boy 5 years of age. The husband was killed on the Ice a few days since, The Visitor would recommend her for wood.

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118. Ellen O Conner, in a Cottage directly South of Ellen Moran, husband lost his sight 5 years ago by an explosion on Railway, 40 years of age, wife 35 years of age, 7 children, boy 13. boy 10 a cripple, girl 9, boy 8, girl 5. boy 3. and a boy 7 months old, Irish. R.C., not very clean or orderly. They are in need of assistance, The Visitor thinks the eldest Boy may cut Wood.

119. Eliza Dunkin, 34 Front St. Widow, Irish, R.C. and girl 10 years of age at the house, two Sons in the army, The Visitor thinks she has a very suspicious face, but she says, she has not drank a pint of Whisky these 20 years.

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120. Margaret Cooming lives with the above, she is a Widow 80 years of age, Irish. R.C. has Children in the States who will send for her, The Visitor would recommend wood turn about between the two, and 4 [pounds] of Bread each p [per] Week

121. Mary Collins, lane in rear of Cartys Soap factory, George St. Husband and Wife and 3 children, the husband had his foot crushed while working for Mr. Worthington last Summer, and was consequently out of Employment for some Months. He has now quite recovered from the effects of the accident, The Visitor told his Wife that he better come to the House and saw some Wood for relief, but she demurred whilst saying he was not strong enough, he should see the Doctor before this excuse be admitted. If he comes to the House and saws Wood, the Visitor would recommend Wood and Bread for a month or six Weeks.

122. Anne Chapman, 102 George St. one of two Children whose Mother was sent to jail for stealing Pigs! Their step Father is a Mulatto, and according to their account was the party who was really guilty of the theft, but ran away, and the Mother was taking up and sentenced to six months imprisonment, four out of the six Months have past, in the mean time, the children are living with a poor family by the name of Malone, who give them Shelter, but being miserable poor themselves, can give them little else than House room, The visitor recommended the Children very strongly to come into the House, but they are unwilling to do so – one reason being, that they can now go every day to see their Mother, which they could not do if they were in the House, The Visitor recommends Wood for a Month to help them long. The little girl promised the Weekly Committee, that she would go home and fetch her Sister and come back to the House and stay there until her Mother came out of jail, she has not come back.

123. Catharine Edwards 75 Nelson St not at home when the Visitor called but two of her children were in, and he was informed that they have an elder Brother near 20. Who works in a Mr. Chaffies Office, the two little rooms they occupie, are very neat and clean,

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124. Bridget McCarty, 327 Corner of King and Parliment St a Widow Woman living in a small Cottage behind the Stables belonging to 327. Not a very enticing looking place, and not rendered more so by the fact that half the people in there have the small pox!! Mrs. McCarty herself has two Children ill with it, The Visitor would recommend them for a little Bread and Wood for a Month.

125. Mary Dillon who lives in one of the Cottages, and who has a family of four Children, the eldest of whom a boy of 16, has just recovered from the Small pox. The Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend a little Bread and Wood for the same period as the above.

126. Anstey McDonald, 96 Pine St. an old Woman who can not speak a Word of English, The Visitor found her staying with a family two doors above 96. They said she had one Son about 16 and that

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Mother and Son were going to move into the next House if they could get a little Wood, The Hon. Mr. Allen thinks it a Case that ought to be relieved, The Son to cut some Wood. Wood and Bread

127. Mary McQuiggan, rear of 26 St. James St. one of two Sisters who live together in a small Cottage, neither of the Sisters who are both old Woman have ever been married, They appear to be very decent industrious people and make their living by knitting and spinning, Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend an allowance of Wood and Bread for a month or six Weeks, as they would be able to get along after that.

128. Richard Livingston 13 Sumach St. Really a Case of great distress, Livingston is a Carpenter by trade, but during the Summer he got his heel crushed which laid him up for some time, and since then he has caught a very violent cold while working in some buildings – which has brought on a spitting of blood and both lungs are very seriously affected, he has a family of five young Children, his Wife seems a very decent respectable Woman Hon. Mr. Allan thinks that Bread and Wood would be well bestowed, for a few weeks, until it is seen if he will be able to go to Work again.

129. Bridget Hagan, 51 Berkely St. husband Wife and 8 children, husband is a tailor by trade – the Wife Washes and scrubs, The Visitor believes them to respectable people and industriously inclined, but work is very slack with them just now, The Visitor would recommend Bread and Wood for a Month or six Weeks at farthest, as he thinks they ought to get on after that, without assistance.

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Tuesday 17th January 1860.

Present The Revd. Dr. Green, Mr. T.P. Battersby

130. Catharine Rositter 121 1/2 Adelaide St in the rear, says that she is deserted by her husband, 4 Children girl 12 girl 3, two Boys twins aged 6 months. Mr. Tyner recommends Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

131. Sarah Carran, 62 Boulton St. Widow 48 years of age, Irish. R.C. one girl aged 12. Mr. Tyner recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, and Wood twice during the season.

132. Mary Fair rear of 34 Adelaide St is where they Congregational Church stands.

133. Eliza Duprey 141 Queen St West cannot be found the old 104 is, where 141 ought to be.

134. Mary French 121 1/2 in the rear of Palmers Adelaide St West. Widow. ChofEngl. 35 years of age, and boy 3 years of age, she is not fit to work on account of one of her hands being disabled, Mr. Tyner recommends her Wood 4 [pounds] of Bread and Soup.

135. Bridget Flinn 24 years old, husband deserted her, 2 Children, girl 6 and girl 4. She is filthy slovenly and looks infested, nevertheless for the sake of the children Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood once, and her will call on them again.

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136. Mary Dagherly 38. Husband in Quebec seeking work, a Carpenter Irish, R.C. a Boy 14 months old, seems to be suffering from the influenza. Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood and Bread.

137. Bridget Hase 38. Husband gone to the Country to seek Work, 2 children girl 9 and boy 2. Decent and Clean, Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread

138. Ellen Dooly, 58 George St. happens to be the residence of J.W. Birchall Esqr.

139. Elizabeth Dubberville, 11 Ontario St. husband and Wife and six Children husband a Carpenter out of Employment – Wife makes Shirts, the eldest Boy is 20 years of age, and worked at a Blacksmiths in the beginning of the Winter he is out of Employment now, the eldest girl is 15 old enough to go to service, They are not in Want of fuel, they pick up refuge Coke enough to supply all their wants, The Visitor would leave the Case in the hands of the Committee, to Work for relief.

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140. Margaret Slattery 36 McMahon St. Husband and Wife very Slatternly pair. Living in the same Shanty with the Deans two Men and their Wives and 8 children pigging it together in one filthy room 15x10!!! The Slatterys have only one child and say they are going to move at once into a Shanty of their own, The Visitor recommends that if they do make the move They might have Wood once for the husband cutting some at the House, but neither Wood or Bread without working for it.

141. Mary Lamasney, Blairs Yard Nelson St., Husband gone in the Country to seek Work, they have 4 Children, the eldest a girl of 14. The Visitor thinks that Wood might be given for and Bread for a week in ten days, but no further relief until it is ascertained whether the husband has come back.

142. Ellen Ryan, Muttons Yard Nelson St. not at home when called upon, but the Woman with whom she lodges, and who is now getting relief (Wood) from the House, did not give a very favourable account of her, It seems rather doubtfull although she has a child 18 months old, whether she ~~has~~ ever had a husband, The Visitor suspects her of carrying the Child about with her begging, and therefore leaves the Case to the Committee.

143. Wallace, is living or rather barely existing in a hovel not fit for a Stable below the bank, and almost in the Water, close to the Don Bridge, he is at present confined to his bed, brought to his present state by drink, his Wife it seems died from the same cause, The Visitor would recommend a little Bread and some Cut Wood to be sent to him.

144. Ann McPartland, The Visitor would recommend this Case to the Consideration of the Board, the husband has gone out in the Country to look for Work, She has a family of young Children, and the Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend Bread for this Week, and if the husband comes back to have some Wood to Cut.

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145. Mrs. Halloran, now getting Wood, The Visitor would recommend Bread for a fournight.

146. ~~Mary~~ Catherine McMorris, 62 Elizabeth St. Irish, ChofEngl but never attends, married. 50 years of age, no family husband in England, the Visitor is informed by the neighbours that she is an Industrious Woman but has no Work to do, and bad health has reduced her to the greatest poverty. Mr. Hobson would recommend her for Wood and Bread.

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147. Mary Ann Henderson 10 Elizabeth St. Irish ChofEngl., Widow, 42 years of age, she is an industrious clean woman, but only has one days work a Week, she says that if she had one quarter Cord of Wood she would do for the Winter, which the Visitor recommends.

148. Martha Dawson 78 Centre St. Irish, ChofEngl., Widow 82 years of age, lives with her daughter who is also poor with a large family. Mr. Hobson would recommend Wood and Bread.

149. Mary Hunter, corner of Sayer and Edward St. Irish. ChofEngl., 30 years of age, Married 3 children boy 6 girl 4 and girl 12 Months old, The Visitor saw no food in the House, except a few Potatoes frying on the fire which the Boy said they always had for dinner but no meat, they are in great distress, The Visitor recommends Bread and Wood, the husband will work for it afterwards

150. Edward Hall rear of 144 Centre St. Married 33 and Wife 23. 2 Children, girl 2 and the boy a year old, she is a very clean Woman in her House and Children, the Husband has been away for some time looking for Work, The Visitor would recommend Wood for once.

151. Lizzie Farrell (or Elizabeth) 5 years of age the Mother is dead and the Father in jail, Patrick Gann 3 years of age, the Father is dead the Mothers residence is not known, both Children were received in this Institution from the Public Nursery (January 19th 1860) and the above is all the information we know of regarding them.

Friday 20th January 1860.

Present the Revd. Dr. Green, Messrs. Battersby and R Gilmor

152. Ellen O'Brien, 40 years old, looks much older, seems very delicate, Spinster. Has palpitation of the Heart, Water on the brain, with an incredible number of other ailments: If the Doctor's report agrees with her statement, Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood and Bread.

153. Mary Kane 30 years of age, Husband the very incarnation of health strength and vigor, but quite unable to get work, follows the sailing business, 4 children boy 10, girl 8. Boy 6 and girl 2 years of age, all in excellent preservation Tolerable clean and tidy, Capt. Elmsley leaves the Committee to judge on view of the Husband.

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154. Mary Stewart no such house as 35 Richmond St. Vacant Land

155. Sophia Munro, 71 Bishop St, Widow 45 years of age; recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett as very destitute and very deserving, recommends her for Wood and Bread, The Committee will allow her Wood for once.

156. Bridget McNaughton 88 Boulton St. no such person there.

157. William Hudson 109 Boulton St. Colored Baptist, has a wife and 4 Children, the youngest only 2 months old, the Wife delicate since her confinement, at present has a little work but it is for the landlord, and goes to pay the rent, this family has been getting Bread for some time, Mr. Tyner would recommend an allowance for Wood and Soup for the season, believes Hudson to be industrious.

158. John Jackson 85 Richmond St. French descent, has a wife and one Son aged 10 (going to School) himself 36. His Wife 30. Mr. Tyner would recommend 1/4 quarter Cord of Wood to help them long.

159. Margaret Jeffrey, living with a person who takes care of what used to be Lambs Hotel. Married ChofEngl. one child, she is a respectable looking person, 23 years of age, husband 25. Mr. Tyner advises should they apply for assistance, to give them some Wood as privately as possible, as they are young people and perhaps would not like exposure.

160. Mary Fair, in rear of 28 Richmond St. 27 years of age, husband 30. 2 Children boy 5 and girl 3. Said that she was deserted by her husband, but on further enquiry, the Visitor found that he was not away, he was also told by the neighbours that is it a queer sort of a house, would also recommend Supt. to strike off the name of Margaret Byers who lives in the same House. They seem to be a bad lot back of 28 Richmond St. They are wretchedly poor, but if true what the neighbours say – they are not deserving of assistance.

161. Ellen Doody 85 George St. Widow, has one Daughter 15 years old, works at Tailoring, and she just learning the trade, seems an industrious Woman and willing to do what she can to support herself, but has been out of Work for some time, The Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend a quarter Cord of Wood and Bread for three Weeks.



162. Mary Whealan 75 North Park St. This Woman and her husband live in a miserable Cottage they have no children, the husband who is about 60 years of age was employed during Summer as a labourer, at the industrial Farm, but has been without Employment for some Months, The Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend Wood once if he works for it.

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163. Julia Fitzgibbon 63 Ontario St East. lives in a small House with another Woman a Widow who has also a family – at present the use of the same Stove, but some one has given Mrs. Fitzgibbon an old Stove which she is going to put up in her own room, she has two young Children, and her husband has left her to look for work in Scarborough, Hon. Mr. Allan thinks that a little wood would be well bestowed, but only once – if the husband comes back, and the weather should continue very cold, he might saw for some wood after the present supply is used up. (recomd. for 1/4 Cord Wood Fbr. 21/60)

163. Elizabeth Howe, in a lane between McMahon and Berkely St above Sydenham St. a Widow with four Children, all young, her husband died last Summer after a severe illness – she has had a young baby to nurse for which she was receiving 5 [dollars] per month, but it is to be taken away on Saturday, and she will no longer have the means of paying her rent getting fuel &etc. She has the charge of Mr. Beattys Church on Seaton St., which brings her in a little, and if she could get Wood once and a little bread for 3 weeks, she would not trouble the House again, she seems very respectable and inclined to help herself if she could get a Baby from the House to nurse she would be willing to take it.

164. Ann Floyd 55 Parliament St. No. 55 is one of a handsome row of dwelling Houses called Havelock Terrace.

165. Mrs. Hawkes living in a lane between Seaton and McMahon Streets, up stairs in a two story House occupied by a man of the name of McMullen, Mrs. Hawkes is a Widow with two daughters – one Married and living next to her who has a large Family and drunken worthless husband – the other daughter is out at Service, and with her wages pays the rent and supports her Mother and her own little child as well as she can, Mrs. Hawkes herself suffers from a very bad disease in the legs, and cannot Work, The Hon. Mr. Allan thinks that a little assistance would be well bestowed.

166. Catharine Berrigan, McMahon St. husband and two children – the husband she says has a sore leg, nevertheless The Hon. Mr. Allan would only recommend them for wood once, and that upon condition that he comes and saws it.

167. Bridget Kelly 101 Berkely St. a very decent Woman, Visitor thinks that she had Wood once, he would recommend her for a quarter of a Cord and no more she used to sell a few things in the Market and as she has only one child – she ought to be able to do something for herself as soon as the mild Weather comes.

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168. Eliza Burns 315 Queen St east a Widow has one Child a girl 17 years of age out at Service, getting 3 [dollars] p [per] Month – out of which she pays 2 [dollars] p [per] month rent for her Mother, Mrs. Burns is old and not able to do much, and the Hon. Mr. Allan

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would recommend, 4 [pounds] of Bread p [er] Week for 3 weeks. She is very anxious about wood but the Visitor knows her to get Wood from St. Pauls R.C. and before the Visitor could recommend her for any from the House he would like to know if she gets any now from the Church.

169. Catharine Kane and Eliza Nitts next door to 315 Queen St., east two Widows living together, Mrs. Kane has 3 children eldest a Boy 17. gone to St Lewis [St. Louis] girl 13 at Service with Mrs. R. Tully for her Board and Clothing – girl 8 at School, Mrs. Nitt has one child – a little girl, The Visitor does not think it a very extreme Case, but they might have a quarter of a Cord of Wood between them once.

170. Mrs. Daly, living in a back lane off Duchess St. South side nearly opposite the grave yard, Husband and Wife and two young Children, The husband has an affection of the Head, which I believe really incapacitates him for anything except the lightest work. Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend them for Bread for 3 Weeks.

171. Anne Reddekens 46 Caroline St. Husband and Wife and two children Husband gave and on Yonge St to look for Work, a little Bread for this Week and the Visitor will report again upon the Case.

172. Bridget Stack has a husband and family shortly from Hamilton she applied for relief, the Committee refered her back to Hamilton.

173. John ~~Cullen~~ Cullen 7 years of age sent to the House by Mr. Gurnett P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken care of the Mother being sent to Jail. January 25/60

174. William Galligan 120 York St. Irish. R.C. 52. Wife 40. two Children Very independent did not want to be visited, as her husband would have to work for what they got and she was able to pay for Wood and Bread too -- so said she. Mr. Tyner recommends nothing.

175. Bridget McNulty, Widow, 38. Irish. R.C. has one girl 7 years of age. Mr. Tyner recommends 2 quarter Cords of Wood for the season and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [er] Week.

176. Simon Hoare 141 1/2 Adelaide St. came in lately from the Country, has no person but himself to provide for, Mr. Tyner recommends that he should go back to the Country.

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Present Messrs. William Mathers and E. Hobson.

177. John Power, 105 Queen St. Irish R.C. 64 years of age, Wife 57. Two children one 6 years the other seven months old, Mr. Tyner thinks they deserve to be assisted he is willing to work for it, a little Bread as well. Mr. Tyner found out after wards that Power had been empty'd all the year, and plenty of Wood stowd away under the Bed.

178. Johanna Whalan 38 Boulton St. Irish, R.C. 19 years of age, has one young child, husband 55, Mr. Tyner would recommend 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and Soup for about 6 weeks.

179. Widow McBrown, Front St. in a Shanty, appears to be a decent elderly Woman no family with her, in Summer she can procure a living by selling Apples, shares a Stove with an old Man and his Wife previously, very poor, The Visitor recommends Wood turn about between them.

180. Alexander Stewart an inmate, left the House, January 25th on his own accord.

181. John Lewis, 21 Centre St. Colored, no Church. Says he is married, 27 years of age the Visitor found him on a kind of Bed in a dark Corner of the room whit [with] a white Woman whom he calls his Wife, while other white woman and Colored boys and girls were in the same room. The Committee is left to decide on the Case.

182. Sarah O'Neill, 12 Albert St. Irish R.C. Widow 51 years of age, no family to do any thing for her, she is clean and industrious not able to obtain Employment cooks at the same Stove as Bridget Purcell, Visitor recommends the two to have Wood turn about.

183. Margaret Brown, Osgood St Corner of Park lane Colored, Methodist, Widow 40 years of age, no family works as a Laundress, she appears to be a clean industrious Woman, the Visitor would recommend Wood for once.

184. Eliza Thompson 195 Park lane. Irish, Methodist Widow. Husband dead 5 weeks, four Children, boy 3. girl 7. boy 9 and a Boy 11 years of age she says she has no means, has tried to get some Washing, appears clean and industrious, The Visitor would recommend her for Bread only as she has had a half price ticket.

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185. Martha Jones 202 Centre St. Colored, M. Church, Married 36 years of age, 3 children, boy 8, boy 3. girl 1 year of age, husband a lazy worthless Man on account of which she and the children have left him, she is a clean industrious Woman, and the visitor would recommend her for Bread.

186. Sarah Hensy 184 1/2 Centre St. English, ChofEngl. Married, 34 years of age 5 Children, boy 12. Boy 10. Girl 7. Boy 2 and a girl 1 year of age, The husband is confined to his bed with Rheumatism of the Chest. They are clean and industrious. The Visitor would recommend Wood once and Bread for one Month.

187. Ann Wyatt 132 1/2 Sayer St no such number to be found.

Friday 27th January 1868 [1860].

Present Messrs. William Mathers and E. Hobson.

188. Nancy Boyle 312 Queen St East, The Hon. J.W. Allan has given her some employment which will keep her for a Week, if she is in want afterwards, he will refer to her Case again, (husband cut Wood for a quarter Cord.)

189. Edward Ceary 45 Princes St. He is bad health and unable to Work, but the Visitor has given Cearys Wife some knitting which will enable them to buy some Wood at half price, and so keep them of [off] the House for the present.

190. William Kerby, near of No. 8 Power St. has been out of Employment for some months, his Wife does odd jobs when she can get them, they have five young Children at home, The Hon. Mr. G.W. Allan, would recommend one quarter Cord of Wood only (to saw for it)

191. Ann McNab, 45 Princess Street, The Visitor would recommend this Case to the consideration of the Committee, she has a very young Baby, who is very ill, the husband has been out of Work, and would be glad to saw Wood, if he was allowed some for it.

192. Margaret Galvin no fresh assistance at present.

193. James Fitzgerald 94 Pine St. no further assistance just now. (recomd. for 1/4 Cord of Wood if they saw for it husband to cut Fbr. 21/60)

194. Margaret Mead 101 Beech St. has been confined since the Visitor last call, her husband is a miserable creature in bad health, The Hon. Mr. Allan directed him to be in attendance at 3 OClock to day to see the Doctor and if he is pronounced ~~with~~ unable to saw Wood, the Visitor would recommend that some be given to him as they are in great distress.

195. Mary Gilkinson, McGill between Seaton and McMahon St. The Visitor has no recollection of visiting them before however he requires better direction, as he can not find her.

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196. Michael Cahill, The Hon. G.W. Allan would recommend him for Wood by Cutting some, and 6 [pounds] of Bread, and he will report upon his Case.

197. Jane Conner Hickmans lane York St. Married, Irish. R.C. 22 years of age, husband 24, she says her husband is away getting on for 3 months, the Neighbours say if he is away at all it cant be more than two or three Weeks, she has 2 children 4 and 2 years of age, Mr. Tyner leaves the Committee to judge for themselves

198. Elizabeth Chartman 116 1/2 King St. West. Widow, ChofEngl. 38 years of age, has one girl 10 years old. She has been in the Country for a short time for the good of her health. Mr. Tyner would recommend one quarter Cord of Wood.

199. Mary Stewart 70 Richmond St that is the Residence of Mr. Bonds the livery stable man (see 154)

200. Jane Curran 396 Adelaide St. Mr. Tyner recommends that she have her Wood for the season.

201. Jemima Carr Mr. Tyner says that she was not recommended for any permanent relief, she and another Woman live in the same room, had one quarter of Wood for Christmas, but deserve nothing more.

202. Mary Girvin, to be continued on the Wood List for the season

203. Margaret Gormley, Mr. Tyner recommends that she should have her Wood all the season.

204. Mary Finlan 43 Stanly St. professional Beggar

205. Ellen Lahey 53 Stanley St. no such party at 53 Stanley St.

206. Mary Collins 82 McGill St. Wood only ~~and only once more~~ and Bread Continues

207. ^Mary^ ~~Ellen~~ Carroll 66 Stanley St. Wood only and only once more.

208. Margaret Dwyer 50 Bond St. Husband able to provide.

209. Ann Walsh 79 Stanley St. Discontinued

210. Ellen Healy 193 Stanley St. No such number on Stanley St.

211. Mary Halloran 66 Stanley St. Wood only, and only once more.

212. Mary Kelly 64 Stanley St. Wood only and only once more. was given

213. Mary O'Neill 30 Victoria St do. [ditto] do. [ditto] do. [ditto]

214. Mary Ann McCarty 40 50 Bond ditto] do. [ditto] do. [ditto]

215. Ann Wilson ~~40~~ 50 Bond St. do. ditto] do. [ditto] do. [ditto]  
216. Johanna Ryan 5. Gerard St. do. [ditto] do. [ditto] do. [ditto]  
217. Ann Tonan 67 Richmond St east do. [ditto] do. [ditto] do. [ditto]  
218. Mary Stewart, No such number as 44 Richmond St east Vacant Land there. See Case 154.

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219. Ann Wyatt (See Case 187.) 132 1/2 Sayer St English. ChofEngl. Married 50 years of age, 2 daughters in Service [dollars] 3 1/2 per month each, the husband 60 years of age in bad health has not been able to work for some years past. They appear clean and reputable. The Visitor would recommend Wood for two Months. Church of England  
220. Mary Berny ~~26 St.~~ Albany St. The Visitor could find no such Street.

Tuesday 31st January 1860.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and R. Cathcart.

221. Ann Waters 24 years of age, husband 25, no Children, they came up from Kingston about 10 days ago, spend all their means, and apply here for relief, the Committee cannot relieve such parties, recommended to go back to Kingston.  
222. Margaret Bennett 47 Boulton St. Married, Irish. R.C. 27 years of age, has two Children one 14 Months, the other 3 Months old, the husband's health has been very bad last Summer, consequently was unable to make any provisions for the Winter, Mr. Tyner recommends some Wood, husband to saw Wood for it.  
223. Ann M. Kewin, a Widow lives in a Shanty on Front St. she makes a living in Summer by selling Apples, she only wants Wood, and the Revd. Mr. Kennedy would recommend her for that.  
224. Anne McPartland, 301 Queen St east, has been previously reported upon the Husband had gone out in the Country to look for Work, and she was recommended for a little Bread, intending upon the husband's return to send him up to saw Wood. He has not yet returned, and as she has a family of young Children, The Visitor would recommend her for 6 [pounds] of Bread for this Week, and if the husband comes back The Hon. Mr. Allan will send him up to cut Wood – if not he will her give her knitting enough to pay for a quarter of Wood.

225. William Jennings and his Wife, at present living at No. 98 Caroline St. Jennings is a Stone cutter by trade, but has been in Hospital with Erysipelas from April to September last, he has only had 3 Weeks work since, the people they live with give them (for the present) their Lodging for nothing, the Wife appears to be a very decent Woman, and willing to do anything for a livelihood, The Visitor would recommend his being allowed to saw Wood once (1 quarter Cord) and Bread 4 [pounds] for two Weeks, by that time there may be a chance of his getting work. See report St. Davids Ward. Recommended to be kept on the Bread List until the middle of March.

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226. Edwards should a Man of that Name from 94 Pine St. apply to saw Wood The Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend him to be allowed to do so once.

227. John Cracknill 142 Elizabeth St. English. Married. 25 years of age one child 6 weeks old, he was not at home when the Visitor called, his Wife a Woman about 21 years of age who told their circumstances – after which a Woman in the same room commenced to abuse the Visitor and the Managers in unmeasured Terms saying that she know a great many families in that neighbourhood who are drunken worthless characters, who are receiving relief from the House – The Visitor then informed her that after – what she had stated, he could not recommend the family for relief, until she gave the names of these drunken people, and proved her statement to be true, or withdraw her assertions, he (the Visitor) therefore recommends that nothing be done for them for the present.

228. Mary Fitzgibbon is not known at the No. 26 Elizabeth St.

229. Catharine Pinstone rear of ~~252~~ 218 Elizabeth or Sayer St. the highest Number in each St. is 242. She lives at the rear of 218 Sayer St.

Friday 3th February, 1860.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart and E. Hobson

230. William Farrell 8 years of age, Mother dead, Father somewhere, has been living with Mrs. Thompson who is his Aunt she is herself a Widow with four children to bring up, she cannot support him any longer and therefore has given the Boy up the House, he is Brother to Elizabeth Farrell see Case 151.

231. Jane Murray has been an inmate several times she was readmitted again

232. Mrs. Gilkinson, Lane of [off] McMahon St. Widow with four Children, the eldest a Boy of 18 is ill in the Hospital with small pox, Mrs. Gilkinson supports herself by washing scrubbing and sewing, but has been very unwell lately and not able to work, The Visitor thinks that she is one of those who make the worst of their troubles, but still he would recommend her for a quarter Cord of Wood once, but once only.

233. Bridget Delohery Corner of Queen and Nelson St. in a lane back of the Tavern on the Corner, her husband had his back injured by the earth falling in, in a drain, in which he was working last Summer, and is still unable to work.

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They have a large family of young children and the Visitor believes she is an industrious Woman, and he thinks if Wood would be given to them now once, would be all they require perhaps 6 [pounds] of Bread for a fortnight.

234. Anne Kyle, in a Cottage rear of a vacant Lot between McMahon and Berkely St. near Hall the Builder, Her Husband is a glazier by trade, but met with a bad accident to one of his arms, and has been out of Work for some time, they have five children, and are at present in great want of Wood The Visitor believes she got Wood 3 Weeks or a Month ago, but the Shanty in which they Live is a mere shell and frightfully cold, and he would recommend them one quarter more.

235. Mary Ann Mathews, ChofEngl. No.. 5 Richmond St West. Married, says her husband is away, she has one child four Weeks old, the Visitor requires character from some respectable person before he can recommend her.

236. Ellen Perkins 97 Richmond St. West, Widow, English. ChofEngl. aged 60. She thinks that after a short time she will get employment as nurse, The Visitor recommends her for Wood.

237. Judy Kelly 53 Boulton St. Married, Husband almost Blind, aged 40, one Child 4 years of age, Irish R.C. This Case moved from St. Davids Ward into St Andrews, and the Visitor recommends that she should have the same as she had in St. Davids Ward. Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

238. Catharine Johnston 48 Scott St. husband away on the upper Lakes, a Sailor She is 42 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl, has no children, but complains sadly, about having the Rheumatism which prevents her from doing much.

239. Johanna Flavan and her husband live in the same room as the above, he is out of Employment, they have all their Children out, with the exception of one Boy who cut his finger and had to leave his place through it, he will take a place again as soon as he can. A little Wood would perhaps be of Service.

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240. William Bell 86 Palace St and Parliment St. he is 60 years of age, Single Scotch Presbt. he has no friends and no one belonging to him, the people with whom he lives have seen better days, but are getting poor themselves, they give house room to Bell for nothing but cannot afford to give anything else, little Wood and Bread would be of great Service, he is able to saw Wood. they say that Bell goes opposite their House on the Fair ground and piks up refuge on Onions and Stuff out of Rubbish and eats ~~them~~ it.

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241. Mary Quinn not at home when called upon. 38 Parliament St., the neighbours say, she is a quiet sober woman, Irish. R C. a Widow and one child a Boy 12 years old who is lame.

242. Julia Donnelly lives in the same House as Quinn, she was also from home when called upon, she is a Widow, from Ireland, R.C. and has one Child a girl about 9 years of age. Donnelly lives down Stairs and Quinn up.

243. Sally Johnston, east of the Lime Kilns on King St. She is a Widow 93 years of age says she, from Ireland, ChofEngl, she pays a [dollar] 1. p [per] Month to Mrs. Hays with whom she lives, gets a little Money from the Revd. Mr. Lawson and begs a little to make up, little Wood perhaps would be well bestowed, as she is a very old Woman and not able to do anything.

244. Joseph Hetheryer 29 South Park St German Protestant, he is a plasterer by trade but could not get Employment all the Summer. He and his Wife they are young people, and have 3 small children a boy 5 a boy 3 and a boy 7 months old, he is willing to cut Wood.

245. Ann Williamson on Front St No 14 opposite Gooderhams Mill, She is 35 the husband 31, From Ireland, ChofEngl. they have 4 Children a Boy 12 a girl 8, girl 5. and girl 1 1/2 years old, he has been out in the Country looking for Work, but could not obtain it, he seems to be a Man that would not trouble this place if he could get Employment.

246. Daniel Flavan Corner of South Park and Trinity St. no one knows a Man of that Name at least not there.

247. William Turner Corner of South Park and Trinity St, he is likewise not known there.

248. Martha Bennett 46 Terauley St. English. ChofEng. Married 32 years of age, one Child 2 years old. husband an accountant arrived from England about 2 Months, but met with no Employment, appear clean and respectable, but in great distress, the Visitor recomd. Wood and Bread.

249. Elizabeth Kidd 45 Agnes St. English, Wesleyan Methodist, 33 years of age, husband a Carpenter, but has not had Work for some time past. the Visitor is informed that they are sober industrious people with

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6 children, girl 12. boy 9. boy 7. girl 5. girl 3 and one 3 Months old. The Visitor would recommend Bread Wood and Soup for one Month.

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250. Catharine Pinstone rear of 197 Centre St. after the Visitor had been calling twice, he was informed that she had moved to parts unknown to her landlord, and at the same time had forgot to pay the rent.

Tuesday 7th February 1860.

Present the Revd. Dr. Barclay, Mr. James Foster and Revd. Dr. Lett

251. Francis Hackett, Wife a Confirmed Drunkard, has two children whom he wishes to have removed from evil influence, and begs the House to take them under its protection. The Committee agreed to take the two Children and that they shall not be apprenticed until the 1st April next. Margaret Hackett 8 years of age. Frances Hackett 7 years of age. ChofEngl. Hackets called for his Children on the 8th Fbr. and took them away with them.

252. Mary Morrissey – 78 Berkeley St. no Children – goes out to scrub and wash, but Complains that she can only get one days Work in the Week, and does not therefore earn enough to keep her. She lodges with another Family in Berkeley St. and has the benefit of their Stove, The Visitor does not think it an extreme Case, but if she gets a quarter cord of Wood The Hon. G. W. Allan will pay for it, and make her Work it out in Knitting, The Weekly Committee ordered that she have a quarter Cord of Wood.

253. Thomas Hawkins, Hon. G. W. Allan would recommend that he should be allowed to saw Wood for a quarter Cord. The Visitor knows him to be an industrious hard Working Englishman, has employed him from time to time during the Summer and Autumn, he and his family are in great distress, Cut a Cord for a quarter Cord

254. Bridget Rogers if she applies for Wood, the Visitor would recommend that it be given to her, and Charged to him and she will work for it in knitting.

255. Margaret Boomer, Married. Vanauly St. No more Wood unless the husband works for it, a big able man, was dismissed the Police Force for drinking, several small Children, the Wife industrious

256. Eliza Yearly. Married 5 Children., girl 11. boy 9. girl 7. boy 5. and a boy 18 months old, husband to Cut Wood for Wood.

257. Ellen Murray ~~34 36 Ontario~~ ^Eliza St.^~~East~~ St. West. old husband, nice tidy Couple to have Wood.

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258. Janet Adams, a decent young girl, suffering severely from Cold and piles, lately in Hospital, lives in a room with Mrs. OBrien in consideration of OBrien gives Adams a room, Dr. Lett would recommend that her Wood be renewed in 3 Weeks say on Tuesday, and some Bread for Adams.

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259. William Jackson. Colored gave his address as 7 Maple Lane. Visitor called there but could not get in, Sturgess lives in the House. The Visitor thinks that Jackson might do without assistance from the House.

260. Rose Morgan, Dummer St. Dr. Lett recommended them for Wood.

261. {blank} Moor a very large and respectable Family Dummer St. Dr. Lett recommends the Son to cut Wood.

262. Mrs. Bolton, Queen St West, two small Children, near her Confinement The husband to cut Wood for Wood and Bread.

263. Ann Robison, one child, lately removed from St. David's Ward to 33 Andersons lane. She lives with a family to whom she pays a certain Sum and engages to furnish her quarter of Wood, Dr. Lett can see nothing why she should not get Wood.

264. Edward Morrison, 18 years of age, born in Canada, Presbt., without any friends, he is in very feeble health, found his way to this City, was picked up by the Police wandering about, sent to this Institution for temporary Shelter by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate]. Dr. Small to try to get the Boy admitted in the Hospital.

265. James Moor 67. Wife left him and gone to England, no incumberances he is ruptured and not able to do anything for himself, English. Chof Engl. wishes to be admitted, no room at present, but to have the first vacancy. Was admitted Fbr 18/60

266. Elizabeth Farrell gone on trial with Isaak Walton of Caledon see Case 151 January 31st 1860.

267. Robert Scott gone on trial previous of being bound with John Smith of Wellesley. See Case 685 1859.

Friday 10th February 1860.

Present Messrs. James Foster and E. Hobson

268. Silvester Slather 208 Sayer St. English, ChofEngl. Married 30 years of age 3 Children, girl 5 girl 2 and a boy 6 Months old, has been in business as a Butcher, in which they unfortunately lost all their Money, they appear clean and respectable. The Visitor would recommend Wood.

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269. Susan Shepard 66 Emma St. Colored Methodist 28 years of age 4 Children girls 11 – 8 – 2. Boy 4 years of age, appears clean and industrious husband a labourer but no Work, The Visitor recommended him to Work for Wood and Soup.

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270. Ann Davis 145 Park lane, Colored, Methodist, Widow 45 years of age hard working industrious Woman when she can get it to do, The Visitor would recommend Bread Wood Soup

280. James Mullan 91 Sayer St. Irish R. C. Married 45 years of age, Wife about 38. boy 9 years of age, The Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee, To saw Wood for Wood.

281. Margaret Davis, west of Alice St. Canadian ChofEngl. Married 27 years of age, husband left about 7 months ago and cannot return as she has found out he had a Wife living when he married her, She has 3 Children by him, a boy 3 years old and twins 18 months old, she is much to be pitied, The Visitor would recommend 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, with wood and Soup.

282. Mary Harding lives in the same room and uses the same Stove as Margaret Davis, was born in the States, but lived a long time in Toronto, R.C. Widow 25 years of age, her husband was drowned in June last, 2 Children girls 1 and 3 years of age, The Visitor recommends Bread and Soup, and Wood turn about with the above.

283. Mary Hughes, 155 Sayer St. in this Case The Visitor call'd on the Revd. Dr. Green who referred him to Mrs. Hodgins who could give him no information about her, but stated it had been reported to her, that Mary Hughes was a drunkard, The Visitor would be pleased at any time to find out the report to be false.

284. Rose Foley 132 Richmond St., a young Woman Irish. R. C. rather bad sight, she told The Visitor that she had a place to go too [to], and ~~that~~ thanked him, and the Board generally for the assistance offered to her, now she comes again and says that some friend of hers will not allow her to go, Mr. Tyner does not recommend the Case again, on account of her not going to Service when offered to her.

285. Michael Wayling, 31 1/2 South Park St. not at home when called upon neither was his Wife, but a girl with a young Child in her Arms, who stops there on a Visit She said that Wayling had gone to the Hospital for Medicine as he has the ague it appears they have 4 Children a boy 7 – boy 6. girl 3 and boy 18 Months old, they seem poor – but may be a great cleaner then they are. Irish. R. C. had a half Price Ticket from Mr. Feehan, half Cord Fbr 11th

286. Elizabeth Mehan, 36 years of age, husband left her about 3 years ago, he is somewhere in Lower Canada, she is a Canadian, goes to the Methodist Church, has 4 Children girl 10 Boy 9. Boy 6 and a girl 4 years of age, She has her Mother living with her who is 92 years of age, they only have one room but it is

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clean and Comfortable pays 7 [shillings] 6 [pence] per month rent, scrubs and washes when she can get it, and has before now left her children in charge of her Mother, and gone to Service for a few Months.

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287. Ann Floyd 55 Parliment St. West Side, her husband has gone up to Collingwood to look for Work, he is a Carter and lost his horse last Summer, and has been in a great deal of distress since. Mrs. Floyd has an infant only a fortnight old, besides two other young Children, It is a miserably Shanty in which they are living and she has burnt her last stick of wood The Hon Mr Allan, would recommend her for a quarter of a Cord – and Bread for a fortnight.

288. Margaret Graydon 43 Ontario St. there is no such person living there.

289. Mary Ann Richardson, 30 years old Husband deserted 6 months ago, one Child a girl 2 years old, Washes when she can get it, Tolerably decent and Clean Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood only and only once.

290. John Boyle 55 Widower, a Son 20, hurt in the hand and unable to work says the Father, a Daughter 22 and a Daughter 14 living at home, and a girl 10 at Service for her Board and Clothing, He says he has a pain in his Chest which prevents him working, The Visitor thinks that the Doctor will be able to decide about his health, the Case to be left to the Committee.

291. Ellen Lahey 33 years of age, husband seeking Work in the Country there 3 Weeks, she expects him back every day, 3 Children, boy 9. boy 7 and girl 10 Months old Tolerable clean and tidy, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood once.

292. James Foley )

293. John Stack )

294. Patrick Finlin ) Three men well able (Capt. Elmsley says) to find their own means of subsistence.

295. Ellen Healy 24 Spinster 6 Weeks in Hospital with Rheumatism, out one Month, Parents dead, all other friends in the States, Capt. Elmsley recomd. Wood and Bread.

296. Catharine Mooney, 50 years old, Widow 11 year, a Daughter 14 sickly, Lives with Hugh Smith and Elizabeth his Wife, who are seemingly a very hard going couple, Birds of a feather, but as she ~~can~~ does not Carry any Marks of intemperance herself, The Visitor would recommend Wood once.

297. James Hayes, 37 years of age, in excellent health, the Wife at Service, no incumbrance, Capt. Elmsley cannot ~~see~~ recommend him for anything.

298. Margaret Quinlan no such person at 66 Stanley St. or in that vicinity.

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299. Arnold Ferrabee, 29 years old, since he called at the House of Industry he has gone to Owen Sound where he hopes to get Employment as Mechanical Draughtsman, Wife and two Children boy 4, and girl 1, to follow when he earns enough to send for them, clean and respectable, Capt. Elmsley judges that nothing but hard times could driven the Man to beg, that is to say if his Wife be any sample of him, he would recommend Wood once and Bread for one Month.

300. Henry Lane, 31 years old, Wife almost in state of nudity, a Boy 10 goes to the parochial school on Church St. Mrs. James Strachan pays the Boys schooling and is otherwise very kind to him and his family, Says he was injured by a fall over a pail, if the Visitor was permitted to have an opinion on that point, he would say that he was top heavy on that occasion, his looks are those of and inebriate, his antecedents are well known at the House of Industry, the Committee will please judge for themselves.

301. Jane Howell, No such number as 27 Adelaide St.

302. John Stalker, 42 years of age, Scotch. Presbt. Worked as a farm Labourer at Stradford, lately been in Hospital for a Month, with bad eyes, he was sent by the Mayor for temporary Shelter.

303. Catherine McCullen, 44 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married 44 years of age, one Child a girl years old, husband sent to jail for 4 Months for assaulting the Police. wood granted for this turn only. Feb. 14.60

304. Henry Jackman 126 Terauly St. English, Methodist Church, Married 29 years of age by trade a bill poster, 3 Children, girl 5. boy 3, and a girl 5 Months old, they appear clean and industrious, The Visitor recommends that he should Work for Wood.

305. John Fraser, 68 Elizabeth St, Scotch. Presbt. Married, 26 years of age, Labourer, one Child a year old, his Wife appears a clean looking Woman but unable to find Work, and he is not able to work for the present on account of one of his fingers being dislocated, The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread for a Month say 4 [pounds] of Bread for a Week.

306. Julia Monk 120 York St. aged 38, husband 45. Two Children boy 12 and girl 8 years of age., she has been a R.C. but says she has recently converted herself with the Wesleyan Methodist, has been recommended before by The Visitor of St. Davids Ward, but has lately come into this Ward, Mr. Tyner recommends, they should be assisted the same as before, for this month and next.

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Tuesday 14th February 1860

Present The Revd. Mr. Borland The Revd. Dr. Lett and Mr. Hobson.

307. Margaret Graydon 63 Ontario St. east. husband a ~~Taylor~~ tailor by trade – has been out of Work for some time, and has been in bad health, two daughters, eldest 16. was living in service at Port hope, but has lately returned home, and is still out of place the other ~~dag~~ daughter is 14 at home. Mrs. Graydon has also a Grandchild living with her, a Sons child the Father has gone to the States, The Visitor found them in great want. No wood, the last pound of Meal, for which Mrs. Graydon had pledged her shawl – was just finished, Hon. Mr. Allen would recommend 1/4 cord of Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread for a Month.

308. Mrs. Daly on Duchess Street, in a back yard South side of the street a few doors from Caroline St. She was recommended some time ago for a little Bread, The Visitor told her to send her husband up to the House at 3 OClock in Order that the ~~Doe~~ Doctor may see him, and if he says he cannot Work – The Visitor would recommend a quarter cord of Wood. –

309. Thomas Parker, Beech St. was recommended by the Hon. Mr. Allen some time ago for Wood, he would recommend that he be allowed one quarter more.

310. Mrs. Toby - Sumach St. Hon. Mr. Allen would recommend a little bread until he can make further enquiries about her.

311. Mary Ann Rogers. No. 4 Caroline St. Widow, 50 years of age, she is in great distress and the Visitor would recommend her for one quarter Cord of Wood.

312. Joseph Parrett, 63 Louisa St. English, Methodist Church. Married 74 years of age himself and Wife are clean respectable and industrious, and worthy of assistance The Visitor recommends Wood.

313. Mary Towns 175 Centre St. Colored M.C. Widow. 60 years of age, has been confined to her bed for some time trough [through] sickness, her Son a Shoemaker has been very ill for some time past, and not able to work, he is 20 years of age, her daughter a Widow 28 who has a son 11 years of age – The Visitor would recommend Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

314. Bridget OBrien, is not known at 161 Sayer St.

315. Laura Bell 125 Park Lane there is no such number in Park Lane.

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316. John McHenry 49 years old, Wife out begging, Son 28 in the States, Three other children at Ingersoll. Boy 8 at Service for his Board, seems to be a regular Soaker; Says he is a temperate man,



unless he can get some respectable Citizen to endorse his allegation, Capt. Elmsley cannot recommend him for anything.

317. Catharine Cadwell, 32 years old, Widow, 2 Children, girl 9 and girl 7. Sells apples, and the Visitor thinks – applies no inconsiderable portion of her salary to the grog bottle, her own asseveration to the Contrary notwithstanding, Begrimed in impenetrable Cuticles of filth, nevertheless for the sake of the little ones Capt. Elmsley would recommend Wood once only, and Wood only.

318. Margaret McKew 60 years old, husband also 60. seemingly a decent old couple, no Children, he was injured accidentally on the Rail Road last Summer, but he hopes by spring time to be able to earn something again - The Visitor would recommend Wood only and only once, he will show himself.

319. Mary Summers, 40 Widow 2 Children, a boy 10 and a boy 5. gets washing when she can, decent body in every way. Visitor would recomd. Wood once.

320. Janet Hamel 69 years old, Widow, Children all in the States except one girl, 15 at Service [dollar] 1 p [per] Month. The Revd. Mr. Barkley Knows her well, She has a tremendous red nose, which the Visitor strongly suspects cannot be sustained at such a high color except at great expense – If the Revd. Dr. Barclay will give her as good a character for sobriety, as the Visitor for the opposite Sin, judging by her looks, he will recommend both Bread and Wood, as she certainly is in a very destitute condition Whatever it arises from.

Friday 17th February 1860.

Present the Revd. Dr. Lett, and the Revd. Mr. Borland.

321. Edward Cradicotte 29 Adelaide St. 45 years of age, Wife about 40 – he is not able to do much on account of having lost the use of his limbs by Paralysis. one boy 8 years of age going to the Brothers School. The Visitor recommends them for a little Wood.

322. Ellen Blakely, Widow R.C. 32 years of age, Two children girl 7, the other 12 Months Children have the small pox. The Visitor recommends Wood 6 [pounds] Bread p [per] Week and some Soup.

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323. Mary Madden 148 Hickmans Lane York St. ChofEngl. 23 years of age, husband 24. one child nearly 2 years old, they are strangers in the Country and cannot get work, The Visitor recommends that the

Husband should cut some Wood for Wood, and to allow them a little Bread and Soup for a few Weeks, as they are very poor, to have relief for one Month.

324. Catharine Albert, Boultons Lane, 26 years of age, husband 35, ChofEngl. 2 Children, girl 5 and a Boy 3 years of age, they cannot get work, The Visitor recommends the husband for Wood by cutting Wood.

325. Eliza Lemon Boulton Lane, Chof Engl, 25 years of age, husband 23. 2 Children girl 4 and girl 2 years of age, the Man is willing to Work, but cannot get sufficient to support his family. The Visitor would recommend that Lemon be allowed to cut Wood for Wood.

326. Jane Bowes 113 Duke St. husband a Tailor by trade, has been out of Employment for some time, and has now gone up to Hamilton (where he learnt his trade) in search of Work, they have 6 children, the eldest 12 years the youngest 3 Months -- The Hon. Mr. Allen would recommend them for a quarter of a Cord of Wood and bread for a fortnight, and by that time probably the husband may succeed in getting something to do -- to have 1/4 Cord Wood for once.

327. Mary Boylan 122 Duke St. a Widow with one child, The Visitor does not think it is a Case of extreme distress, She has a Brother, a Sailor, stopping with her, who was told by the Visitor that he might go up to the House -- and perhaps they would allow him to cut Wood, and give him some in return for his Sister, but cannot be recommended upon any other Condition.

328. Isabella Wood, Blairs' Yard Nelson St. her husband has left her and gone to England, and it seems rather doubtfull wheter [whether] he is coming back again -- She has two Children, one an infant in the arms. She seems a very respectable young Woman, and if she were to get a quarter of a Cord of Wood now and 4 [pounds] of Bread for three Weeks she would not require further assistance.

329. Margaret Dolan 115 Nelson St. She was formerly in the St. James Ward No 10 Stanley St. The Visitor knows of no reason why she should not continue to receive relief, except that so far as the Wood is concerned, if she wants more, she may come and Knit for it. She has been earning a little in that way already, She is an industrious woman.

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330. Mrs. Rogers who lived formerly in South Park St. and is now gone down near the Don Station, The Visitor would recommend that she be allowed a little Bread for a fortnight.

331. William Collis, died about 4 OClock this morning (Fbr. 18th) See Case 72.

332. Isabella Anderson 55 Centre St. Scotch. Presbt. Widow 54 years of age one Son 20 years of age trade Blacksmith has had no Work for some Months she appears a clean respectable Woman, The Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

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333. Catharine Laurie, rear of 15 Elizabeth St. see former report (870. 1859). The Visitor recommends Wood once and no more

334. Rose Walsh is not known at 21 Sayer St.

335. Bridget OBrien 191 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Marrd. 40 years of age -- 2 children, girl 6 and Boy 8 years of age, husband a Labourer in good health The Visitor would leave the Case to the Committee. See 314.

336. Bridget Sullivan 11 Hagerman St. says she is the Wife of a Soldier The Visitor thinks she ought to go to Service, he cannot recommend her.

337. Bridget Hart rear of 38 James St. Irish. R.C. Married 35 years of age 3 boys. 3 -- 6 and 1 year of age, herself house and Children very dirty She says that her husband is gone in the Country to find Work, but she expects him home to day, The Visitor recommends Wood for once if he Works for it.

338. Bridget Flinn, Sent to Jail with her husband this morning (Fbr 20/60) by Mr. Garnett P. M. [Police Magistrate]

339. Bridget OHearn, Widow. 3 small Children, with whom she carries on the highly lucrative trade of Mendicant, in the pursuit of which she was when the Visitor called, he therefore cannot recommend her for anything.

340. John Rogers, 30. Labourer, Wife expecting her Confinement hourly, She takes in Washing, 3 children, boy 7 girl 4, and girl 2 years of age. Clean neat and tidy, has evidently seen better days, he will show himself, The Committee will please judge on View of the Man.

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February 20th 1860.

341. Jane Couglin 28, Widow this day, Boy 3, and a girl 4 Months old Lives No. 12 Elizabeth St. husband killed this afternoon, fell from the Roof of the Court House, Father and Mother of the husband living with the Widow, but the whole Lot were dependent upon the deceased, although not in Capt. Elmsleys Ward, he trusts' the Weekly Committee to morrow will send them some Bread and Wood. See Case 62.

342. Johanna Quigly 29 Adelaide St. Widow. R.C. 31 years of age one Child 2 years of age, Mr. Tyner thinks it would be as well to give her one quarter Cord of Wood, but no more this season.

Tuesday 21st February 1860.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth and E. Hobson

343. Margaret Coppage, Stewart St. Mr. Daleys' House, respectable, husband has been ill for some time, lungs affected, the Wife is 30 years of age and has 3 small Children, girl 6. Boy 4 and girl 2 Months old, Irish. ChofEngl. they are in Want of Wood and Bread, and the Visitor would recommend them for both, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread and Wood.

344. Mary Perceval next to the American Hotel on Front St. 60 years of age, Widow she used to live with a Son of hers, but as his Wife drinks they could not agree and the old Woman was turned out of doors, she has two rooms for which she pays [dollars] 3. p [per] Month rent to Burns the Saloon Keeper who rents the whole House she has a daughter 24 years of age living with her, not very strong, they make their living by sewing, appear respectable, Irish, R.C.

345. John McGrath 29 1/2 South Park St. Irish, R.C., he is a Stone Mason by trade about 40 years of age, Wife about the same age, 5 Children, girl 11 boy 10, girl 7 girl 5 and Boy 18 Months old, pay [dollars] 3 p [per] Month rent, the Wife says that her husband Could not earn sufficient last Summer, to keep them through the Winter. the husband was out looking for Work.

346. Eliza McCaffray 209 Palace St. 22 years of age, husband a tinsmith, deserted about 7 Months ago, and took another Woman with him, she is left with 3 Children, boy 8 girl 4 and a boy 3 Weeks old, she is not very strong, getting out to [too] soon after her Confinement, Irish. R.C.

347. Patrick Walsh 209 Palace St. husband a labourer out of Employment he has got a Cold and pains but is able to cut Wood, Wife about 30 years of age

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4 Children, Boy 12 not very wise, girl 6 girl 4 and a girl 9 Months old, they pay [dollars] 3 p [per] Month rent, and allow Eliza McCaffrey and her children to stay with them for nothing as she has nothing to pay with, Irish. R.C.

348. Bridget Farrell 65 Colborne St., 57 is the highest number. she is out of Employment at present likewise her daughter who used to get [dollars] 12 p [per] Month.

349. John Mills, in a lane between McMahan and Seaton St. The Hon Mr. Allan would recommend him for a quarter Cord of Wood, as he is a respectable man and has struggled trough [through] all the Winter without any assistance, and if he can get this quarter of a Cord, he will not need anything more.

350. Ellen Duggan, 35 years old, husband seeking Work in Town, he will show himself, Irish, ChofEngl. 3 Children, boy 12 girl 3 and girl 1 year old, gets Washing when she can. Seemingly clean and decent people, The Visitor would leave the Committee to judge the Case, on view of the husband

351. Catharine McKendrick, 33 years old, Widow, Boy 17 in Montreal, Irish. R.C. She is most fearfully afflicted with Scrofula, Arms Neck and Shoulders most dreadfully Cicatrized has a dissipated look, which corresponds with the reputation she bears of being very fond of a drop, The Committee will please judge.

Friday 24th February 1860.

Present the Revd. Mr. Scott and Mr. R Woodsworth.

352. Ann Power, 75 Caroline St. Wife from home, husband nearly blind and in very feeble health -- one child 3 years old, house tidy to all appearances deserving. To have one quarter Cord of Wood.

353. Jane Bergen No. 11 Ontario St. lost her husband 19 years ago, has a daughter who sews, but cannot get Work to do -- a Son who is absent looking after Money due him, apparently an honest hard Working Woman -- says this is her first application for relief, till now has been able to earn her living, but has lost the partial use of an arm, solicits temporary relief in Wood.

354. Julia Linch 111 Nelson St. Widow, had a family but they are all away from her, had a severe fall shortly before Christmas, which has disabled her, Room tidy, seems to have seen better days -- Her opposite neighbours stated they never observed anything improper in her Conduct.

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355. Ann Mooney, This is a poor old Cripple, and lives with her Sister Catharine, at 41 Carlton St. cornering on Church St. The Visitor has been acquainted with them for many years, and can vouch for their respectability, in every respect, he would recommend Wood.

356. Catharine Irving, living in Queen St east of Sumach St. is in great distress for the want of a little wood, her husband left her 4 years ago, and went to the States. She has two children at home, and a boy 13 years old at Service at [dollars] 3 p [per] Month. which helps to pay her rent, She herself works for the tailors shops, and appears and appears an industrious respectable Woman. 1 quarter of a Cord, would probably be all she would ever require.

357. Martin Cook 126 John St., a poor Man with a Wife and 3 children at home Cannot get Work to support his Family, did not apply for help until compelled by necessity. The Visitor would recommend a 1/4 Cord of Wood, as he is willing to work for it.

358. Thomas Courtney, rear of 17 Edward St. Irish, R.C. Married 35 years of age, 2 Children, girl 1 and girl 3 years of age, he is a labourer but finds Work very scarce, The Visitor is told, that Courtney is a steady industrious Man, but very poor, recommended to work for wood.

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359. David Weir rear of 80 Sayer St. there was no person in the House when the Visitor called, but he was informed by the Neighbours that he is a Married Man and no children, the Committee to judge for themselves.

360. Sarah Graham, rear of 26 Agnes St. Irish ChofEngl. Married 26 years of age 2 Children, boy 2 years and a girl 7 Months old, husband gone in the Country about 2 Months ago to find Work, has not heard from him since, appears a clean industrious Woman, The Visitor would recommend Bread and Wood for a Month.

361. Ann Jane Lewis 57 1/2 Terauly St. she was not in when called upon, The Visitor observed two very smart young Ladies in the room, and what he learnt by the Neighbours, he cannot recommend her for relief.

362. John Cracknell rear of 17 Edward St. English, Married 30 years of age, one child 2 Months old, The Visitor was informed that he is a sober industrious Man, but cannot get work, would recommend that he should cut Wood once for Wood.

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363. John Linton 60 years of age, from Ireland, ChofEngl, about 5 years in Toronto, he was sent to the House by the Mayor with a request to be admitted if possible, he was picked up in a yard where he had fallen half a dozen times in trying to get from some hovel where he had taking shelter for the night, his feet are both badly frost bitten, Admitted.

364. William Charman, from Barrie applies for relief recommended to go back.

Tuesday 28th February 1860.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

365. Ann Clark Widow 165 Queen St. Irish. R.C. moved into St. Andrews Ward from St. Johns' Ward, The Visitor recommends that she should get the same as before

366. Jane Latham, next to 133 Queen St. West. could not be found.

367. Patrick Lafferty, 484 King St. West, a poor old Man aged 70, lives with his Son a Married Man, who is willing to do the best he can for his father but has been out of Work the most of this Winter, The Visitor would recommend a little Wood for the old man.

368. Bridget McCarty lives in a lane east of Parliament St. south of King a Widow with 3 children, a grown up Married daughter lives with her, she has a Child it is said to be deserted by her husband, they have had the small pox in the family Visited and relieved once by Mr. Allan, able to work but cant get it, obliged to beg. a respectable Neighbourwoman assured the Visitor their Story was all right. Temporary relief might not be amiss as they are very poor. (See 124.)

369. Mary Carroll in Blairs yard Nelson St. was not in when the Visitor called, it appears was deserted by her husband in Ireland many years ago, Came to Canada with two boys who have since left her, lives with a poor but apparently decent family -- has no bed or bedding -- not having seen her the Visitor can say no more about her.

370. Michael Demasney, lives next door, the Visitor was requested by a Neighbour to visit him, his Wife died in Childbirth a day or two ago leaving 4 young Children, two are helpless -- one broken backed and the other a palsied arm, He is a Carpenter but can get little or nothing to do, apparently a decent Man, and Carefull of his family would be thankful for any assistance that could be afforded.

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371. Jane Bowes 113 Duke St. recommended for a little Wood (See 326 her husband has returned from Hamilton and is doing some Work

372. Honora McGann 41 in a lane between Parliament and Berkely St. -- cannot be found

373. Honora Mangan is gone to Yorkville to live.

374. Joanna Levatt 37 years old, husband went to the Crimean War and is supposed to have died of Cholera, 3 Children, Boy 13, Boy 11 and Boy 6 years old, Colored ChofEngl. her aged and very feeble Mother lives with her, a decent body seemingly, gets washing scrubbing and sewing when ever she can, The Visitor would recommend Wood and Bread.

375. Daniel Murphy and his Wife Mary, No. 24 Dummer St. have been practicing imposition upon the House of Industry, and also upon two of the Conferences of St. Vincent and Paul, all the Winter, alleging that they received no bread or other relief from any other source than the one, The two Conferences have therefore discontinued their relief to the parties, and have deemed it only just and proper that the House of Industry should be apprised of their duplicity: in order that such action may be taken in the matter as to the authorities of that Institution may seem meet.

376. Hannah Hawkins, does not know how old she is, a poor feeble old Creature, Widow many years, All her Children Married, and living away she knows not where. She says that if she had Wood once, she would not trouble the House any more, and this Capt. Elmsley would recommend. Wood only, and only once.

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Friday 2nd March 1860.

Present Mr. E Hobson

377. Margaret Kane, has removed from St. Davids Ward into St. Andrews Ward 29 Adelaide St. Mr. Tyner recommends that she have the same as before She is a Widow 65 years of age, (See 1017. 1859.)

378. John Allanson 49 years of age, from England, ChofEngl. came out last Summer, and during the Winter had his feet frostbitten, has no friends or relatives in the Country, no means to support himself until his feet get better. To be admitted for a few weeks.

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March 2nd 1860.

379. Dennis Shay, has again been visited by the Revd. Mr. Givens, says he wants Wood Committee cannot give any more Wood to him.

380. Mary Kelly -- was visited by Mr. Allan 2 Months ago and got Wood. her husband is a worthless Character and has returned to his friends in Lower Canada. has 4 Children, two of whom are very ill from Colds, and require her Constant attention. had a sister who resided with her and helped her, but she has gone to place on low wages. She can get little to do, and her little boy who is about 7 years old Shoeless, gathers chips. thinks of going in the Country in the Spring. Seems an industrious deserving Woman.

381. Fanny McMullan 12 Regent St. not at home when called upon, The Visitor was told they deal in Soap Grease. the Cottage they have recently taken is a neat one. The Revd. Mr. Lawson in whose parish they are, was surprised when told they were applicants for charity

382. Catharine Keary 45 Princess St. has a husband in the last Stage of Consumption he was refused admittance to the Hospital. She seemed a decent creature and begged hard for relief while her husband continued ill for she could not leave him.

383. Maria Edwards 56 Ontario St. said her husband had been a District Constable and Bailiff, has one child and is near her Confinement. House wretched. -- next neighbour says they fight, but could not say what occasioned it -- her statement that they are in want is true. Cannot give any Wood.

384. Henry Andrews 19 Britton St. between George and Caroline Streets, has a Wife near her Confinement (has provision made for the event) and one little Child. Seem decent people, but are very poor. He can get nothing to do, they desire relief.

385. Five children were sent to the House from the Mayors Office by Mr. John Carr President. Their Parents having been sent to jail as disorderlys for one Month. 2 Children of James Phair, Thomas 7 and Margaret 3 years old. one Child of Margaret Fitzgibbon, Henry 3 years old. One Child of Mary Cambridge Mary Jane 4 years old, and one of Margaret Byers, Dougal 6 years old.

Tuesday 6th March 1860.

Present Mr. E Hobson

386. Hammilton McKay, 147 Centre St. Married 46 years of age, from Ireland Presbt. Tailor by trade, 6 Children, the oldest a boy 17 from home, the rest at home, 4 girls 15 -- 12 --10 and 8. and a Boy 3 years old. recomd. for Wood.

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March 8th 1860.

387. John McShaene 55 lost an Arm, from Ireland, R.C. lately been in Hospital, applied for shelter for a Week or so, until he gets a little stronger, when he intends to go to his daughter in the Country, who is able to support him, he is allowed to stay in the outbuilding. Left March 26/60.

The Friday 9th March 1860.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

388. Rose Morgan, when informed that she could get no more relief for the season said, that she knows plenty, that got relief from the House not deserving, being always drunk and lying about, but would not name the parties that did so, The Weekly Committee would recommend, that the next time Rose Morgan applies for relief -- she be compelled to name those parties, before any assistance is afforded her.

389. James Mathews a boy 4 years of age, R.C. was sent to the House by George Gurnett Esqr., P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken care of during his Godmothers imprisonment for one Month at hard labour, for keeping a disorderly House on Sayer St. and robbing an Indian, the Godmother's Name is Mary Hood

Tuesday 13th March 1860.

Present Mr. J. Tyner and Mr. E Hobson and the Revd. Mr. Kennedy

390. Mrs. Winters applied to have a female child admitted from the Lying in Hospital the Mother having been sent to the Lunatic Asylum, the child is about 2 Weeks old, The Committee will take the child of [off] the hands of Mrs. Winters being to [too] young to be taken in the House, a Nurse will have to be provided for it, and the House to pay for it. The Mother's Name is Bessy Hanaran. Sent to Wet Nurse to Mr. Jones Elizabeth St. 2 doors from Louisa St. died March 26/60 with Elizabeth Howe.

391. Jane Turner gone on trial previous of being bound to Mr. Philips St. John of Brock. (See 944 in 1859.)

392. The two Children of James Phair, took out this day (14th March) by their Grandmother and himself (See Case 385.)

393. Margaret Brown 21 years of age, says she is a Widow -- that her husband was killed last fall by a trashing [threshing] Machine, Canadian from Harwich where she was brought up. She has two Children, a boy 3 years of age, and one two Weeks, She came to the House about 6 Weeks ago, but was not allowed to stay, since then she was Confined of her youngest Child at Mimico, to be admitted in the outbuilding until the Revd. Dr. Lett can Make some enquirys about her.

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Friday March 16th 1860.

Present Mr. E Hobson and Mr. J. Tyner.

394. Bridget Williams applied for relief (See 114) to have a loaf for to day.

395. Jane Murray, has been of late, very impertinent -- and refuses to help to do the Work about the House, which makes things very unpleasant to all in the House -- The Weekly Committee authorize the Supt. to dismiss her from the House Institution the very next time she is impertinent or refuses to do what the Matron thinks she is fit and able to do.

396. Mary Butler, left the House to take up her trade of begging (See Case 17)

Tuesday 20th March 1860.

Present The Revd. Mr. Borland, Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Thom

397. Mary Patterson, lately out of jail, where, it appears she spends a good deal of her time, being fond of taking her drops, Mr. Omrod (Missionary) who had known her in jail, recommended her for admission, as she intends to reform. According to the By Laws she is ~~not~~ ineligible for admission, and more she expects to go out and come in when she pleased. The Committee advised her to try the Magdalen House.

Friday 23th March 1860.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Thom

398. Eliza Jamison. to have a loaf of Bread.

399. Henry Howard 72 years of age, English, ChofEngl. has been an Inmate, his daughter had him living with her, thought she could provide for him, but finds she can not do so any longer, has Children of her own, and not one of the best of husbands, to be admitted.

400. Eliza Sanderson, applied for admission in the House, has been an Inmate before, at one time employed as Nurse in the House. Could not behave herself, used to get drunk, and allways made use of indecent Language Consequently had to be turned out of the House, since then spend best part of her time in jail. The Committee Knowing her case will not admit her in the House, to be allowed to stay a short time in the outbuilding.

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March 23th 1860.

401. William Dandy, 45 Irish. ChofEngl, applies for admission, he brought a Note from the Red. Dr. Lett. Dandy has been in jail -- and seven Months in the Lunatic Asylum. Cannot be admitted no room in the House.

402. John F. Bootham aged 14 years next 14th Septbr and Maria E. Eves aged 9 years next 4th of May. both Children gone on trial previous of being bound with William Henry, a Farmer, Township of Albion

403. James Gorley an Inmate wishes to leave the House leave to do so.

404. Ellen Graham about 11 years of age was sent here by G. Gurnett Esqr. Police Magistrate to be taking care of, the Mother having been sent to jail. March 26/60. The Girl has the Itch in a fearfull state. (The name is Ellen Grimes not Graham)

Tuesday 27th March 1860.

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Present The Revd. Mr. Baldwin, Messrs E Hobson and J. Thom

405. The Case of Mr. Arnolds, is referred to the Revd. E. Baldwin who will enquire further into it.

406. Thomas Coulter 62 Irish, Presbt. has been 6 years in Toronto he was recommended for admission by Mr. Carr, President of the City Council The House is to [too] full at present, he therefore cannot be admitted.

407. Margaret Brown, has been for some time in the Outbuilding , applied to day to the Committee to take her youngest Child of [off] her hands, Nothing can be done for her as she gives a evasive answer to every question asked from her.

408. Margaret Burns recommended to be continued on the Bread List as before Visited by Mr. Tyner.

Friday 30th March 1860.

Present the Revd. E. Baldwin Messrs. E Hobson and J. Thom

409. The Case of Mr. Arnold (See 405) The Revd. E. Baldwin visited and explained the Case, to Committee after hearing which, the Committee Consider her the old Woman not a fit person to be admitted.

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March 30th 1830 [1860].

410. John Rogers, applied for relief, able man, has had some Casual assistance, must try to support himself without help from the House

411. David Stewart, an Inmate has a small pension, cannot agree with William Eldon (likewise an Inmate) he therefore wishes to leave the House. has leave to go. Eldon reprimanded by the Committee,

412. John Kelly. 90 years of age, English, Methodist Church. He was sent to the House by the Mayor (Mr. Carr) to be admitted if possible, he has made begging his profession for many years, both in the States and Canada. he was sent to Canada by the authorities of the State of Ohio. To be admitted for a time.

413. Margaret Fitzgibbon, Mary Cambridge and Margaret Byers released from jail to day (April 2/60) Called for their Children. Intend to go to Montreal the Children were given up to their Parents. (See Case 385.)

414. Ann Prattis about 10 years of age, sent here by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken care of, a Sister of hers and Mother having been sent to jail for a Month as Vagrants, and her Brother for theft. April 2/60.

Tuesday 3th April 1860.

Present. The Revd. Mr. Grasett and Mr. J Rowell

415. Christina McDonell 40 years of age. Widow, from Scotland. Presbt. Church, discharged from the Hospital, being Considered as incurable, Consumption No friends, looks rather wild, admitted on terms not to get drunk and to Conduct herself in a proper manner if not to be dismissed.

416. Mary Walsh 30 years of age, a Widow, No Children or friends, Irish. R.C. a Case like the above turned out of Hospital incurable being Paralyzed and Completely helpless, to be admitted for the present, and to see if she can be admitted into the House of Providence

417. Eliza Jolland to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

417 1/2. Mary Jennings recommended by Mr. Tyner to be continued on the List for her ration of Bread to have 4 [pounds] p [per] Week

418. Mary Ann Beaty to be returned to 2 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

419. Mary Madigan applies for Wood, No More Wood given out.

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April 3th 1860.

420. Mary Driscold to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread for one Month

421. Eliza West to be continued for 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week for one Month on account of her husband being ill

422. Ann OHara to have her 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, being old and friendless.

423. Thomas Devany a boy 10 years of age, was sent here by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] ^ (April 4) ^ the Boy states -- that his Step Mother brought him here from Niagara, and he was either left by accident or design. Another statement he (The Boy) makes that the Mother left him at the Sisters (Runaway from the Sisters Sent back April 6/60)

Friday 6th April 1860.

Present Messrs. J. Rowell and E. Hobson and the Revd. Mr. Grasett

424. Anne Stewart a child about 2 years old -- was brought to the House by Susan Ryan The child was abandoned by its Mother, lately a Servant at Mrs. McMichael The Father unknown, Protestant Child, ordered to be admitted.

425. Elizabeth Aldgate recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett to be continued on the Bread List, The Committee consider that she ought to do without relief during the Summer Months, her Children are grown up

426. Eliza Fanning recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett to be restored to her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, Cannot be restored during the Summer Months.

427. James Mathews see 389 his Mother and a Constable called and took him away, they are going to leave Town.

Tuesday 10th April 1860.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

428. Margaret Canning to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p. [per] Week for one Month 34 Front St. A next to Newbiggin House

429. Dolly Gane to be continued on the list for 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

430. Rebecca King to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week until she gets better.

431. Mary McKeever to be restored to her ration of [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

432. Elizabeth Pace recommended by Mr. Tyner to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

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April 10th 1860.

433. Eliza Spears recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett to be continued on the List, had relief during the Winter, must try to do without during the Summer Months.

434. Donald Robertson, wants relief, had Bread and Wood during the Winter Cannot be kept on during the Summer.

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435. David Stewart, left the House on the 3th instant said that he could provide for himself, since then he spend his pension in drink, lost his Clothes, and to day makes application to be admitted again, Committee will not admit him as it would be encouraging others to do the same.

436. John Collins, given up to his Mother Catharine Collins (April 11/60.) See Case 173.

Friday 13th April 1860.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor, J. Tyner and E. Hobson

437. Margaret Burns to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

438. Ellen Brown to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

439. Ellen Fletcher restored to 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

440. Mary Curley to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

441. Margaret Johnson recommended to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread.

442. Nancy Moor to have her 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months

443. Mary Rutherford to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

444. Ann Spilling to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

445. Sarah Miller to be continued on for 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

446. ~~Sarah Miller~~ Mary Shavana to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week

447. Ellen Healy to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week during the Summer Months.

448. Patrick Lafferty, 70 years of age, 12 Months in Toronto, Irish, R.C. applies for admission, says his Son turned him out of doors, same Son is an Engineer on the Grand Trunk, Mr. R. Gilmor wrote a note to the Son to come to some terms with his father before acquainting the Authoritys of the G.T.R. Lafferty to stay in the Outbuilding for a while. Was admitted in May. See Case 367

449. John Farrell applies for his Boy who was given up to the House by Mrs. Thompson (the Boys Aunt) during the Fathers absence, Works for Mr. Henry Stone, The Case referred To general Board. See Case 230

450. William Bell to be restored to his ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

451. Sarah Gilmor to have of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

452. Elizabeth Cobb to be restored to her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

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453. Mary McLaughlan recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins to be continued on the Bread List 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

454. Julia Malone to be continued on the List for 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

455. James Prest 9 years of age gone on trial previous of being bound with -- Patrick Cavanagh. Farmer. Oro Township.

Tuesday 17th April 1860.

Present Mr. T. B. [P.] Battersby. The Revd. Dr. Green.

456. Jemima Clements, No. 11 Garrison St. to have her allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week

457. Ann Clarke 132 Richmond St. to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

460. Robert Potts Hickmans Lane York St. recommended for all the Committee can afford to give. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

461. Mary Jane Astley 72 Boulton St. to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread as before

462. Fanny Whealan. the Neighbours do not speak favourable of her and her Daughters doings, Mr. Tyner cannot recommend her.

463. Richard Burrell, and Sarah Hardiman, The Revd. Mr. Givins recommends them for the Continuation of their ration of Bread, to have 6 [pounds] p [per] Week.

464. Ann Courtney a Widow with ~~two~~ <sup>four</sup> young Children, her husband died about 6 Weeks ago of a lingering illness, The Revd. Mr. Givins speaks highly of her as a sober industrious Woman, to have 8 [pounds] p [per] Week of Bread.

465. Margaret Jones 23 Queen St. east recommended for such relief as the Weekly Committee may think proper to render them until the 1st of June when the Visitor will again Visit and report.

466. Mary Hughes recommended until the 1st of June the same as the above. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

.467. Joseph Armstrong left the House to take a place, See his Case 769. in 1859.

468. Nathaniel McNight left the House and hired with Dr. Richardson, See Case 818/1859.

469. Ann Burns left the House on her own account See Case 677 in 1859.

470. Fanny Shaw left the House insisted upon leaving See Case 421 in 1858

471. William Farrell to be given up to his Father by order of the general Board on enquiries being made it appears that Farrell has steady Employment is sober and able to provide for his Child. See Case 449.

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472. Catharine Nolan and Child, sent by the Mayor (Mr. Carr) to be admitted for a few days, To be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a few days, enquiries being made about her it appears that she is a very abandoned Woman.

473. Patrick Murphy. The Visitor would recommend Murphy as having known him for several years; he is a feeble old Man and quite unable to earn his living. He has grown up Sons, but they can not spare from the sums they constantly dedicate ~~constantly~~ to the Bottle and the Brothel, any thing but to assist in the support of their aged Parent. If the Weekly Committee will give him a loaf of Bread p [per] Week The Visitor is certain that their bounty will be judiciously dispensed. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week

Tuesday 20th April 1860.

Present Messrs T. P. Battersby and E. Hobson.

474. Margaret Graney. Visitor recommends her to be restored to her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

475. William McDoel 50 years of age, Irish ChofEngl seeks admission, to be allowed to stop in the Outbuilding for a time, until some enquiry can be made about him, he prefers staying out rather than be in the Outbuilding, to have a loaf of Bread.

476. John Dill 75 years of age, Presbt. Irish has 3 Sons in Toronto he is recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett for admission no room at present

477. David Gradey No. 187 Centre St. has a shilling a day pension, sent his Wife to St. Lewis, spent the remainder of his pension, and now applies for admission of his two Children until next July when his pension will be due again.

477. Ellen Fitzpatrick Capt. Elmsly recommends her on account of her great age for her rations of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, her red face to the Contrary, not withstanding.

478. Ann Madden cannot be found although the Rev. Mr. Givins made every enquiry

479. Catharine Stewart recommended by the Rev. Dr. Lett to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

480. From circumstances which have recently come to the Visitors Knowledge, Margaret Jones is not entitled to the Consideration of the Committee. She refused to work at the House of a Neighbour for less than half a dollar a day and deterred [deterred] another Woman from accepting Employment under that Sum. She has also friends in New York, who have sent her Money enough to take her to that City, but she

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has spent it in dress, and other luxuries not needful, the Visitor therefore withdraws the recommendation he gave the other day of her Case and trusts she will not receive anything from the House of Industry. See 465

481. Martha Dawson, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week during the Summer.

482. Caroline Ryan to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week

483. Alice Anderson recommended to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

Tuesday 24th April 1860.

Present Messrs. H. Rowsell and E Hobson.

484. John Chadwick applied for his Son ~~John~~ ^George^ who has been in the House for some time. Chadwick has steady Employment and is able to provide for his Child. The Boy to be giving up to his Father. See Case 633. in 1859.

485. Jane Hannabridge, took a Child to Nurse from a girl who had been Confined at the Lying in Hospital, and afterwards went to a Lady as wet Nurse, where she took ill, was sent to the general Hospital and died. The Woman had the Child for two Months, was only paid for one Month, would like to know what is to be done with the child, as she cannot keep it any longer. The Mother's name is Eliza Mumphy, lived Nurse with Mr. Kieth, Child baptized by Revd. J. H. Grasett. The case to be enquired into.

486. Ellen Kerr 135 Queen St. West. Irish. Widow, R.C. 45 years of age. one Boy 6 years old, very poor, had relief last Winter, Mr. Tyner will leave her case to the Committee.

487. John Munday Fosseter yard Richmond St. 29. Wife 32 years of age, four Children, girl 10. girl 6. boy 4. and a boy 1 year and 9 Months old, Visitor did not see him, Wife says he is not able to Work on account of having his toes frozen. would leave the Case to the Committee

489. Elizabeth O'Hearn 25 Brant St. Visitor would recommend that she be restored to her ration of Bread, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

490. Mary Hanning 23 Brant St, The Visitor thinks she would not suffer much if left to provide for herself, as she is hearty and has no incumbrance will leave the Committee to judge for themselves.

491. Mary Gilkinson, has two Children, boys, one 12 and 13 years of age she is desirous of getting them provided for, through the House of Industry

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as she finds it difficult to provide for herself much less for her boys, and especially to govern them, Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Borland and Mr. J. Thom. The Mother is to bring up the two Boys next Friday for the Committee to see. The two Boys admitted April 27.

^April 25^

491 1/2. Jane Neal was taken to the Provincial Lunatic Asylum.

492. Ellen Grimes was given up to her Mother See Case 404.

Friday 27th April 1860.

Present Messrs. H. Rowsell and E. Hobson

493. Ellen Casey, whose abode is almost under the eaves of the Convent on Power St. her husband is in the Asylum, and she was from home when the Visitor called she has a bad hand and had gone to the Hospital to have it dressed. Has one Child about 18 Months old. Two young Women were in the House whose appearances were not in their favours -- There was no fire and the house wretchedly dirty . She ought to get a certificate from the House Surgeon of the Hospital. A certificate also from the Superior of the Convent that her home is an orderly one.

494. Thomas O'Leary -- in the upper flat of a House on Ontario St. without number, he has been unable to work by an affection of the Lungs -- of two years standing -- Looks miserably ill and suffers much from

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difficulty of respiration. His Wife is a tidy industrious Woman and would gladly Work if she could get it. He feels the Cold very much, and they would be glad of a Load of Wood -- which the Revd. Mr. Givins would recommend. There is no Wood to give out. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

495. Joanna Ryan 82 Caroline St. was absent when the Visitor called, her daughter a delicate girl of about 14 years -- and a young child of 4 years were at home -- a respectable Neighbour Woman informed the Revd. Mr. Givins that Mrs. Ryan was a very decent Woman and her little apartment proved it. The weekly Committee will allow 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

496. Charlotte Heath recommended to be continued on the List for her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

497. William Reetye an old Soldier, recommended by Lady Robinson for temporary admission, he has Sons in the States said that they would send for him, he produced the Letter from his Son, by reading that, the Committee found that he is a rambling old man never long at home in one

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place, if admitted to stay in the House and not allowed to ramble about.

498. Alfred Hewett the Child in Case 485. to be admitted, the statement made having been proved to be correct. The Child was sent to Elizabeth How to nurse who lives in a lane between McMahon and Berkeley St. at 4 [dollars] p [per] Month.

499. William Eldon an Inmate, had leave to go to Church last Sunday, he returned about 5 O'clock in the afternoon, the worse for drink, very abusive to the rest of the Inmates had to be turned out of doors, returned at 9 in the evening ringing the Bell in a violent manner, very abusive Language, was given in Charge of a Constable, Applied for readmission, refused as it was not the first time he behaved in that manner. See Case 857 in 1859.

500. Elizabeth Aldgate to bring a line from the Doctor to certify that she is not able to Work. May 1st Brought the Certificate allowd. 4 [pounds] Bread a Week.

501. John Stalker See Case 302. to be admitted in to the House.

502. Mary Ann Marshal to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

503. Eliza Davidson 9 years of age ChofEngl. The Mother died last Winter, the Father deserted her, the Woman she was with cannot keep her any longer directed to the House of Industry by Mrs. Grasett, admitted.

504. John and James Stewart Ran away from the House the 26th Instant it appears that they were instigated by their Mother to do so -- gave information at No. 1 Police Station this 28th day of April -- See Case 597 in 1859.

Tuesday 1st May Present M. Edward Hodgins & R. Cathcart

505. Margaret Fox 27 years Husband living has one child alive. Appeared with a Male child about 3 mo. old. which she had taken from its father Philip Burke who had paid her for some time for Nursing and Suckling the child. the mother of the child has gone off. and she is now getting no pay for its keep. and she wants the House to take the child. allowd. 6 [pounds] Bread a Week, as long as she keeps it.

506. Catharine Fitzpatrick aged 22 years Spinster One Eye entirely Blind, and the other partly so. so as to unfit her for getting her living. allowd 4 [pounds] Bread a week

507. Ellen Dowd no such person in or near 26 Richmond St. east.

508. Jane Wardsworth applied to have her child admitted a twelve Month old, advised to take it to Public Nursery, as she intends to pay for it.

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509. Bridget OBrien applied for admission, brought a Note from Dr. Gardiner Cannot be admitted as there is to [too] many in the House at present.

510. Christina McDonal, had leave to go out to see some friends on last Monday she has not returned (See Case 415.)

511. Anne Prattis or Chapman, was given up to her Mother, who brought a Note from George Gurnett Esqr. to that effect (See 414.)

512. Mary Rodgers 21 Power St. (The Revd. Mr. Givins visited) lives in the same House as Case 493, found on enquiry that they A had kept a disorderly House, but were all sent to jail for a Month

Friday 4th May 1860.

Present Mr. E. Hobson



513. Rose Johnson 115 Duke St. recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins for an allowance of Bread, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week

514. Ann Stewart applied for her Child (See Case 424) has a Situation in Buffalo able to support it. to be given up to her.

515. Rose Johnson to be continued on the Bread List for 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, She was recommended and visited by the Revd. Mr. Givins.

516. Eliza McCaffrey to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week for one Month.

Tuesday 8th May 1860.

Present The Revd. Dr. Barclay and Mr. James Foster

517. Martin Judge a poor old man nearly bent double with infirmity, he is highly recommended by Capt. Elmsly for relief. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

518. Mary Balfour, deaf and blind to a great extent, quite unable to secure her own support. Mrs. Grasett pays her rent. Capt. Elmsly recommends 1 large loaf per Week permanently.

519. Hanna Hawkins, no such person on or near 32 Queen St.

520. Catharine Kendrick, 22 Edward St. no such person living there, The Visitor was informed that she gets enough given her, to keep her,

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521. Donald Robertson, recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett, to be restored to his ration of Bread, The Committee allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week but Robertson wants 8 [pounds] or else none, did not accept of his 4 [pounds].

522. Sarah Linch 110 Pine St. a respectable old Widow in her 80th year, has no relatives, is very infirm, no means of support. a Widow also in feeble health (Ellen Gallacher) resides in the House with her and attends her. The Visitor would recommend that their allowance of Bread be continued, Sarah Linch to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

Friday 11th May 1860.

Present Mr. James Foster

523. John Dill (See Case 476) to be admitted the first Vacancy and in the mean time he can have something to eat in the House occasionally.

524. James Daly 66 Elizabeth St. applied to the Weekly Committee to know what is to be done with a Child now four Months old, which his Wife took to Nurse from its Mother Eliza Kennedy, and for which she received [dollars] 5 p [per] Month, the Mother is now in Hamilton and has not send any money for the last two Months, Daly says he cannot keep the Child any longer, referred to general Board.

525. Bartholemew Moriarty who has lost his lower right Arm, is destitute, and was taken in the Act of attempting to distroy himself from dispondency -- was sent to the House by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for temporary admission, he believes him to be a sober industrious Man, but cannot obtain Employment, Is admitted for the present hoping the Corporation may be able to find him suitable employment.

526. Sarah Ryan 91 Richmond St. east recommended by the Visitor to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. granted.

Tuesday 15th May 1860.

Present Revd. J. Borland & Givins

527. Mrs. Donoghue -- this case is referred to the general Board --

528. Margaret Doyle formerly assisted by the House. allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week

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Friday 18th May 1860

Present Rev S. Givens

529. Angelina Abrahams, (a woman about 30 years of age [illegible] incapable of taking care of herself) who came to this country in company with two other young women whose expenses were paid by Miss Louise Irving of London, & recommended by her – applied for admission. Mary Goodwin one of her companions, came to intercede for her & her case appearing so deserving the Committee decided on admitting her till a situation could be provided for her. English ChofEngl.

529. Mary McMahon, little more than two years old, was sent by the Mayor (Mr. Wilson) as a deserted child, the Mother having left it with a Mrs. Gilman to Nurse, and then cleared out of Toronto.

530. Mary Walsh, See Case 416. left this House for the House of Providence.

Tuesday 22nd May 1860

Present the Revd. Mr. Scott

No Applicants

531. Hannah Ellis, Phoebe St. The Revd. Dr. Lett recommends her for an allowance of Bread for two months, she has her Daughter's two Children to support, who is in Hospital.

532. William Langley a Child about five months old, left to nurse with Cathr. Daly, was sent this day (May 23th) by the Mayor – A. Wilson Esqr., to be admitted in the House of Industry if possible, (see Case 524) being to [too] young to be brought up in the House Supt. Sent to Wet Nurse with Mary McDonnell at [dollars] 4 per Month on the 25 of May.

Friday 25th May 1860

Present None

No applicants

533. The Male Foundling in Case 567 (1859) was sent to this Institution by A. Wilson Esqr. ^The^ Mayor, the women in whose charge it was having not behaved well to it.

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534. John Allanson left the House, is now able to go to Work. See Case 378.

535. James Dogherty, left with the intention to go to Work. See Case 746 in 1859.

536. James and William Doran 6 and 5 years of age, Sent by G. Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] they were taken in the act of pilfering some small articles, for the purpose of buying a little bread, The Father is lying ill in bed, and the Mother is paralyzed, they are in a state of utter destitution the children to be admitted . given up to the Father June 26, by a request from P. M. [Police Magistrate]

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537. Susan Manning taken out the House by her Daughter in Law who intends to support her in future. See Case 605. (1859)

Tuesday 29th May 1860

Present Mr. E Hobson.

538. Ann Jane Bagly about 5 years of age, ChofEngl. Recommended by Mrs. Grasset for admission to the House for a time – as she is running wild in the Streets. The Mother a widow has been a respectable Person, but has gone astray, and is now confined with twins born on last Saturday. The Girl to be admitted.

539. Thomas Bagly about 9 years of age, Brother to the above – was likewise admitted, but climbed the Fence and ran away the same day.

Friday 1st June 1860

Present Mr. E Hobson

540. Ellen Casey see 493. Applied for relief, Cannot have assistance during the Summer Months.

541. John Dile admitted on condition that he makes himself general useful See his Case 523.

542. Joseph Alexander 50 years of age, Canadian, Methodist Church, comes from the County of Brent [Brant], seeks relief, advised to go back to Brent [Brant].

543. William Eldon (See Case 499) seeks admission again, The Committee knowing that he often disgraced himself, by being drunk, and being sent to Jail, will not admit him again. See Case 499.

544. Thomas Shanahan 28. Irish, R.C. Married, one Child 3 months old. He is Consumptive, was refused admittance in the Hospital,

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Recommended by the Mayor (Mr. Wilson) for admission in this Institution, the Wife has a place as Wet Nurse with Mrs. Whitehead gets [dollars] 8 per month and pays [dollars] 6 for nursing her own child. Shanahan is to be admitted.

Tuesday 5th June 1860

Present Mr. E Hobson

545. A Gentleman made application, and likewise brought a Note addressed to the Board from Mr. R. Woodhouse for the admission of a Cripple subject to fits – he may be found sitting on the Corner of Toronto and Adelaide St. his Mother is with him, supports himself and Mother by begging, he is about 30 years of age, they arrived in this city from Hamilton about 3 weeks ago. The committee consider that he ought to be sent back to Hamilton, and for them to support them.

546. Edward Byrne (see Case 474 in 1859) left the House as he can make a very good living out.

547 Christine McDonnell died this day (June 6th) of consumption. See Case 415

Friday 8th June 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

548. Bridget Driscoll applied to her ration of bread continued, referred to the Visitor.

Tuesday 12th June 1860

Present Messrs. W. J. MacDonell and J. Tyner

549. Ann Courtney a widow 28 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. she has four young Children the oldest Boy is in the Boys Home, she is desirous to give the next two up to the House to be apprenticed out according to the rules, Eliza Jane age 5 years and William aged 2 years, The Children belong to the Ch of Engl. The Committee agreed to take the Children in the House as the Mothers thinks she can make a living for herself and baby.

550. William Eldon made his appearance again to be admitted, the Committee referred his Case to the general Board. See 543.

551. Joseph Hall a Boy near eleven years of age, was brought back to the House by Robert Gallagher, with whom he has been since the 26th Fbr. 1858 Gallagher was ordered by general Board to return the Boy to the House. June 14/60

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Friday 15th June 1860

Present Messrs W. J. MacDonell and J. Tyner

552. Timothy Harrington, formerly an inmate, has a wife and two young Children, complains that his Wife is not kind to him – and beats him some times – begs to be admitted in the House, The Committee consider he ought to make his living during the Summer, but to call after a time – and if more room in the House, to be admitted.

553. Mary Caruthers, referred to Visitor of the Ward.

554. William Gilkinson gone on trial with Mr. William Cap Campbell of Mono, to learn the Trade of a Tanner and Currier.

555. Johanna Stuart gone on trail with Mr. John Wilson of the Village of Oshawa. June 16th 1860.

Tuesday 19th June 1860

Present Mr. J Thom and Mr. E. Hobson

556. Mrs. Courtney to have a loaf of Bread for the present.

557. Thomas Shanahan, see Case 544. Died this day of Consumption.

558. Frederick Gilkinson gone on trial with William Osborn of Oro. Jun20/60

559. Ellen Rogers. (See Case 695 in 1859.) died this day of debility, she was 83 years of age.

Friday 22nd June 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

560. Mary Carruthers 24 years of age, Married, Irish, R.C. one Child 7 months old, wishes the House to take it from her for a time, as her husband left her to seek Work. The Committee Consider that she ought to provide for her own Child, being a strong able Woman.

561. Jane Henning, applied for the admission of a female Child – which she took to Nurse from Mrs. McCarty (the Childs Mother) who afterwards cleared out of Toronto and not paid for the nursing of her Child. Jane Henning says she cannot keep the Child any longer, The Weekly Committee refers her Case to the General Board, and advise her to make some enquiries about the Mother in the mean time.

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562. William Cowan 9 years of age gone on trial with David Whitson Farmer of Osprey

563. Bridget Driscoll, living in Dolly Ganes House, Corner of queen and McMahon St. widow with 3 Children, one is apprenticed to a farmer, the other two (girls) quite young and living with the Mother, Driscoll has been receiving assistance from the House, as she seems a well disposed industrious person the Visitor thinks she might continue to receive the smallest allowance of Bread. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. To have wood Debr. 31/60

564. Mary Maxwell 86 George Street. The Visitor has visited, but does not altogether Consider her a Case to get relief from the House of Industry. See report St. Davids Ward.

Tuesday 26th June 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

No applicants.

565. James Salmons, 70 years of age, Chof Engl. A Native of Halifax N.S. many years in Canada, No friends or relatives, very bad with the Dropsy, has been dismissed from the general Hospital as an incurable – has been recommended to the general Board for admission, to be admitted subject to the Doctors opinion. Admitted

Friday 29th June 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

566. Margaret Burns, an old Woman, had a Child about 8 months old, left with her, by one Catharine Collins (Mother of the Child) she was sent by the Mayor with a Note purporting to have the Child admitted in the Institution, admitted.

567. Margaret Mahon to be restored of her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

568. A letter was sent to the Committee by Mr. John Ball J.P. [Justice of the Peace]. of York Township requesting admission for one George Levar of the same place, he is represented as decrepit [decrepit] by infirmities and totally destitute, The committee consider that it would be an act of injustice to the City to admit people from the Country, as every Municipality should provide for their own poor.

569. Mary Shavanna 132 Richmond St. 27 years of age, 3 children 6, 4 and 2, Irish R.C. deserted by her husband, Mr. Tyner recommends 6 [pounds] pf Bread p [per] Week.



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570. Margaret Hanrahan 132 Richmond St. Widow 40 years of age 5 Children boy 14 living out, boy 9. girl 7, girl 5 and baby 2 months old, Mr. Tyner would recommend her to the Committee for relief. to have 4 [punds] of Bread per week.

571. James and John Maley, two children sent here by G Garnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken care of during their Parents Confinement in jail. See Case 96.

572. David Stuart see Case 435. Admitted again by general Board June 17/60

573. Thomas Blaney, application was made to the general Board to get his Wife admitted in this Institution, the Board authorized Mr. E. Hobson and the Medical Officer to visit and enquire into the Case, they have done so and advise – that she better stop with her husband, and allow them a little more out door relief to what they were getting before.

Tuesday 3th July 1860.

Present Mr. J. Rowell.

No applicants.

574. William White an inmate, left the House with the Intention to get somewhere to the Salt Water, being in hopes that it will improve his sight, as he is nearly blind.

Friday 6th July 1860

Present The Revd. H. J. Grasett.

No applicants.

575. A Male Child deserted by its parents and has been for some time out at Nurse at the Expense of the City, The Mayor. A. Wilson Esqr. wishes this Institution to take it off the hands of the Corporation if possible, Admitted by Weekly Committee June 22/60,, Medical Officer advised to let it remain with the Woman that has it to nurse, as it is only 4 1/2 months old and has the itch, to remain with Mrs. Hale 144 Centre St. at [dollars] 4.00 per month.

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Tuesday 10th July 1860

Present Messrs. R. Gilmore, J. Doel and J. Thom

576. Charlotte Fraser 31 years of age English. Chof. Engl. has been in Canada fourteen years, husband left her seven years ago, she since lost her Eyesight, has a Mother living in Yorkville, but cannot assist her-

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she was recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins as a proper Case for admission. Admitted by the Weekly Committee on account of being a resident of Toronto.

577. Alfred Hewitt a child out at Nurse with Elizabeth How on Berkley Street died this morning of inflammation of the Lungs. July 11th. See Case 498.

578. William Adair died this morning at 3 O'Clock about 3 years and 6 months old. See Case 750 in 1859. Brother to James.

Friday 13th July 1860

Present Messrs. R. Gilmore and J. Doel.

579. Mary Thompson 26 years of age was married and lived in George Town, husband left her, came to Toronto on the 11th instant. with a baby about 3 months old, she now applies to have her child taken from her by the Institution, her story was not very straight forward, The Committee recommended the Public Nursery , as the House cannot do anything for her.

Tuesday 17th July 1860

No committee

580. Jane Jarvis nearly 3 years of age, was left a twelve month since by its Mother with Mrs. Thompson of Queen St. to whom she paid one Months nursing in advance, and left Town, has not been seen since,

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Mrs. Thompson's husband is gone to the States where he is at Work, and she is ~~gone~~ to follow him, has a family of young Children of her own, applies to the House to relieve her of said Jane Jarvis, bought a Note from the Mayor to the same effect. To be admitted.

581. Angelina Abrahams, asked leave to leave the Institution, as she is desirous of becoming an inmate of the Magdalene Asylum, See Case 529

Friday 20th July 1860

Present Mr. E Hobson

582. William Davidson a boy 7 years of age, and an Inmate in this House, his Mother an Inmate also applied for leave to take him to the Orphans House, as there is a vacancy, allowed to do so.

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July 20th 1860

583. Catharine Smith 20 years of age, applied to have her illegitimate child admitted which is about 11 months old, The child is colored and The Mother is White Woman, The Committee Consider that she ought to work and support it herself, will therefore not admit it.

584. William Coll, a deaf and dumb Boy, formerly and [an] Inmate of this Institution, and now at the deaf and dumb Institution, their Summer Vacation has commenced, the Boy has no place to go too [to] during that time. Dr. Morris applied on his behalf to see he could be taken in this House until their School commences again. To be admitted.

585. Eliza Spears recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett, to be put on the Bread List again. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread [per] Week.

Tuesday 24th July 1860

Present Messrs. H. Rowsell and E Hobson

No Applications

586. Thomas Wilson, Married not living with his wife, about 55 years of age, from North of Ireland, Chof Engl. He is in the last stage of a Loathsome disease, his Case was decided upon last general Board Day that he should be admitted in the Outbuilding, if the Doctor thought him a proper Case for admission. The Medical Officer visited- and advised to take Wilson in, as he is a Case that would be objected too [to] in the Hospital, admitted in the Outbuilding. died July 28/60

587. A Female child about 4 weeks old was sent to the House by A Wilson Esq. Mayor, to be provided for, it was found in rear of Mrs. Johnsons place who lives on Queen Street and Spadina Avenue, the Child being too young to be brought up in the House, Supt. Sent it to Mary Ann Coulter back of 144 Sayer St. to Wet nurse. (July 25) approved of by weekly Committee.

588. Elizabeth Kidd, 33 years of age, Married, English. Chof Engl, husband gone to the States to look for Work, 6 children, the oldest 12 years of age, youngest 8 months, The Visitor would recommend 8 [pounds ] of Bread per Week until husband is able to send for them. To have 8 [pounds ] of Bread.

589. Mary Ann Davidson, and Inmate left the House to see a daughter at Belleville, where she intends to live in future, July 26th.

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July 27th 1860

Friday 27th July 1860

Present Mr. E Hoban.

No applications.

590. John Durose admitted in the year 1855 Case 245. Left the House this day to look for work. July 30/60

Tuesday 31st July 1860

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart and E. Hobson

591. Johanna Lovatt applied for relief, to have a Loaf of Bread for the present.

592. Ann Jane Bagly was taken away by her Mother. See Case 538.

593. John Hinch. Left the Home on his own accord, See Case 357 in 1858.

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Friday August 3rd 1860

Present Robert Cathcart, E. Hobson

594. Mary Jones applied for relief, to have a loaf for the present. See Visitors report Case 480.

595. Martin Cody left the House to be an Inmate of the General Hospital.

596. John and Thomas Ms. Dowell two boys sent to the House by Mr. J Carr, Presiding Magistrate, their Mother having been Committed to Jail for 14 Days.

596. Angeline Abrahams, was readmitted again as an Inmate See Case 581.

597. Charlotte Fraser left the House to reside with her friends in the Country who will if possible support her altogether. See Case 576.

598. A Male Child about 3 years of age was sent to the House by Alderman John Smith, the Mother Catharine Ryan having been Committed to jail for a Month, and the Child having been left destitute, admitted for the time.

Tuesday 7th August 1866.

Present Messrs. Wm. Foster and E. Hobson.

599. Ann Willoughby 57 years of age. English. ChofEngl, no Children at home, recommended by Dr. Beaven, she is to have a loaf of Bread for the day, but cannot be put on the Books during the Summer Months

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August 7th 1860.

600. George Gillan a boy 4 1/2 years of age, gone on trial previous of being bound with Murdoc McDonnell, Township of King.

601. Mary Ann Robertson about 3 1/2 years of age, gone on trial, to John Irwin of City of Toronto. If they like the Child they will adopt it as their own.

Friday 10th August 1860.

Present Mr. James Foster and Mr. E Hobson.

602. Ellen Connell a Widow with a Son 33 years of age who has been a cripple from the age of 3 years and is now almost idiotic and perfectly helpless so much so she cannot leave him to go out to work, has been in Toronto about 2 months came from Hamilton where has been living for 5 years – previous to that she has been living in Kingston where she lost her husband 22 years ago. Mr. Hobson will see the Revd. Dr. Green about the Case.

603. Charley Wilson who was to wet nurse with Mary McDonnell was taken from there, and placed to nurse with Mary Ann Coulter 144 Centre St. Mrs. McDonnell not having done justice to the child. Aug10/60. See Case 777, 1859

604. Margaret Bradly 75 years of age, a Native from Ireland and a Member of the W. Methodist church. Has been more or less a resident of Toronto for the last ten years. Broke her leg, at the hip joint last March and has been in Hospital ever since, Being incurable, she is recommended to the Committee of this Institution by Dr. Gardner for admission, she has no friends, and will have to Keep to her bed as long as she lives. To be admitted. ^In Case of Death Mr. Thomas Downey, 66 Terauly Street will attend to her Burial^

Tuesday 14th August 1860

Present The Revd. S. Givens and Mr. E. Hobson

605. Elizabeth Scott, wishes to give up her little Boy Frederick to the institution to be bound out, She lives in Service and has paid [dollars] 3 p [per] Month for the Child, but is not able to do so any longer, recommended by the Revd. Dr. Lett. Frederick Scott is 5 years of age next December, born in Canada. Ch. of Engl. To be admitted.

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August 14th 1860

606. Ellen Connell, her case to be brought before the general Board See Case 602

607. The Female Foundling at Wet Nurse with Ruth Blakely was took home in the House to day. See Case 634 in 1859.

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608. Mary Kennedy returned to the House, from James Darrough with whom she was apprenticed – on account of her incorrigible behavior, the General Board relieved Darrough from all obligations towards her. Found a place for her on the same day of her return with Mr. {Seel} King Street West [at] [dollars]2.50 per Month, and if she behaves herself to have an increase of ~~her~~ wages.

609. John and Thomas McDowell, taking out of the House by their Father, the Mother being out of jail again. August 17th. See Case 596.

Friday 17th August 1860.

Present the Revd. S. Givens and Mr. E. Hobson.

610. Mary Ann Marshall 67 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. her old husband left her again, she is in feeble health, and destitute, seek admission in to the House, She is well Known to some of the Members of the Board, to be admitted.

611. Charley Wilson at Wet Nurse with Mary Ann Coulter died this day August 19th See Case 603.

612. William Langley at Wet Nurse with Mary McDonnell died this day August 19th See Case 532.

Tuesday 29th August 1860

Present The Revd. Wm. Scott and Mr. E. Hobson, and Mr. R. Gilmour

613. Mary Dagoler 21 years of Age, from Ireland. ChofEngl. Lives at No. 222 Queen St. West. husband left her last January, heard that he was killed at some Railway accident in the States, She is in delicate health, has two Children a Boy 7 years old and a baby 5 Weeks old, recommended to the Committee of the Board by Mr. R. Gilmore. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] week.

614. John Scallan 62 years of age Native of Ireland, ChofEngl has been 15 years in Canada, has one Son married in Toronto. Seeks admission, no room at present, to be admitted the first Vacancy.

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August 21st 1860

615. The Male Child of Cathrine Collins died this day. See Case 566.

616. Deserted Male Child in Case 575. At Wet Nurse with Mrs. Hale No. 144 Centre Street, died this 23rd day of August.



Friday 24th August 1860

Present The Revd. Mr. Wm Scott

No applications

Tuesday 28th August 1860.

Present The Mayor & E. Hobson.

617. Frederick Scott was applied for by his Mother who has a place for him in the Country, See Case 605. The Committee ordered that he may be given up to his Mother.

618. Bartholomew Moriarty applied for admission in the House, he lost one hand, never the less the Committee think that he is still able to work for his living if he felt so inclined See his Case 525:

Friday 31st August 1860

Present Mr. E Hobson

No Applications.

619. John Pendleton 70 years of age, Native of England, ChofEngl. he died this day Sept 1st of Debility, he became an Inmate in this Institution January 1855.

Tuesday 4th September 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

620. Jane Hutton aged 28, Native of Scotland, Member of the Free Presbyterian Church for two years an Inmate of general Hospital, Maltreated by husband, since then so charged with Mercury that between both she cannot bear exertion, or to be out of doors, is very subject to attacks of Erysipelas, incurable, No friends, recommended for admission, to be admitted.

621. Matilda Roster aged 19. Native of Canada & member of English Church, has no friends in Canada but a Grandfather, who refuses to support her, has been more than 3 years an inmate in general Hospital, lost her Nose, which was occasioned by the errors of her parents. Recommended for admission. admitted.

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Septbr. 4th 1860

622. Elizabeth Green about 5 years of age, was sent to this Institution by George Gurnett Esqr. Police Magistrate, to be taken care of as the Parents have been Committed for 3 Calender Months to Gaol. She is to be admitted. given up to the Mother Debr 20/60.

623. Patrick Lindsey, was sent by the Mayor to be admitted in this Institution having been refused admittance in general Hospital, Dr. Gardner says all he requires is good feeding and Care. 57 years of age, Irish. Presbt.

624. William Cull, taken out by Dr. Morrison. See Case 584.

Friday 7th September 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

No applications

625. William Eldon, an Inmate, had leave to go out for a few Hours on Thursday 6th Septbr. he did not return until Sunday Morning, Superintendent deemed it necessary to keep him out until Tuesday when he can apply to the weekly Committee for readmission. See Case 550.

Tuesday, 11th September 1860.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner and W. J. MacDonell.

626. William Eldon, in Case 625. The weekly Committee will admit him on condition that he conform strictly to the Rules of the Institution, and should he in the least disregard said rules, to be discharged. See Case 625.

627. Mary Brown and [an] Inmate, and well known Case, left the House without leave on the Morning of Wednesday Sept 12th.

628. John Still an Inmate (See Case 541) left the House to live with a Daughter in law in the Country, returned the same day to the House.

629. Joseph Hall, gone on trial with Thomas Parker of King (See Case 552).

Friday 14th Septbr 1860

Present Messrs J. Tyner & W. J. MacDonell.

630. Mary McDonnell applied for relief, has had relief for some years during the Winter season, To have a loaf for the present.

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Tuesday 18th Septbr. 1860

Present Messrs J. Thom and E. Hobson

631. Patrick Lindsay in Case 623 to be allowed to stay a few days longer in the Outbuilding, and to have leave to go out and look for Employment.

632. Margaret Murray 57. Widow, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. No family, says she is not able to Work, seeks admission in the House. - stays at present at No. 25 Sayer Street. To be visited.

633. Brass and his Wife. 21 Gould Street. Had some temporary relief, is to be visited.

634. Edward Burns and his family are at present in great distress, so far as the Visitor can judge they are sober people, and a little temporary relief given to them for a week or ten days would be well bestowed, had some bread and was to appear before the Committee, but did not come.

635. Mrs. Marriott to have Casual relief until she leaves Town, say 12 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week as she has a large Family.

636. The Male Child in case 598, was taken out by Cathr. Ryan his Mother . Septbr. 20/60.

Friday Septbr 21st 1860.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

637. Mary Ann Brown (See Case 627) applied to be admitted in the House again, having committed the same offence on several occasions before of leaving the House without leave. The Committee Consider that she should bring her Case before the General Board.

638. Jane Smith the Mother of Robert Lancaster applied to have her Son given up to her, she has married again, and able to provide for him. she is to bring a line from the Clergyman that married her, to certify if she is able to provide the Child and if so, to be given up to her.

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Septbr. 21st 1860.

639. Mary Ring 33 Irish R.C. says she has been in Hospital, has a sore leg, is rather a looking Case, wants to be admitted, the committee Consider her able enough to make her own living.

640. Rachael Mesuard 87 Louisa Street, 33 years of age, 3 children, from England, ChofEngl. Husband has been in Hospital, is now at home Completely wasted, and laid up with Rheumatism. The Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] week.

641. The foundling in Case 587. died at Mary Ann Coulters Septbr 23/60

642. Jacob Cook gone on trial with James McKay of Sydenham.

643. Mary Ann Marshall an Inmate died this day of debility see Case 610. Sept 24th.

644. John Brass 69. Wife 70 years of age, only one son in the States they dont [don't] know where Very deaf subject to Rheumatism, cries out greatly, coughs awfully, quite destitute, has been in good circumstances. Committee would recommend him to the most favourable Consideration of the Committee. To have 8 [pounds] Bread p [per] week. English, ChofEngl.

Tuesday 25th Septbr.

Present The Revd. E. Baldwin, Mr. E. Hobson & Mr. J. Thom.

645. Edward Byrne has been Inmate in this Institution at five different times, twice an Inmate in the House of Providence, where he was lately dismissed on account of staying out all night, his Case was decided by general Board in June not to be admitted - is at liberty to apply to them again if he thinks fit.

646. Ann Hurly Widow 47 years of age, Native of Ireland, R. C. has four Children at home two Boys of 12 years each, one is a step Son and two girls one 8 and the other 5 years old. The Committee consider that she should get her Boys in places before she can be relieved from the House.

647. Mary Ann Roberts gone on trial with Peter McInis, York Township Septbr. 27th

648. Jane Jarvis gone on trial with Thomas Richardson of Scarboro See Case 580.

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September 28th 1860

648. Jane Hutton (Case 620) gone to Hospital.

Friday 28th September 1860.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

649. Margaret Murray, Widow 52 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. 2 Children grown up, one a Boy in California, the other a girl in the States. She is in feeble health and has no friends, recommended by Mrs. Grasett for admission, to be admitted.

650. Timothy Harrington 76 years, Married, Wife 38, two Children girls 9 and 3 years of age. Irish R. C. Wife drinks and abuses the old Man, has been an Inmate before, and a resident in Toronto the last thirty years, seeks admission again. To be admitted.

651. Robert Stinson 56 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. no family, has been begging for the last ten years in different parts of the Country. Came to Toronto last Week with the Intention of becoming an inmate of the House of Industry. The Committee consider him not a fit Case for admission, not being a resident of Toronto.

652. Gabriel Clarke a Colored Man, from Queenston, seeks admission, recommended to go back and to apply to his own Municipality for relief.

653. Anne Hinchley about 3 years of age was sent by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother having been Committed to Gaol for two months hard labour. taken out by the Parents Debr. 26/60.

654. James Adair gone on trial (October 2nd) with James Landon of the Township of Nelson, See Case 578.

Tuesday 2nd October 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

655. Ann Biffin, 42 years of age. 4 Children, boy 8, girl 7, girl 5, girl 3 years of age. Husband gone to States to look for work she applies for a little relief, will try to get a place, if her husband has not send for her, and place the Children in the Public Nursery. Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

657. John Dill left the House to live with some friends in the Country.

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October 5th 1860.

658. Daniel Mulloy, an Inmate had leave to go out on the 3th instant, has not returned since.

Friday 5th October 1860

No Committee

No applications

659. Mary McMahon 2years and six months old, died this day (Octbr 6th) of Consumption. See Case 529

Tuesday 9th October 1860.

Present Messrs J. Doel and E. Hobson

660. Daniel Mulloy (See Case 658) made his appearance to day, after staying out for 6 days, the Committee will not admit him, as they consider that it would be encouraging others to do the same, but will refer his Case to the General Board.

661. John Schallon, See Case 614. There being a Vacancy he was admitted in the House.

662. James Nichols, Brother to John Wasa Nichols, strongly recommended by Mrs. Grasett, as a fit Boy to be apprenticed out from this Institution, Canadian, 13 years of age, belonging to the ChofEngl. See 724 in 1859.

663. Elizabeth Marriott, 228 Terauly Street, English. ChofEngl. 5 Children, boy 11, girl 9, boy 5, boy 3, and a baby 8 Months old. She is a very respectable person, had to leave her husband, who is a worthless dissipated Man. The visitor would recommend 12 [pounds] of Bread p [per] week. 38 years of age.

Friday 12th October 1860

Present Messrs. J Doel, R. Gilmore & E. Hobson.

No Applications.

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Tuesday 16th October 1860.

Present Mr. T. P. Battersby

644. Mary McCabe, came from Port Hope last Saturday, has been a resident there, says she lost her husband 3 months ago, she has a child with her about 2 years old, and is near her Confinement again, to have a loaf of Bread, and recommended to go to the Mayor for a Pass to take her back to Port Hope, if not the House will have to pay her fare back.

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October 16th 1860

665. Sarah Turner and old Woman (Colored) lives with her daughter Johanna Lavell, to have a loaf and be visited.

666. James Cuddy or Gallicuddihy, had leave to go to Church last Sunday, made his appearance on Monday, was told to apply to the Weekly Committee who refer his Case to the general Board. See Case 480 in 1859.

667. Catharine Cowan back of No. 253 Elizabeth Street is to be visited

668. Anne Ellis No. 80 Sayer St. to be visited

669. Edward Byrne, (see Case 645) was readmitted in the House by order of the general Board.

670. Catharine and Joseph Roberts, the Children of Ann Roberts, who applied for them to day to the General Board, stating she lives with her husband at Bell Ewart, and that she and her husband are able to provide for their Children. The Board consented that the two Children in the House at the present time, may be given up to her. If after enquiry being made, her statement is found to be correct. (See Case 699 in 1859) Statement found to be correct.

Friday Octbr. 19th 1869

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby

671. John McCan, 56 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Has no friends, has been living in Toronto the last nine years, he is willing to work but not very able, and cannot get light Work. Has been occasionally employed by Mr. Gilbert, Lumber Merchant, likewise by Mr. Drummond by whom he is strongly recommended for admission, admitted.

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672. Thomas Everill, 40 years of age, appears in good health, with exception of his Eyes who seem rather week, will not give satisfactory account of himself of where he has been living, is not considered a fit Case for the House.

673. Sarah Turner (Case 665) recommended by Capt. Elmsley as an fit object of charity, the Daughter she lives with being ill and who has 3 Children at home. To have 8 [pounds] Bread.

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October 19th 1860

674. Mary Gilkinson, applied to have her Boy William admitted who was given up to the House some Months before, and sent on trial to Mr. Wm. Campbell of Mono Mills, from whom he ran away, the Committee will admit him once more and give him another trial. (See Case 491)

675. Ellen Barclay 36 years of age a Widow, has four Children, is desirous of given two of her Children up to the House, William 8 1/2 and John 7 years of age., her eldest Child is in the Country, where she intends going likewise to go to service and will take her youngest Child with her. Received a Note from the Mayor recommending the admission of the two Children named. The usual letter was taken from the Mother.

Tuesday 23th October 1860

Present Messrs. H. Rowsell and E. Hobson.

No applications

676. John Cullen, about 8 years of age, was sent by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother having been sent to Gaol for fourteen days. See Case 173.

Friday 26th October 1860

Present Messrs. H. Rowsell and E. Hobson

677. Mary Hatton, has had relief for several years from the Institution, is now in a very bad state of health, (Consumption) she wishes to go and live with a married Sister in the States, The Mayor has promised her a pass for herself and two children as far as Windsor. The Committee will allow her [dollars] 4.00 from the House to help her on the rest of the Journey.

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678. Ann Burns, 36. Irish. R. C. has been an Inmate before, she has no friends, wishes to be admitted again as she is a very useful person in the nursery. The Committee admitted her.

679. Bridget McGuire, with a child 4 months old, applied to be admitted, but on account of her bad conduct and Wicked behavior, the Committee refused her admittance, about five minutes after being dismissed she made her appearance in front of the House and broke 8 squares of Glass, she was given in Charge, the Police Magistrate sent her to Gaol for a Month.

680. Matilda Roster, gone to live with her friends in the Country, See Case 621.

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October 26th 1860.

681. Ann Eliza Metcalf aged ~~7-1/2~~ nine years. and John Metcalf ~~6~~ 8 years of age., children of John Metcalf, who deserted them about 2 months ago, (he used to keep a Tavern on Melinda Street) became Inmates of this Institution this day, by Consent of the general Board, they were also recommended by the Mayor.

682. Philip Davis, aged 35, an Englishman, and member of the English Church, has been an Inmate in the General Hospital since last January, cannot see sufficient to make his living, he has been in Toronto 2 1/2 years, no friends in America. Recommended for admission by Dr. Gardiner. Admitted. ^Died March 25th 1885^

683. William Smith aged 38 years, a Scotchman and member of Presbt. Church, has been discharged from the general Hospital as an incurable, has lost use of his left side, has an aged Mother and a widowed Sister living in Victoria Street, who are not able to do anything for him. Dr. Gardiner strongly recommends him for admission, admitted.

Tuesday, 30th October 1860.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart and E. Hobson.

684. John Fleetwood aged 57. his wife aged 55. English. ChofEngl. he applied to have his Wife admitted into the Institution, who is almost childish and hardly fit to be left alone, they were strongly recommended by Mrs. Cal. Hamilton. The Committee will admit for a time until he can procure some person that will take them in and ~~provide~~ take care of the wife during his absence in making a living-- Became an Inmate Nov 27/60 Name Jane Fleetwood.

685. John Hastings 81 Elizabeth St. to be visited

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686. Three of the Children of the Wheelers, were brought here by the Sheriff with a Note from the Mayor, both these Gentlemen wish them to be taken care of for a time, the Parents were lately convicted at the Assizes, the father being sentenced to 3 years in the Penitentiary, and the Mother to 2 Months in Gaol, there is another child at present in gaol under Sentence for a few days, for being concerned in the same Roberies, which Child the Mayor likewise wishes to be taken of. The Sheriff will send a Note with it. October 31/60 admitted.

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Friday 2nd Novbr. 1860

Present Messrs R. Cathcart and E. Hobson.

687. Rose Warren, widow. 65 years of age, Native of Ireland, R.C. 27 years in Toronto says she has no friends in the Country, and is not able to make a living, she was recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett, admitted. Became tired of being an Inmate left the same afternoon.

688. John Hastings, 46 years of age, Wife 37. from Ireland, husband ChofEngl., the wife to Methodist Church. 2 Children a girl aged 14 years, and a boy aged 4 Months, Hastings has been 4 Months in Hospital he is nearly blind and not able to Work at his trade of Shoemaking, Wife used to bind Shoes but on account of ill health is not able to do so now. They are recommended by the Visitor for relief. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. No. 81 Elizabeth St.

689. Sarah Miller, Widow, 67 years of age, English, Ch of Engl, she has been an out door Pensioner of this House for several years, is now very feeble and in bad health on account of a fall down stairs, wishes to become an inmate. To be admitted. entered the House as an Inmate Novbr 10/60.

690. James Nichols in Case 662 went out on trial previous of being apprenticed with Mr. William Campbell a Tanner at Orangeville.

Tuesday 6th Novbr 1860

Present Mr. James Foster

691. Ann Nichols, about 68 years of age, English, ChofEngl. has been an out door Pensioner of this House for many years, she is likewise and of mrs Grassetts Pensioners, who recommends her now for admission, to be admitted. Came in the House Novbr 22/60

692. James Cuddy or Gillicuddihy, an Inmate is desirous of going to Guelph where he has a sister living with whom he intends to live, the Committee consider it the cheapest way to pay his fare and get rid of him that way, as he is not very agreeable with the rest of the inmates.

See Case 666. was sent off on the 7th of Novbr 1860.

693. Martin Cody applied for readmission in the House, he left here on the 3th August for the General Hospital to have an operation performed on his Eyes, he had to leave there today, his sight not much improved, to be admitted.

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694. Notice sent to the Revd. H. J. Grasett, to find suitable places for Eliza Jane Courtney aged 5 years, and William Courtney aged 3 years, both children belonging to the Church of England, the rules of the Institution being to give fourteen days Notice after which the Children may be apprenticed.

695. Notice sent to Revd. Dr. Barclay to find suitable places for William Barclay aged 8 1/2 years, and John Barclay aged 7 years, both Children belonging to the Presbyterian Church.

696. Also Notice sent to the Hon. Capt. Elmsley to find suitable places within a fourthnights time for James Marley aged 9 years, and John Marley aged 5 years, both children belonging to the Catholic Church.

697. John Skyring 70 years of age died this day of debility. See Case 250 in 1857.

698. John Kelly left the House on his own accord, see his Case 412.

Friday 9th Novbr. 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

699. Elizabeth Gibson, No. 30 Charles St. on Spadina Avenue, she is 30 years of age, a Widow, English, ChofEngl. has two Children a Boy 4 years and a boy 5 Months old, her husband is one of the four Men that were drownd on the Bay some time ago. Fishermen belonging to the Grand Trunk. She is to have a loaf for the Present, and to be visited.

Tuesday 13th Novbr. 1860

Present The Revd. S. Givens and Mr. E. Hobson.

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700. John Howlett. 50 years of age, Native of England, ChofEngl. has been a resident of Toronto since the Rebellion, he tried to get in the general Hospital, he was refused on account of his complaint being incurable (Consumption) has no means of living out, and no friends, seeks admission here. Ordered to be admitted.

701. Bridget Callway No. 60 Esther St. she is 31 years of age, Irish, R. C. has a boy 7 years of age. Her case is well known to the Committee. Ordered to have one loaf of Bread per Week.

702. Thomas Butcher, Blind Man, 60 years of age, English, ChofEngl. being destitute, is ordered to be admitted, his Case being Known to the Revd. S. Givins.

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703. The Hon. Capt. Elmsley applied for the two Children in Case 696. The Board will consent to give them up, if Capt. Elmsley will call upon G. Gurnett Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] (by whom the Children were sent here) and acquaint him of his intention of sending the Boys in the country to places.

704. Catharine Wilson of 65 Victoria Street, took a Child to Nurse in April last for which she was to receive [dollars] 6.00 per Month. 3 Months wages was paid in advance. The Mother of the Child is an unmarried Woman and engaged with Mrs. Oliver as wet Nurse with whom she went to England, Mr. Oliver undertaking to have more remitted as soon as they should arrive in England, this he has failed to do. Catharine Wilson is not able to Keep the Child any longer, unless she has some assistance from the House, in the Shape of Bread and Wood, if that will be granted to her, she will endeavor to Keep it, until Mrs. Ridout, who has Kindly promised to write to some friends in Dorsetshire (where Mr. Oliver resides) ascertains something of its Mother.

Friday 16th. Nobr. 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

705. Elizabeth Norton No. 7 Seaton St. recommended by the Revd. H.J. Grassett for Wood, to be visited

706. John McCan see Case 671 wishes to leave the House and try to get a place would like to get some assistance from the House, he may leave the Institution but will not be allowed any out door relief.

707. James Salmonds, died this morning of Dropsy. See Case 565.

708. Catharine Wilson in Case 704, is to have 8 [pounds] per Week and 1/4 Cord of Wood per Month as long as she has the Child.

709. John Prattis, Canadian, ChofEngl, is about 14 years of age, his father is somewhere in the States, his step Mother, Ann Prattis, spends most of her time in Gaol, the Boy has no home and almost in a starving condition, he fell under Mr. Hobsons Notice who recommends him strongly as a Case for admission. admitted.

709 1/2. Elizabeth Davis with her 3 Children wishes to follow her husband who left her for St. Lewis some time ago, Mr. Hobson has procured a pass from the Mayor to carry her to Windsor, he (Mr. Hobson) recommends that she be paid [dollars] 4.00 from the House to help her on the rest of her journey.

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Tuesday 20th Nobr. 1860.

Present Messrs. J.L. Robinson & E. Hobson

710. Mary McDonnell 22 William Street West, to be visited.

711. Elizabeth Norton. No. 7 Seaton Street, Widow, with 8 Children, husband died a few days ago had been in the Employment of Lyman & Co. King St. Eldest Boy (grown up), a cripple can do but little work but Mr. Lyman intends to give him some easy Employment. Two eldest girls out at Service, second boy just gone to a place, and the two youngest will probably be taken in to the Boys home before long. The Mother would then be able to go out as a Nurse, or get some other Employment by which she could support herself. Temporary relief is therefore all that is required a little Wood, and Bread for a fortnight only. Hon. Mr.. G.W. Allan Visited.

Friday 23th Novbr. 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

712. Margaret Eaton applied for Wood, no Wood given out yet.

713. Rose Ann Davison 89 years of age, died this 26th Day of November of Debility. See Case 88 in the year 1856.

Tuesday 27th November 1860.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson

714. Eliza Gunson 64 years of age, a Widow, Irish, ChofEngl., no family. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. No. 67 Albert St. to have 4 [pounds] Bread.

715. John Ryan a Native of Ireland, R.C. 24 years of age, his Mother died in the Emigrant Fever, and his father died some years ago, all his relatives in Canada are dead, excepting one Brother who sails on the Lakes, himself has been sailing on the lakes, he is in delicate health, applied for admission in general Hospital but was refused on account of his Complaint being incurable (Consumption) seeks admission in this Institution. To be admitted. left the House 1st Debr.

716. Mary Skivington. Widow. 28 years of age, from Ireland, Methodist Church, she has two Children. Boys. both in the Boys Home for which she pays [dollars] 2 p [per] month, she is to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week for one Month and to try and get a place during that time.

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717. Charles Spears nearly blind, Wife very decent and industrious, in the same House as Donald Robinson nearly blind also, they have each 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. Dr. Lett would recommend a joint allowance of Wood when it is being given out. Irish. ChofEngl. in rere of Dummer Street. Calenza's house. Wood recommended.

718. Sarah McPhail. Widow, three Children, Girls 12, 5 and 3 years of age, hard working industrious Woman, has had no relief since April, Revd. Dr. Lett would recommend her for an allowance of Bread 8 [pounds] p [per] Week, and an allowance of Wood when the distribution commences. Lives at No. 35 Maple Lane.

719. Mary McDonell, No. 22 West William St. Widow 37 years of age, 2 Children Revd. Dr. Lett would recommend her for an allowance of Bread and likewise have her put on the Wood List, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

720. John Reilly. was a patient of the general Hospital was discharged from there, brought a Note from the Mayor in which he is strongly recommended as a fit object for admission, to be admitted, subject to Medical Officers Opinion Irish. R.C. admitted. 26 years of age.

Friday 30th Novbr. 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

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721. Ellen Kerr, Widow, 46 years of age, Irish, R.C. one Child a boy 6 years of age, she is not very able to Work. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

722. Andrew McRobert 45 years of age, Single, Scotch, Presbt., has been in the States and in the Country for the last two years, cannot make out a living just now, wishes to be admitted until next spring, allowed to stay in the outbuilding until Mr. Hobson can make some enquiries about him from the St. Andrews Society.

723. Mary Barber, 55, Widow, lives in Nassau St. Spadina Avenue, very destitute Revd. Dr. Lett believes that she takes a drop occasionally, but she is famishing, recommended for Bread, and Wood when given out. Irish. ChofEngl. No family

724. Susan Walsh, Widow, 38, ^No 6.^ William St. West. 2 Children, Revd. Dr. Lett believes her to be a thrifty hard working little Woman, and would recommend Bread & Wood when given out. Irish. ChofEngl. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week & 1/2 Bushel Potatoes p [per] Month.

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Tuesday December 4th 1860

Present Mr. E. Hobson

725. Eliza Long 26 years of age, Irish. R.C. husband left her about 15 Months ago, she has 3 Children Boy 5.3 and one year of age, No. 606 Yonge St. Mr. Hobson has visited but Capt. Elmsley will make some enquiries about her.

726. John Thames No. 19 Shuter St. Capt. Elmsley recommends him and his Wife for relief this Winter the same as last year (see Case 1031 in 1859) to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and half Bushel Potatoes p [per] Month, Wood when given out.

727. Ann Biffin see Case 655, is now laid up sick at No. 28 Dennisons Avenue not able to provide for her Children, the eldest Boy is in the Boys home, the eldest girl with a Mrs. Brown on Elizabeth St. She (Mrs. Biffin wishes to give the two youngest Children up to the House. Children to be admitted.

728. Sarah Robinson, Brunswick Avenue row of cottages opposite St. Stephens Church. She is a Widow 50 years of age. ChofEngl. English has a sick Son 29 years of age who is not able to work (Consumption) decent & respectable Revd. Dr. Lett would recommend them for Bread and Wood. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, 1 Bushel Potatoes p [per] Month, and Wood when given out.

729. ~~Ellen~~ Anne Duggan 132 Richmond St. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 26. 2 Children, girls one 5 the other 2 years of age, she is a respectable person. Mr. Tyner has visited but thinks that we cannot afford to put

such young hearty persons on our permanent List, besides she has no rent to pay, would recommend when the Wood is given out to let her have a little relief that way. one loaf for the day

730. Sarah Tomley. Widow. 36 years of age. Irish. R.C. 5 Children 4 girls and one boy, the eldest 10, the youngest not quite 9 Months, She lives in St. Georges Ward in a Shanty west of the Revere House on Front Street. She was sent to Mr. Tyner by the Mayor, he visited and recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, the Committee allow 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

731. William McDowell 53 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. his family is in the States he is a poor wretched thriftless creature seemingly stupid and deficient in intellect. Revd. Dr. Lett recommends him for admission if possible, if not taken in he believes McDowell will perish this Winter, To be admitted in the Outbuilding.

732. William Smith died this day at one OClock P.M. See Case 683.

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December 5th 1860

733. Ellen Jane O'Donnell gone on trial with Mr. James Kennedy (Surgeon) of Brampton Village. See Case 379 in 1858.

734. Catharine Potts, has been recommended to Mr. Tyner Visitor of the Ward by Mrs. Gilmore, the husband of Mrs. Potts is blind, they have 4 Children, and are in great distress for want of fuel. Mr. Tyner recommends them for 1/2 Cord of Wood. Allowed 1/4 Cord.

735. Eliza Long, Case 725 recommended for 1/4 Cord of Wood by Catp. Elmsley, to have Wood.

736. Mary Gillon, 34 years old, Husband loafes about the Streets, drinking whenever he can get the means. She seems to be a decent little body herself, washes for Mrs. Humphrys [at] 8 [shillings] 9 [pence] a week. Capt. Elmsley cannot recommend this Case, nevertheless he directed the husband to show himself to morrow.

737. Eliza Bennett. 38 years old. Widow, 2 Children at home, Boy 11 going to School and Boy 9. All her friends in Ireland. Clean and tidy. She was in bed when the Visitor called with a severe cold from wet feet. Takes in Needle work when she can get it. 5 years in Canada. Irish. R.C. recommended for Wood and bread, while she is sick.

738. Ellen Duggan, No. 3 Stanly St. Husband looks as if he was fond of a drop, says he cant get work. 3 Children, Boy 11, girl 3 and girl 1 1/2 years old, all in good health, Capt. Elmsley cannot recommend this Case, nevertheless he directed the husband to show himself to morrow, Irish, ChofEngl.

Friday 7th Decbr. 1860

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Present Mr. E. Hobson

739. Mary Ann Courtney. 42 years of age, Widow no family, Native of Ireland. R.C. has a bad leg, and not in strong health, which prevents her from making a living out. she wishes to become an Inmate, ordered that she be admitted with the understanding to make herself general usefull.

740. Eliza Long in Case 725 & 733. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and Bushel Potatoes p [per] Month and Wood

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742. Ellen Meakin No. 146 1/2 Centre Street. Married. English. Methodist Church, 60 years of age, no family at home, husband an old Man not very strong and cannot get Work, he is to work for all the relief he gets. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and 1/2 Bushel Potatoes per Month

743. Elizabeth Collins from the Country, recommended by Mrs. Boddy for Wood, no Wood given out yet, has no claim on the House, not having been a resident.

744. Mrs. Hunter an old Woman and her two grand Children were sent to this City some 3 Weeks ago by some Society in Montreal. The Mayor, and The Revd. E. Baldwin strongly recommend them for temporary Shelter, until it can be ascertained if they cannot be sent back to Montreal. The old Woman is to be admitted enquirys to be made about the Children.

745. Mary Harris No. 92 Elizabeth Street. 55 years of age. Scotch. Presbt. has one Boy 9 years of age at home, recommended by Visitor for 1 Bushel Potatoes. One Boy at Place but Boards at home 14 years of age.

744. The Daughter of Case 744 and Mother of the Children took them all out of the House, seems rather a hard looking Case.

Friday 11th December 1860

Present Mr. J.W. MacDonell

747. Mary Madigan 57. Widow, a daughter 15 years of age lives with her, they take in sewing when they can get it. She is very delicate in health and feeble, and her sight is becoming quite weak. No friends in Canada. Irish. R.C. The Visitor would recommend her for Wood only, all she asks for, ordered to have 1/4 Cord Wood.

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748. Catharine Allan. 71 Richmond Street east, See Book of last Winter. Much the same except that she lost her second Boy. Irish. R.C. She Clips rags at 1 [shilling] 2 [pence] a [pound] and manages to earn from 2 to 3 Shillings a Week, recommended by Visitor for Wood and a little bread. ordered to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and 1/2 Bushel Potatoes a Month. Wood when given out.

749. Honora Gillan. 64. husband 70 sick in bed. apparently a poor destitute old couple. Irish. R.C. Two Daughters married both large Families to support No friends in this Country able to help them, his Nose is rather rubicund he must therefore exhibit himself to morrow, and the Committee will please judge for themselves, ordered to have a loaf for this day only as the husband did not Show himself. Doctor reports that he has had inflammation of the lungs and is still asthmatic.

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750. Jane Hogan, husband deserted her since May last and she has had no reliable tidings from him since. 4 Children boy 7. boy 5 boy 3 and boy 1. Irish. ChofEngl. Tolerable clean, has a respectable look herself, but lives with a Woman whose appearance does not reflect credit on the household, Clipping rags [at] 1 [shilling] 2 [pence] a [pound]. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread. ordered to have 4 [pounds] p [per] Week and 1 Bushel Potatoes a Month, and Wood when given out.

751. Dolla [Dolly] Gane recommended for Wood, when the Wood is given out. by Visitor.

752. Margaret Jones. Widow. 3 Children. Irish. R.C. Back Yard between 43 & 44 South side of Duchess Street. Boy 7 ill in bed water on the brain, girl 6 and Boy 4. appears to be an industrious decent Woman, used to go out to wash and scrub, but the illness of the eldest Boy keeps her at home now. does a little sewing. The Visitor recommends her for a little bread, ordered to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and a Bushel Potatoes p [per] Month. Visitor recommends Wood Debr. 15th.

753. Mary Askin, 64 years of age, Widow. Irish. Presbt. No Children, occupies a small Cottage off Ontario St. obtains a living in Summer by selling Apples, a very respectable old Woman, The Hon. Mr. Allan recommends her for a little bread for the Winter, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. Visitor recommends Wood Debr. 15th.

754. Ann Wilson, was a Widow and married a second time, husband deserted her before her only Child now about 2 years old was born. Irish. R.C. in upper room in No. 14 Duchess St. 3 families living together, Sells Apples in Summer recommended for a little bread. ordered to have 1 Bushel Potatoes a Month.

755. Hanna Coyle, ~~Irish~~ English R.C. C. of England. Lives in a Cottage in a lane between McMahon and Seaton St. husband met with a bad accident during the Summer from the effects of which he is only just

recovering. She is a very industrious hard working person, 5 Children at home. recommended by the Hon. Mr. Allan for Wood and Bread.

756. John Howlett (See Case 700) died this Morning (Debr. 12th) of Consumption

757. Judy Kelly, lives in a lane between Adelaide and Boulton Street's. has a husband who is blind, age 50, one Child aged 5, himself aged 40, The Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

758. John Nolan aged 50. Wife 35. Three Children, Boy 6. Boy 5. and

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758. a girl fourteen Months old, he is not able to work. Irish R.C. The Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. ^263 Richmond St. W.^

Friday 14th December 1860.

Present Messrs. J. W. McDonell, J. Tyner, E. Hobson & the Revd. Dr. Lett

759. Catharine Nugent. See her report of last Winter (Case 1036 in 1859.) much the same now, She has a very bad cold, and feels very weak. Visitor Recommends Wood only, all she asks for. to have wood after New year.

760. Ann OHearn 45 years old, Widow. 2 children girls both at home one 12 and the other 10 years of age both at School. Irish R.C. No friends in Canada, Clean and tidy in every respect, Washes & etc. when she can get it to do. Visitor recommends Wood only, turn about with Eliza Clarke

761. Eliza Clarke, 25 Spinster, a Mother nevertheless, but profoundly penitent, seemingly. Father Brothers and other friends are respectable Farmers in the Township of Peel but they disown her poor thing, a Magdalen though she be seems to be decent clean & etc. Irish R.C. The Visitor recommends Bread, and Wood turn about with Ann OHearn the above Case, as they use the same Stove.

762. Ann Christian. Colored Woman, see report of last Winter (Case 938 in 1859) much the same now, except that she is becoming more feeble every day, The Visitor would recommend Wood and Bread. To have 2 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and Wood when given out.

763. Rose Foley, 35, Spinster, delicate in general health, and very near sighted, so that she is unable to earn much by Work, but she does all she can that way. Irish R.C. Has taken upon herself the charge and maintenance of a sickly little Boy, about a year and a half old, for the Love of God as the parents are

both dead, she gets nothing whatever for the Child. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week and Wood when given out.

764. Mary McCausland No. 7 William St. West. 4 Children 3 at home. Eliza 16 to be out at Service before getting Wood, and Child 5 Revd. Dr. Lett recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

765. Margaret McCarty, a Widow with one Child, lives in the same house as above, to have 2 [pounds] of Bread

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766. Filstead {blank} Carpenter, in Deep Consumption - and wife who supports him. Revd. Dr. Lett believes him to be a respectable Man, recommends him for Wood & Bread.

767. Ann Gee 116 King Street West, has living with her one grand Child, a boy 10 years of age whose parents are dead, wants Wood and Bread very badly as she has only a small shop to live by. Widow. Visitor thinks it a pressing Case. St. Georges Ward

768. Fanny Farrell, (Widow) has two children 4 years and 15 Months respectively, used to earn from a Dollar to a Dollar and a half per Week by washing - now can with difficulty get Work, has another widow with 2 small Children living with her who lives by begging. Residence 21 Melinda St. Georges Ward.

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789. Sarah Killroy 17 Emily St. has 2 children at home a boy 9 years of age and a girl 7. Washes for her rent and earns a small varying Sum besides per Week. St. Georges Ward.

790. Jane Curran is recommended for Wood by the Revd. Mr. Broughall

791. Bridget Hogan No. 50 Berkely Street, Husband a Tailor, 9 children all young (See report last year Case 129) a very decent industrious Couple. They made shift to get on very well through the Summer - but he cannot earn enough to Keep them in firewood in Winter - and since the birth of her last child the Wife has nearly lost the use of her right leg, The Hon. Mr. Allan recommends them for a little Wood through the severe Weather.

792. Johanna Leary 43 Princess St. husband a Cripple, one Child the husband can do little or nothing, having had a stroke of paralysis, the Wife takes in sewing. This is not a very extreme Case, but the Visitor thinks they might have a quarter of a cord of Wood once, and he will visit them again before they get anything further.

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793. Ellen OBrien, 119 Pine St. The Visitor cannot find such a Number.

794. Sarah Quin, in a celler nearly opposite Richmond St. on Nelson St. next to Walkers Grocery. Her husband enlisted in the 100th Regt. and left her in May last. She is a miserable object, has a young baby at the breast - and seemed to have hardly enough to cover either her Child or herself. She is lodging in a miserable hole with a Man and his Wife of the name of

795. Casey who seem to be badly enough off themselves. They have not fire Wood and The Hon. Mr Allan would recommend that Casey be allowed to saw for a quarter of a Cord of Wood, provided

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795. she remains with them -- and that the Woman herself be allowed a little bread.

796. James Fitzgerald, No 34 Duchess St. husband and Wife and 3 children (see report last year Case 193) Fitzgerald has lost the use of one arm. His Wife is a very industrious little lady, The Visitor would recommend them for Wood and Bread during the severe weather, thinks that Fitzgerald ought to be made to saw for his Wood he can manage well enough notwithstanding the loss of his arm, 4 [pounds] of Bread 1/2 Bushel Potatoes

797. Sarah Cavanagh, back of 9 & 10 Duchess St. a Widow with a grand child 2 years of age, a very decent respectable Woman, She has been out at Service until very lately but met with an accident to one of her hands, which incapacitated her for hard Work, Visitor thinks she might manage to get into Service again before long, would recommend her for Wood once, and bread about 3 Weeks when she may be visited again

798. Abraham Lewis Hebert. 116 Pine Street, Husband and Wife and three children This Case was very fully reported upon last year by the Visitor, has visited them again this Week at the request of the Mayor, who has assisted Hebert from time to time. The Husband is a miserable Creature, weak both in mind and body, and the Wife who has changed in appearance very much for the worse since last year, is not much better. From her looks the Visitor would suspect that she drank - but has no proof of it, They are miserably off both for food and fire-wood, thinks they had better have a little Wood and Bread.

799. Mary Hephron, No. 82 George Street, husband deserted her some years ago, 3 children Boy 14. Girl 13. boy 3. An active industrious little Woman, earns a living in Summer by selling fish, fruit & etc. She received assistance la. She has an old Mother to support as well as her Children.

800. Bridget Clemens, In a lane back of Cartys Soap factory on George Street. has a drunken worthless husband, who has lately deserted her, 2 children, girl 4 and Boy 2. She is living with another poor family of the Name of



800 1/2. Meales [Mealey] nearly as poor as herself - and the Hon. Mr. Allan has told the Man that he would recommend him to be allowed to saw for some Wood, provided he shares it with Mrs. Clemens.

801. Jane Fergusson. In a lane between McMahon and Seaton Streets in one

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801. of Ramseys Houses, She is an old Woman living with her Daughter, ~~takes in sewing~~ who is married and has an infant a few Months old The old Woman is unfit for Work, The Daughter takes in sewing and earns something that way, her husband has been out of Work for some time, and has now gone out to the Country in search of Employment. If they get a little Wood once, it would probably tide them over for the greater part of the Winter, as the Daughter quite expects that her husband will be able to earn fair wages where he has now gone too.

802. Mary Jane Field, in one of Ramseys Houses also. This Case was reported upon last year (See Case 880 in 1859). She has now applied again to the Hon. Mr. Allan, professing great regret at the deceit she was guilty of last year. her story now is, (and from enquiry made by Visitor from her Landlord believes it to be true) that her youthfull husband has left her and gone off to Liverpool, and her Son who has turned out an idle loafer, will do nothing for her, The Visitor states these facts and leaves the Case in the hands of the Committee.

803. Ellen Sloan, No. 8 Old Wellington Hotel Corner of Church and Wellington St. 47 years of age Married, husband left some 18 Months ago. 3 Children a Boy 15 with Mr. Reynolds, Corner of Church and Front Street, no fixed wages but gives her Mother all he can, girl 9 and boy 7 at home, gets occasional relief from Mrs. Grasett. The Visitor would recommend Wood when given out, and a small allowance of Bread, say 4 [pounds] p Week. Irish Ch. of E.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Thom & Revd. Dr. Lett.

804. Catharine Moore 141 1/2 Adelaide St West, Widow, 50 years of age, Irish. R.C. has a daughter 18 years of age at home who has sore Eyes. The Visitor recommends one half Cord of Wood for the Season and no more.

805. Mary Ann Moore 51 Peter St. has a worthless drinking husband, three Children, boy 10 girl 5 and a boy 3 years of age, The husband has been absent for years but returned about 3 Months ago, Wife and Children ChofEngl. husband R.C. Visitor recommends Wood just for the present will see her again.

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806. Rachael Finlay, aged 28. Irish. ChofEngl. two children, a boy 10 and girl 8.

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806. lives in the rear of 267 Queen St. West in a lane, The Visitor recommends Wood for the season.

807. Anne Henderson, Widow, Irish. ChofEngl., aged 40. in the rear of 267 Queen St. has four Children of whom only one is at home, a boy 9 years of age. The Visitor recommends 1/2 Cord of Wood for the Season. ^"Wood"^

808. Mary Brothers, Blairs yard Nelson Street - was reported upon last year She is one of those persons who must be relieved, has [as] she has no means of supporting herself during the Winter, even if she were more industriously inclined than the Visitor believes her to be, Visitor recommends a small allowance of Bread, and a little Wood.

809. Mary Courtney, Blairs yard Nelson Street. A decent little Woman deserted by her husband two years ago. has two children both very young was recommended for assistance last year, She has supported herself by washing and sewing pretty well during the Summer, The Hon. Mr. Allan recommends her for Wood and a small allowance of Bread during the cold Weather.

810. Margaret Sweeny, 113 Nelson Street, a Widow with one Child, a boy a year old, makes a living by selling Apples &etc. Can do but little in that way now, Visitor thinks she may have the smallest allowance of Bread - and Wood say 3 times during the Winter, beginning now.

811. Margaret Woods, 81 George St. a Widow, Irish, R.C. no Children living with her, one Son in the United States, Supports herself much in the same way as Mrs. Sweeny, but is an older Woman. The Visitor recommends her to receive the same as Mrs. Sweeney

812. Mary Ann Boughton, in the rear of 137 Elizabeth Street, Widow 46 years of age English, Chof. Engl. She appears a clean respectable Woman, but on account of a bad Eye, she is not able to Work which is sewing, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread.

813. Caroline Sanders 104 Agnes Street, was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed by the person where she lives that she is English. ChofEngl. Married 27 years of age, has 3 Children girls 7. 4 and 1 1/2 years of age steady and industrious husband has gone in the Country to look for Work, and are much in want of food. The Visitor recommends Bread for a Month, until she can join her husband who it appears is in Collingwood.

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814. Mary Healey 44 Centre Street. See report last year, but she has now a bad foot and not able to Walk. She is a very dirty looking Woman. Visitor recommends her for Bread.

815. Catharine McLennon rear of 36 James Street a Widow 26 years of age, Irish. R.C. 3 Children, boy 6. boy 4 and girl 18 Months old, she says she goes to Work when she can get anything to do but there is very little, she does a little in the begging line, she is strong and able to work, but not to clean in appearance, which may account for her not finding Work, The Visitor recommends Bread on account of the Children.

816. Margaret Tansey, 25 Elizabeth Street. See report last year - but her husband is now confined to his bed with a bad leg - and will be for a long time. The Visitor recommends Bread.

817. Rachael Mesuard, Case 640 recommended for Wood for the season Commencing forthwith Mr. Tyner visited.

818. Esther Lennon. 137 Stanley Street No such number on that Street by a long chalk

819. Bridget Hennessy, See report of last Winter. The girl is now in delicate health and she has herself a severe pain in the Side, great improvement in Cleanliness, Capt. Elmsley recommends Wood and Bread.

820. Margaret Cronan, See report of last Winter, but the Boys are now stout able bodied, double fisted, fellows: Visitor would recommend Country air, and a Woodmans life to the whole Lot, some 50 or 100 Miles from Toronto

821. Ann Leydon, See report of last Winter, an awful spectacle of misery filth and intemperance, One of her Children nearly scalded to death by one of her drunken Companions, a fortnight since, her face is bruised, her Eyes black and blue, her features distended with drink The Visitor wants to Know - how he can recommend such a Creature.

822. Mary Dogherty. See report of last Winter, much the same, except that her health is more delicate: she has the hectic flush indicative of approaching decline, Visitor recommends Wood only, turn about with Catherine Smith with whom she lives.

823. Catharine Smith. 32 years old, Widow, husband killed on the Railroad

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823. a boy 4 years of age, gets washing when she can, no friends in Canada, Irish. R.C. tolerably clean, Visitor recommends Wood only turn about with Mary Dogherty with whom she lives.

824. Elizabeth Burns, No such person to be found at or near No. 8 Stanley Street.

825. Catherine Cox sold her Wood last year to one Jenkins.

826. Elizabeth James 157 Sayer Street, English, ChofEngl. Married. 36 years of age, 8 Children, girl 16. boy 13. boy 12. boy 9. boy 6, girl 2 1/2 and a boy one year of age, husband a Chemist, now in the Country selling books. Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood

827. Ann Donnally. Widow. Irish. R.C. lives with Barthw. Kelly, No. 116 Strachan Street. pays 1/2 Dollar per Month rent, and cooks on Kellys Stove 3 Children boy 8. girl 5 and boy 3 years of age. Revd. Dr. Lett recommends Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

828. Catharine Deary, Irish. R.C. Widow. No. 118 Strachan Street, own house and Stove, Scrubs and Washes. 4 Children Boy 14 has a running {coil} girl 12 1/2, girl 10 and a girl 8 years of age, gets 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, recommended for Wood.

829. Eliza Ellis, head of John Street Mrs. Boultons Lodge, very industrious, just recovered from a low fever, ill from October, works for Stores. Children assist, a most deserving Case, 4 Children, boy 18 from home, girl 12. girl 10 and girl 7 years of age. husband deserted. Revd. Dr. Lett recommends Wood and Bread.

830. Agnes Walker No. 8 St Patricks Market West. respectable Widow, 3 Children pant maker, finds Work difficult to procure, very destitute both in Wood and provisions, Wood and Bread recommended.

831. Julia Burton No. 27 William Street West. Irish. R.C. husband ChofEngl. away in the States five years, 3 Children, girl 8 Boy 7. and a girl 5 years old binds Boots used to earn [dollars] 3 per Week from Stewart, but Stewart has a Machine now, and she has no earning, has had Wood and Bread these 3 years. Revd. Dr. Lett recommends the same again.

832. Jane McIntee 160 Queen St. west Widow, sews for Stores, 2 Children

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a girl 12 looks for Service and a girl 5 years old. Revd. Dr. Lett recommends Wood

833. Margaret Gartland 86 Dummer Street. not at home when the Visitor called but the Neighbours gave her a good report, recommended for Wood.

834. Mary Fraser 135 Centre Street. English. ChofEngl. Married. 29 years of age. one Child a girl 3 years old, appears clean and respectable, her husband went to Montreal about a year ago, since which time he has done nothing towards the support of herself and Child. Visitor recommends Wood next Month.

835. Mary Moire not known at 68 Louisa St.

836. Martha Ann Webb 62 Emma Street See former report of her Case 544 ^1858^

837. Margaret Galvin, rear of 17 Albert Street. Irish. R.C. Widow. 65 years of age. She appears a clean respectable old Woman Knits for a living, The Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Wood in January.

838. Rose Shepard 59 Centre Street. Irish. R.C. Widow 30 years of age, 3 boys, 8 - 7 and 4 years of age, her room and Children dirty, works as a Washerwoman The Visitor thinks that a Bushel Potatoes would answer for the Month, she wants Wood, but Visitor will call again in a few Weeks.

839. Eliza Higgins, rear of 17 Albert Street. See report of last year, Case 1050 ^1859.^

840. John Barclay gone on trial (Debr. 20) with John Carson, Farmer Owen Sound See Case 675

Friday 21st Debr. 1860.

Present Messrs. E.H. Rutherford, J. Thom & J. Tyner.

841. Margaret Alexander 76 Bishop St ChofEngl. Irish 3 Children, husband gone in the Country for the last two Months in search of Work - Herself sick - in need of Wood. Revd. Mr. Kennedy thinks if they have some Bread they would get on for a While.

842. Margaret Fitzgerald 265 Richmond St. West, Irish. R.C. Married 36 years of age, husband 35 but has been crippled on the Railroad some years since one Child 9 months old, Visitor recommends Wood for the season, no bread.

843. Marcella Kennedy, Widow, aged 43. Irish, R.C. has two Children twin girls 11 years of age, lives in the south east Corner of the lane back of

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Lewis the Bellhanger Adelaide St. West. The Visitor recommends Wood for the season, and 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, is recommended as an industrious Woman to the Visitor by Mrs. Rolph.

844. Ann Kirke 273 Queen St West Widow, an old Pensioner, about 55 years of age, and Daughter 14 living out. The Visitor recommends Wood only twice during the season. and no Bread.

845. Michael Shannon, Irish. R.C. old Hospital on King Street, Shannon is 54 years of age, his Wife 34. Six Children, boy 12 girl 10, boy 7, boy 5, girl 4 baby 13 Months. The Visitor recommends Wood for the season.

846. Mary Jane Asley, Irish. R.C. 80 Boulton Street a Widow 30 years of age, 4 Children, girl 12. boy 10, boy 5. and girl 18 Months old. The Visitor recommends Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

847. Mrs. Gordon old Hospital King Street, Widow, Scotch Presbt. She is over 64 years of age. She would suffer much before she would apply for assistance, Mrs. Dunlop recommended her to the Visitor, who has visited and recommends her as a special Case for Wood and the House to pay Cartage.

848. William Martin 163 Queen St. 25 years of age English. ChofEngl. Blind is learning the Basket Making, recommended by Lady Robinson to the Visitor, Visitor recommends that Martin may have Wood and not charge Cartage and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

849. William Merritt and Wife, 587 Cruikshanks lane, ChofEngl. both aged, very tidy in habits - Merritt much reduced by weakness of some Continuance - wants Wood and Bread very badly.

850. Widow ^Jane^ Curran, No. 78 Portland St. ChofEngl., very tidy - ill able to work - wants Wood - Lives in a single room alone, and old pensioner, The Revd. Mr. Kennedy would recommend this Case in particular. Case 790

851. Ann Sawtell, Widow, No. 25 Nassau St. has been ill four Weeks - lives by Shoebinding when well, can earn over a Dollar a Month, but not likely to earn much for some time, The Visitor recommends her both for Wood and Bread, as he is convinced that as soon as she can do without she will let the Board Know.

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852. William Hall, Gowans Cottages of [off] Agnes Street, an Engineer, but cannot get anything to do except occasional Sawing of Wood, he has a Wife and five Children, one girl 14 years, 3 boys, 12, 10 & 8 years respectively and one girl 2 years, a pressing Case, had relief last Winter English. ChofEngl. husband to saw Wood for the relief he gets.

853. Mary Elliott see report of last Winter. With two bouncing girls this Woman should the Visitor thinks be able to earn her living, without calling on the House of Industry for assistance. Nevertheless if the Committee intend to give freely, she may have some Wood say twice in the Winter.

854. Bridget Hallaghan (See 934 in 1859. report of last Winter.) She is now in good health, as are also the Children, She says she cannot get Work, Visitor advised Country air but as this is not the time for flitting he will recommend Wood twice during the Winter.

855. Ann Richmond, reported last year, she is now very ill, and her husband's foot is no better than last year. Neighbours give them a good Character for Sobriety & etc. They are still filthy in every way. The Visitor recommd. Bread and Wood.

856. Ellen Healy, reported last year. The oldest boy has [dollars] 1 1/4 a week, which he hands over to his Mother faithfully, oldest girl at Service for board and Clothing. The Visitor recommends Bread and Wood.

857. Mary Farrell, no such person at 81 Stanley Street.

858. Edward Fitzherbert, Widower, an old Man past Work, Children all have large Families of their own to support and cannot assist him. Committee will please judge: he will show himself.

859. Mary Toomey, reported last year, has sore Eyes, in addition to general debility, Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

860. Nancy Cunane, the highest Number on Adelaide St east is 115.

861. Sarah Johnson, 75, Widow, Colered, Son in Lunatic Asylum, lives with her niece Sophia Johnson, a very clean and respectable looking young person, a spinster who takes in sewing, but she has hard Work to support both herself and Aunt without assistance. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread

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862. Ann Tonan, no such person at 63 Richmond Street east.

863. Mary Hughes, 40 Irish. Spinster R.C. She seems to be in very delicate health, Dr. Gordon & Dr. Hodder certify as to her inability to Work. Mrs. John Small recommends her, Mr. Brent also sent a Note to the Visitor calling his attention to her Case. Visitor recommends this Case as urgent for Bread and Wood.

864. Mary Irvine, 40 Widow, Church of England, a girl 8 with her who has been sickly for two years, better now, sewing when she can get it, Brother died 3 years ago, and left her by his Will some property, but the Executor applied it all to his own use, and thus left her destitute. Revd. Mr. Givins knows her well how she is situated and would recommend her. She has Rheumatism very bad, Visitor recommends this Case as urgent - for both Wood and Bread.



865. Catherine Fahey, Widow, Irish. R.C. No. 30 Duchess Street. 4 Children the eldest Boy 14 years old was employed in a Mr. Dalys Store on Yonge Street - while there the shop was broken into and the Boy was taken up on suspicion of his being concerned in it, there was no evidence against him and he was discharged - but he has been unable to get any employment since. The Visitor thinks Mrs. Fahey might have Wood once provided the Boy saws for it and she may also have a small allowance of Bread, during January and February. The Visitor wishes the Case referred to him again, before Wood is given a second time.

866. Sarah Glinn, ChofEngl. 88 George Street. This persons real Name is Anderson, as she is married (for the second time) to a person of that Name. She has four Children all by her first husband, girl 13. boy 8. boy 6 and boy 4 Visitor believes her to be an industrious Woman and anxious to do all she can to support her family. Her husband is a Sailor and at present away from home He does not seem to do much for them. The Visitor would recommend her for Wood once, and Bread for a fortnight, the Case then to be referred to him again.

867. Jane Cummings, in a yard next to 44 Duchess St. There must be some mistake in this direction, there is no such person living there.

868. Bridget Day, Bethunes lane George St. Irish. R.C. This Womans husband is at present in Jail on a charge of stealing a Coat - She has 6 Children

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girl 12, boy 10. girl 7. girl 5. girl 3 and Boy 16 Months old, The Visitor recommends a little Wood and a small allowance of Bread during the next two Months.

869. Mary Burney 81 McMahon Street Irish R.C. husband a labourer, they have one child an infant in the arms - the Man hurt his foot while working at one of the Wharves and has been out of employment for two or three ~~Months~~ Weeks. They are very badly off for want of a little Wood, and the Visitor would recommend that they should get a quarter of a Cord now, and when the Man is able to work again, they will not require further assistance from the House.

870. Catherine Edwards 75 Nelson Street, Widow, her eldest Son (step Son) was employed on the Railway but has been paid off, and has been out of Employment for several Weeks, she has two young Children a boy & girl as her stepson has been out of work now for some time and unable to help his Mother, she might have Wood once and Bread for two or three Weeks, when the Case might be again referred to the Visitor.

871. Eliza Death. 88 George Street. ChofEngl., Widow. one Child a boy 13 years of age. She is a decent industrious Woman, goes out to scrub and wash, her boy goes about selling Newspapers, but ruptured a

blood vessel a few days ago and has not been able to do anything since, They are badly off, and the Visitor thinks a little bread during the cold Weather would be well bestowed, and a quarter of a Cord of Wood say Christmas Week and another six Weeks after, The Bread they ought to have at once.

872. Catharine Cowan, rear of 98 George Street. ChofEngl., Husband a Soapmaker 4 Children, girl 14, girl 12, Boy 7, Boy 2, husband has been out of Employment for some time, they occupy the same Cottage and use a Stove in common

873. with - Margaret Hunter. ChofEngl. also, husband and 3 Children. Boy 7. girl 5 Boy 2. This Womans husband has been away from home for some Months and is supposed to be working on the Railway near Collingwood, but she has not heard from him or received any Money from him for a long time, The Visitor recommends both families for bread - and that Mrs. Cowans husband be allowed to saw for Wood for the benefit of both. The Case may be referred to Visitor again in a few Weeks time.

874. Sarah Clements. 144 Duke St, Widow, a very old Woman, has a grand-daughter living with her, who supports herself and grandmother by her needle Visitor recommends them for Wood during the Winter, they are deserving.

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875. Marie Edwards, 57 Ontario Street, ChofEngl., husband and 3 Children girl 7 girl 3 and boy 7 Months old, husband has been out of Employment for some time, they are much in want of fuel. The Visitor would recommend that the husband be allowed to saw for Wood.

876. Ellen Reilly. No. 3 Block House. Visitor has not had time to call there.

877. Catharine McNamara, 12 Albert St. Irish. R.C. Widow 56 years of age a boy 12 and a girl 10 at home, works as charwoman, Visitor thinks she had better put her Children in Service and herself too, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

878. Edward Cradicott. 10 Albert St. See report of last year, Visitor thinks that he can do without assistance for a time.

879. Catharine Murray. 25 Elizabeth St. Irish R.C. See report of last year Visitor thinks they are able to do for themselves.

880. Sophia Dow 25 Elizabeth St. see last report. She is to bring her Daughter before the Board.

881. Elizabeth McCarty 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow 44 years of age, no family, she appears dirty both in room and person, The Visitor recommends that she go to service.

882. Jemima Carr No. 100 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow 40 years of age. one boy at home 7 years old, a boy 18 in Service, and a girl 15 in Service at [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month, The Visitor recommends that the Boy be given to the House and she go to Service

883. Ann Biffin 139 Elizabeth St. her Case is known at the House

884. Catharine Thompson no such number as 123 Agnes Street.

885. Margaret Smith, not known at 192 Sayer St.

886. Susan Vandyke 222 Sayer St. Colored, Methodist Widow 30 years of age, she was not at home when the Visitor called, as she is in good health the Visitor thinks she ought to do for herself.

887. Charlotte Parker 222 Sayer St. Widow Colored Methodist, 70 years of age and almost blind, The Visitor would recommend 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. & Wood.

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Friday 24th December 1860

Present The Revd. Mr E. Baldwin, Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. J. Thom.

888. John Nolan in Case 758. gets Bread. recommended for Wood, to be examined by Medical Officer to ascertain if Nolan is able to saw Wood or not, if not to have 1/4 Cord of Wood.

889. Mary Schort, 3 Children, only one at home 13 years of age, lives on the Corner of Maria and Esther St. Wood & Bread.

890. Linch Sarah 311 Queen St. West. Lives with Mrs Whalen and cooks on the same Stove, the place is wretched dirty.

891. Mary Gormley, Widow, ChofEngl. at No. 149 Adelaide Street, some distance back from the Front, four Children, girl 12 at Service, a boy 10 a boy 8 and a boy 6 at home, Mr. Tyner recommends Wood for the season and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

892. Ann O'Brien in rear of the above Number in a lane. Widow 50 years of age, Irish, R.C. has no incumberance, but a married Daughter with a baby who lives with her, The Visitor thinks it would be as well to give her one quarter Cord of Wood, but not more than one for the season.

893. Ann Clarke 132 Richmond Street West. Widow 66 years of age. Irish. R.C. gets 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. The Visitor recommends her for two quarter cords of Wood during the season, that is one now, and another in about 6 Weeks from this.

894. Christy Dixon 248 Richmond St. does not live there, The Visitor says No. 248 is a House fit for a gentleman to live in.

895. Margaret Rossiter 104 1/2 York St. Visitor could find neither her or said Number.

896. Bridget McMahon. Hickmans lane York Street. Married, Irish R.C. twenty six years of age, husband 30. 3 Children, boy 4 1/2, girl 3 and a baby 10 Months old, has not a stick of Wood, Children sitting in the Cradle to keep themselves warm, no fire or fuel in the House, The Visitor did not see the husband either this time or last year. She says the husband is almost blind and cannot work, he is to appear before the

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Committee, and ^if^ they deem it proper for him to be examined by the Doctor and if all is right as stated, the Visitor would then recommend Wood for the season, and 6 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

897. Anne McLean, ChofEngl, Widow. aged 51, she called upon Mr. Tyner, said that she had been getting relief in St. John's Ward last Winter, has 3 girls at home 15, 10 and 8 years of age. Visitor thinks two of these girls ought to be out in Service, but there is a great ammount of beggarly pride about them, makes them prefer being called sewing girls at about one Shilling per day and board themselves, rather than get [dollars] 5. per Month and be called Servants. Mr. Tyner thinks it should not be encouraged by any public Charity such as the House of Industry.

898. Catharine Galvin Widow 31 years of age, Irish R.C. and child 9 years. She has been supporting herself by sewing, but of late got very little to do She is living with a poor Labourer who has a Wife and six Children rear of No. 80 Portland Street, The Visitor would recommend Bread now and Wood after New year.

899. Margaret Burns, Irish, R.C. a very industrious Woman, has a very sickly husband and four Children, the eldest aged nine years the youngest 2 1/2. They are in great distress, The family in the House had kindly let the sick Man lie by the Stove in their room when the Visitor called, They should have Wood without delay. No. 131 Tecumseth St.

900. Mary Ann Sullivan 31 Bishop Street Widow, husband died 6 Months ago she has two children a Boy 5 years and a girl four Months. with these

900 1/2. she is unable to get out to Work, She lives in a House with Ann Gardner Widow, who also has two Children, a girl 10 years who a running sore, and a boy about 4. She is a strong Woman and gets a little Washing, but they often depend upon the girls going out to beg for food. They have one Stove between them, immediate relief is much wanted.

901. Margaret Fitzpatrick, a most industrious respectable Widow, She has four children the eldest 10, her husband was a Soldier, she has never sought relief before, Visitor found her in a miserable House broken Windows and a large fire place with only one log of Wood which had been given her, hers is a

very urgent Case, She lives on Front St. up through a gate west of the Tavern facing Queen St. Wharf, if possible her Wood should be chopped up.

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902. Coppage Margt. a respectable hard working Widow, her husband after a long illness died four Months ago, she goes out to work when she can get it, she lives in Mr. Dalys House opposite St. Johns Church, this is a very urgent case. The House is cold and she has no Wood. Irish R.C.

903. Catharine Hughes, see report of last Winter, much the same still, The girl is home with the small Pox. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread. (Case 970 in 1859.)

904. Margaret Brennan see report of last Winter. Much the same this Winter (Case 1040 in 1859.) The Visitor leaves the Committee to judge in this Case.

905. Nancy Moore, See her report of last Winter, much the same this Winter. The Visitor recommends Wood during the Winter and Bread permanently.

906. Alice Murphy, 28 years of age, husband 40, was a Sailor 8 years and a Soldier 10 1/2, the baneful Effects of which are visible in his degraded appearance. 5 Children girl 8. girl 7. boy 5. boy 3. and Boy 1. Irish R.C. All in good health, but they live in a condition that can scarcely be called human: filthy in the Extreme. The Committee will please judge on view of the Male Animal.

907. Jemima Clements, 60, Widow, Daughter 32 Married in the States. Son Married in Toronto, a Daughter married at Richmond Hill, and a Son 22 in Toronto - all in good health. Chof Engl. The House is small and in disorder, but they seem respectable. Nevertheless with so many grown up and well to do Children The Visitor feels reluctant to recommend her for relief. The Committee will please judge.

908. Edward Fitzgerald, 60 Widower, see report of last Winter. He has a very suspicious Nose, his Son with whom he lives has a boy 7 and a girl 3 1/2, who with their Mother and himself seem to be in excellent health and Condition, but as he cannot obtain Employment he feels difficulty in supporting the old gent, who will show himself, when the Committee will please judge.

909. Ann Ryan see report of last Winter, (Case 931 in 1859.) if the Doctor reports her own account of her state of health. the Visitor will recommend Wood and Bread.

910. Margaret Gallagher See report of last Winter, her description of herself and Family differs from former account, she does not give a Coherent history. She is blind, she says she was struck by lightning about 4 Months ago -

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The People with whom she lives are disgracefully dirty, and disreputable Loafers, the Visitor thinks it would be well to take her in the House of Industry. Blind Margaret Gallagher is not the Case reported last year, this one has no Children and has only arrived lately from Kingston, she was recommended to get a pass from the Mayor and to get back to her friends.

911. Mary Sullivan see report of last year, they have another Child since, and seem to be utterly miserable in every way, but altogether owing to his dissolute habits; a more thorough going Loafer cannot be found in Toronto. She seems as clean and respectable as can be expected under the Circumstances, it is a hard Case for the poor thing, The Committee will please judge for themselves on view of the Husband.

912. Margaret Gracey No such person at 95 Richmond St.

913. Flora Stuart, 45 Caroline St. Widow, Presbt. one Child, a girl 10 years Scrubs and Sews. - but Work is difficult to be had now, She was reported upon last year, she is a very decent respectable Woman, and the Visitor thinks she ought to have Wood at least twice during the Winter and a small allowance of Bread during the cold Weather.

914. Nora McGann. 122 Duke Street. Irish. R.C. Widow and Child - a Daughter 21 years of age - a sempstress helps to support her Mother by her Needle the Mother also sews and quilts she is a very decent respectable Woman. The Hon. Mr. Allan recommends her for a quarter of a Cord of Wood now, and once again during the Winter

915. Elizabeth Cobb. 63 Duchess St. a Mistake it is 63 Duke St. she has 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week, her Case being well known by the Revd. E Baldwin, she was allowed a quarter of a Cord of Wood also - was found by Visitor, who was informed by her that she had received assistance on recommendation of Revd. E, Baldwin

916. Francis Hood. 113 Duke Street, a Widow, 4 Children but only one at home Boy 13 out at Service (getting nothing but his board.) girl 12 at Service upon the same terms. girl 6 in Public Nursery, the child at home a girl ~~boy~~ 9 years old. Mrs. Hood herself has been out at Service all the Summer, she appears a very decent respectable Woman, but the Visitor does not think her case a very necessitous one: has advised her to get her boy into the boys home and endeavour to get a place herself, she asks for some Wood now, The Visitor thinks if the Committee would allow her some Wood now she would require no more this Winter.

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918. Margaret Sullivan No. 115 Nelson St. a Widow. Irish. R.C. one Child. The Visitor was so informed by the neighbours. Not in. Visitor called again, recommends Wood twice and Bread for a few Weeks.

919. Sarah Lynch 34 Queen St. east not found

920. Catharine Ryan, Muttons yard Nelson Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 2 daughters out at Service getting respectively 3 & 4 [dollars] per month - they pay the rent for their Mother and otherwise help to Clothe and support her. The Visitor would recommend her to receive Wood twice during the Winter.

921. Ellen Rowbottom, living up stairs in the same premises as Mrs. Ryan. Irish. R.C. Husband left her 16 Months ago - has not heard of him since or received any Money from him. Child a year old - The Visitor recommends her for Wood twice, and bread (a small allowance) during the Winter.

922. Mary McCarty, living in the same House, husband has deserted her also. 3 Children. girl 8. boy 3 and boy 11 Months. - The Visitor recommends the same assistance as Mrs. Rowbottom.

923. Bridget O'Brien 33 Duchess St. no such person living there.

924. Eliza McNamara. 103 Beech Street. not in. Visitor recommends after Visiting again, a little Bread and Wood during the severe Weather.

925. ~~Sarah~~ Hannah Hawkes, rear of 81 McMahon Street, Widow and grandchild living with her, her Case was fully reported last year (See Case 165) The Visitor recommends her for Wood twice.

926. Ann Waters. See report of last year (Case 897 in 1859.) Visitor recommends Wood.

927. Eliza Fern, No. 79 Sayer St. See last years report See Case 896 in 1859.) Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

928. Sarah McBeth, rear of 36 Terauley Street. English. ChofEngl. Widow 45 years of age, a clean respectable Woman has been in a situation as house keeper but is now Confined to her room with a bad leg - two Sons 13 and 10 years of age for which she wants situations, she will strive to do without Bread from the House if Wood be allowed her.

929. Mary McKeever, McCauls place Terauley St. Irish ChofEngl. Widow, 70 years of age, lives with a Married Daughter who has a large family of young Children, and not able to do much for her Mother, The Visitor thinks she will do with Wood.

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930. Mary Black rear of 13 Elizabeth, Scotch. ChofEngl. Widow 37 years of age - she is clean and industrious, a boy 17 with Hammilton the painter at 2 [dollars] p [per] Week boards at home, a boy 14 with the Hon. Wm. Caley at 4 [dollars] per Month, a girl 11 and a boy 6 years of age at home. The Visitor recommends Wood & a little bread.

931. Margaret Hanrahan No. 606 Yonge, Native of Newfoundland. R.C. Widow 38 years of age, appears clean and respectable, 5 Children. girl 15 in Service but no wages, a boy 10 in bad health, boy 8. a boy 2 1/2 and a girl 5 who is from home has removed in to St. Johns Ward, Visitor recommends that she be continued on the Books for Bread & Wood

932. Sarah McNichol 28 Edward St. see former report (See Case 664 in 1859.) Visitor recommends Wood.

933. Joseph Parrott, 63 Louisa St. See former report (Case 312) Visitor recommends Wood and a Bushell Potatoes a Month.

934. Eliza Poolbrock about 5 years of age is to be admitted in to the House, the Mother of the Child ran of [off] with another Man and left the husband with the Children, who is almost a Cripple from injurys received and not able to Work, they, himself and his Mother are willing to have the Child apprenticed out. The Mother ^of the Child^ was sent to Penitentiary

935. James Dogherty, applies for readmission into the House, has been an inmate before, is a usefull man about the premises. admitted.

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Present The Revd. E. Baldwin Mr. J. Thom, and Mr. E. Hobson

936. Johanna Kehoe, 74 Boulton Street, Widow. R.C. aged 40. Two Children - girls 10 and 12 years of age, recommended to have a little Wood, not more than 2 quarters during the season.

937. Mary McCarty, 116 Adelaide Street, Widow, Irish, R.C. 55 years of age one girl 12 years of age, Visitor thinks if they would exert themselves they would do without help, but neither Mother or Child has much of that about them, would recommend one quarter of Wood at present.

938. Sarah Curran, rear of 116 Adelaide St. West. Visitor did not see her cannot give his opinion until he does.

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939. Anne Haselip 116 Adelaide Street in the rear. ChofEngl Married, Husband not at home, has 3 Children at home a boy 7 boy 5 and boy 4 and 3 older ones out. Mr. Tyner thinks that Mrs. Haselip does not want much assistance recommends one quarter Cord of Wood at present but no more without further Notice

940. Richard Jeffers, No. 168 Queen Street West, 62 years of age, Wife aged 32. ChofEngl. two boys the one 14 Months the other 3 years. The Visitor thinks that such people as these deserve to suffer, not recommended, report of St. Andrews Ward.

941. Alice Ann Cunane, No. 141 Adelaide St. West, Widow, aged 50. Lives with her Daughter who has a young family of her own, Visitor recommends her for one quarter Cord of Wood, but no more for the season.

942. Christie Dixon No. 248. Richmond Street West. Widow aged 49. Two daughters one 17 and one 15. The Visitor leaves the Committee to judge

943. Mary Carroll, 31. Husband deserted her a year ago. 3 children, boy 5 1/2 years girl 4. and a Boy 5 Months old. Irish R.C. No friends in America. Slovenly, not to [too] clean in House and Children - for the sake of the 3 little ones, The Visitor (Capt. Elmsley) recommends Wood and Bread, The Weekly will not give relief at present until they hear more about her, as in last years report her husband had left her 3 years and has not been home since.

944. Ann ONiel. No such person at 62 Church St. all Lawyers offices.

945. Esther Lennon. 56. Husband went to Cincinnati about 4 Months since, she has not heard from him since. Daughter 22 years of age in the Bush, Married. she knows not where. Girl 18. Sickly. Boy 15 gone to New Orleans. She has very short breathing. Mrs. Byers who keeps Store on Stanley Street Corner of Church, Knows her well, if she will give a good certificate. Capt. Elmsley will recommend her for Wood only.

946. Charlotte Wolsey, see report of last Winter (See Case 930 in 1859) Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

947. Dolly Cannon, there is no such House on Richmond Street the position which No. 14 should occupy being Covered by the Foundry of J.R. Armstrong.

948. Jemima Clements (See Case 907) visited again Daughter half witted and sickly. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

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949. Mary Curley, Widow, Irish. R.C. four Children all girls - 10 - 8 -6 and 3 years respectively. Mrs. Curley, occupies a small room with Anne Wilson, a Widow woman whose Case was reported upon a short time ago. They both use the same Stove, and the Hon. Mr. Allan thinks it would be well to allow Mrs. Curley a quarter of a Cord of Wood now, and Mrs. Wilson could have it the next time, if she desires it. Mrs. Curley appears to be a very decent person and well inclined to help herself - Visitor thinks in consideration of her large family she might have a small allowance of Bread during the next Month, until Work becomes more plentiful again, has had 8 [pounds] of Bread all the Summer, receives now since the 5th December 6 [pounds] of Bread and 1/2 Bushel Potatoes.

950. Honora Cavanagh – No. 416 King St. east. Widow. Irish R.C. Two Children Boy 11 and girl 8. Mrs. Cavanagh earns a living by rag picking. She seems to be an active industrious Woman, but cannot make enough just now, to pay for fuel, as well as food and rent, her youngest child was in Bed when the Visitor called, and her Mother said that she had been there all day, as the only means of keeping herself warm. She (the Mother) and the oldest Child were sitting without a spark of fire in the House.

951. Jane Cummings living in a wretched hovel in a garden next to 44 Duke Street, This Womans Case the Visitor fully reported upon last year. There can be no doubt but that she, her husband and only Child, have all been suffering for want of both food and fuel, and that at this moment, they are in the greatest possible distress. But the Visitor is satisfied that she drinks, and suspect the husband too. He is a poor miserable creature, with an ulcerated leg, wick [which] incapacitates him altogether from anything like hard work, The Woman has also suffered very much at times from Erysipelas. Visitor will leave the Case in the hands of the Committee, merely adding as his own suggestion, that he would be inclined to assist them once, even if he (the Visitor) refused all further aid afterwards.

952. Margaret Cloane, 46 Duchess Street, Widow, 2 Children, Boy 12 and a girl 9. She goes out to Scrub and wash - but Work is slack with her just now, Visitor Recommends a quarter Cord of Wood just now.

953. Mary Berney, in Case 869. recommended for some Bread for 3 Weeks.

954. Bridget Cahill 92 George Street. Irish. R.C. 2 Children, her husband fell down and broke two of his ribs a few days ago, some doubts of

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his sobriety - but she seems to be an industrious hard working Woman, The Visitor would recommend them to receive 1/4 Cord of Wood once, as they are without a stick of fuel, but no more assistance, without fresh reference to the Visitor, perhaps Bread for one Week.

955. Catharine Thompson rear of 128 Sayer Street, Irish, ChofEngl. 40 years of age, 2 children at home girl 11 and a boy 7 years of age, a girl apprenticed by this House, 2 in the Orphans Home and Boy 14 in

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the Country, Visitor was informed that she is a sober industrious Woman, but gets very little Work. recommends Wood and Bread for a short time.

956. Ann Ellis rear of 80 Sayer St. not at home when Visitor called, but has known her for some years, thinks her husband is dead. Irish. ChofEngl. 52 years of age, not able to do much, having very bad legs. 2 Children 4 and 10 years of age, requires some assistance during the Cold Weather.

957. Bridget Franklin 173 Centre Street See report of last year. Visitor recommends Wood and one Bushel Potatoes per Month.

958. Rose McCarty 76 Sayer Street. Irish. R.C. Married, 24 years of age. very dirty both as regards House and person one Child. Says her husband left for the Country to look for Work, Visitor is informed that is not the Case has no doubt they can do very well if they would be industrious and not spend their money in Whisky.

959. Ann Ryan rear of 15 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow 67 years of age, appears clean and respectable, her Son on whom she depended is now in the Lunatic Asylum, she strives to support herself by Knitting, Visitor recommends her Case for assistance.

960. Caroline Jackson rear of 97 Sayer St. Colored. M. Church. Married. 45 years of age, husband a labourer, 3 Children, girl 12 - 4 and 2. Visitor thinks that they can provide for themselves.

961. Jane Armstrong rear of 84 Agnes St. She was out when the Visitor called, her husband is a ~~Col~~ Colored Man a Cab driver at Work. 2 Children. By what the Visitor could learn they are well able to provide for themselves.

962. Margaret Wilson 123 Elizabeth Street. See report of last year. Case 952 in 1859.

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963. Sarah Shields rear of 57 1/2 Elizabeth St. (See report of last year,) English. ChofEngl Married, husband in Penitentiary for two years - 37 years of age, 3 Children, boy 7, boy 5 and girl 4 years of age. She has been recommended to the Visitor for relief by a Number of respectable people where she is in the habit of working as a Charwoman, The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

964. Edith Webb No. 62 Emma Street, Visitor has called twice each time about Noon, the first time no one appeared to be at home, the second time after knocking for some time a Woman turned the Blind a little on one side, and looked out - but did not open the door.

965. The Committee for accepting Tenders for the Supply of Groceries Meat Bread and Milk: to this Institution for the ensuing year met to day

Present Messrs. E.H. Rutherford, E. Hobson & R. Gilmore

The following Tenders were opened.

Mungo Nasmith, Bread for the ensuing year, at the rate of five pence farthing per four pound Loaf. G. Cole's Tender at the rate of 8 Cents per four pound Loaf best quality.

Mr. Coles Tender being the lowest - was accepted. The Bread Tender is for twelve Months, either party having the Privilege of throwing up at the end of each Month, by giving a Weeks Notice within the Month.

C. Moore & Co. W.C. Griffith & Co. W. Willoughby & Co. and Dodgson Shields and Morton for Groceries, with Samples and prices attached - after Carefull examination The Committee recommended that Dodgson Shields & Mortons Tender be accepted.

Peter Hustys Tender for Meat. agrees to supply the House for the next twelve Months with fresh Soup Meat at the rate of [dollars] 3 per 100 pounds.

John Wickson's Tender for Meat, agrees to supply the House for the next twelve Months, with fresh Soup Meat at the rate of [dollars] 2, 45 [cents] per 100 pounds.

Mr. Wicksons Tender was accepted being the lowest.

Mrs. Harper agrees to supply the House for a twelve Month with good sweet Milk at 5 [cents] per quart - her Tender being the only one - was accepted at 5 Cents per quart.

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Monday 31st December 1860.

Present The Hon. G.W. Allan, The Revd. H. J. Grasett and Mr. Rowell.

966. Ellen Franklin No. 11 Dummer St. Widow, R.C. very poor, dirty, 2 Children Boy 4 and girl 3 years of age.

967. Mary O'Brien in the same House as above, cooks at the same Stove, husband drunkard. 2 Children, girl 5 and boy 3. The Revd. Dr. Lett recommends Wood alternately between Franklin and O'Brien

968. Anne Smith. 30 Charles St. lone Widow, her Son used to support her but it is supposed that he is lost. Wood is recommended by Revd. Dr. Lett. Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends Bread.

969. Jane Caulklin, Dummer St. Widow, R.C. Irish. 2 Children, boy 4 and girl 14 Months, husband Killed of [off] Court House last year, nice and tidy tries to do as well as she can. Recomd. Wood

970. Mary Nolan, No. 24 Dummer St. Irish. ChofEngl. lone Widow, old pensioner Revd. Dr. Lett recomd Wood.

971. Mary Murphy rere of 24 Dummer St. bad health, husband dead, 2 Children, girl 10 and boy 8 who seems to be silly, very poor. to have Wood.

972. Daniel Murphy rere of 24 Dummer St. Man very sick, wife cannot get work 2 children, Boy 9 and girl 6 in great distress. Neighbours say they are great drunkards and seek everything for drink, left to discretion of the Board.

973. Mary Wolfe in a yard, Widow, rheumatic - washes when she can get it old pensioner, place very nice and tidy, very poor, 3 children, Boy 13 delicate at a printer earns [dollars] 1.25 [cents] per Week a boy 8 and girl 5. Visitor Revd. Dr. Lett recommends Bread and Wood.

974. Mary Crombie: Colenzas house rere of 60 Dummer St. 5 Children, Boy 13 sells papers, girl 10. girl 8. girl 6 and boy 4. Washes occasionally recommended for Wood and Bread, ~~but~~ for one Month but not be renewed unless the oldest Boy goes to some situation in the Country.

975. Mary Murphy No. 9 Dummer Street, Widow, very destitute -

976. Mary Rowe, Widow almost blind, 2 Children girl 13 Sore Eyes and Boy 9. in great Want tolerably clean. Wood alternately between Murphy & Rowe.

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977. Ellen Brennan No. 13 Dummer Street, Widow, very sickly the neighbours say, but she does not look so. takes care of Mrs. Butlers six Children who gets occasional Work. 6 [pounds] of Bread permanent.

978. Mary McGrath. William St. West, able young Woman, one Child both very comfortable, even fashionably dressed, not in distress as far as appearance goes.

979. Mary Collins 17 1/2 ~~Dummer~~ ^Wm St. W.^ old lone Widow to have Wood.

980. Susan Walsh, William St. West, old Pensioner. poor, 2 children Revd. Dr. Lett recommends Wood & Bread. reported before see Case 724.

981. Ann Maloney, Widow, aged 50. Irish. R.C. no children, begs a living, lives West of Rees's Wharf with another family. Mr. Tyner recommends one quarter Cord of Wood for the season.

982. Margaret Black 136 Richmond St Irish. R.C. a smart Woman but the husband is away from her these six Months, has two smart Children. The Visitor recommends wood at present, will see her again.

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983. Margaret Robinson 136 Richmond St. West. ChofEngl. deserted by her husband, aged 34. 3 Children only one at home at present, cannot get much to do, if she can procure Work she will not want assistance long, The Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord Wood now, and one in 6 Weeks time.

984. Mary Madden. Hickmans lane York Street, Married ChofEngl. aged 24. husband 23 (Visitor did not see him) 2 Children a boy 3 years and a boy 8 Months old, they are very poor, they appear shiftless, Mr. Tyner recommends Wood if the husband will saw for it.

985. Margaret McLean, 27 Queen Street West. The Visitor cannot recommend this person without further enquiry

986. Margaret Byers, 27 Queen St West, bad report of her last year The Visitor will make further enquiries about her.

987. Ann McEwen, Widow aged 47. ChofEngl. second Shanty west of Bay Street on Front Street. has no family. Visitor recommends one 1/4 Cord Wood for the season.

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988. Ann Conway 141 1/2 ~~John~~ Adelaide St. West deserted by her husband. Irish R.C. 3 Children, 2 girls, the eldest 10 a Cripple, girl 8. and a Boy 12 who has fits, these Children are real objects of Charity. The Visitor therefore recommends Wood for the season, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

989. Margaret Kane 29 Adelaide St. West. Widow. ChofEngl. aged 64, lives up stairs with her daughter, who is so poor as to wish relief for herself if she could get it, Mr. Tyner recommends the old Woman, two quarters of Wood for the season.

990. Ann Hinkley 27 Nassau Street. husband a labourer. Irish, Three Children eldest 3 years, recommended for wood after New year, as the Man has been out of Employment for some time.

991. Henry Lawrence, Gowans Cottages, Agnes St. an old Man over 70 - Wife old, bad health but industrious and deserving, 3 Children the eldest 16 has been ill for twelve Months, their things were taken for rent. The old Man a most respectable Man, not able to do much, The Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends them as a most urgent Case for imediate relief in Wood and Bread.

992. Margaret Cowan, 40 Laidlaws lane, an old Widow of 82 years. Irish, lives with a poor family named Dillon, her Wood would go in part payment of Board. Visitor told her that she may expect it after Fridays Committee The Bread is recommended directly.

993. Margaret Halanan next House to the above, Spinster about 80 never means to get married, lodging with one Collins, a very poor old Woman, recommended as above.



994. Margaret Nash 2 Camden St. a Widow lives alone, has a little girl out at Service not able to give her any assistance, she tries to earn a living by sewing, but can scarcely exist, recommended for Wood regularly after Friday.

995. Elizabeth Aldgate visitor could not find her will try to do so on Monday

996. Mary Slattery. 104 Pine St. Irish. R.C. husband a labourer, lately employed on the Railway, where he got his hand badly smashed - and has been unable to work for some time past, They have one Child 3 years old - Visitor recommends them for Wood once - and if they apply a second time and the husbands hand is well, he must saw Wood.

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997. Anne Cusick, Duchess St. Widow, Irish, R.C. a very old Woman without any friends or connexions in the place and entirely dependent upon the charity of strangers. She is living with a very respectable Man and his Wife, who have taken her in for the Winter, but they can hardly afford to keep her for nothing - she receives one loaf of Bread a Week from the R.C. Bishop, she applies now for Wood, which of course if it is given to her would be a sort of payment to the parties who are keeping her, Visitor leaves the Case in the hands of the Committee.

998. Johanna OBrien, Bethunes lane next to No. 102 George St. Widow, four Children and an aged Father living with her, she was reported last year - she is a very respectable industrious Woman - and Wood twice and Bread for the two Winter Months, should - the Visitor thinks be allowed her.

999. Mary Brien, Blairs Yard Nelson Street. Irish. Widow. R.C. 2 Children Boy 11 & Boy 9. sells apples, and scrubs & Washes - she is a smart active Woman and is the Visitor believes industriously inclined, recommends her for Wood (only) twice during the Winter.

1000. Mary Eagan, In a Cottage in a hollow rear of 26 James Street, near the Corner of Pine Street. not in when the Visitor called, reported upon her Case last Winter, would recommend that she receive the same assistance this year a little Wood and Bread during the severe Weather, Wood now and again in January

1001. Mary McQuiggen, same place as above, one of two Sisters whose Case was reported last year, very industrious decent people. Visitor recommends them for Wood twice, and Bread for 5 weeks.

1002. Johanna Ryan. 82 Caroline St. Widow, R.C. 2 Children, a girl 14 in place during Summer but ill at home now - boy 3 years. Mrs. Ryan is a very respectable Woman and tries to earn her living by sewing knitting & etc. She is much in want of fuel - and if she is allowed a quarter of a Cord of Wood now, it will probably be all she will require this Winter as she is getting some Knitting to do which will enable her to get some Wood by and bye for half price.

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1003. Margaret Mealey, Bethunes lane George St. lives with her daughter in Law her own husband is a great drunkard and left her some 2 Months ago - She has two daughters of her own, one 12 the other 14, a Woman living in the same House was recommended for Wood, on condition that Patrick Mealy, cut Wood for it, to be allowed to Cut Wood for his Mother and the benefit of his own family, the old Woman to have a small allowance of Bread for 6 Weeks.

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1004. Ellen Riley, The Block House Corner of Bloor & Sherbourne St Widow, Irish. R.C. A very decent industrious Woman, goes out to Wash and Scrub, but cannot get work enough to Keep her in both food & fuel, The Visitor recommends Wood twice.

1005. Bridget Efferson. See report of last Winter. (Case 943 in 1859.) Ankle [ankle] much better. Son with white swelling, off to the States. She was ^not^ out of Bed when the Visitor called at 2 OClock P.M. yesterday, Sunday. acknowledged that she was on the spree last night, looks and speaks as if she had taken a hair of the dog that bit her, this day. Capt. Elmsley cannot recommend such a Case.

1006. Eliza West. 57. Widow 5 Months. ChofEngl. Son 23 in the State of Tennessee Daughter 19 in Service in Toronto [at] [dollars] 4. a Month, she pays her Mothers rent, Washes and Scrubs, but cannot get enough of it. She produces good Testimonials, seems a tidy and industrious body. her late husband was eight years sick. She will exhibit her recommends. Visitor recommends Wood only.

1007. Jane Chambers. 30. Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 Children. Boy 11 & Boy 5 - who has the hip joint disease. Washes when she can get it. Very dirty; lives with a miserable Crew, of loafers of both sexes, nevertheless on account of the poor little sufferer, the Visitor recommends Wood & Bread.

1008. Ann Tonar [Tonan] see report of last Winter (Case 970 in 1859.) Looks as if she was too fond of a drop. Committee will please judge.

1009. Jane Tynan. See report of last Winter. (See Case 42.) husband still away he has sore Eyes, and his Brother supports him, but will not take charge of his Wife and Children, Visitor informed her that if she does not join her husband in the spring, she would not receive any relief from the House of Industry next winter. At present for the sake of the little ones, recommends Wood ~~and Bread~~ only.

1010. Patrick Carroll, see report of last Winter, still paralyzed in left side, but he can saw Wood. Visitor recommends a 1/4 Cord of Wood on his sawing one Cord.

1011. Elizabeth Burns, See report of last year. Daughter gone to Bowmanville, leaving the grand daughter with her to support as best she can. Looks as if she liked a horn too well. Committee will please judge.

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1012. Margaret O'Brien. 62 Spinster. Irish. R.C. All her friends in Limerick looks like a regular old toper, but old and feeble. Committee will please judge.

1013. Anthony Corrigan see report of last Winter. This remnant of human Nature should be taken into the House of Industry, Visitor thinks and recommends

1014. Patrick Lindsay. See report of last Winter. This is another remnant of humanity and should the Visitor thinks be taken in to the House.

1015. Mary Summers. See report of last Winter (See 319.) Visitor recommends Wood only.

1016. Catharine Murphy, see report of last Winter (See Case 864 1/2 in 1859.) Visitor recommends Wood only

1017. Ellen Moran, last house on Palace St. reported last Winter, has four Children running wild: girl of 12 might go to service but has no Clothes: 3 boys - 10 - 8 & 6 have no Shoes therefore cant go to School, but are sufficiently clad to play Shinty on the ice all day with their Sister and other Children of the neighbourhood, Mrs. Moran admits that she is not a Busling Woman but promises amendment, meanwhile the Visitor would recommend 6 [pounds] of Bread and Wood to assist the family. Her present occupation is rag picking for Mr. Monkhouse on Adelaide St.

1018. Ellen Casey, Lees Cottages off Palace Street. Widow for 7 Weeks. 10 years in Toronto. Irish R.C. boy 3 years sickly. - Washerwoman. Visitor recommends Wood turn about with Mary Rogers, also 4 [pounds] of Bread.

1019. Mary Rogers same room as above. Widow, boy 7 years, sickly Woman Irish R.C. 10 years in Toronto. Visitor recommends Wood turn about with Ellen Casey the above Case, and 4 [pounds] of Bread.

1020. Ann Cairns, George St. adjoining Kitsons Tavern, Corner of King St. Widow 7 years in Toronto, Irish R.C. has a Son over 20 who with his Mother sells Apples and Oranges, Son is lame and unable to do any laborious work. A young Grass Widow lives with Mrs. Cairns (has a child of 6 Months, husband away these 6 or 7 Months) and takes Care of the House while Mrs. Cairns and her Son are absent on their mercantile expeditions. Visitor recommends Wood.

1021. Margaret Doyle. Lees Cottages, husband left her 2 1/2 years ago.

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Labourer, no word of him since. girl 9 and girl 3, both going to school. Irish R.C. sews and washes. Visitor recommends Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread.

1022. Mary Price, South Park St. last House near the Bridge, see report on James Price, last winter. husband died last February and one child since. She is just out of Hospital. Visitor recommends Wood and four pound of Bread.

1023. Eliza McCaffrey, 27 South Park St. husband a tinsmith, went off with another Woman 15 Months ago, and is now living with her as his Wife at Buffalo. Eliza has one Boy 9, girl 5 and a boy 11 months, boards with a family as above at 10 [shillings] per Month, sews for living, would go out to service but for the children, Irish R.C. distressing Case. Visitor recommends Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread.

1024. Eliza Duncan, rear of 34 Front St. adjoining Newbigging House, fully reported on last year, no material change to note since, Visitor recomds. Wood, which is all she seems to require.

1025. Eliza Higgins, rear of 17 Albert St. English, Ch of Engl. Widow, 40 years of age. Charwoman clean and industrious, a boy 9 and girl 10 years of age both at home, Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread and Wood twice during the season.

1026. Jane Henning No. 99 Trinity St Irish. ChofEngl. 54 years of age work when she can get it, a daughter 24 years of age at home in bad health at present, lives with a Married daughter who is not able to assist in the support of her Mother, Visitor recommends Wood twice during the season.

1027. Mary Bennett, rear of 68 Terauly St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 36 years of age, Charwoman and very industrious, husband paralyzed and not able to work, and child a girl 6 years of age, in this case the Visitor would recommend 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and wood each month during the Season.

1028. Catherine Johnson 123 Sayer St. Irish, R.C. married, 22 years of age a boy 18 months old, husband gone to New Orleans, sends her money occasionally, this Case the Visitor leaves to the Committee.

1029. Martha Daveney, 90 Edward St. Colered. Baptist. Widow 57 years of age, clean and industrious, Charwoman, no Children, the Committee will please judge in this Case also.

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1030. Catharine Hallyhan, rear of 135 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 40 years of age, one child 3 months old, lived about 20 Miles from Toronto on the Kingston road for the last two years. She has no claim on the House of Industry. The House of Providence may do something for her.

1031. Rebecca Amos, has left the House in rear of 137 Centre St. not know where she moved to, lives at No. 27 Christopher St.

1032. Elizabeth Neil, rear of 17 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 58 years of age a clean respectable woman, sells Eggs in Summer but not able to earn anything in that way now, The Visitor recommends Wood twice during the season.

1033. Mary Donner rear of 37 Centre St. See report of last year. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

1034. Ann Duval 126 Elizabeth St. Colered, Methodist. Widow 61 years of age industrious Charwoman, no Children at home, no one to do anything for her. The Visitor leaves this Case to the Committee.

1035. Elizabeth Webb (in Case 964) 62 Emma St. Col'd. Baptist. Widow 50 years of age, her family are from her and do nothing towards her support, she is well recommended to the Visitor as an industrious well conducted Woman, but for some years past she has been in bad health and not able to work for her living. The Visitor recommends Wood twice, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for two Months.

1036. Mary Ann Bedford, 36 Maria St. west. husband left her, one Boy, lives with an old Couple, rather tidy, can earn about 75 [cents] a Week washing, has not constant work, Chof Engl. The Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends Wood.

1037. Catherine Cochrane 521 Queen St. west. Husband saws Wood at the House of Industry, has one Boy 19 years of age, another 3 years old, not particularly untidy, is willing to work but cannot get it, Irish, R.C. Wants Wood and Bread.

1038. Margaret Lennon, 56 Elizabeth St. ^West.^ Husband very old and feeble, she is delicate they live with two woman one a Widow who has 3 Children girl 11 Boy 8 and girl 3. The other deserted by her husband one Child an Infant, House very untidy, they have only one Stove between them all. R.C. one of the womans Name is Mary Lee, and the others Name is Catharine Turner.

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1039. Mary Black No. 213 Bishop St. husband nearly 80 years of age, no Children, can get no work, tidy respectable Woman, wants Wood very badly. ChofEngl.

1040. Elizabeth Aldgate see Case 995. Widow very sickly, two Children Boy about 16 girl 14 who go about begging, house tolerably tidy, a daughter deserted by her husband with a young Child, She has taken up with another Man. They want Wood. ChofEngl. Son in law to cut Wood.

1041. Ann Cunneyworth No. 26 Denison Avenue, Widow, lives with a daughter whose husband has occasional Employment as a Laborer, she has no one to support her and is Rheumatic. Wants Wood badly. ChofEngl.

1042. Sophie Humphreys 163 Elizabeth west. 4 Children at home, she is a tidy industrious Widow. Wants Wood very badly.

1043. ~~Jane~~ Ellen Armstrong, 52. Widow, Son 21 gone off, she knows not whither Daughter 20 the same. She is decent in appearance, in good health, but cannot find Employment. The Committee will please judge if this be a Case for relief.

1044. John Barrett, 75. Very red nose. Wife old also, and much troubled with hard breathing. Son 28 in the Navy. Son 25 in Springfield. Daughter 22, a Cripple and subject to fits, in one of which she was taken up by the Police, and the Magistrate had the audacity to pass judgment upon her as if it had been a fit of drunkenness, and sent her to jail for a Month, the little innocent. The Committee will please judge on view of the red Nose afore said. They seem very destitute.

1045. Ann Crowley, 32. Irish. R.C. husband deserted he two years ago, has no Children. No friends, is in a delicate state of health and destitute, Doctor certified as to her health being not very good, wishes to become an Inmate, admitted until she is better.

1046. Pat Lindsay, 58 years of age, Irish. Presbt. has a sore leg, not able to support himself, and is a old Case, recommended by Capt. Elmsley for admission, admitted subject to Doctors examination. Doctors advised that he be kept in the outbuilding for some time on account of some Skin disease, says Lindsay is not able to do much on account of his legs.

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1047. Mary Brennan, 75 Adelaide Street West, The Visitor called there but could not get admittance, he supposes they were not in the House.

1048. Catharine Murphy No 84 Adelaide St. West. said Number is one of the Buildings Composing what is called Ritcheys Terrace, Visitor thinks that no person seeking Charity would live there.

1049. William Brown, 30 years in Canada worked last in Chingacousy, has been there off and on for twenty years, came to Toronto about 4 weeks ago went to the general Hospital from which he was turned out on last Thursday some Man took him to Best on Yonge Street who knows him. Mr. Tyner

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applied on Browns behalf with a note from Best to the Committee, to see if he (Brown) could be admitted. No room at present, to be accommodated in the outbuilding until there is room in the House, The Man is entirely blind, is 64 years of age, a Native from England, ChofEngl. has no friends or relations in the Country.

1050. Thomas Wall 37 years of age. English. ChofEngl. not able to get Employment, was in the House last Winter, made himself very useful in the yard piling Wood. wishes to do the same this winter.

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Friday 4th January 1861.

Present: The Hon. G.W. Allan, Revd. H.J. Grasett and Mr. J. Rowell.

1. Isabella Lowe, See report of last Winter. The Visitor has great satisfaction in again recommending this person for Wood and Bread. All the Summer she gets occasional Work in Flemings Gardens, and so contrives to live, and even to procure little comforts for her very old and infirm Father but the Winter Months of course through [threw] her out of Employ in that line, and she cannot procure any other. Her Neighbours give her the very best of Character. Wood and Bread.

2. Catharine Martin, See her report of last Winter, Visitor recommends that if the husband, or the big Son will saw a Cord of Wood for the House of Industry, to be paid a 1/4 of a Cord for his Work.

3. Bridget Flinn, see report of last Winter, She seemed to the Visitor to be about half drunk, talked thick, loud, and incoherently, and could not preserve the perpendicular without an effort. The husband has deserted her about 4 Months. Two fine Children, girl 6 and girl 5 but clothed in most disgraceful rags, and begrimed with filth. The Committee will please judge, taking into Consideration - the Children.

4. Margaret McKew. See report of last Winter. Husband has recovered from the Effects of his accident and can saw a Cord of Wood for a 1/4 Cord payment. He is to show himself on Tuesday.

5. Johanna Flavan, 48. Husband long since rendered incapable of earning his livelihood, in consequence of habitual drunkenness, and its dire effects he is ably seconded by his better half in this respect; and 15 years of the Visitors acquaintance with the hopefull pair, lead him to surmise that they were never sober if they could procure the means of getting drunk. All their Children, five in Number, have left and are in good situations in the Country parts, in Lower Canada and in the States, Visitor cannot recommend such a Case.

6. Martha Kenny, 36. Widow 6 Months, No Children living, A buxom Wench, in excellent health, Says she cannot obtain Employment, Visitor advised her to go in the Country early in the Spring, and marry a well to do Farmer, she wish'd she could. The Visitor recommends



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6. Wood only, and only once. Such Ladies should be informed by the Committee, that should they be found seeking relief next Winter in Toronto, they need hope for none from the House of Industry.

7. Ann Bagly, see report of last Winter, and former years. This poor thing is known to the Superintendent who will recite her Case. She seems deeply contrite. Her child is about six months old. She says the Father promised her Marriage, and then deceived and deserted her, the rascal. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread for the poor broken hearted creature.

8. Biddy Horan. See report of last Winter, The Blind daughter has recovered her sight, and is at Service at 3 [dollars] a Month, She pays her Mothers rent. Son gone to Barrie, and is hired to a Farmer, youngest Child at Service, still a 3 [dollars] a Month and procures needful things for the Mother, Visitor recommends Wood only and only once.

9. Ellen Nolan, side entrance of 28 Frederick St. but about removing elsewhere. Widow, has no friends, Widow Egan occupies the same room, Irish R.C. Visitor recommends Wood.

10. Julia Donnelly, 38 Parliament St. Widow, from Ireland, lived in Bytown and then came to Toronto, one Child. at the Sisters School, her own age is about 40, Irish, R.C. sews and washes, pays 12/ [shillings] 6d [pence] per Month rent, and keeps her place in good order, Visitor recommends Wood.

11. Nancy Mitchell, 122 Duchess St. ChofEngl. husband a Sailor, has not been heard off for 2 years, 2 Children, Boy 9 and girl 11. A very decent respectable Woman, tries to support herself and Children by sewing - but cannot make enough in Winter to pay the rent and keep them in food and firing. She has been selling several small articles of furniture lately to pay for fuel - Visitor recommends Wood twice at least - and if she applies for Bread, the Visitor thinks that 6 [pounds] during this and part of next Month may be allowed.

12. Mary Boylan 35 Ontario St. Widow, 1 child boy 3 years old. She has a Brother, a sailor out of employment, living with her at present, if he were allowed to saw for Wood and a little Bread they could get on over the Winter well enough with 2 1/4 Cords, one now and the second in February.

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13. Ellen Dowd 34 Duchess St. Irish, R.C. Husband and five Children, Boy 10. Boy 7. Girl 5. Girl 2 1/2 and a Boy 3 Months. The husband is a miserable weakly creature far gone in consumption, and quite unfit for any hard labour. Mrs. Dowd is a strong healthy woman but work is scarce now, and with five Children and a sick husband to support, she cannot struggle on through the Winter without assistance both in food and fuel – Visitor would recommend that she have Wood twice, and should the weather prove severe at the end of February, she might have it once more – also recommended for Bread and Potatoes.

14. Jane Fraser 224 Queen & McMahon St. Irish. R.C. No Children, she seems a stout healthy Woman – She says that her husband who was not at home, and whom the Visitor therefore did not see, is in bad health, and unable to work, she is to bring him up to the House, that the Doctor may examine him and pronounce upon his Case. ^to have the Doctors opinion^

15. Mary Coulter, 43 Princess Street. Irish. R.C. no Children, husband and old Man between 60 and 70 years of age ill in bed. Visitor would recommend them for Wood once and a small allowance of Bread for a few Weeks until the husband recovers.

16. Elizabeth Dubberville, 11 Ontario St. The Visitor reported very fully upon this Case last year. he is now out of Employment and if any work could be given to him at the House he might have Wood allowed him for it.

17. Honora Connell, ^3^ Esther Street. Husband at Ottawa, not heard from for four Months, 3 Children, girl 3. Boy 2 and an infant, lives with another Woman who is in the same predicament, she cannot get work. Irish. R.C. recommended for Bread and Wood. ^lives with Cathr. Johnston^

18. Margaret Keathing, husband a labourer in delicate health, has been to the south in search of Work, 3 Children, Boys 3 & 4 years, a girl 3. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread. The husband to saw for Wood.

19. Fanny Jardin, Irish. R.C. off Maria St. Clean and respectable, goes out Washing but Work is scarce. Recommended for Wood.

20. Anastatia Hinlow 24 Andersons Lane, husband asthmatic, suspect drinks, and Boy 13. Poor and dirty.

21. Widow Henderson, in Graysons yard out of Wood. Very sick.

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Present The Revd. Dr. Lett, Mr. R. Gilmore and Mr. J. Doel.

22. Bridget Hayes, East side of Pine Street one door north of Queen Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 2 children, girl 16, learning dressmaking, girl 4 She seems a stout active Woman, but Complains that she can get

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little or no work, and is sadly in want of fire Wood. Visitor thinks if a quarter of a Cord of Wood be allowed her now, that she will be able to get through the Winter without further assistance.

23. Ann Power, In a yard back of 57 Duchess Street. Irish. R.C. Husband in Hospital with cataract in the Eyes. 1 child girl 4 years old. She seems a tidy industrious Woman and does her best to support herself and Child. An operation has been performed on her husbands eyes, and he will be sent back from the Hospital some time this Week, but from the Doctors account it will be a long time before he is capable of doing any Work. Visitor would therefore recommend them for Wood twice, and some Potatoes during the next few Weeks.

24. Mary Fahey, in the back part of 82 Caroline St. Spinster R.C. Irish. Formerly lived out in Service – earned a little sum, but fell in to bad health has exhausted all her means and cannot manage to keep herself in food and fuel and pay the rent too – Visitor recommends Wood twice.

25. Frances McConkey. Corner of Duchess and Berkely Streets. Widow, Irish ChofEngl. A talkative old lady sells Cakes and Apples but gets rather hard up in the Winter. She is a pretty old Woman, and the Visitor thinks she might be allowed Wood twice – and a 4 [pounds] Loaf Weekly for a Month or five Weeks.

26. Anne Farrell, rear of 92 Duchess St. Widow, 2 children, girl 19 and girl 12. Case was reported last year. The Visitor thinks Wood once is all he can recommend her for, perhaps a little bread (4 [pounds]) might be allowed for a Month.

27. John Johnson, 128 Duke St. Wife and Child 7 years old. He is a labourer and has been out of Employment for some time, he complains that he is suffering from sore legs, and is therefore incapable of doing hard Work – Visitor would recommend that he be allowed to saw for Wood once only, but no further assistance to be given without referring to Visitor again.

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28. Thomas Rogers 384 Queen Street east. ChofEngl. Wife and 4 Children girls 9-5-2 and 1 month. The Visitor found this family in the greatest possible destitution, the Wife in bed with an Infant a Month old, and the three Children in bed also, as the only means of keeping themselves warm having been without fire and almost without food for two days. Rogers is a Carpenter by trade, and at one time worked for Jaques & Hay, at their saw Mills in the Country. He is not the Visitor believes a perfectly steady Man at all times, and trouble and misery seem to some extent to have affected his mind. He has been obliged to part with all his tools to procure bread for his family, and they certainly are in a pitiable state, recommended to be allowed Wood and Bread and Potatoes, and Visitor will call again soon and report their Case further.

29. Mary Rice, South Side of Queen a few doors West of Pine St. was not at home when the Visitor called, but she seems to bear a good character as a hard working Woman amongst the neighbours. The Committee can perhaps decide upon her Case – if she is in much want without writing to Visitor to call again.

30. Ann McMan 49 Boulton Street, Widow aged 43. Irish. R.C. one Boy 7 years of age, Visitor recommends a little Wood, providing she satisfies the Committee that she is a Widow.

31. Julia Jones 47 Boulton Street, aged 44. deserted by her husband, four Children at home, occasionally out. girl 14. 10. 8 and 6. Boy 15 at the Rossin House [at] [dollars] 3 a Month, these are the Children of a former husband. The Visitor recommends two quarters of Wood for the season.

32. Sarah Curran 116 Adelaide Street West in the rere, widow aged 49. Irish. R.C. one girl aged 13 years but her hearing is affected she is under Medical treatment, recommended for a 1/4 Cord of Wood for the season.

33. Ann Coulter 121 1/2 Adelaide St. West in the rere, not at home when Visitor called, left word to call at his House, did not come, cannot recommend until more is seen about her.

34. Ann Courtney 121 1/2 Adelaide St. West. Widow, ChofEngl., not at home visitor cannot recommend until he knows more about her.

35. Martha Johnson in lane back of No. 6 Adelaide St. There is no such person living in said place.

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36. Mary Ann Godly No. 15 Boulton Street. there is no such Number in said St. it is an open place so house as it where said No. should be.

37. Sarah Freeman, rear of 92 Queen St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 45 years of age, 4 Children, boy 19 do [ditto]. 14 do [ditto] 11 daughter 15 all at home, the Boy 11 is of weak intellect, she wants to get her Children to service, is a very industrious Woman, her husband has left her and is now in England, Visitor would recommend Wood twice and the Son to work for it.

38. Catharine Albert rear of 92 Queen St. German Ch of Engl. married, 36 years of age, 2 Children, girl 6 boy 4 years of age, husband a Labourer, lives by cutting Wood and said to be one of the best in Toronto at that work. Visitor leaves the Committee to decide. Albert to cut Wood for Wood.

39. Ann Davis is not known at 23 Sayer St.

40. Ann Conner, rear of 21 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Spinster 61 years of age, she states that she has been so bad with rheumatism for some years that she is not able to work. Visitor recommends Wood twice.

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41. Catharine McDonnald, rere of No. 80 Sayer St. Irish R.C. Widow 41 years of age, Sober and industrious, 3 Children, boy 17 left his place and lost his wages, expects to get a place next week, girl 15 in Service at [dollars] 3 per Month, girl 11 wants a place, Visitor recommends Wood once.

42. Bridget Murphy is not known at 81 Sayer St.

43. Mary Malone 68 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Widow 46 years of age a Shoebinder but erns very little. The Visitor recommends Wood twice and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, she is highly recommended as a steady industrious Woman.

44. Margaret Davis No 60 Elizabeth St. Canadian, ChofEngl. Married, 30 years of age, husband in Montreal but does nothing for his Wife and Children of which there is 3. a boy 4, and twins 2 years of age, She is a very industrious Woman, but she has not only her Children to support – but her poor old Mother who is very ill, Visitor recommends Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread during the season.

45. Susan Taylor is not known at No. 70 Edward St.

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46. Grace Langly No 84 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 46 years of age, 3 daughters. 17 in the States, 15 Apprenticed to a dressmaker, girl 11 years of age at home, Visitor recommends Wood twice but no bread, as he thinks the girls should be at Service and not apprenticed.

47. Ann Maria Jackson No. 88 Edward St. Colered, Methodist, Widow 36 years of age, 5 Children at home, boy 5, boy 8, girl 12, a boy 18 and 3 in Service, but not able to do much for the Mother. Visitor recommends Wood twice, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, but the Son must cut Wood for both bread and Wood.

48. Elizabeth Keely 104 Sayer St. See report of last year, Visitor recommends Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the season.

49. Mary Stuart, rere of 104 Sayer St. Scotch. Presbt. Married 35 years of age. 5 Children, girl 11, girl 9, boy 12, boy 6 and boy 5 years of age, husband has a very sore leg not able to work. Visitor recommends Wood, and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the season.

50. Mary Smith No. 63 Emma Street, Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 26 years of age, 2 children, girl 12 years and a baby 3 Months. She says her husband went in the Country on Tuesday last to look for Work, Visitor leaves the Case to the board.

51. Mary Bell last house South on the east side of Larkin's lane, Colered. Methodist, she was not at home when the Visitor called and the husband was out at work, they have one daughter 19 years of age, all able to work and on that account the Visitor cannot recommend them.

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52. Jane Veral alias Armstrong. See Case 961 in 1860.

53. William Poolbrock, No. 17 Edward St. English. ChofEngl. Married 35 years of age, one boy 3 years of age at home, - had his leg broken in Fbr. last, and has not been able to work since, Wife in Penitentiary, he stays with his father who says he is not able to keep his son without some assistance. The Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

54. Phoebe Jackson rear of 42 1/2 Edward Street, English. ChofEngl. Married, 44 years of age. one Child a boy 11 years of age, husband left her about 2 years ago, Visitor thinks she might do for herself but will leave her to the Committee.

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55. Sarah McNichol, 28 Edward Street, a Widow 52 years of age, English, ChofEngl. 3 daughters one in the States, the other two in Service 15 and 17 years of age, they do a little for the Mother. She appears an industrious Woman. The Visitor recommends Wood twice.

Friday 11th January 1861.

Present The Revd. Dr. Lett, Mr. R Gilmor & Mr. J Doel.

56. Catharine Johnston, a Widow with one Child 3 years old, deserving as she works whenever she can get it, She lives with a labourer Man named Hall, has a Stove of her own, Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

57. Martha Johnson No. 6 in the first lane off Adelaide St. West of George St. on the South side, married, husband away from her for some time, aged 38, has two girls, one 12 the other 4 years of age, ChofEngl. if she could get work enough she says, she would not ask for anything, appears to be a respectable person, Visitor recommends two quarter Cords of Wood during the season but not more.

58. Ann Courtney 121 1/2 Adelaide St. West. Aged 27. one Child 13 months old. Visitor recommends one quarter Cord of Wood, in the mean time for her to make some arrangement to get her Child in the Public Nursery, and to try and make a living for herself.

59. Catharine Hunt 121 1/2 Adelaide St. in the rear. Widow, Irish. R.C. aged 40, four Children, girl 12, girl 3, and twins aged 2 years. Visitor recommends Wood for the season.

60. Bridget Corrigan next door West of Vales place on Adelaide St. This person has been recommended by Mrs. J. H. Boulton as being in great need of Wood. Visitor visited and found it so, she herself is sick,

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her husband away for about six Weeks looking for Work – has five Children at home, all girls – 13 – 9 – 7 – 5 and 2 years old. Visitor recommends Wood at once.

61. Ellen Conners, back of 32 Dummer St. husband a Brush maker but nothing to do, two Children, girl 10 and Boy 9, in wretched want.

62. Martha Dawson No. 12 Dummer St. 82 years of age, stopping with R. Taylor who is a Shoemaker by trade and has also a large family to support.

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63. Catharine Kane 315 Queen Street east. Irish. R.C. Her Case was reported upon last year – her circumstances are pretty much what they were then, Visitor would recommend her for Wood once – and should the weather be very severe four weeks or five Weeks hence she might have it once again.

64. Eliza Witts, Widow, rear of 301 Queen St. east. R.C. English, one Child a girl 9 years old, she was living with Mrs. Kane last year – she now rents a little Cottage or rather Shed back of 301. She is a very decent Woman, and very industrious, Visitor recommends Wood now and once again in February.

65. Mary Feeler 103 Pine Street, Widow, R.C. Irish, 3 children at home Boy 9 girl 9 and girl 6. The Visitor found them in a very wretched plight, trying to burn some pieces of green Wood, (roots and bits of branches) which the little Boy had brought in from the Bush. The Woman seems an untidy thriftless person, and the room was very dirty. The Visitor feels disposed to recommend them for Wood twice, and Bread (6 [pounds]) for four Weeks or a few Potatoes might be substituted for the Bread.

66. John Irwin, In a Cottage on Duke Street, next to the Police Station Corner of Duke & Berkely Streets, Irwin represents himself as being in bad health and is also at present suffering from a sore foot. He is living with a Couple of the name of McEwan, The woman seemed a decent person – but – the husband had evidently not got over the elections – The Visitor thinks Irwin might change his quarters to advantage. Recommended to saw Wood and get a little in return, and perhaps a little Bread, if he objects to Work, the Doctor had better examine him.

67. John Wingrove and Janet Hammell who leads him about, both Lodge with Bridget Stack, whose husband has been sawing Wood at the House. – The Stacks are decent people, willing to work when they can get it, They have 4 Children, Boy 11. Boy 7. Girl 5 and boy 2, The Father has been out of Employment for some time – Wingrove has been blind for many years – he goes about begging in the Country in Summer, and takes to the Town in Winter, this Janet Hammell leads him about out of Compassion as she says, because she belonged to the same Regiment. Stack is willing to saw more Wood, if he could be allowed a little additional quantity on their account and with a small allowance of



Bread, for four or five Weeks, Wingrove and his Leader, would probably get well over the Winter – Wingrove himself, the Visitors thinks ought really to be in the House if there were only room for him.

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68. Margaret Mead. 101 Beech Street, reported upon last year, since then her husband has left her in search of Work, said she had not heard from him for many Weeks – She has another Child since last year – and she has now her father in Law and Mother in Law living with her – both old people, and not likely to be of much assistance to her, The Man in fact is ill in bed. Visitor recommends that Mrs. Mead be allowed Wood twice, and Bread (6 [pounds]) for five Weeks.

69. Bridget Rogers, In a lane next 99 Parliment Street. Widow. R.C. Irish. 3 Children, her Case was reported last year, She is an industrious steady Woman, Visitor recommends Wood twice.

70. Julia Palmer No. 50 Agnes St. English. ChofEngl. Widow 35 years of age. Appears in bad health, not able to do much Work, and Child a girl 3 years of age, Visitor recommends Wood twice and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

71. Elizabeth Johnson, 46 Edward Street, Baptist Church. Colered. Widow 60 years of age no family, she lives in her own house but pays ground rent [dollars] 50 a year, which is more than she could rent the House for, she appears an industrious Woman, Visitor recommends Wood once.

72. Jane Henderson 203 Centre Street, Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 49 years of age, and Daughter a strong looking girl 14 years old, who ought to be in Service Visitor leaves her Case to the Committee to decide.

73. William Lloyd 116 Centre St. Irish, Presbt. Married, 70 years of age in bad health not able to work. House very clean, daughter 17 years of age who holds a certificate as Schoolteacher but not able to meet with Employment, Visitor recommends Wood twice

74. Isabella Dunlop 19 Elizabeth St. Colered, Methodist, Widow 50 years of age, no family very industrious, appears to be doing a good trade as a laundress and at the same time sells fruit and sweets, Visitor thinks she can do without assistance, but leaves her Case to the Committee.

75. John Henderson who stated he lived back of Bevens on George St. could not be found there, but lives in Yorkville, therefore has no Claim on the House.

76. Sarah O’Niel 12 Albert St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 50 years of age, a Son in the States does nothing for his Mother, lives by knitting, an industrious Woman, Visitor recommends Wood once.

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77. Hugh Bryson 61 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl., a Shoemaker by trade, but now almost past work, he applied for admission, has been an inmate before, No room in the House allowed to stay in the outbuilding until there is room in the House for him, admitted

78. Mary Percival 70. Widow, Irish, R.C. Son 30 Married and as poor as herself – his Twin Sister sickly and weak sight – She takes in sewing, but it is very difficult to obtain. No friends in America, clean decent and respectable. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

79. Ellen Leahy, see report of last Winter, but she must have made a mistake in her Number, as no such person was to be found at No. 77 ~~Yonge~~ Stanley Street.

80. John Nealon 34. Bachelor, seems to be the remains of a fast young man. Was a Sailor on the Lake: has a very sore leg, so he says, but upon the Visitor expressing a Wish to see it, he seemed desirous of concealment. The Doctor might examine his alleged sores and upon the report the Committee will be better able to judge, he seems utterly destitute of everything.

81. Bridget McCann, 64 years of age, Spinster, No friends in this Country, Irish, R.C. knits when she can procure yarn, She says she can procure testimonials from Mr. Bondilier, if she does, they can be relied on. Visitor recommends Wood if Mr. Bondilier says she is deserving.

82. Elizabeth Johnson, see report of last Winter, she was in Hospital but was discharged incurable, so long as she persisted in intemperate habits. She is certainly destitute in every way. The Committee will please judge.

83. Mary Dalton 42. Husband in Boston, Massachusetts, and being a desperately hard drinker he never did much towards her support, or that of his Children. she has a reddish face herself. 3 Children, girl 11. girl 4 and Boy 4 Months. She states that Mrs. King will give her a good character, as she has known her from a girl. She keeps a small Store, but not making enough to pay rent, She intends to let the Land Lord take all she has, except the Clothes. If she brings a recommend from Mrs. King The Visitor could recommend some Wood. Brought a recommend.

84. Mary Duffy, See report of last Winter. Her Niece has recovered from the sore eyes, and gone to service, and assists her Aunt a little. Visitor recommends Wood only.

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85. Ann Willoughby, See report from last Winter, the same now (See Case 599.)

86. Catharine Kerby 24. husband 30, and in good health but unable to find Employment. Visitor advised Country Life as early as possible in the Spring, and if they are still in Toronto next Winter, they should not the Visitor thinks receive anything from the House of Industry, she was confined 3 Weeks ago and is still quite poorly, her baby died. They have no other Children, all their friends in the States. If he will saw a Cord of Wood he may receive a 1/4 Cord for pay.

87. John Ward, see report of last Winter, This poor old creature struggled hard to strive to do without assistance this Winter, but found himself unequal to the task. Mr. Bannerman still gives him the best of characters in every way. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

88. Mary Halloran, see report of last Winter. Husband has recovered from his accident to some extent, but still suffers from its effects, particularly in Cold Weather, he is now in the Country, seeking Work. She has another Child 6 Months old. The Visitor recommends Wood once, and only once.

89. Mary Johnson in Cumberland & Storm late Offices on Frederick Street, husband in jail say 12 Months for passing bad Money. Boy at home 4 years old, girl 2 with a friend in the Country, A Sister 10 living with her, occupies free quarters at the expence of Mr. Allan, works for Shops when she can get employment, ChofEngl. Apparently deserving and industrious, Visitor recommends Wood.

90. Bridget McCarty, rear of 43 Parliment St. a rather dirty place both internally and externally. Husband killed by fire Engine some 4 years ago. A Boy 8. Girl 5 and girl 3. Irish. R.C. Scrubs and washes when she can get it to do. Visitor recommends Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread.

91. Ellen Fanning, Old Wellington Hotel on Church St., deserted by her husband, Children pick up a living about the Wharves and elsewhere, a Boy 17. girl 14. boy 12 and Boy 10. The Visitor advised that the eldest boy came to the House of Industry and Cut Wood. Recommends in the mean time Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread.

92. Matilda Robinson 96 Bishop St. her husband had 3 ribs broken last Summer, is an old man not able to make provision for his family, the Wife has been

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recently confined and is not yet able to work – has five children, girl 16 (delicate), girl 11, and another 7, a boy 3 years and the infant. Tolerable tidy, a very cold House, ChofEngl. Wants Wood and Bread.

93. Mrs. Stamford 137 Lumley St. a very industrious Woman, has been suffering severely from Rheumatism for some time quite unable to work, her husband out of Employ (Labourer) and in bad health, two children a boy 9 years and a girl 7. Methodist, she wants Wood badly and Bread.

94. Elizabeth Watson 484 Richmond Street west. Colored people, husband away six weeks and not heard of, has four Children, Boy 14. 3 girls 7, 5 and 1 respectively. Tidy, Methodist, want Bread and Wood very badly. to have Bread.

95. Eliza Wilson, 20 Esther St. Widow, has 3 Children, Boy 12, Boy 11 and girl 8. Not able to Work except at sewing which she cannot get – They live with another family and share their Stove, ChofEngl. The Visitor recommends that the Children should be given up to the House and apprenticed. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

96. Mary O'Neill Church Street Wharf, aged about 35, husband about 33, and Child a girl 4 years of age, Mother lately from Ireland living with them, O'Neill is a Mason by trade, gone to the States in search of Work last heard from at Albany, some 18 Months ago, Irish, R.C. apparently a deserving Case. Visitor recommends Wood for the season.

97. William Taylor 26 Albert Street, Irish, ChofEngl. Married 40 years of age has been out of Work for some time past. husband and Wife are clean sober people, highly recommended, 3 children, girl 9 boy 3 years and a baby 3 Months. Visitor recommends Taylor to Work and get a 1/4 Cord in payment.

98. Catharine Mc Cullen rere of 33 Centre Street, Irish, R.C. Married, 45 years of age, dirty in appearance, house not clean, one girl 4 years of age, industrious when she gets work, husband not always sober, but works when he gets it. The Visitor recommends, that he be allowed to saw one Cord of Wood, and get one 1/4 Cord in Payment but no more

99. Eliza Thompson 195 Park lane, Irish, Methodist Church. Widow, 37 years of age, 4 Children, boy 12, boy 10, boy 4 and a girl 8 years of age. clean and industrious Woman. Laundress, The Visitor recommends Wood for the season and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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100. Mary Ann Brown, 2 doors West of 73 Hayter Street. English, ChofEngl. Married 28 years of age, 2 children girl 10 and a girl 3 years of age, She is a clean industrious Woman who has been in better Circumstances, but unfortunately for herself and Children, her husband who is a good accountant, is a great drunkard, and does nothing for their support, he has left her and gone in the Country. The Visitor recommends Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread p Week whilst he is away.

Tuesday 15th January 1861.

Present Mr. T. P. Battersby and Mr. E. Hobson.

101. James Shearden, See report of last Winter, The married Son and Wife left Toronto in June last, and the old man has been in a very destitute Condition ever since, He can not tell whither they went, or if they will ever come back, his nose has assumed a purple hue since last Winter, occasioned perhaps by his efforts to drown his grief by copious libations to Bacchus. The Committee to judge in this Case. Shearden to cut one Cord of Wood.

102. Julia McCarty, See report of last Winter, much the same now, but one year more added to the decrepitude of the poor old thing. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

103. Margaret McMannamie, 35 years of age, Irish, R.C. Boy 13 selling Newspapers girl 5 in the House of Industry. The Committee will please judge if she be a Case for relief, Clean & decent.

104. Mary Farrell, 64 years of age, Widow, two Sons somewhere, she knows not where, quite unable to work, makes no secret of being a professional beggar, that's the way she makes out a living, says she, looks like a hard drinker, says she can get recommendations, Visitor would Suggest that she be required to procure testimony as to sobriety, if she does, she may have Wood only.

105. Margaret Kelly, 35 years of age, husband deserted her a year ago. Girl 9 very sickly, Boy 7, and paralyzed in his left side, Washes &c if she can get it, clean, tidy, and seemingly respectable. Visitor recommends Wood & Bread.

106. Margaret McKew's, husband found himself unable to walk as far as the House of Industry, or to saw a Cord of Wood, even if he had reached that far, Visitor therefore recommends Wood with the Condition of sawing.

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107. Caroline O'Reagan, although this poor old person has not been referred to the Visitor, nevertheless he would venture to bring her Case under the Notice of the Committee. She has seen good times in her younger days, but has been reduced to utter destitution, and is now entirely supported by the benevolent. A little Wood will be well bestowed. Mr. Velingten will attend the Committee on her behalf, as she is quite unable to go out this Winter. No. 108 Victoria Street.

108. Ann Mooney 41 Carlton Street, She is a poor Cripple, whose infirmities prevent her Coming out this severe weather. The Visitor would recommend Wood and Bread.

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109. Mary Ann Godly 51 Boulton St. Married, aged 36. Irish. R.C. Husband a painter by trade, 3 children, girl 14 out a boy 9 and girl 4 at home, The Woman is worse of [off] than if she was a Widow, appears to be a decent Woman has her place tidy, deserves sympathy, Visitor will leave the Committee to judge.

110. Bridget McNulty, Widow, Irish, R.C. aged about 40. has one daughter 8 years of age, The Visitor thinks they ought to be able to support themselves, but would recommend one quarter Cord of Wood for the season. Adelaide St. West opposite Ritcheys Terrace.

111. Catherine Bloomfield – 43 Princess St. Irish, R.C. Widow, 3 Children, girl 16 out at Service gets [dollars] 3 a Month, and pays the rent for her Mother – girl 11 and Boy 8. Mrs. Bloomfield washes and Scrubs, but Complains that work is very difficult to get. She is a strong healthy Woman, and if the Committee will give her Wood once, unless the weather should prove very severe again, Visitor thinks she will not have to trouble the House again during the Winter.

112. Mary Carroll, Blair's Yard Nelson Street. Irish. R.C. Widow. 2 Children Boys 10 and 6. like the above Case tries to earn a living by Washing and Scrubbing she is living with another poor family and uses their Stove, The Visitor recommends that she be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread and a few Potatoes for the next four or five Weeks.

113. Margaret O'Keefe 84 George Street, not at home when the Visitor called.

114. Mary Boyle 119 Power Street, no such Number on Power St.

115. Mary Byrny of 80 McMahon St. recommended for a little more Wood when her Month is out, as her husband is still laid up with his foot.

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Present, Mr. T. P. Battersby & Mr. E. Hobson.

116. Jane Edwards, 104 Agnes Street, English, ChofEngl. Married, 29 years of age, 3 Children Boy 11 girl 8 and girl 6 years of age, 4 years in Toronto, husband a labourer, confined to the House by Rheumatism in the face, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, until he is better. This same Edwards two years ago had Bread and Wood from the House for which he was to work, which he promisse'd to do, but after receiving relief he refused to work for it. relief was then stopped.

117. Emily Winn 104 Agnes Street. use the same rooms and Stove as the above, English ChofEngl. 4 months in Canada. Married, 21 years of age, one boy 12 months old, husband a labourer, Visitor is informed that he is an industrious Man, but cannot get steady Employment. Much in want of assistance, Visitor recommends that he work for Wood and Bread, 4 [ppunds] of Bread per Week for one Month.



118. Gabriel Clarke, 126 Elizabeth Street, Colored, Baptist. Bachelor, says he is 50 years of age, but looks much older, been in hospital with very bad legs, and not able to work, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Soup.

119. Elizabeth Langley, 76 Louisa Street, English, ChofEngl. Married 32 years of age 3 Children, girl 11 and girl 7 years old a baby 4 Months, husband a labourer, clean and industrious but has been unable to work for some time on account of having his feet frost bitten. Visitor recommends Wood, and 8 [pounds] of Bread per week for one Month for which he must work.

120. Eliza Jane Clarke, rere of 72 Centre Street, Irish, Presbt. Church. Married, husband in the Country and does little for his Wife and family but spends his Money in drink, which the Visitor is sorry to say is to much the Case with his Wife – 2 Children, a boy 6 and a girl 3 years of age, on account of the Children the Visitor would recommend Wood twice.

121. Louisa Brett, 135 Centre Street, English, Congregationalist. Widow, 49 years of age. No family to assist her, clean and industrious, uses the same Stove as Mrs. Fraser. Visitor recommends Wood alternately between the two.

122. Mary Johnson, 112 Edward Street, Irish, ChofEngl., Married 22 years of age, clean and industrious, a girl 12 months old. Husband old, a Shoemaker, but unable to work for some months past. In last stage of Consumption. The Visitor recommends Wood, and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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123. Emma Denyer. 133 Centre Street. English. ChofEngl. Married. 31 years of age, Clean and industrious. 6 Children. Boy 10. Boy 9. Boy 8. girl 5. girl 3 years, and a boy 5 Month. The husband is a painter, but not able to do much work, being in Consumption. In this Case, the Visitor thinks we ought to do all we can for them, To have Wood and 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week, half Bread and half Potatoes.

124. Ellen Plunkett 49 Boulton Street, Married, says her husband is away these three Weeks looking for Work, aged 36. Husband 40. Two Children, girl 9 and Boy 4. Not an article of furniture of any kind appears in her wretched abode, says they were taken for rent. Visitor will try to find out something more about their Character before he recommends them.

125. Ann Reilly 105 Bishop Street. Husband an elderly Labourer, cannot get work 3 Children, girl 8, Boy 5 and Boy 3 years old, House untidy. Irish. R.C. Wants Wood and Bread, They are very poor, but the Woman is intemperate.

126. Alice Flanagan 369 Adelaide Street West, Widow has 2 girls, 14 years and 4. Can get but very little work, tolerable tidy, Irish. R.C. wants Wood and Bread. The Committee recommend that the eldest girl go to Service before relief is afforded.

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127. Eliza Marson 25 1/2 Nassau street. Husband a Carpenter has nothing to do, they have one Child 5 years of age, ChofEngl. Their House tolerable tidy, they are very poorly off, want Wood and Bread.

128. Susan Wood, Spadina Avenue, A Widow lives by herself, in a part of a house occupied by a Colored Man, she was not at home when the Visitor called, but out at work, they say that she is an industrious Woman but can get very little work. Visitor recommends her for Wood.

129. Ann Chapman. 32 years of age. Widow 2 years, girl 13, girl 8. Boy 2. Irish. R.C. This is one of the most disgusting Specimens of humanity; even in Stanley Street: filth, Squalid misery, and seemingly drunken debauchery reign triumphant, they must be witnessed to be rightly estimated. The Visitor made free remarks upon the Scene which presented itself, and upon the Condition of her house and all in it; whereupon she requested him to go to that place which must "not be named to ears polite". The Visitor cannot recommend her.

130. Catharine McKendrick, no such person at 45 Richmond St. east or anywhere abouts.

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131. Ellen Leahy, see report of last Winter. ^I. [Irish] R.C.^ Husband seeking Work in the States, although he has but very delicate health. The Visitor recommends Wood & Bread.

132. Margaret Sherlock, 33 years of age, Widow, 2 Children, Girl 9 and Boy 6. Irish. R.C. Washes and sews, tolerable clean and tidy. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

133. Ann Graydon, 36 years of age, Widow. 4 Children, Girl 12 at Service at [dollars] 2 a Month, Girl 10, boy 8 and boy 7. Washes when she can get it. decent and clean. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

134. Mary Sullivan, See report of 23th December 1860. Nothing to add to that, or subtract therefrom.

135. Mary Mullhearn 37. husband deserted her 2 years ago, and she knows not whither he has gone. Irish. R.C. Son 18 a baker Man, but gone off two Months ago she knows not where. Girl 14 at Service [at] {dollars} 2 a Month. Boy 12 gathering rags, and a girl 7. Washes when she can get it. She seems to be fond of a drop: Countenance not that of a teetotaler. Committee will please judge.

136. Mary Holdfield. No. 3 Crookshank Street, a poor old creature, She has been a Widow 17 years, but managed to make out a decent livelihood, until she met with an accident, by which she broke her Knee Cap, and the Muscles up the leg strained and sprained, so as to render her a Complete Cripple. She has seen good times in her younger days, and seems to have been well educated, but is now reduced to extreme poverty. The Visitor recommends Wood only, another Society gives her the little Bread she needs.

137. Eliza Ann Smith, a Cripple, English, ChofEngl. has been living at Scott where her Father and friends reside, came to Toronto about 4 Months ago, to learn the tailoring business, fell ill and went to Hospital for a time she now seeks admission in to the House, she brought a line from Mrs. Grasett. The Committee decided that she be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding for a few days, and then sent back to her friends, her fare to be paid by the House, as she has no money.

138. William Barclay, gone on trial with Peter McInis of York Township he is Brother to John Barclay. January 10./61. See Case 840 in 1860.

139. John Cullan gone on trial with James Bradon, Township of Essa. January {illegible} See Case 676 in 1860.

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140. Ann Hurley No. 16 Hagerman Street. Irish. R.C. Widow 45 years of age, she is clean and industrious, Charwoman, 4 Children 2 Boys 12 years of age one in bad health, a boy 7 and a girl 8 years of age, all at home, Visitor would recommend Wood twice.

141. Harriett Hawkins, in Poolbrocks yard Edward Street. English. ChofEngl. Married, 36 years of age, 2 Children and near her Confinement. The Children are 5 and 3 years of age. The husband is at present confined to the House with a bad leg not able to work. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Wood, until he is able to work.

142. Susan Taylor, rere of 17 Edward Street. Irish, ChofEngl. Married, 33 years of age. 3 Children, girl 5, girl 3 and a boy 5 months old. husband a painter he met with an accident last Summer at Mr. McMasters House, has been unable to work for 9 Weeks. The Visitor recommends Wood once.

143. Catharine Richardson, No. 16 Albert Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, about 50 years of age, husband 70, no children at home, he appears in bad health. Visitor recommends Wood once.

144. Catharine Mooney, rere of 571/2 Terauley Street, Irish, R.C. Widow, 50 years of age, and daughter 14 years of age in Service at [dollars] 2 1/2 per month, lives with Mrs. Shields and uses the same Stove. Visitor recommends Wood between these two alternately.

145. Margaret Nyer No. 22 Elizabeth St. Irish, ChofEngl. Married, 26 years of age. 2 Children a boy 3 and a girl 1 year old, husband in the Country, he is a great drunkard and does nothing for his Wife and Children, clean and industrious. The Visitor recommends Wood, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the season.

146. Bridget Murphy, rere of 91 Sayer Street. She was not at home when the Visitor called, but he was told by a Woman in the neighbourhood that she is Irish, R.C. Married, 30 years of age, has one Child, a

boy six months old, husband left her a year ago and does nothing for her. The Visitor recommends that she give her Boy up to the Sisters, and go to service herself, and to have one 1/4 Cord of Wood while she is looking for a place.

147. Mary Ann Coulter, rere of 87 1/2 Elizabeth Street, Irish, ChofEngl. Widow, 34 years of age. 2 Children a girl 12 years and a boy 7 months old, clean and industrious. Visitor recommends Wood for the season.

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148. Elizabeth Harris. Corner of Cherry and South Park Street. English. ChofEngl. Married 22 years of age, 2 Children, a boy 2 years and a girl 4 months old, has been 4 years in Toronto, husband a Confectioner out of Work gone to the States to look for Work – and will send for his Wife and Children when he obtains it. She is much in want of Wood and Bread. Visitor recommends Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

149. John Murray, West of No. 7 South Park Street. Irish. R.C. Married, 60 years of age. Was not at home when the Visitor called, told by a Step daughter who said she was a Widow about 30 years of age that she lived with Murray and his Wife, the family consisted of her own two Children boy 7 years & girl 3 months, Murray had 3 at home, girl 14, Boy 13 and boy 7 years old. The rooms had a most dirty miserable appearance and Scarcely a Stick of furniture in them. Visitor thinks much Whisky and bad management is the cause of all. The Boy 13 and girl 14 ought to be in Service. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

150. Foly Widow, Wellington Street opposite Exchange – says she did not apply to the House herself or authorize any person on her behalf. Mrs. Boulton of Holland House applied to have her visited.

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Present. Messrs. H. Rowsell and E. Hobson

151. Ellen Winter, 97 Richmond Street. Married, husband away seeking for Employment, aged 32, has 2 Children girl 7 and girl 2 years of age, and is near her Confinement, appears to be a respectable person, and says she has been a person of means, but is now glad to seek assistance. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread for the present.

152. Bridget Conlin, Widow, aged 60. Irish. R.C. lives in the lane which runs from Richmond Street to Temperance St. on the old Gallery 3rd door from Richmond Street. She has a daughter married who

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pays her rent, has a Son 18 but won't assist her. The Visitor recommends that she receive 2 quarter Cord's during the season.

153. Alice O'Neil, 36 Boulton Street. Widow, Irish. R.C. aged 68, her Daughter lives in the same House, but is not able to assist her, Visitor recommends Wood, not more than twice during the season.

154. Bridget Ward, 36 Richmond Street, no such person living there.

155. Johanna Quigley, William St. opposite Mrs. Morgans, husband away for the last five years, one Child, girl 4 years, rents a Room from A. Pheelan, respectable. Visitor recommends Wood twice.

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156. Jane Cavanagh, Grog lane William Street West. Mother away when the Visitor called. Children appeared to know nothing about their Father or if they ever had one. Committee to enquire and decide. She has 4 Children ^a Boy 11 years of age^, a girl 9, girl 6 and a girl 18 months old. A man with two Children lives in the same House with them.

157. Catharine Garry, No. 15 William Street west. Irish. R.C. out at work when Visitor called. Committee to decide when she presents herself.

158. Catharine Johnston No. 49 Agnes Street west, husband in Ottawa, 2 Children, girls 5 and one year old. Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

159. Catharine Ellamonge. 23 years of age, Widow since last Christmas, a boy 3 and a boy 2 and again within a few Weeks of her Confinement. Canadian. R.C. Clean, decent, tidy, well behaved, and well spoken of by her neighbours. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread.

160. Mary Cantwell 25 years old. Husband and herself a most suspicious pair: both were in bed when the Visitor called yesterday, Sunday, at 3 O'Clock P.M. he looking as if he was sleeping off the effects of Saturday nights debauchery: red face, redder Eyes, with other indications of intemperance. Irish. R.C. He says he hurt his back by falling into a Well, which in addition to running Sores in his feet, renders him quite unable to Work, his is a Case which should be referred to our Medical Officer to examine closely, so as to ascertain if his present condition be the effects of intemperate habits or not, because the Visitor strongly suspects that if he would only refrain from drink, his sores and lame back would soon be cured, If the Visitor is mistaken, and the Doctor believes his Story to be true, he will recommend Wood and Bread, but not otherwise, and this much solely on account of the little ones.

161. Hugh Smith. See report of last Winter, This Man has all the Symptoms of an inveterate Toper, to be sure, he exhibits a temperance certificate of having taken the pledge last April, but the Roseate hue of his nasal extremity seems to certify still more certainly that he has not kept it, he shakes and totters and

is unable to walk strait, or keep himself erect, and all this on Sunday at 4 O'Clock in the afternoon. He declares that these are Symptoms of disease. The Visitor respectfully suggests that he be introduced to our medical friend, to see if he or the Visitor be correct in their respective but conflicting conclusions, if he is right, let him have Wood and Bread but not otherwise, they are very destitute.

162. John Prattis gone to place, See Case 709, in 1860.

163. Ann Crowley in Case 1045 in 1860, is better now, and left the Place.

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164. Sarah Paine between 65 and 67 Queen Street East. She is about 33 years of age and has 7 Children, and is a Widow of 4 Months. Irish. R.C. Boy 11 girl 10, girl 8, Boy 7, Boy 4, Boy 2 and girl 7 months old. Four of these Children are in the House of Providence and three remain with her, the eldest is dying; she is of course unable to earn a living; she tried to make a trifling by keeping a little Shop, but a far better Shop Close by took all the business of the neighbourhood, and she failed. She seems to have been well brought up. The Visitor recommends the most that the Committee will be pleased to do for them, for truly she is a most deserving object. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread, and Wood when she moves to her new quarters and brings a Note from Capt. Elmsley.

165. Pauline Mulloy, 307 Queen St. east. Husband deserted her nearly two years ago. She belongs to the Methodist Church. Has two Children, a Boy 4 years and girl 2 years. She endeavours to support herself by her Needle, but cannot make enough to pay for rent fuel and firing. She seems a respectable young Woman, and the Visitor thinks some Wood now, and again at the end of February, would be well bestowed.

166. Bridget Stinson, No. 122 Duchess Street, a very decent old Widow Woman, goes out to Scrub and wash, but sprain'd her wrist some Weeks ago, and has not been able to do much lately. She has a Nephew living with her, a young Man of 27 years of age a painter by trade, who has always helped to support her – but he met with a very serious accident (which the Visitor himself witnessed) at the time of the Visit of the Prince of Wales, He fell from the Scaffolding of the Orange Arch, on which he was at Work, and was so much injured, that his recovery for some time, was very doubtful, and he is still unfit for Work of any kind. The Visitor recommends Mrs. Stinson for Wood once, and should the Weather prove very severe in February, and she apply a second time, to let her have it, as the Visitor feels satisfied, that she will not do so if she can help it.

167. Isabella Coope No. 140 Duchess Street. Widow. Church of England. 4 Children at home, Boy 13, Boy 9, girl 7, girl 5. She was not at home when the Visitor called, but from what he learned from the person in whose House she has a couple of rooms, he would consider her very deserving of relief – She was formerly in very comfortable circumstances – the husband having at one time kept the principal Inn at

Holland Landing. He has been dead for several years and she has supported herself by scrubbing and washing, and going out occasionally to nurse Sick people. The neighbours all speak of her as being very industrious, and unwilling to be dependant on any one for assistance if she can possibly avoid it, The Visitor recommends her for Wood twice.

167 1/2. Antony Corrigan, See Case 1013 in 1860. found his way into the Outbuilding only received his Wood a few days ago, seems completely wound up, no room in the House at present.

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168. Margaret Newman. No. 58 Caroline Street, husband left her about 10 months ago. She has three children, Boy 8, girl 5, Boy 6 Months. She seems a respectable Woman, willing to Work, but not able to get much to do, and very badly off for firewood. The Visitor would recommend her for Wood once, and Bread 6 pound for five Weeks.

169. Ellen Connell, Duke Street, last door in the row of Brick Houses near the Engine House. This Woman has a Cripple Son a most wretched pitiable object, utterly incapable of helping or taking care of himself – being an idiot as well as a cripple. She herself is a worthless drunken creature, and were it not for her Son, The Visitor would not recommend her for any assistance. She is living with a man and his Wife of the name of Hornet, poor labouring people. Some charitable Ladies allow the Hornets a small Sum a Month for keeping Mrs. Connell and her Son, but they are pretty tired of their charge. Mrs. Connell might perhaps have a loaf of Bread per Week given to her for a few Weeks, and the Visitor told Hornet that if he chooses to go up to saw some Wood, he might be allowed a quarter Cord, as he gives the use of his Stove to Mrs. Connell.

170. Elizabeth Meehan, next to No. 444 King Street east. Methodist, husband deserted her, she does not know whether he is dead or alive, She has 4 Children at home girl 9, Boy 8, Boy 6 and girl 4. Her Mother an old woman lives with her. She washes and Scrubs, but work is slack and fuel is dear, and she cant manage to rub through the Winter without assistance, Visitor recommends Wood twice, and Bread for five weeks.

171. Jane Bergan No. 11 Ontario Street. The Visitor dos not think this is a Case deserving of assistance. She was exceedingly drunk when he passed the House some weeks ago – and at present she has a pretty good Supply of Wood on hand.

172. Margaret Cloane in Case 952 in 1860, recommended for a small allowance of bread for four weeks only.



173. Mary Carty, gave her Number to Visitor as 130 Nelson Street, which is not the right one, should she apply she might be allowed a little Bread, as she seems to be in great distress, and when she brings her right Number the Visitor will report on her Case.

174. Ellen McDonell, rere of No. 10 Duchess Street. The Visitor would recommend an allowance of bread (6 [pounds]) for a Month or six Weeks. If her Case is not reported upon, the Visitor will send one in.

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175. Mary Dillon rere of 43 Parliment Street, Irish. R.C. Widow 50 years of age Sells Fruit in Summer, but not able to do much in the Winter. Visitor was informed that she is a sober industrious Woman, has 3 Children, girl 11, boy 13, and a girl 15 years of age, all at home, which debars her from any claim on the funds of the house, the Children ought to go to service.

176. Bridget Flannagan, rere of 43 Parliament Street. Irish. R.C. Married 46 years of age. 3 children, Boy 10, girl 7, and girl 6 years of age, The House is dirty, and very little furniture in it, She says her husband is a labourer and went in the Country 2 Weeks ago to look for work, has not heard from since, such Cases ought to be viewed with great caution.

177. Bridget Hayes, rere of 43 Parliament Street, Irish. R.C. Married 35 years of age, 4 Children, girl 9, Boy 5, Boy 3 and Boy 1. husband a Labourer, went in the Country 3 Weeks ago, not heard from him since, this Case is like the above. Visitor thinks they might have a quarter Cord of wood between them.

178. Hannah Burns, east of Newbiggin House on Front Street. Irish. R.C. Married 35 years of age, one child 7 months old, husband a labourer will produce a doctors certificate that his ribs are broken and not able to work, on that account. The Visitor will recommend 6 [pounds] of Bread per week, and Wood twice during the Season.

179. Mary O'Brien, rere of 130 Sayer Street, Irish. R.C. Widow 53 years of age Charwoman, but not able to do much, one Son at home 22 years of age, Labourer but at present troubled with a very bad cough, requires to take care of himself, She has also a grandchild with her about 4 years of age. The Visitor recommends Wood once without working for it.

180. Mary Alexander, No. 163 Centre Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 50 years of age. She is confined to her bed in bad health, has been ill for two years, a steady respectable Woman. The Visitor recommends Wood for the season, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

181. Mary Jennings No. 48 Elizabeth Street, Irish. R.C. Widow 45 years of age, 3 Children, Boy 10, Boy 9, Boy 7, and girl 5 years of age. She was not at home when the Visitor called, but her Landlady a clean respectable person, said that Mrs. Jennings is a sober industrious Woman who strives hard for the Support of herself and Children, the place is clean and Comfortable. The Visitor recommends Wood and Bread for the season.

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Friday January 25th 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

182. Harriett Morris, No. 63 Centre Street, English. Ch of Engl. Married, 48 years of age, 6 Children girl 22 in the States, girl 19 in Service at [dollars] 3 per Month, girl 11, boy 11. Boy 8 and Boy 2. husband out of Work for some time. Visitor recommends that he cut Wood for some Wood.

183. Matilda Grey, rear of 133 Centre Street. Irish. Presbt. Church Married, 38 years of age, husband a Labourer an old man, they have two Children, a boy 4 and a boy 1, they are clean both in their House and person, and the Visitor believes them to be sober and industrious, would therefore recommend that the Husband be allowed to cut some Wood, and receive some Wood in return.

184. Eliza Woods No. 121 Elizabeth Street. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. 37 years of age. 2 Children, girl 12 and a boy 10 years of age, says she is about to start a School for Children, clean and industrious, and a great Schemer to raise Money. Visitor recommends Wood twice, and 4 [pounds] of bread per Week.

185. Mary Malcolm rere of 27 Queen Street, Irish. R.C. husband away for some time, She is 40 years of age, has 5 Children, boy 3, girl 7, boy 9, girl 15, has another girl at Service who pays the rent for her. The girl of 15 has been out until about six Weeks since, when she and others caught the smallpox, the Child of 3 is very sick now and it is doubtfull if it will recover, the one of 15 would be out again, if it was not for the illness of the family. The Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and some Wood, for a month and he will see them again.

186. Bridget Ward, No. 136 Richmond Street in the rere. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 52, and Boy 10 years old. Visitor recommends Wood not more than 2 quarters during the season.

187. Mary Morris, No. 208 Richmond St. West. No such number, part of Sir J. B. Robinsons Garden stands there.

188. Mary Whelan No 19. Melinda Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 75 years of age, she lives with her daughter who has two Children, and her husband away – if he is her husband, it is a sad Rookery of a place, but the poor old Creature wants a little Wood. Visitor recommends 2 quarters for the season.

189. John Kelly see Case 698 in 1860. he is now tired of being out, wishes to become an Inmate again. Allowed to remain in the Outbuilding until there is room.

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190. Richard Flemming, about 70 years of age, all his friends live in the Country, somewhere near Weston, from which place he came about 8 days ago, he seeks admission into the House, brought Note recommending him from the Revd. Dr. Lett. No room in the House, he was advised by the Committee to go back to his friends in the Country.

191. Sarah Shaw, 48 years of age, a Widow. Irish. R.C. has been about Toronto these 14 years, was lately in Hospital with a bad leg, she is not able to Work at present. allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a time. admitted in the House January 29/61.

192. William Dandy. 48 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Carpenter by trade, has been in Toronto 24 years, he is somewhat Lame on account of a fall which he had sometime ago. has no place to go too. allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a time.

193. Bridget Connally. 30 years of age. Irish. R.C. Husband sawing Wood. two Children a boy 10 and girl 6. A Miserable set in every way, and dirty, nevertheless very destitute, Visitor recommends that they receive 1/4 Cord of Wood, for sawing Wood at the House.

194. Jane Beaty, 45 years of age, husband says he has a sore leg, and cannot therefore do much. ChofEngl. Daughter 28 works at the Bandbox business, and is paid by the dozen, makes a good thing of it, Daughter 21 lives with the eldest Daughter, and earns [dollars] 2 1/2 a Week, one with another. girl 17 at Service at [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month, Girl 15, who was apprenticed by the House of Industry, and remained at her place 5 years, when she left as she was not taught either to read or to write, She hardly knows the Alphabet; she has had [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month at Service ever since, Boy 14 also apprenticed by the House of Industry. girl 9, with them. With so many well to do Children, The Visitor thinks they ought to support the old folks.

195. Charles Mason, 57 years of age, Wife older than he is seemingly, but laid up by the fracture of her thigh bone, for several Months past, he was in place but was forced to leave it, to nurse the old Woman, all their Children are in England. A little boy about 3 years of age, was two years ago left on their hands by a Woman who deserted her own Child and ran over to the States, they have never heard of her since. The Visitor recommends Wood only, as they Can earn something.

196. Margaret Harrington, 40 years of age, Husband in Hospital, a poor creature at that. two Children, girl 7 and a girl 3. Irish. R.C. Washes and Scrubs, seemingly Sober and decent. The Visitor would recommend her for Wood and Bread.

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197. Mary Ann McAlister, 27 years of age, husband attends in a Flour and Feed Store. [at] [dollars] 5 a Month and his Board. No Children, having buried two, but there is a third daily nay hourly expected to appear in this miserable World, she is very weak, and has the piles very bad - saving your presence - requires much Warmth night and day, Mr. Omrod the City Missionary who lives at 38 Alice Street knows her well, Mrs. Grasett has been very Kind to her, or she must have perished. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Wood.

198. Julia Cronan. Irish. R.C. No. 38 Duke Street. Widow, 2 children, girl 11 and girl 9. A decent tidy little body, living in the Basement of one of Mr. O'Neills Houses on Duke Street which he Kindly allows her to occupy rent free. She gets 3 loaves of Bread a Week from St. Pauls. The Visitor would recommend her, for a quarter of a Cord of Wood once only. She ought to be able to get on after that without further assistance.

199. Sarah Glynn No. 88 George Street, her husband is expected back to day or to morrow she had better wait until Tuesday - if her husband does not return before then, The Visitor would recommend her for one more quarter Cord of Wood. See Case 866 in 1860. Visitor reports that the husband has returned, she will require no more relief.

200. Mary Smart. No. 21 Power Street. Widow. R.C. 2 Children at home both Boys 11 & 9. one daughter out at Service at [dollars] 2 a Month, an old Woman of the Name of Stuart, lives with her and uses the same Stove, The Visitor recommends Mrs. Smart for one quarter Cord of Wood.

201. Catharine Edwards. Nelson Street. The Visitor recommends one quarter Cord of Wood once, none after that.

202. Edward Burns, 84 Duke Street, must have given the wrong number cannot find him.

203. Ellen Brown. 75 Caroline Street. She is very deserving, and the Visitor would recommend that another quarter of a Cord of Wood be sent to her, as she is too unwell to come up to the House.

204. Bridget Cahill. No. 92 George St. (see Case 954 in 1860) her husband is a miserable good for nothing fellow, and since the last report has been furnished with Lodgings in the jail! Visitor believes the Woman herself to be sober and industrious, and would therefore recommend that she be allowed a quarter of a Cord of Wood and some Potatoes or Bread for another 3 Weeks.

205. William Goodship. No. 27 Ontario Street. Wife and one Child. English. ChofEngl

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a Bricklayer by trade out of Work for some time. Visitor recommends that he be allow'd to saw Wood for a quarter of a Cord, and some bread.

206. Mary Ann Brown, 73 years of age, died this day (January 27. 1861.) See Case 196 in 1857.

207. Ann Maria Green, a Child about 6 years old, was sent to this Institution by G. Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] her parents being confined in Gaol in default of securitys to keep the peace.

Tuesday 29th January 1861.

Present. Mr. R. Cathcart. Mr. E. Hobson. Revd. Mr. Darling & Revd. Dr. Lett.

208. John McNulty. No. 27 William St. See report of last year, palsied, receives a pension of 1/ [shilling] 3d [pence] per day. The Visitor recommends Wood once.

209. Rose Morgan, rag Mans Wife, No. 30 Dummer Street. Wood once recommended.

210. Bridget Phealan or Whealon. 66 Dummer St. Most industrious, worthy Woman, lately broke her arm, Visitor recommends Wood and Bread until she is able to work.

211. Margaret McLean and Catherine Leval a matched pair, Visitor saw them both sick in bed, and such a bed, recommends Wood between them.

212. Mary Green, Elizabeth St. West ^No. 44^, North of Queen Street. two children, one girl 16 at Service, one girl 3 1/2 sickly, husband deserted her three years ago, recommended for Wood once.

213. Rose Morgan 30 Dummer St. recommended for Wood once.

214. Elizabeth Hammell, No. 28 Nassau St. Widow four months has six Children four girls, 11 - 9 - 7 & infant since husbands death, two boys 5 & 2 years, has just been confined and therefore very needy, her house is tidy, R.C. Visitor recommends Wood and Bread for the season.

215. Catharine McNamara 28 Charles Street, husband in Asylum, has two girls 3 & 4 years of age, can get sometimes two and three days Washing but no more, apparently very tidy, Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Wood for the season.

216. Joseph Jenkins. 24 Camden St. Visitor has not been able to find him out yet.

217. Bridget Walker 265 Richmond St. West. Married. Irish. R.C. aged 34. husband 54 one Child aged 3 Months, has a pension, recommended to saw Wood once.

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218. Mary Morrison in rere of No. 263 Richmond Street West. Irish. R.C. Widow. aged 56. has one Grandchild the Mother of it being deserted by her husband, and is now at Service and pays the old Womans rent, who is sick in bed at present. Visitor recommends Wood twice during the season.

219. Mary Ann Beamish rere of No. 18 South Park Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 36 years of age 5 Children. girl 11 - 7 - 4, boy 9 and 2 years of age all at home Visitor was informed that she was industrious, but very much requiring assistance to support so large and young a family. Visitor recommends that she be allowed Wood for the season and 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week in Winter and 8 [pounds] in Summer. The husband died in June last.

220. Catharine Lucas No. 39 Edward Street. English. ChofEngl. Widow 52 years of age no family, clean respectable appearance, has been in bad health for some time, and no Work to do. Visitor recommends Wood once.

221. John Murphy. North of 66 Emma Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 66 years of age, one daughter 14 years old, Wife in the last Stage of Consumption Confined to her bed the whole time - husband and daughter both required to be at home to attend on her, they appear clean decent people. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Wood.

222. Anne Reddikias. Duchess Street. ^No 43 in rear^ reported upon last year, she is an industrious Woman, and deserving of assistance, her husband has been away for some time in search of Work, and the poor Woman is near the Eve of her Confinement, The Visitor recommends Wood once, and a small allowance of Bread for a Month.

223. Patrick Casey No. 117 Duke Street, an old Pensioner whose Wife has been laid up for some Weeks with inflammation of the Lungs. They have a daughter living out at Service who has been at home for the last fortnight nursing her Mother, Casey is now quite infirm and quite incapable of work. The Visitor would recommend that they be allowed a quarter of a Cord of Wood, and if the Month comes round, and the Woman Continues in her present State they would require a second supply.

224. Timothy Keating 92 North Park Street, an old Man and his Wife living in a wretched hovel with scarcely fire enough to Keep them from being frozen, The Man is rather a curiosity, having been five years in the Country and yet not able to speak a Word of English. recomd. to saw for Wood & Bread.

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225. Mary Kerrigan opposite 92 North Park Street. husband left her at the beginning of the Winter and went to Chicago in search of Work, she is now reduced to a pretty low ebb, being almost destitute of

fuel and not having much in the shape of food to give to her two Children, Visitor thinks if a quarter Cord of Wood was allowed now, she would not trouble the House any more.

226. Mary Scott No. 19 Brittain Street, She is very ill, and the husband is not in good health and has had little or no employment all winter. There are 6 Children. Boy 18. girl 17. boy 15. boy 6 and boy 6 Months. The daughter was out at Service formerly, but has been at home for some little time, where indeed she is absolutely required to attend upon her Mother, The eldest Boy is a sickly Creature not fit for much, the second is a stout Lad gets a job of Clearing Snow sometimes, The Visitor recommends that the Boy be allowed to saw for Bread and Wood.

227. George Edwards. No. 96 Pine Street, Case was reported last year. Edwards has been ill and out of work the greater part of the Summer, they have two children, 4 and 2 years of age, the youngest has some affection or weakness of the Knees and cant walk, and the Mother consequently cannot go out to work, Recommended to saw Wood for Wood once and Bread for a Month.

228. Mary Carty, 113 Nelson Street. not at home when the Visitor called, The persons with whom she lodges confirm the Story which she told to Visitor, of her state of health, either some severe asthmatic affection or disease of the Lungs, She has a husband, but he has deserted her a long time past, in Summer she manages to support herself, but in the Cold weather she is almost incapable of doing anything. Visitor recommends her Case to the favourable Consideration of the Committee.

229. Johanna Kannane, 24 years of age, husband unable to obtain employment Irish. R.C. 3 Children. girl 7. girl 5 and Boy 9 Months, Clean decent looking folks, Neighbours speak well of them in every way. They intend to move into the Country in the Spring. The Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood by the husband cutting a Cord for the House. husband to see the Doctor.

230. Ann Rearden, 27 years of age, husband passes the most of his time in jail, and the neighbours say that she should by rights be sent there also, every appearance of a hard goer. Girl 7. Boy 5 and boy 2 1/2 wretched objects, dirty slovenly etc. Irish. R.C. Committee will please judge.

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231. Margaret Hopkins 47 years of age, Widow. ChofEngl. two Sons grown up in Orillia not Married, Daughter 21 Seamstress in Toronto, girl 19 in Service [at] [dollars] 4 a Month girl 16 at Service [at] [dollars] 3 1/2 a Month. Boy 13 with her, and a Boy apprenticed to a trade. With so many grown and well to do Children the Visitor cannot recommend them for anything.

232. Mary Ann Rogers, 30 years of age, husband sawing Wood. He has a slight affection of the Lungs, and is under extra hospital treatment, he cannot therefore work as well as formerly. ChofEngl. Mrs.

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Grasett is very kind to them. 2 Children, Boy 8 and girl 6. clean tidy and decent. Visitor recommends Wood on his sawing a Cord for the House.

233. William & Jane Monroe, 6 and 5 years of age were sent to the House by the Chief of Police, to be taken care of, the Mother having been sent to jail for Larceny.

234. Catharine Thompson, 12 years of age. Native of St. Johns. N.B. ChofEngl. both her Parents died last Summer in New York. Came to Toronto about two Months ago with a Mrs. Kennedy - whose husband is a Blacksmith - they went to live on Dundas road, work failed them - they left for the States again this Morning, and left the girl behind, she has no friends anywhere, Mr. Westmacott sent her here with a Note, and a request to provide for her. January 31st Admitted to the House (to be put out) for the present -

235. Baptized by the Revd. Mr. Boddy (January 30/61.) the following 3 Children –  
Henry May. See Minute Book Case 567 in the year 1859.

Caroline Blakely do [ditto] do [ditto] Case 634. do [ditto] 1859.

William Wilson do [ditto] do [ditto] Case 430 do [ditto] 1859.

Friday 1st. February 1861.

Present Mr. R. Cathcart, Mr. E Hobson. Revd. Mr. Darling & Revd. Dr. Lett.

236. Jacob A. Berrynight, last House on College Street. The people were out when the Visitor called, a miserable House, his door was padlocked, Colored people. Neighbours say they are poor and cannot get work.

237. Elizabeth Campbell, Spadina Avenue Gowans Cottages. the husband a Tailor out of Work - has been in the Asylum (the husband) they have 3 Children girl 9 boy 5 and girl 2. No furniture in the House, Scotch. a Presbyterian. a pressing Case, want Wood and Bread.

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238. Mary McCarty No. 116 Adelaide Street West. Widow 58 years of age, has one daughter aged 11 goes to School. She says this is the last time she will apply for assistance as she intends to go to Quebec next March. Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood.



239. Catharine Eagan 106 Richmond St. West. Irish R.C. Widow, 63 years of age, she and Margaret Nolan live together and use the same Stove between them. they moved in to this Ward not long since, the Visitor recommends Wood turn about between them

240. Walter Power, Corner of York & Boulton Street. ChofEngl. aged 50. Wife 46 R.C. the old Man is not able to work, having a very sore leg. The Visitor recommends two quarter Cords of Wood during the season.

241. Eliza Napier No 149 Adelaide Street West. Married. ChofEngl. Husband a Gunsmith, cannot get much to do - but he is not much good to his family. She has four Children, a boy 12. Boy 9. boy 2 and a baby 2 Months old. She says that they will leave this City as soon as the Spring opens. This is one of the difficult Cases. For the sake of the Children the Visitor would recommend 2 quarter Cords of Wood during the season, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

242. Ellen Doody, first lane West of Yonge Street. Widow. R.C. has four Children, the youngest Boy 15 was lounging about at the time the Visitor called. girl 16 at Service, boy 18 loafing about, girl 20 at Service, both the girls give her some assistance, Mrs. Doody is about 40 years of age. The Committee to judge this Case.

243. William Hudson rere of 229 Sayer Street Colored, Baptist. Married, 29 years of age, 4 Children, boy 12. boy 4. girl 7 and girl 15 Months. appear Clean and industrious Wife in bad health - but tries to assist in the Support of her family by sewing. The Visitor recommends that the husband be allowed to Work for Wood and if the Committee think proper, a little bread.

244. John Fraser No. 100 Elizabeth St. Scotch. Presbt. Married 27 years of age one girl 2 years of age, has been out of Work for some time past. appear much in want of assistance, not very clean, The Visitor recommends that he may be allowed to cut some Wood for Wood.

245. John Vigal 17 1/2 Agnes Street, not at home when the Visitor called, but he was informed both husband and Wife were out to Work, thinks that both of them being young and only one Child should be able to support themselves.

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246. Robert Collins, 62 years of age, Wife 40. Boy 6 and Boy 6 Weeks. ChofEngl. he suffers very much from the Rheumatism wrists and other parts much swollen, Clean tidy decent. He was a Soldier 15 years but claimed his discharge, sorry for it now, Visitor recommends Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

247. Catharine Wilson, See report of 17th July 1859. She says she has been receiving Wood and Bread all along this Winter: was not at the House of Industry lately and was surprised to be visited

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248. Margaret Dunlop, must have given the wrong Number, Could not be found.

249. Linch Sarah, Widow. No. 311 Queen St. east. A very old infirm Woman - quite incapable of Work. She has living with her a very industrious poor creature whom the Visitor has known for a long time, Ann Deakin - who has no friends, and has had a hard struggle to support herself for many years past. The Visitor recommends Mrs. Linch for one 1/4 Cord of Wood now, and should the weather be very severe the end of February, to give her one more, To Ann Deakin Bread for a Month.

250. Mary Frizzle 15 Sydenham Street not at home.

251. Curtis Booth 50 St. James St. This Man has brought himself to the state he is now in by his intemperate habits. The Wife is a decent Woman they have 3 Children eldest Boy nearly 13 - the Wife takes in sewing - The Visitor thinks Booth ought to be allowed to saw Wood once but nothing more.

252. Mary Ennis next door to Dr. Ross Caroline St. 2 Children, girl 10 and a boy 4 Months. husband out in the Country seeking Work. She herself is a very industrious Woman, Visitor has supplied her with knitting and paid her in Wood orders, one of her Children died a few days ago and in addition to the Expense which the poor Woman has been put to - to provide for the funeral, she had been up for many nights and been obliged to keep her fire going both night and day. under these Circumstances the Visitor would strongly recommend her for a 1/4 Cord of Wood.

253. ^Frances^ Mrs. Hood, Duke St. reported upon before, since the last report the Visitor has reason to believe that Mrs. Hood has really been in very bad health and he would therefore recommend her for one quarter Cord of Wood more, and a 4 [pound] loaf for 3 Weeks.

254. ^Ann Woods^ ~~Mrs. Brown~~. Irish. ChofEngl. 75 ~~78~~ Caroline St. 3 Children - girl 10 boy 5 and a boy 2 Weeks old. The husband has gone in the Country in search of Work, This poor

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Woman had only been confined a fortnight ago, and is now suffering from cold caught by going out too soon. She seems a very decent respectable person, and was most unwilling to apply for assistance until she was urged to do by the Clergymans Wife who was visiting her. It would be a great Charity if she could have a quarter of a Cord of Wood (Cut up) sent down to her, as she is not in a fit state to expose herself to the Cold waiting at the House, Visitor would like-wise recommend her for Bread after this for 3 Weeks, and by that time her husband will probably be able to send her some money.

255. Ellen OBrien. No. ~~78~~ 75 Caroline St. occupies the same room as Mrs. Brown the above Case. Ellen O'Brien is a respectable old Woman but in bad health Visitor recommends her a small allowance of Bread for a Month or six Weeks.

256. Mrs. Carty No. 76 McMahon St. an old Couple - Man and Wife, no Children. Visitor did not see him, but his Wife says that he is altogether past work, he better be sent to the Doctor and if he is pronounced unfit for Work, The Visitor would then recommend him for Wood.

257. William Eldon an inmate was out last Thursday (31st January.) came home in the evening drunk - and as usual very disagreeable, and abusive in his Language. turned him out of doors to get sober, told him when he comes to his senses to apply to the Committee. See Case 626 in 1860. (allowed to Come in the House once more.)

Tuesday 5th February 1861.

Present. The Revd. Dr. Barclay; Mr. James Foster & E. Hobson.

258. Mary Price, Widow, aged 61. W. Methodist. No 69 1/2 Richmond St. West. has one Son who helps her a little. The Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood Cut, and to have {blank}

259. Mary Ann Henderson, No. 10 Elizabeth St. Irish, ChofEngl. Widow 43 years of age, no family, Visitor was informed that she is a steady industrious Woman, recommended her to go to Service, but she says she has not been used to service, leaves the Case to the Committee.

260. Ann Tovey, No. 50 Elizabeth St. English, ChofEngl, Widow, 49 years of age, no family, appears a clean respectable Woman, goes to Service in Summer, but much troubled with Rheumatism in Winter and not able to work. Visitor recommends Cut Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

261. Honora Wheelan, There is no such Number as 88 Stanley St. The highest Number being 86 and is vacant.

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262. Mary Mulhearn, Visitor has visited again, much the same now, Smelled of Whiskey yesterday, Sunday.

263. Thomas Evans, 29 years of age, A Machinist, but out of Employ: perhaps of intemperate habits, but the Visitor could learn nothing on this head from the neighbours. a very red Nose and other suspicious appearance would seem to indicate fondness for a drop. girl 9 - Church of Engl. Wife a dress Maker but cannot procure business. clean, tidy, and decent about her person house and child. He says he has a pain in his back which hinders him from doing much, he cannot saw Wood, the Doctor should be consulted, and if he confirm the Mans statement of his ailments, and that they do not result from

intemperance, the Visitor will recommend Wood only. Doctor has examined this Case, Subject to Epilepsy, and is suffering for want of food, not strong enough just now to saw a Cord of Wood at once.

264. Ellen McCord, No such person at or near 29 Stanley St.

265. Alice Alcock 120 Herbert Street, a most industrious little Woman, she has had to support her family from the little she can earn by sewing, her husband is sickly she has 3 Children, 14 - 8 and 6 years of age. ChofEngl. Visitor strongly recommends her for Wood.

266. Catharine Thompson in Case 234. was taken out by her parents who live in Sayer St. belong to the Roman Catholic Church, the girl often runs away and assumes all sorts of names, this last time she had been away from her Parents for this Week, her Name and that of her Parents is Corcoran.

267. James Moore (in Case 265 in 1860) died last night, February 7/61.

Friday 8th February 1861.

Present Mr. James Foster and Mr. E. Hobson.

268. Jane Warner 28 Charles Street off Denison Avenue, an industrious respectable Woman, has a drunken husband, who after selling everything they had went away leaving her to support four Children - the Boy 12 she got into the Boys Home last Week, 3 girls 11 - 4 and 11 Months. Irish. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Bread and Wood, as she can get but little to do - wood once more March 12th 61.

269. Martha Johnson in Case 57. The Visitor has revisited, the husband has not returned yet, he therefore recommends them for relief a little longer.

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270. Bridget Swanton, Reese's Wharf foot of Simcoe Street, deserted by her husband (if she has one) aged 20, has a baby 3 Weeks old. Irish. R.C. She is in great poverty. Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood.

271. Mary Gorman 136 Richmond Street Widow, Irish. R.C. aged 50. lives with Bridget Ward, has no family, both these Widows are very poor they have no Stove, but a large fire place, a wretched cold and dirty place. Visitor recommends a quarter Cord of Wood.

272. Sarah Johnson opposite of Ritchey's Terrace, Adelaide Street in a Lane, No. 8. ChofEngl. Married, aged 33, husband 40. in bad health, the Wife is also poorly at present, having caught Cold while out

Washing. 4 Children, girl 9. girl 7. boy 4 and boy 2 years old. The Visitor recommends Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the present.

273. Bridget McGrath, Corner of South Park and Trinity Street. Irish. R.C. Widow 32 years of age, 3 Children, boy 4, girl 2 and baby 2 Weeks old, She has one or more Cows and the Visitor believes Pigs too, Visitor leaves this Case to the Committee.

274. Margaret Black 22 Elizabeth Street. Irish. R.C. Married, 38 years of age. 2 Children, boy 8 and boy 2 years of age, states that her husband left her 8 Months ago, Visitor was informed that she is a very industrious Woman, which she appears to be. recommends Wood.

275. Catharine Michael rear of 54 Centre Street, German, Single 20 years of age, she had the misfortune to give birth to a child two Weeks ago, and the Father does nothing for her, The Visitor recommends Wood - and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week for one Month.

276. Calvert Ann 13 Hagerman Street. has left Toronto for the Country where she intends to reside.

277. John Kelly who has been an Inmate before, is to be admitted again, on account of his age, which prevents him from supporting himself, See Case 694 in 1860.

278. Joseph Armstrong, 66 years of age, Widower, ChofEngl. has been an Inmate before during the Winter Months, Worked out in the Country during Summer, the last place he was at he broke 2 of his ribs, on account of which he left his place he is a decent sober useful Man. to be admitted.

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Present Mr. Hobson.

280. Jane Tremble No. 66 Power St. She is a Widow with two Children, girl 5 and boy 3. her Mother an old Woman is living with her, Mrs. Tremble herself is ill with the hooping cough, and both her children have it, She supports herself as well as she can by sewing but has had difficulty in getting work lately, and is very badly off for fuel. Visitor recommends her for Wood once.

281. Mary McLaughlan 113 Duke Street, her husband has been out of work since Christmas, they have a great strapping boy at home 16 years of age who ought to be out in the Country in search of Work instead of loafing about the Town, they have another boy 15 years of age out at Service, and two others at home 8 and 5 years old, McLaughlan himself and his boy might perhaps be allowed to saw Wood once, but the Visitor could not recommend them for anything more.

282. Harriett Beck, living in one of a row of Cottages at the extreme end of Queen St east. Husband gone to the Country in search of Work, 2 children Boys 13 and 9. might be allowed Wood once only.

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283. Janett Kirkland 142 1/2 York St. Married, aged 32, husband 28. in bad health a Baker by trade, Scotch. Presbt 3 Children, a boy 5, boy 3, and a boy 8 Months old the Visitor recommends Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, while the husband is ill.

284. Ann Canane 141 Adelaide St. West. aged 50. Irish. R.C. This person had one quarter Cord this season. She lives up stairs, and her Son in Law lives down stairs in the same House, She has also a Son living with her who is a blacksmith by trade and admits that he gets a good share of work to do, but not full employment. The Visitor leaves her Case to the Committee, as she appears one of those who are determined to get all they can. To have a quarter Cord of Wood once more.

285. Greenberry Willett No. 48 Agnes Street, Colored Baptist, Married, 36 years of age, in bad health, not been able to work for some Months past. Wife an industrious Woman strives to support her family but unable to do so this cold Weather, 3 Children boy 9, girl 7 and a girl 3 years of age, Visitor recommends Wood, with 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Soup.

286. James Baker 221 Centre Street, has received five Dollers from L. Robinson Esqr., so he will not require assistance for the present.

287. Margaret Higgins, is not Known at No 140 Elizabeth Street.

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288. Ellen Stephens, No such Number as 99 on Adelaide Street east, all round that region is vacant Land.

289. Eliza Mullen 36 years of age, husband seeking Work about Hamilton, Irish R.C. one girl 6 Months old, she washes when she can get it, rather slovenly and dirty, but has no appearance of intemperance. Visitor recommends Wood once as she expects to hear from her husband very soon.

290. Rebecca Coates, 49 years of age, Widow, her husband was a Darkie. ChofEngl. Daughter 20 a quadroon, living with her, who has a baby 2 Months old, is seemingly a decent body; and her husband who is a nigger, is with Eliza Mullens husband, at Hamilton seeking work, she can share E Mullen's Wood, as they both use the one Stove, if their husbands do not send them relief in three Weeks, the Visitor thinks another 1/4 Cord might be given them, after which he will visit again.

291. Richard Hughes, who has been disabled by an accident, and quite unable to earn his living, Captain Elmsley highly recommends him to the Consideration of the Weekly Committee

292. Isabella Field, her husband has gone in the Country in search of Work, supported herself and Mother (who has left her now and lives with another daughter) by her Needlework, but cannot make enough to Keep herself in food and fuel, and pay the rent too, she has a young baby 3 Months old,

Visitor Knows her to be a very industrious person, and would recommend that she be allowed a quarter Cord of Wood, expects her husband will send her some Money soon.

293. Mary Tremble 150 Seaton Street. She is in great distress, her husband is ~~de~~ dangerously ill, and her Children are laid up with the hooping cough, The Visitor recommends her for a little fire Wood.

294. Joseph Prest, gone on trial with William Elliott Township of Toronto. The Boy is about 6 years and 6 Months old, is Brother to James Prest who was apprenticed some time ago. See Case 236 in 1858.

295. Margaret Thompson whose Case was brought before the general Meeting last Month and who was referr'd to the next general Board, with a view to find out something more about her, The Doctor examined her, and says that she is a girl well able to work, The girl is stubborn and impertinent and has made up her mind not to Work. She left the Premises on her own account.

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296. Mrs. Wheeler called and took her three Children out of the Institution, she intends going to St Catharines. See Case 626 in 1860.

297. Ann Maria Green taking out by her Parents. See Case 207.

Friday 15th February 1861.

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson.

298. Ann Lloyd 116 Adelaide Street in the rere, Widow, aged 50. W. Methodist has no family, is very feeble, not able to get a living for herself without assistance. The Visitor considers her a worthy Case, and recommends her for a little Wood

299. Martha Johnson in Case 269. her husband has not returned yet, The Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

300. Mary Boylen 78 Berkely Street, The Visitor recommends her for Wood once more her Brother has gone in the Country in search of Work.

301. John Cullen has been returned to the House See Case 139.

302. Ellen McCord. 28. Husband in the States seeking Work, will send for his Wife and five Children early in the Spring. A bouncing Wench. Irish. R.C. Boy 12, Boy 9. Twins 2. girl 1. Free and easy, devil may care



Kind of lass, loose and careless in her dress. Nevertheless for the sake of the Children, the Visitor recommends Wood, turn about with Honora Whealan with whom she lives.

303. Honora Whelan, 30 husband deserted her, when she fell into ill health, has no Children, is a miserable looking object has the falling sickness. Irish. R.C. sews when she can get it. Disreputable looking House. The Doctor of the House of Industry should be consulted, and if he thinks that her state of health is not occasioned by intemperance, Visitor will recommend Wood turn about with Ellen McCord with whom she lives.

304. Peter Crossett 70 years of age. 99 Richmond St. east. An old Bachelor, but he volunteered the information that he had lived with Woman who were not Priestesses of Vesta; but that's a long time ago. He served in the incorporated Militia during the American War, and has a certificate from Judge McLean to that affect, but the Judge says nothing of his habits of Life now, and as his looks are not indicative of extreme temperance, The Visitor will leave his Case to the

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Committee to decide whether at his great age he is or is not deserving of relief, he was told to bring a recommend from some respectable party would be of service to him, an announcement he did not appear to relish.

305. Ellen Stephens, This Woman must be supremely stupid, First she gives her place of abode as 99 Adelaide Street east, where there are no houses, and now says 89 of the same Street, which region is likewise destitute of dwellings, being all occupied by St. James' Church Yard.

306. James Murray, 63 years of age. Wife and Son 10 years old gone to the Country to seek Work. He has a Whiskey drinking Cast of Countenance. He says he can saw Wood, and therefore if the House can give him a 1/4 Cord for sawing a Cord it may be well to do so, for he seems to be in very destitute Condition

307. A Female Foundling aged about one Month was sent to this Institution (Fbr 16/61) by the Revd. Dr. Lett, with a Note stating; that the Child had been sent on Tuesday last to the Orphans Home by the Mayor. Revd. Dr. Lett saw the Mayor and explained that the Orphans Home was not the proper Institution to receive such objects of Charity as deserted infants, but that the House of Industry is - and that similar Cases have from time to time been sheltered in it etc. his Worship agreed that the foundling should be sent thereto.

308. Notice sent to the Revd. Mr. Grasett of the four following Children belonging to the Church of England, according to the rules of the Institution - to find suitable places for the same. Eliza Poolbrock

aged 5. Henry May aged 1 year and 9 Months. William Wilson aged 4 years, and Caroline Blakely aged 18 Months. Fbr 18/61

309. John Sweeny 62 years of age, Irish R.C. a Mason by trade, but cannot Work on account of his Eyesight being bad, recommended by the Hon. Mr. Allan for admittance in the Outbuilding during the cold Weather.

310. Joseph Armstrong, 66 years of age. Childless, No friends in Canada, has been an Inmate before During Winter Months, tries to work in Summer. The last place he worked at he broke two of his ribs which compelled him to leave his place, has been for some time in the Street, a usefull Man about the House. ChofEngl. to be admitted in to the House.

311. Michael Looby, 45. Irish R.C. Afflicted with Rheumatism, says he is not able to make his living out side. decent, has been in the Outbuilding since 11th January

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Tuesday 19th February 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & E Hobson.

312. Bridget Hallett 35 Oxford Street, Husband broke his leg on Grand Trunk. 2 Children Boys and one infant, they are very poor and in great want of Bread and Wood. Irish. R.C. The Visitor recommends them for relief.

313. Patrick Quinlan No. 100 Pine Street, Wife and 3 Children, 11, 7 and 5 years old Living with one Slattery and his Wife whose Case has been reported upon some Weeks ago, he Quinlan has been out of Work for some time, and he and his family are destitute both of food and fuel, he seems a sturdy fellow, and capable of doing any amount of Work - notwithstanding he has one of his Eyes rather damaged by the frost - Visitor would recommend that he be allowed to cut Wood for Wood.

314. Michael Hughes No. 12 ~~Duke Street~~ Duchess Street, an old Man and his Wife living in a tidy Cottage on Duchess St. no Children, they want to get a little Wood, The husband according to his own account is quite incapable of doing any Work Visitor told him that he must bring a Medical certificate from the Doctor that attended him, to state what was the Matter with him, and that if it was satisfactory to the Committee they might perhaps allow him Wood once.

315. Elizabeth Hartree 332 King Street east, Hartree the husband was formerly a Carter in very good employment but has been going down hill for the last year or two - He was obliged to part with his horse and Cart, two years ago, and his health has failed very much lately. Visitor is afraid he has very little energy about him or he would scarcely be in the plight he is now in, advised him to go to the House to morrow for the Doctor to pass judgment upon him, and if he pronounce him not fit to saw Wood, to be allowed one quarter of a Cord.

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316. Ann Courtney, 201 1/2 Adelaide St West, (see former report) her Child has sore Eyes, Consequently, cannot be taken in the Public Nursery until they are well. The Visitor recommends her for one quarter Cord of Wood more.

317. Elizabeth Smith No 29 Adelaide Street West. ChofEngl. Married, 30 years of age, husband about 40. four Children, boy 9, girl 7, girl 5. and a boy 3 years old. near her Confinement, their furniture was sold for rent, The Visitor did not see the husband, but as they seem to be very poor, the Visitor would recommend that the husband should be allowed to Cut Wood in the yard for Wood.

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318. Catharine Irwin and Elizabeth Lloyd two poor Widows, They occupy a small Cottage No 377 Queen St. east. Mrs. Irwin has 3 Children, a Boy 13 out at Service who helps to pay her rent, a girl of 12, and one of 10. She appears to be a very decent respectable person, she has taken this other poor Woman in, having Known her in Ireland when she was in very different Circumstances, indeed her Brother was the Clergyman of the Parish where Mrs. Irwin was living at the time of her Mariage. Elizabeth ~~Dillon~~ is afflicted with some cancerous swelling or sore, on the side of her neck and is incapable of doing anything towards her own support. The Visitor would recommend some Wood for them.

319. Ann Williamson No. 14 Palace Street, She and her husband were both out when the Visitor call'd, his information is from the Children. Irish. Chof Engl. Mother was gone to Market and father gone out to look for Work, when Visitor called on Monday Morning ~~the Visitor~~ Mrs. Williamson said her husband went in the Country to look for Work, Visitor wanted to Know why he did not come to the House first and Work for relief, but she said that they would starve before her husband would do that. Visitor can not recommend this Case.

320. Mary Jane Dunlop 73 Agnes Street, Colered, Baptist, husband left for Australia six years ago and has not heard from him for four years, She is 37 years of age, 2 Children, boy 10 and girl 8. her Mother over 70 years of age lives with her, she is a very industrious Woman, clean in House and person, Visitor recommends Wood and 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week during the Cold Weather.

321. Margaret Higgins No. 104 Elizabeth Street, Irish, Chof Engl. Married, 41 years of age. 2 Sons at home for which she wants places 10 and 12 years of age, she works at sewing but at present in bad health, her husband is an old Man not able to work, lives with one of his Married daughters by a former Marriage, in the Country, The Visitor recommends Wood and 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.

322. Ann Woods, 75 Caroline Street, the Visitor recommends that the husband be allowed to saw Wood once more, her husband has been out in the Country looking for Work, but returned unsuccessful. Hospital Dr. states Woods is not able to wo[rk].

323. {blank} Beatty The Visitor recommends him to cut Wood, he Knows him to be a very deserving decent old Man.

324. Female Foundling in Case 307. given out to Wet Nurse to Catharine Michael. in rere of 52 Centre Street, [at] [dollars] 4. per Month. with Sanction of Weekly Committee. was returned by Catherine Michael, and given to nurse to Ann Carton [at] [dollars] 4. at 47 Centre Street. Fbr 21/61

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325. Patrick Walsh an Inmate has a habit of getting drunk on every occasion he possibly can, The Weekly Committee therefore order that he be turned in the Outbuilding - and that one of the old Men there waiting for a Vacancy, to be admitted in his place, and that every similar Case, where a Man can not Conduct himself in a proper Manner to be treated in the same way.

326. James Main, an old Man who has been in the Service of Mr. Wakefield for many years, he was admitted some time ago by the general Board, but he did not come in on that time, Mr. Wakefield is now going to live in the Country and the old Man will have no place to stay if not taken in the House, The Weekly Committee order that he be admitted the first Vacancy.

Friday Fbr. 22nd 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth and E. Hobson

327. Sarah Rany 48 Cherry Street, Irish, ChofEngl. Married, 30 years of age - 5 Children, boy 12, boy 9. girl 7, girl 4 and a girl 1 year of age, all hat home, during that very cold weather the husband who is a blacksmith got both hands frozen, and will not the Visitor thinks be able to work for a few Weeks, Visitor recommends a quarter Cord of Wood

328. Ann Sheagan No. 22 Elizabeth Street, Irish, R.C. 23 years of age, Married, one Child two Months old, they appear decent people, Visitor made enquirys in the Neighbourhood but heard nothing against them, thinks that the husband might be allowed to work for a quarter of a Cord of Wood but no more.

329. Catherine Garry has had one quarter Cord of Wood this Winter, She says that she is unable from ill health to go to service, if the Committee, whether from their own judgment or on reference to the Doctor, think that such is the Case, The Visitor would recommend another 1/4 Cord of Wood.

330. William Moor Corner of Simcoe and Front Street. Married, ChofEngl, aged 47, Wife 40. five Children, the eldest a girl out at Service, four at home, the Man is in bad health, The Visitor recommends them for Bread Wood and Soup, for the remainder of the Season. They were also recommended by the Lord Bishop of Toronto -

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331. Fanny Farrell in rear of 22 Melinda Street, thinks her husband is dead, says she belongs to the ChofEngl, husband a R.C. does not know what the Children are gone to be. one of which is four years old, the other 18 Months. Visitor recommends one quarter Cord of Wood until he can go and visit himself.

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332 Judy Kelly, in a lane back of Lewis the Bell hanger on Adelaide St. West. See former report, this person is very troublesome, she can never get enough. Visitor thinks it would be best perhaps to give her one quarter Cord of Wood more she had the assurance to come twice to him to ask for half price Wood there is little shame in her.

333. Mrs. Wilson in rear of Graysons 267 Queen Street West. Visitor called there early in the season, but did not record the Character of her husband, as they were not to be recommended, She has a baby 9 Weeks old, and another Child now a Corpse in the House not yet inter'd, the husband a disolute fellow has been away for some Weeks, and knows not even of the death of his Child, a Lady called upon Mr. Tyner begging that the poor Woman might be allowed some Wood from the House, The Ladies who know the Case are making arrangement for the Burial of the Child. The Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord Wood Cut and the Cartage paid by the House.

334. Ellen Stephens 50 years of age, Widow, Irish, R.C. Daughter 27 in this City Married but has a large Family of her own, Son 23 in the States she knows not where, - She says she has a very sore throat, which put it out of her power of earning her living. If Our Doctor confirms her statement, the Visitor will recommend Wood and Bread for she is certainly in a very destitute Condition.

335. Mary Ann Richardson, See report of last Winter. since that she has another baby, about 3 Weeks old, husband a Sailor and was a thorough going hard drinker and therefore, with good wages, yet could not lay by for the Winter, so now there is nothing but abject poverty. She says he has taken the pledge, and is teaming for a Man in the Country, she hopes to hear from him soon, and receive relief. in the mean time the Visitor recommends Wood only, and only once.

336. Ann O'Niel. 23 years of age, looks 35, very dissolute Visitor would judge from appearances. Husband a sailor, who deserted her a year ago last Summer and she has not heard of or from him since. Boy 1 year old sickly. She lives in the same den with Ellen McCord and Honora Whelan, The last named Lady thought proper to sell the 1/4 Cord of Wood she got a few days ago from the House of Industry. The Visitor recommends that she be cut of [off] the List in future, and not to give either Ellen Mc Cord or Ann O'Niel anything as he suspects that they are toppers.

337. Nicholas Walsh. This poor creature has been received into the House of Providence, since he made his appearance at the House of Industry last Week.

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338. Julia Flannagan, No .28 Dummer Street, husband very rheumatic and altogether unable to make out anything towards his living - a very respectable old Couple, have lived 20 years in Dummer Street, Visitor recommends one 1/4 Cord of Wood.

339. Anne Williams. Muttons yard Nelson Street. Husband Wife and one Child a girl 2 1/2 years old - the Woman has weak Eyes which has prevented her from sewing or doing work of almost any Kind for some Months past - The husband has been earning a dollar or two occasionally about the Market. He is going out to Collingwood in search of Employment this week, She had a quarter Cord of Wood from the House, the Visitor recommends a small allowance of Bread for 3 Weeks.

340. Mary Hartnet, 186 Dundas Street, there is no such Number as this in the Street.

341. George Gayton, No. 23 Regent Street. He was formerly in the Police Force but left it more than a year ago, and has been supporting himself by Shoemaking, he is quite a young Man and perfectly sober and industrious, but according to his own account he is seized every now and then with some violent fits of Rheumatism, which Completely disables him, The Visitor encloses a Certificate from the Doctor who attended him. Under these Circumstances the ~~Doctor~~ Visitor would recommend a little Wood and Bread for a few Weeks, until he is able to make up his Work he has in the House, as much as will Keep them going again.

342. Ann Davis, Colored, 23 Avenue Lane, was not at home herself, but two of her Children were, one was lying in bed to Keep himself warm the other was playing about the room which was in a most filthy state, a loaf laid on the Table alongside a broken Saucepan full of some kind of boiled meat.

343. Ann Bayly, 142 Elizabeth St. used to be an outdoor Pensioner last Winter, this Winter she lived with Crane the Carter and worked for her living. But in addition of having been lame for many years, she has now a sore foot and is not able to work, she had to leave her place on account of it. She is a Widow, 56 years of age. Irish. R.C.

344. Emily Fawcett, 78 Elizabeth Street, Widow, one daughter 15 years of age, from Ireland 15 years ago, Methodist. She and her daughter are supporting themselves by Vest making, but at present things are rather dull with them, one 1/4 Cord of Wood is all they ask for.

345. Elizabeth Lambert. 27 Emma Street, must be a mistake in the Number, she is not Known there.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson.

346. Margaret Brennan, See report of last Winter, Since then she has had the misfortune to break her arm, and went to Hospital, The Visitor therefore now recommends Wood and Bread.

347. Ellen Sherlock 34 years of age. Husband earns 4/ [shillings] a day at Goderhams but Keeps Company with bad Women so she left him. English. ChofEngl. 2 Children a girl 4 1/2 and a Boy 12 Months. Mr. Hobson Knows her well she having lived in St. Johns Ward, Sayer Street, decent looking person, Washes and Scrubs when she can. The Visitor recommends Wood only all she asks for.

348. Mary Hartnet. No. 113 Duke Street, She is the person with whom the Cripple and his Mother whose Case was reported upon some Weeks ago, formerly lodged. The Hartnets got some Wood at that time, and they are now applying for a little further assistance, on the plea that the husband is suffering from the effects of a burn, which he got when attending upon the Cripple - He is to see the Doctor, and if he says that Hartnet is not able to Work, The Visitor would recommend that he be allowed a little bread.

349. Bridget Kelly 102 George Street, the Visitor recommends that she be allowed a little bread for a fortnight, after that she will require no further assistance.

350. Sarah Trim, brought a Note from the Mayor in which she is recommended to be admitted for the present. She belongs to ~~Cobourg~~ Port Hope and came here once in Sept. 1858. when she was sent back by the House and her expences paid, She again came in April in 1859 under an asumed Name, she would have been sent back that time, but she cleared out somewhere else. She is not a prudent Woman, and Can when she likes make use of some most shocking Language. See Case 486 in 1859. (To be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding)

351. John Cullen (301 Case) has been taken out by his Mother.

352. The two Children Monroe (in Case 233) were taken out by the Mother Fbr 28th

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Friday 1st March 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

353. William Carberry. 101 Berkely Street, an old Man and his Wife, who have been reduced to great want, their Landlord having lately sold all their things for rent not leaving them even a bed to lie upon, they have Children, two of whom are out at service, but their second Son upon whom they relied mainly



for support has caught a severe cold and was very ill when the Visitor called. If they were allowed one 1/4 Cord of Wood, and Bread for 6 weeks they would require no further assistance.

354. Mrs. McThammany 69 Pine Street, an old Couple whom the Visitor has Known for some years, decent industrious people, they have lately lost a Son who was their chief support, and the old Man has been laid up with an attack of pleurisy and is quite unfit for Work, Visitor recommends that they be allowed Wood once.

355. Catherine Cadwell, Muttons Yard Nelson Street, lives in the same House now with Ann Williams (in Case 339) has two children, girls 11 & 9. Formerly lived in Stanley Street. She is badly off for Wood, The Visitor recommends one 1/4 Cord.

356. Ellen Parkins. No. 122 Duke Street, her Son received a very severe blow in the Eye from a piece of Iron, while working at his trade, The Visitor would therefore recommend her for one quarter of a Cord of Wood, as he is incapable of doing any work at present.

357. Margaret Cloane, The Visitor recommends her for a 1/4 Cord of Wood at half price, as there is no hard Wood in the yard, the Committee order that she have a 1/4 Cord of Soft Wood for nothing.

358. Mary Eagan is recommended the same as the above, the Committee order her a quarter Cord of Soft Wood in like manner.

359. Anne Pettis 124 Adelaide St. no such Number.

360. James Mair, 69 years of age, Native of Scotland, Presbt. See Case 326. was admitted in the House, March 4/61.

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Tuesday 5th March 1861

Present Mr. E Hobson

361. Ann Cooper No. 468 Parliament Street. a Widow with 3 Children, girl and 2 Boys a very decent respectable person - supports herself by taking in washing, in which she is assisted by her daughter, but is in weak health and has got behind hand with her rent, and is badly off for want of fuel. The oldest boy has been for some time with a brush maker, but is out of Employment now and his Mother is trying to get him apprenticed to a trade. The Visitor would recommend Wood once.

362. Joseph Hall who has been on trial with Thomas Parker returned to the House to day. Mr. Parker says that he Boy has some very dirty habits, is a great Liar, and makes use of very bad Language, this is the second time he has been returned, James Wallace a boy 8 years of age will go in his stead

363. Catharine Murray, Spadina Avenue, an old Widow has one daughter, who can ~~but~~ get but very little washing to do. Tidy. Irish. R.C. deser{blank}

364. Felix Hackitt 47 Nassau Street, an old Man lives with a Widow Smith has two Children girl 11 years and boy 8 years. - He is very Rheumatic and unable to work much, wants Wood. Irish. R.C.

Friday 8th March 1861

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Doel.

365. ~~Felix~~ James Fox 62 Boulton Street. Irish. R.C. aged 36. Wife 28. two Children, boy 3. and Baby 12 days old, as they had some Wood, the Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month.

366. Sarah Swift, living in Bethunes Lane, to be allowed some Wood, provided her husband Comes up and saws for it. They are in great distress of fuel. Mrs. Swift works for the tailors, but has not had anything to do for some time and her husband who is a labourer has been out of Employment most of the Winter They will only require assistance once, as Mrs. Swift has been promised work immediately.

367. Walter Power, 50 years of age, Wife washes when she can get it to do. They have three grown Children in Ireland, but for Want of funds they can not send for them if the Children were in this Country the old Folks think, they would not be under the painfull necessity of soliciting relief. He has a whiskey-ish look about him, which leads the Visitor to the conjecture that the sore in the leg is much

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aggravated by intemperance. The Doctor should be consulted, and if he states that the Man is what he professes to be, that is temperate, The Visitor would recommend Wood and Bread.

Tuesday 12th March 1861.

Present Mr. J. Tyner and The Revd. Mr. Kennedy

368. Elisa Salter an old Woman recommended for admission into the House for two or three Months, by the Revd. Mr. Sanson, no room at present.

369. Notice was given this day (March 14th) to the Church of England Ministers, belonging to this Board, of the Number of Children belonging to that Church, at present in this Institution, their Names and age, as was ordered at the last General Board. Charlotte Hill (Colered) aged 5 years. William Kelly, aged 6 1/2. William Weld aged 5 1/2. Eliza Jane Courtney aged 5 1/2. William Courtney aged 3 1/2 Henry May aged

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1 3/4. William Wilson aged 4. Robert Lancaster aged 4 1/2. Sarah Duggan aged 3 1/4. Caroline Blakely aged 1 1/2. Ann Eliza Metcalf aged 8. John Metcalf aged 6 1/2. and Elisa Poolbrock aged 5 years.

Friday 15th March 1861.

Present Mr. J. Tyner and the Revd. Mr. Kennedy.

370. John Ryans 56. Irish. ChofEngl Wife dead, Children married in the States has been off and on in Toronto for 11 years, last from Rochester in the States has sore feet not able to travel, has been for some time in the Outbuilding - allowed to stay a little longer.

371. John Hutchison, Paralyzed, nearly helpless, makes his living by begging and sleeps out any where, mostly in Lees Lime Kiln's, has been in the outbuilding for a day or two, sick now. allowed to remain until he gets better.

372. William Murray (Colered) died on the 10th instant of Consumption. aged 5 years and 6 Months. See Case 408 in 1858.

373. Jane Tremble No 66 Power Street, The Visitor recommends that she may receive one more 1/4 Cord of Wood.

374. Mary Tremble of 150 Seaton Street, recommended to have Wood once more.

375. Bridget Hagan of Berkely Street, to have Wood once more.

376. Mary Birney 81 McMahon Street, to have Wood once more.

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Tuesday 19th March 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Thom and E. Hobson

377. William Turner and Wife, an old English Couple, rere of 316 Queen Street east are the Visitor considers respectable poor, the Wife hurt herself by a fall this Winter, and husband earns but little by wood Cutting, they have only about one days fireing in the House, and have no money. he therefore recommends them for 1/4 Cord of Wood.

378 Mary Butler an old Case, was sent to day by Mr. Gurnett Police Magistrate, to be received into the Institution, she being in a destitute Condition and likely to die of cold & Starvation if lef [left] on the Streets.

379. Catharine Hallyhan, and her Child, were sent to the House by his Worship The Mayor, recommending them to be admitted for a few days.

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380. Thomas William Cooper, a poor blind Man, a resident of this City, from his Childhood, has been trying to make a living by selling Matches, but finds it very difficult to get long just now, Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

Friday 22nd March 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Thom and E Hobson.

381. John Breckenridge, 71 years of age, Native of Scotland, Presbt Church. lives No 82 Church Street, recommended by Mr. J. Thom for one quarter Cord of Wood. to have Wood.

382. John Westman {blank} Elm Street, Wife and three Children. he got hurt by a fire Engine running over him, and is therefore unable to work, The Mayor sent a Note in his behalf recommending him for 1/4 Cord of Wood. sent.

383. Daniel Gustard, Corner of Lumly and Dundas Streets, sick of Rheumatism has 4 Children. Boy 29 - boy 14 - girl 9 and girl 7. live in a little hole of a house, untidy, wants Wood very badly, and Bread.

384. Francis Hackett. No. 105 Queen Street West. Irish. ChofEngl. aged 48. Wife in the Hospital these five Weeks, the Visitor found him in bed, in a small room a Stove but no fuel, two Children at home. The Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord Wood, and 8 [pounds] of Bread for one Month. Visitor found that he sold some of the Wood,

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385. Margaret Jane Scott, aged 6 1/2. went on trial on the 13th instant with Mr. George Ord, previous of being apprenticed. She is Sister to Robert and Sarah Ann.

386. Elisa McMinnamie aged 5. and Mary King aged 5, were both given up to the agent of the House of Providence, with the Consent of the general board March 25/61

Tuesday 26th March 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. J. Thom

387. Eliza Neely, Married. Irish. ChofEngl, lately from Newcastle, has three Children all deaf and dumb, she brought a Note from Dr. Morris recommending her for relief, as no more relief is to be given after the Month, nothing Can be done for her except allowing her a casual Loaf of Bread.

388. Good Friday March 29th. 1861

Visited the Institute for the purpose of enquiring whether a Young Girl from the age of 8 to 10 years could be had for a respectable Farmer in the Country and went through the entire establishment conducted by the Superintendant Mr. Duckett. I really felt highly pleased at the cleanliness and good order prevalent through the entire House which I think reflects great credit to the Committee and Superintendant and would greatly desire that more of our Citizens would call and see for themselves the great value of such a charitable Institution and how well it deserves their support and attention.

Rice Lewis

Friday 29th March 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson and J. Thom.

389. William Wilson, reere of No 105 Queen Street West, a Widower aged 50. is Confined to his bed for some time, is much in want of fuel, He is from Scotland. Presbt. has one Boy who is bound out to a trade gets one Dollar per Month besides his board, and daughter at home at present to take care of her sick father. The Visitor recommends one quarter Cord of Wood, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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March 29th 1861.

390. Daniel Mulloy left the House, he was admitted on the 24th April 1857. See Case 65 in 1857

Tuesday 2nd April 1861.

Present The Revd. H.J. Grasett, Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. J. Tyner

391. Emily Gaunt, No. 124 Elizabeth Street, Colored. Methodist. Married. 30 years of age, husband in jail until the 6th May. 4 Children all girls 7 - 5 - 3 & 3 Months Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread until the 15th of May. Bread to be given Weekly.

392. Mary Hudson, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week

393. Eliza Gunson, to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

394. Eliza Fern to have her allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread renewed until 1st of May.

395. Julia Malone to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

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396. Bridget Driscoll to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week during the Summer
397. Phoebe Jackson, to see the Doctor with a view to ascertain whether she is able to work, if she is not to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month longer. Dr. Ogden says she is not able to Work.
398. Dolly Gane is to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer
399. William Carberry, to have his ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week until the 1st May.
400. Richard Burrell, to 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months.
401. Elizabeth Cobb, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.
402. Margaret Fitzpatrick to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.
403. Eliza Jolland to have 4 [pounds] of Bread until the 1st of May.
404. Rose Clohesy, her husband to see the Doctor if pronounced not able to work, the Visitor will then call and see them.
405. William Moor, recommended to have his 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week until 1st of May.
406. Rachael Mesnard, to have her allowance of 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week Continued.
407. William Bell, to have his 4 [pounds] of Bread until the first of May.
408. Ellen Dowd to be continued on the List during the Summer for 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week.
409. William Eldon and Daniel Mulloy, two Inmates quarrelled on Friday Evening Mulloy had that day leave to go out, and as usual came home rather the worse for drink gave Eldon great provocation (as was proved by the witnesses) upon which Eldon tried to pull his Nose, and in so doing blackened his Eye, of which Mulloy complains. The Committee reprimanded Eldon, and gave him to understand, that if he does the like again he will be discharged from the House.
410. Daniel Mulloy is a pensioner, intends going into House Keeping on his own account, he left the House here on March 30/61. By reference to the Minute Book it appears that he was admitted on the 24th April 1857.

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and Consequently is indebted to the Institution 2 Months of this quarters pension but the Committee on Consideration of his leaving the House will allow him the whole of next quarter Pension, but they will not return any money that has been paid at former times.

411. Mary Balfour No 91 Richmond St. east, recommended to have 4 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week during the Summer.

412. Mary Rutherford No. 27 Queen Street east to be Continued on the List during the Summer for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

413. Ellen Fitzpatrick, next to 99 Richmond Street east, recommended to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer.

414. Sarah Ryan No. 112 Nelson Street, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer

415. Ann Bayly 69 Richmond Street, recommended to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued during the Summer.

Friday 5th April 1861.

Present The Revd. H.J. Grasett and Mr. E. Hobson.

416. Ann Spelling No. 19 Shuter Street recommended to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

417. Jemima Clements, rere of Beatys Tavern Adelaide St. east, to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

418. Elizabeth Kerr, rere of No. 5 Victoria Street, to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread for one Month longer.

419. Catharine Wilson No. 69 Richmond St. east, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread for one Month longer.

420. Nancy Moor, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer.

421. William Simpson No. 18 Stanley Street, has one Child. The husband is on his bed in the last stage of Consumption, decent people but in the greatest distress. The Visitor recommends 1/4 Cord of Wood and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

422. Hannah Ellis, Visitor recommends that she see the Doctor. saw Dr. has sore leg. 4 [pounds] Bread

423. Margaret Burns, has a sick husband and four young Children, recommended by the Visitor that she be continued on the List for 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months.

424. Ellen Sloane, old Wellington Hotel Corner of Church and Front Street, she is to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

425. Caroline Ryan, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

426. Margaret Mahon to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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427. Mary Bennett, rere of No. 68 Terauly Street, recommended to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer.

Tuesday 9th April 1861.

Present Mr. E Powell and The Revd. Dr. Lett.

428. Mary Rogers 17 Pine Street, recommended to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months.

429. Isabella Low, to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

430. Martin Judge No. 301 Queen Street East, to have his allowance of 4 of Bread p Week.

431. Ellen Brown 75 Caroline Street, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

432. Jane Hutton, was admitted some 3 Weeks ago from the general Hospital, but only made her appearance to day, Doctor to examine whether she is a fit Case for the House, if so to be admitted. She has been in the House before (See Case 677 in 1860.)

433. Catharine Stuart, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

434. Mary Dagelor 222 Queen Street West, recommended to have 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

435. Mary Collins No. 17 1/2 William Street West, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

436. Mary Barber, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

437. Ann O'Hara No. 314 Richmond Street West, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

438. Eliza Turner, Spinster, 50 years of age. ChofEngl. Native of Ireland, she is a Cripple with one leg, has been a resident for some years in the City. recommended as a fit Case for admission by the Revd. Dr. Lett. admitted.

439. Patrick Walsh, an Inmate was sent with a [dollars] 5 Bill to get Change, he did not return that day, the next day he was picked up drunk by the Police with one Penny in his pocket, was sent to jail for drunkenness.

440. Alexander Bird an Inmate left the House, to live with a Son of his in the Country.

441. Sarah Payne is recommended to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month longer.

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Friday 12th April 1861

Present Messrs. J. Doel R. Gilmor and Revd. Dr. Lett.

442. Mary Gallow, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week Continued the Summer Months on account of her illness.

443. Richard Fleming. See Case 190. he is to be admitted the first vacancy. Revd. Dr. Lett knows him to have been an old resident.

444. Ann Foley, Wellington Street opposite the Exchange. 70 years of age. Irish. R.C. No friends to assist her. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

445. Ann Burns returned from the Hospital apparently cured.

446. Michael Irwin a boy about 7 years of age who was picked up on the Street last Saturday night in a destitute Condition, and was sent here with a Note from the Mayor to be taken care of for the present – He was reclaimed by his Mother from whom he had run away.

447. Jane Murray an Inmate, asked leave to go to Church on Sunday 14th instant has not returned to the Institution

448. Sarah Shaw, an Inmate, (See Case 191.) felt inclined to leave the House on her own account, probably the Work she was put to did not agree with her.

449. Adam Gentle No. 69 Centre Street, Canadian, Methodist Church, Married 51 years of age. 4 Children, girl 9. Boy 7. girl 3 and 1 year old, he is Confined to his bed, and has been for some time. The Visitor recommends then for 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

Tuesday 16th April 1861

Present Messrs. T.P. Battersby & J. Tyner

450. Robert Potts, Hickmans Lane York Street. to be continued on the List for 8 [pounds] of Bread p [per] Week. Mr. Tyner mentioned to the Children if they would like to come in the House of Industry it would be a relief to the Parents – upon which the Mother came to the Visitor's House and gave him a great deal of abuse, for daring to propose such a thing as her Children coming into the poor House.

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451. Anne Pettis, 142 Adelaide St. West. deserted by her husband ChofEngl. very interesting English Family. aged 29. four Children all girls 9. 6. 3 and 6 Months respectively, The Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

452. Mary Curly, to be continued on the List for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

453. Margaret Cunan, Reeses Wharf. to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for 3 or 4 Weeks longer until the Weather get's fine.

454. Mary Jane Astly. No. 80 Boulton Street. The Visitor recommends that she be continued on the Bread List for 8 [pounds] per Week.

455. Joseph & James Newman respectively 6 and 4 years of age, sent by George Gurnett Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] The Mother is in Hospital and the Father has long since abandoned them. The Magistrate learned that the Mother is quite willing to have them placed out by House of Industry authority's. The Mother says she belong to the Church of England.

Friday 19th April 1861

Present Messrs. T.P. Battersby & E. Hobson.

456. Sarah Johnston, No 40 Church Street. recommended to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

Tuesday 23th April 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

457. Richard Fleming, 96 70 years of age, Irish. Ch of Engl. See Case 443. admitted.

Friday 26th April 1861.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson.

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458. Margaret Doyle applied to be continued on the Bread List during the Summer Months, the Committee advised her to give up her Children and go herself to service.

458.½ Sarah Duggan, gone on trial, previous of being adopted, May 1st 1861

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Tuesday 30th April 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson.

459. James Sullivan, 62 years of age. Irish. R.C. has been living at Guelph, Came to Toronto about 10 Months ago, for Doctors advice, he now wishes to become an Inmate of this Institution. Cannot be admitted, Committee advised him to go back to his friends to Guelph.

Friday 3th May 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson.

460. Thomas Everell, 50 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. brought a Note from Lady Robinson who thinks him a deserving Man, has weak Eyes, says that if he could be taken in here, Dr. Adams would give him advice gratis. No room at present.

461. John Blunt a Colered Man who has been in Hospital – and who belongs to St. Catharines – Rev. Dr. Willis sent a Note on his behalf, recommending him to be admitted in the House. The Weekly Committee can not admit him, as he ought to go back to St. Catharines to his friends. The Mayor some time ago promised a free pass for him.

462. Caroline Carter, Sayer Street, 50 years of age. Colered. Married and Child at home. a girl 5 years of age. husband has been away for two Months seeking work, to have a loaf for the present.

Tuesday 7th May 1861.

Present Mr. James Foster & The Revd. Dr. Barclay.

463. William Eldon an Inmate applied for means to pay his fare to Ottawa thinks of getting some Employment there, the Committee recommended that he apply to the Mayor for a pass.

464. Ellen Jane ODonnell, has been on trial previous of being apprenticed to Mr. James Fleming of Brampton. She was sent back to day on account of her bad habits, telling lies &etc., a Married Sister of hers who lives in this City will take care of her in future.

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Friday 10th May 1861.

Present Mr. James Foster.

465. Sarah Payne recommended by the Visitor to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread continued for another Month.

466. Elizabeth Kerr to have her ration of Bread Continued. 8 [pounds] Bread p [per] Week.

467. Mary Brown in rere of 57 1/2 Terauly Street. Widow 30 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl 4 Children, all Boys. 12. 9. 5 and 1 years of age respectively, the Boy 9 is away from home. She has been living for the last 3 years in the Country – where her husband died a few months ago.

Tuesday 14th May 1861.

Present, The Revd. Mr. S. Givins, Mr. E. Hobson & Revd. G. Dorey.

468. George Brown. 45 years of age, Native of Scotland, Presbt. Church. has been a resident in Galt for many years, came to this City with a view of getting in to the general Hospital, to get treatment for a sore leg – not being bad enough to be a Hospital Case, he tried for admission here. The Committee advised that he apply to the St. Andrews Society for means and go back to Galt, as he has no claim upon this Institution.

469. Johanna Collins, 32 years of age, from Ireland. R.C. She brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her for admission if found a suitable object. She appears to be near her Confinement, and cannot give a proper account of herself. The Committee advised that she be examined by our Medical Officer. – The Doctor examined her, and recommended that she be {sent} away to the Lying In Hospital. (which was done.)

470. Eliza Turner, (See Case 438.) left the House on her own account.

Friday 17th May 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

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471. James Dogherty left the House on his own account to go to Work in the Country.

472. Mary Ann Scott, gone on trial, she is Sister to Margaret Jane and Robert. (See Case 685 in 1859.)

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Tuesday 21st May 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

472. Margaret Sherlock, Widow. 33 years of age, Irish. R.C. has two Children – both in the House of Providence, has been in Hospital for the last five Weeks with Rheumatism, has now no home, and is desirous of being admitted in this Institution for a few Weeks until she gets better, The Committee recommend that she see the Medical officer and if he thinks her a fit Case – to be admitted.

473. Michael Loby, in Case 311, left the House to go to his friends in the Country.

474. Ann Burns, left the House on her own account.

Friday 24th May 1861.

Present Messrs. W. Mather. R. Woodsworth. E. Hobson & J. Thom

475. Mary Hughes, Corner of Church & McGill Street. she has been in Hospital with a sore hand, is not able to work yet, Irish. R.C. Single. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

476. William Eldon an Inmate, was ordered by the Weekly Committee to leave the House on the 1st of June next – on account of his drunken disorderly Conduct and abuse to the rest of the Inmates, the Committee would likewise recommend that he should not be taken in the House again.

477. William Lloyd an Inmate was also discharged for being drunk frequently – bringing Whisky in the House, and abuse to Superintendent.

478. Michael Mullen an Inmate who Keeps the Gate, has strict instructions from the Weekly Committee, to search every suspected party coming in the Gate with a view to ascertain whether they bring in any drink – and if so to acquaint the Superintendent.

479. Joseph Wilsons Letter referring to his Apprentice W.E Graham – to be answered by Superintendent, to request Mr. Wilson to send in a written Statement about the Boys Conduct signed by a Magistrate, and the same to be laid before the General Board at the next Meeting, June the 16th.

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Tuesday 28th May 1861.

No Committee.

No Applications.

480. Jane Chambers. No. 33 Stanley Street (See Case 1007. in 1860) recommended by Visitor to have an allowance of Bread.

Friday 31st May 1861

No Committee.

No Applications.

481. Catherine Halvey aged 14. and James Halvey aged 10 years, belonging to parents who were committed two or three Weeks ago – for three Months for Keeping a disorderly House – The Children are unprovided for and unprotected. They were sent here by G. Gurnett Esqr Police Magistrate who thinks they might be apprenticed without difficulty. Irish. R.C. (June 1st 1861.)

482. John Hutchison (See Case 271.) left the House this day (June 3/61)

483. John Tully (See Case 189) had leave yesterday (Sunday) to go to Church has not returned yet.

484. Jane Hutton an Inmate (See Case 432) had also leave to go to Church, has not returned yet.

Tuesday 4th June 1861

Present Mr. E. Hobson

485. Jane Hutton (in Case 484) made application to be readmitted, says that she called at the General Hospital and could not get back on account of the rain, to be admitted once more.

486. William Reetye (See Case 497 in 1860.) 78 years of age, a Native of Hanover, Lutheran Church. has been 39 years in Canada served in the Rebellion, recommended by Lady Robinson for admission. to be admitted.

487. The Children in Case 481—to be admitted, and Captain Elmsley to be notified.

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Friday 7th June 1861

Present Mr. E. Hobson

488. John Kelly in Case 483. to be readmitted this time—with the understanding that he is to have no more leave to go out. Martin Cody, who went out with Kelly is likewise to stay at home and not to have leave to go out again, he is almost blind and gets drinking when out.

Tuesday 11th June 1861

Present Mr. W. J. Mac Donell.

489. John Brass (in Case 644 in 1860) lost his Wife a few Weeks ago, he is not able to take care of himself, and is quite destitute recommended by the Revd. Mr. Darling as a proper object for admission —The Committee will admit him for a few Weeks, as perhaps by that time he might be able to leave the House.

490. John Kinch 69 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. has been an Inmate of this Institution before, left with a view of recovering some Money and property which he fancied he possessed some where —he now begs for admission again, as he finds himself worse of [off] than he was a twelve month ago when he left this House. He has no friends except his daughter who is housemaid in the Orphans home and who has her own Child to support. The Committee will admit him in the Out-building at present, until there is room in the House. (Case 357 in 1858.)

Friday 14th June 1861

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & W. J. Mac Donell

491. Ann McNab, Blairs yard Nelson Street, Widow. 25 years of age, Scotch Presbt. has 3 children, the two eldest are laid up with the small pox on account of which she is not able to go out to work, The Committee will allow her 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week while the Children are ill.

492. Eliza Jane Courtney and William Courtney (in Case 549 in 1860.) are both gone on trial with John Irwin Cluff of Innisfil, previous of being bound. June 17/61.

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Tuesday 18th June 1861

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson.

No Applicants.

Friday 21st June 1861

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson

493. A male Foundling about six Months old, was sent by his Worship the Mayor for admission, it was placed out by the Public Nursery to wet nurse at the Expense of the City—The Weekly Committee admitted the Case, but being young and in a weak state of health Superintendent is allowed to leave it with the same Nurse, and the House to pay for the Nursing of it.—The Nurse Ann Smith who lives at No. 141 Adelaide Street West, agreed to take it for [dollars] 4, per Month, Commencing on the 20th of June instant. (Named Scott Hall.)

494. Mary Ann Courtney. (See Case 739 in 1860.) left the House this day (June 24th) on her own account.

Tuesday 25th June 1861

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson

495. Henry Ireland: 58 years of age, Native of Scotland, Presbyterian Church. has been Inmate of this Charity, but on account of his Mind becoming deranged, he was sent to the Lunatic Asylum on the 18th October 1859.—he has been discharged from there cured some time since, seeks for admission in the House again. He is to bring a Certificate from Dr. Workman by next Friday, and to be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding in the mean time. Admitted June 28/4.

496. Ellen O'Brien, No. 75 Caroline Street, recommended by the Visitor for an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

497. Mary Ann Chadwick, (see Case 633 in 185[9].) ran away from this Institution June 26/61.

Friday 8th June 1861

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Thom.

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No Applications.

498. Robert Lancaster, Brother to Emma (See Case 514 in 1859.) gone on trial. June 30.

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Tuesday July 2nd 1861

Present Mr. E. Hobson

499. David Bosson, 27 years of age, English. ChofEngl. has been unable to work since the 1st of August 1860 was admitted to Hospital 26th Decbr following and is now dismissed, and his Case such as not to require indoor treatment, urgently—Has a Wife and one Child—the former has deserted him and the Child during the Week past—has been a resident of Toronto since his arrival in Canada.—To be admitted subject to Doctor Ogdens examination. Doctor examined, recommends.

500. Johanna Flavan: aged 48, Native of Ireland, and member of Roman Catholic Church, has been in general Hospital since the 18th June, will be dismissed to day as incurable, as she did not attend in person being too weak a state to walk—The Committee will leave her Case to our Medical Officer, and if he finds she belongs to the City—and a proper Case for admission—to be admitted.

501. Elizabeth Brown: aged 43, Native of Ireland, and Member of English Church—A poor worthless Creature—She was likewise discharged from the General Hospital where she was sent by order of the Mayor with Delirium Tremens—By her own Statement it appears she came from Hamilton previous of going to Hospital. The Committee do not consider her a proper Case for this Institution as she ought to get back to Hamilton.

502. Nicholas Malkums, aged 58, Native of Germany, Roman Catholic. has been 21 years a resident in Toronto, Complains of his Wife being a dissipated Woman. he is desirous of having his two Children, a Boy 9 and a girl 7 placed in the House—but is not willing to give them up to be apprenticed out. Was recommended to take them to the Sisters.

Friday 5th July 1861

Present The Revd. Mr. H. J. Grassett.

503. Mary Howard: 24 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. has two Colored Children, wishes to give one of them up to the House a Child two years old. referred to Visitor.

504. Sarah Linch, an old Pensioner, to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread.

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July 5th 1861.

505. A Male Foundling about 5 Months old was brought to this Institution (July 2nd) by Mr. Dow of King Street in whose Store it was left abandoned by its Parent, The Mayor ordered said Child to be sent here.

Tuesday July 9th 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor, J. Doel & E. Hobson

507. George Wickerson, aged 45. English. ChofEngl. He was sent to the general Hospital by the Township of Dunn, is now discharged and without a home or Money, seeks admission into this Charity. The Committee advised him to go the St. Georges Society as most likely they will send him back to his friends, in the mean time they will allow him to remain in the Outbuilding for a few days.

508. Johanna Flavan (in Case 500) died this day. July 10th.

509. John Schallon left the House on his own account. See Case 661 in 1860

Friday July 12th 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor & J. Doel.

510. James M. Miller, Native of Scotland, Presbt. has been in Canada since last April twelve Months. has no friends and no settled home, says he is 25 years of age. Committee thinks he is 40. Was discharged from the General Hospital; seems to be in feeble health, recommended by the Mayor for admittance, No room in the House at present to remain in the Outbuilding until there is room. (admitted July 13th)

511. Maurice Convey: left the House with the intention of going to Service. (See Case 837 in 1859.) admitted the above Case in his place.

Tuesday July 16th 1861.

No Committee

512. Mrs. Chesnut applied to have a girl , Jane Noble who is about 13 years of age admitted, the girl says that she comes from Montreal where she was ill treated by the people she lived with, that her Mother is dead, and her Father gone to the States. belongs to the Presbyterian Church.

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July 17th 1861.

513. The Foundling in Case 493 died this (17th July) Day out at the Place of his Nurse, with Whooping Cough.

Friday July 19th 1861.

No Committee,

514. Ann Harvey: 45 years of Age, deserted by her husband, no Children, Wesleyan Methodist, has a sore leg, and therefore not able to Work at present, seeks admission in the House for a time until her leg gets better. Was recommended by the Hon. Mr. Allan—likewise by Mr. Tyner who visited her. To be admitted.

515. Thomas Murphy: 5 Years of age, died this day (July 22) of Water on the Brain. See Case 666 in 1859.

Tuesday July 25th 1861

Present Messrs H. Rowsell & E. Hobson

516. Barnard Plunkett about 6 years of age, was sent to this House by Alderman G. Boomer, Presiding Magistrate, the Boys Mother being incarcerated upon Suspicion of Arson. Irish. R.C.

517. Mary Brown: an Inmate had leave to go out and see Mrs. Strachan—as usual she has not returned. July 27th

Friday July 26th 1861

Present Mr. E. Hobson

518. John Schallon: (See Case 509.) has a very sore leg finds that he cannot make his living outside, begs to be admitted again, he generally makes himself useful in the House as far as he is able, (to be admitted.

519. John McNeil: 64 years of age, Native of Scotland, and Member of Presbyterian Church. Has been Storekeeping near Bradford, he is in bad health, Came to Toronto last Fall and has attended the Hospital as a Outdoor patient, spent all his Money in paying for this Board—has no friends excepting two Sons, one of them cannot do any thing for him, and the other Son robbed him of [pounds] 70 and Cleared into the States. seeks admission, No room at present, might call after a time.

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July 26th 1861.

520. Bridget Flinn: No. 29 Stanley Street, Widow, Irish, R.C. 27 years of age, 3 Children, Girl 8, girl 6 and Boy 18 Months old. has been visited by Captain Elmsley, who will not recommend her Case as he found the place full of drunken abandoned Women.

521. Ann Carney about 6 years of age, William Carney about 3 years old, and Anne Hinchley about 4 years old, were sent this day (July 27) by Alderman Carr Presiding Magistrate for admission their parents having been sent to jail for one Month, keeping a disorderly House.

522. Anthony Corrigan: (in Case 1013 in 1860.) left the House on his own account.

Tuesday July 30th 1861

Present Mr. R. Cathcart

523. Mary Brown, (in Case 517.) made her appearance to day, and begged for readmission, to be admitted, on Condition that she have no more leave to go out.

524. Barnard Plunkett (in Case 516.) was taken out of the House by his Mother.

525. Elsie Davidson (See Case 503 in 1860.) gone on trial with Mr. William Campbell of Mono Mills, previous of being bound.

Friday ~~July~~ August 2nd 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson

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526. James M. Miller, in Case 510, seems quite recover'd in bodily health, but his mind seems to be affected, has a propensity of stealing everything he can lay his hands on, it appears that he has been living for a Number of years at Cartwrights, he is now ordered to leave the House and to find his way back to his friends.

527. John Densmore: an Inmate, wishes to leave the House for a few days to go to Clairville and look after some property. The Committee allow him leave to go and 3 Shillings to pay his expenses.

528. Mary Butler: an Inmate a dirty ill behaved Creature, to be allowed to leave the House, if she desires to do so.

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August 3th 1861.

528. Hugh Bryson: (See Case 77) died this Morning of Consumption

Tuesday 6th August 1861.

Present The Revd. Dr. Barclay.

529. Catharine Halvey and James Halvey in Case 481 were taken out by their Parents.

Friday 9th August 1861.

Present Mr. James Foster.

530. Henry Bosson 11 Months old, Son of David Bosson in Case 499 to be admitted in the House. The Father signed the usual letter.

Tuesday 13th August 1861

Present The Revd. S. Givins The Revd. Mr. Darcy.

531. John McNeil in case 519. to be referred to the General Board.

532. Ann Eliza Metcalf: (in Case 681 in 1860.) gone on trial with Mr. Robert Smith. Township of London.

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533. Mary Ann Ryan aged 4 years, Richard aged 7 years, and Cornelius aged 3 years, were sent to this Institution by Alderman Boomer their Mother Eliza Ryan having been sent for trial to the next assizes for stealing. The Children belong to the Roman Catholic Church.

Friday 16th August 1861

Present The Revd. Mr. S. Givins and The Revd. G. Dorey

No Applicants.

Tuesday 20th August 1861

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & E. Hobson.

534. Donald Robertson: 29 years of age, a Native of Scotland and Member of Presbyterian Church. lately out of Hospital, his sight is affected otherwise in good health, has had out door relief from this Institution for some years, his relations sent Money to him several times to pay his way back to Scotland, but he told the Weekly Committee—that he chooses to stay in Canada. Seeks admission no room.

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Friday 23th August 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & E. Hobson.

534. Patrick Murphy: No. 229 {blank} wishes for an allowance of Bread, to have a loaf for the day and be visited.

535. Ann Carney, William Carney and Ann Hinchley in Case 521 were taken out by their Mothers, their time in Gaol having expired August 26th.

Tuesday 27th August 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

536. Mary Murphy: 27 years of age, Irish. R.C. has one Boy {6} years of age at present with William Fitzgerald. She has been living in Toronto about 4 years, two of which she had out door relief from here. For the last two Months she has been in General Hospital with sore Eyes, is now discharged, and

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recommended for admission to this Institution as she is not able to go to Service yet. To be admitted if the Doctor thinks her a fit Case, and to make herself general useful. Ineligible for admission, Doctor reports for advanced in pregnancy.

537. Patrick Murphy: in Case 534. Visitor cannot find him. To have 4 [pounds] Bread p [per] Week.

Friday 30th August 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

538. Margaret Sherlock: in Case 472, dismissed by Weekly Committee, on recommendation of Medical Officer, as she is near her Confinement.

539. Patrick Lindsay (in Case 1044 in 1860) left the House on his own account. Septbr. 31st.

540. Ann Harvey (in Case 514.) left the House, she instead going in the Country to live with a Sister. Septbr. 2nd.

541. Joseph Bloomfield left the House on his own account to live with some friends in the Country. Septbr. 3th. See Case No .12 in 1858.

Tuesday 3th Septbr. 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

No Applications.

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Friday 7th September 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

No Applications

542. Margaret Neal: 27 years of age, Native of Ireland and Member of ChofEngl. Single, but has one Child a Boy two Weeks old, just out of Lying in Hospital, she is deaf—was sent by the Mayor for admission as he thinks her entirely destitute. She says she has been living in Toronto four years, but pretended ignorance as to Name of Street and Number.

Made some enquiries of the Matron of the Lying In Hospital who says that the Woman Neal kept House for her three Brothers who are respectable Tradesmen in Toronto, and live somewhere near the House of Industry.

Tuesday 10th September 1861.

Present Messrs J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

543. Thomas Johnston: No. 121 Adelaide Street West. Visitor reports that he found him poor and afflicted, appears to be silly. No use to his Wife and Children. 4 Children, girl 9. boy 7. girl 5 and Boy 2 years of age. The Wife about 37 years of age, himself 38. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended as a fit subject of admission for the House of Industry. Admitted subject to Doctors approval.

544. Margaret Neal: in Case 542. The Weekly Committee Consider her not a fit Case for admission, She might have a load of Bread

545. Mary Martin: 35. Widow, has two Children both away from her, one in the States, the other in Cobourg, Irish. R.C. has been living in Scarborough. Came to Toronto some two or three Months ago, says she has been in Hospital for two Weeks, seeks admission in to the House. The Weekly Committee Consider her not a proper Case for admission, as she seems able to Work, and ought to go back to Scarborough.

546. Margaret Murray: an Inmate had leave to go out for a few hours—staid out until next day, when Supt. told her to apply to Weekly Committee for readmission on Friday next.

547. Thomas Green: 56 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. his Wife has deserted him. He was recommended by the Mayor & Mr. Tyner for a few days shelter in the outbuilding. Left Sept. 4/61.

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Friday 13th Septbr. 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner, E. Hobson and W.J. MacDonell

548. Margaret Murray: in Case 546 applied for readmission, to be admitted on Condition that she behave herself in future, and keep herself sober if not—to be dismissed by Superintendent.

549. Sarah Turner: Colored, upwards of 70 years of age, Widow, has 3 Grandchildren whose Mother is dead, Boy 15. Boy 13 and Boy about 10 years of age, the eldest Boy is in place, she is to receive 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week on account of her age.

550. Henry Gough: 76 years of age, has been in Toronto for 30 years, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. has no friends in Toronto, and no means to support himself, is Blind. The Weekly Committee consider him a proper object for admission. admitted. Subject to Medical Officers approval. Gough left the House Sept. 16/61. he intends going about 7 Miles in the Country where he has some friends with whom he will stay the Winter.

Tuesday 17th September 1861.

Present Messrs J. Thom & E. Hobson.

551. Alice Connelly: 19 years of age, Irish, R.C. not Married, has a young Child 3 Months old which she wishes the House to take off her hands, advised to apply to the Sisters who will take the Child if the Mother will pay something for its support.

552. Ann Burns: Single, Irish, R.C. has been an inmate several times—but could not conduct herself in a proper manner, gets drunk, and is quarrelsome with the other inmates, Committee consider her not a fit object for admission.

553. Donald Robertson: brought a Note from his Worship the Mayor, recommending him for admission if a proper object. His Case was before the General Board in August, and it was resolved that he should not be taken in the House on account of him not having returned home to his friends who sent Money to him several times for the purpose

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September 17th 1861.

554. William Eldon: who was discharged from this Institution on account of his disorderly Conduct (See Case 476) apply'd again to day for readmission—was refused by Weekly Committee.

555. Henry Howard (in Case 399 in 1860) left the House on his own account, to live with his daughter.

556. Catharine Dempsey: deserted by her husband, Irish. ChofEngl. has 3 Children, Girl 4. Boy 2 and Baby 7 Months old. Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends relief, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the present.

557. Emma Turner: No. 5 Emma Street, Married, 34 years of age, Husband a Carpenter, 5 Children. have been 4 years from England, the last two years in Chicago. to have Bread for 2 Weeks until the husband gets his wages paid him, after which they will manage to do without help.

Friday 20th Septbr. 1861

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

558. Edward Byrne: an Inmate had leave to go to Church on Sunday Morning/Sept:22 did not return until Monday with his face bruised and his Eye blackened. Supt. advised that he apply on Tuesday to Weekly Committee for readmission

Tuesday 24th Septbr. 1861

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Mr. J. Thom.

559. Martin Cody: an Inmate, died this Morning of Dropsy. He was a Native of Ireland and Member of the Church of England, became an Inmate of this Institution in May 1858—with bad Eyes for the last twelve Months he lost his sight entirely, about 70 years of age when he died.

560. Edward Byrne: in Case 558, was admitted by the Weekly Committee—with the understanding that he is to have no more leave to go out—and should he go off the premises without leave, not to be admitted again.

Friday 27th Septbr. 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson

No Applications.

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Tuesday 1st October 1861.

No Committee.

561. Robert Perry: 63 years of age, Native of Ireland, and Member of Presbyterian Church, has been a resident in Toronto for 20 years, lost his Wife last fall, has only one Son who lives at Clifton Village and who has family of his own to support, cannot assist his Father, Perry is in bad health, and has no means of Subsisting. wishes to be admitted for a time until he gets stronger, brought a Note from his Worship the Mayor, who recommends him. Admitted, Octbr. 4/61

Friday 4th October 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

562. Janett Ailes: Widow 41 years of age, Native of Scotland, Presbyterian Church, has a boy 12 years old whom she agrees to sign over to the Trustees, and have apprenticed out according to the rules of the Institution. She intends going into Service. The Boy is to be admitted, subject to Doctors examination.

563. Catharine Manson: a young Woman wanted to get a Child in here about 18 Months old. Her Case appeared in the Police report a few days ago, it appeared the Father of the Child is Married, but had taken the Child into Keeping, Catharine Manson took the Child away and in a fit of rage broke a dozen panes of glass—for which she was brought up at the Police Court and fined [dollars]2. The same evening she met the Man (Father of her Child) on George Street and stabbed him the Neck. The Committee recommended that she apply at the Public Nursery.

564. Maurice Convey: has been an Inmate, but left the House and has been in Service for 3 Months. Wishes to be admitted again, Committee considers him able to earn his living.

565. Ellen Casey: Pat Caseys Widow. to have a loaf of Bread.

566. James Patterson: {blank} years of age, Native of Scotland Member of Presbyterian Church. he is in the last stage of Consumption, to be admitted. Any expenses to be paid by his Brothers. died October 21/61.

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October 4th 1861.

567. Mary Chesterfield: (Colored) Widow, No family, a long resident in Toronto, Methodist Church. about 30 years of age, she is in the last stage of Consumption, and destitute, no friends. The Mayor recommends her if a fit Case, Doctor reports her a fit Case for admission. admitted.

568. Margaret Murray: an Inmate received from a daughter of her's (who lives in New York) {dollars} 2 within the last 3 Weeks which she spent most likely in drink, as she has been half drunk and stupid all the time, she received another {dollar} 1 to day—The Superintendent is authorized by the Weekly Committee, to keep the same, and any other Money that might be sent, and buy her anything in the shape of Clothing in which she might stand in need of, M. Murray Consented to the same.

569. Catharine Hallyhan: and Child left the House on the 3rd instant See Case 379.

Tuesday 8th October 1861.

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Present Messrs. J. Doel & R. Gilmor.

No Applications.

Friday 11th October 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Doel & R. Gilmor.

570. Jane Hogan: 39 years of age, Irish R.C. deserted by her husband, has a Boy in Hospital, and two Boys at home, and Boy 6 the other he lives at No. 78 Nelson Street, referred to Visitor.

571. Sarah Borden: 26 years of age, Married, Irish. R.C. husband in Gaol. has 4 Children, Girl 9. Boy 7. Boy 5 and Boy 3 years of age, wants to put her Children in the House, The Case to be left to the Visitor. The Committee would recommend that if the Father likes to sign the Children over to the House—that they might be admitted, the Mother being willing to do so. To have a Loaf of Bread.

572. Sent Notice to the Revd. Dr. Barclay to find a place for the Boy Richard Ailes, aged 12 years of age, belonging to the Presbt. Church.

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Tuesday 15th October 1861.

No Committee present.

573. Eliza Fern ^Ferran^: 28 years of age, Widow. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. lives at No. 79 Sayer Street, she has been ill for some time and therefore not able to make her living, has 2 Children a girl 8 and a boy 5 years old. The Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

574. Mary Finlan: about 40 years of age. her husband in a Tailor, and who left her about 4 Months ago—Irish. R.C. has one Child a girl about 9 years of age, Mary Finlan is nearly blind and makes her living by begging, she lives at present in Stanley Street but intends to move out of it. She is recommended by Mr. Stayner for an allowance of Bread.

575. Joseph Bloomfield: who left the House on the 30th of August last to seek his fortune as he said—returned on Monday on Crutches, and seeks readmission in the House. Bloomfield is 80 years of age.

Friday 18th October 1861.

No Committee present.

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576. May Chesterfield: (Colered) in Case 567. died this day (Octbr 19th)

577. Isabella McConnell: a Widow 77 years of age. a Native of Ireland and Member of the Roman Catholic Church, has been living near Norval in the Township of Halton about 14 years, and has been there supported by the Township for some time, she came to Toronto with a view of getting into the Poor House—Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends her admittance if found to be a proper Case.

Tuesday 22nd October 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

578. James Irwin: an Inmate who had leave to go out last Sunday and did not return until Monday, applied to the Board for readmission, he is to be admitted with the understanding, that if he does the same again he stays out for good.

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October 22nd 1861.

579. Mary Ann Chapman: who lives at Dennisons Avenue brought a Female Child eighteen Months old with her, says that it was left with her when 6 Months old by its Mother whose Name is Margaret Caton who promised to pay [dollars] 4 a Month for the Nursing of it, but she only left 3 [dollars] on hand and the Child, and was not seen of afterwards, Chapman says that she can keep it no longer as she has a Child of her own to support—states that she called on the Mayor who sent her here to leave the Child. Committee decided that she bring a Note from the Mayor to certify that she did so. to have some Bread.

580. John Thorpe: 61 ^40^ years of age, Native of England, ChofEngl. has been two years in this Country, lost the use of his hands with Rheumatism since his arrival, and therefore not able to support himself, has no friends and no means, seeks admission. To be admitted subject to Doctors examination.

581. Isabella McConnell: in Case 577. The Committee decided that Superintendent pay her fare back to Acton or Norval, and see her of [off] on the Car's.

Friday October 25th 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

No Applications.

582. David Thompson: Wife and four Children, English, ChofEngl. Thompson is a Lithographer and has been living in Philadelphia where he made a good living for his family, but on account of the War in the States he got reduced in circumstances, he is desirous to go to Montreal—if after a few days he can not get Employment in Toronto. The Mayor recommends him and his family to be admitted for a few days, also recommended by Mr. Brant. The St. Georges Society promised to send him on to Montreal. Approved of by Weekly Committee. October 29th.

583. Margaret Neal: in Case 542. applied again for relief or admission with a Note from the Mayor who recommends her for admission if a fit subject. She seems to be in a deplorable State and nearly Starving. She still has her Child with her—to be admitted in the House for a time, as most likely she will be able to earn her living in a short time.

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Tuesday 29th October 1861.

Present Mr. R. Cathcart

584. Samuel Walsh ^Hedge^: who lives on the bottom of Simcoe Street in one of Reeses Houses where the Wharf used to be. he wants relief—his Case referred to Visitor.

585. Mary Martin: in Case 542 applied again for readmission with a Note from Mrs. Grasett. The Committee considers her not a fit subject for admission, should go to Scarborough.

586. Richard Ailes: gone on trial with Mr. Owen Dadidson, Township of York. See Case {blank}

587. Mary Brown ; an Inmate had leave to go out but as usual did not return.

588. Margaret Neal: (in Case 583) Considers it to [too] much Confinement to be in the House, has therefore left on her own accord.

589. Henry May: aged 2 1/2 years, and Eliza Poolbrock aged 5 1/2 years are both gone on trial previous of being apprenticed, the Boy with John Thompson, and the girl with William Clapham, both of Medonte.

Friday 1st Nobr. 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson

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590. Thomas Rogers: (See Case 28) Made Application to have his 3 Children admitted into the House, he is willing to give them up to the House to be apprenticed out. His Wife has run away from him—and he himself is a drunken dissipated Man not able to support them. The Case is strongly recommended by the Hon. Mr. Allan who visited there last Winter. Elizabeth Eleven years of age is quite idiotic, Anne aged 7 years is nearly as bad as her sister, Sarah aged 3 years seems not to be affected by the same disease. The Weekly Committee orders that the Children be admitted into the Institution. Canadians. ChofEngl.

591. Joseph and James Newan [Newman]: (in Case 455.) The Mother of the two Boys sent a Letter, in which she directs the Supt. to hand them over to the Lady Managers of the “Boys Home,” The Committee order that they be sent to the “Boys Home”

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November 1st 1861.

592. Paul Phealon: French Canadian, R.C. applied for ^the^ admission of his son Alexander, who is 14 years of age and in the last stage of Consumption he was refused admittance in general Hospital as an incurable. The Father is not able to support him can hardly support himself. admitted.

593. Robert King: an Inmate unwilling to make himself general useful. The Weekly Committee therefore order that he be dismissed from the House on next Tuesday which will give him time to look for Employment, being an able bodied Man.

594. John Hastings: 87 Elizabeth Street, applied for relief, recommended by Mrs. Grasett, The Committee will allow him a loaf of Bread for to day, but cannot put him on the permanent List at present.

595. Elizabeth Gibson: a Widow, 31 years of age, with two young Children, English, ChofEngl. She is recommended by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy (in whose Ward she lives) as a most deserving Case, willing to Work, but no able to get Employment sufficient to support herself. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

596. Samuel Wedge: (in Case 584.) aged 69. Irish. ChofEngl. his Wife 60 years of age, They have one Son a Sailor have not heard from him for some time, The Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the present as he is not able to get employment sufficient to earn his living.

Tuesday 5th November 1861.

Present Messrs. James Foster & W. J. MacDonell.

597. Timothy Harrington: an old Case who has been an Inmate on several occasions, seeks again for readmission, No room at present, to call again and have the first vacancy.

598. Margaret Neal: in Case 588 to have out door relief, 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

599. Mary Brown: in Case 587. Made her appearance to be admitted, as it is not the first time she staid out, and broke through her leave. The Committee think proper to keep her out for a few days, but in the mean time to be allowed Shelter in the Outbuilding.

600. Alexander Phealan: left this House for the House of Providence on account of having his Prayers red [read] in French to him.

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November 6th 1861.

601. Mary Ann Sanders: who has been an Inmate in this Institution for fifteen years, left to day on her own account to become an Inmate in the "House of Providence". Mrs. W.A. Murray of Bond Street and another Lady called and took her away. See Minute Book 1846. Case 5.

602. James M. Miller: (See Case 526) who has been of late in the Outbuilding left with the intention of going in the Country.

Friday 8th November 1861.

Present Mr. James Foster.

603. Patrick Fleming: 60 years of age, Native of Ireland. R.C. says he has been a resident in Toronto ten years, says not able to work and destitute. Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends him for admission if found to be a fit subject. To be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding, untill Mr. Foster can make some enquiry regarding his Conduct in the House of Providence, where Fleming says he has been an Inmate and was turned out.

Tuesday 12th November 1861.

Present Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson.

604. Wesley Collins: (Collered) from Ohio, has been 6 years in Collingwood, where he lost both his legs by frost, The Council of Collingwood bought him a pair of Crutches and two Wooden Legs and sent him

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to Toronto last Saturday to try and get in the Poor House. The Committee order that he be sent back to Collingwood, as he has no claim on this Institution.

605. William Chapman: 40 years of age, English. ChofEgl. From Fort Erie where he lost both his legs by a treshing [threshing] Machine in April last. He was sent by the Reeve and Council of the place to Toronto on Tuesday last to try and get into the Poor House. The Committee order that he be sent back to Fort Erie, but they will allow both this and above Case to remain in the Outbuilding till next Tuesday. To be brought before the Meeting of the General Board.

606. Patrick Fleming: in Case 603. Mr. Foster made some enquirys and found that Fleming had to leave on account of not being industrious. As it appears that this Man has been in the House of Providence, and the Authority's of that Institution dismissed him, The Weekly Committee think proper not to entertain his Case.

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November 12th 1861.

607. Joseph Armstrong: has been an Inmate before, lived in the Country during the Summer, seeks admission again. No room at present.

608. William Henderson: (See Case 195 in 1857.) died this Day Novbr. 14th

Friday 15th November 1861

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson.

609. Ann Lockyer ^Lockhart^: Married. 57 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. She is unable from bodily infirmity to earn her living, The husband being fond of drink will not support her. She is recommended by Mr. Westmacott as a fit subject for admission. Out of compassion to Ann Lockyer [Lockhart] — Mr. Westmacott and Mrs. Dixon have endeavoured ~~the~~ to give the Husband constant Employment, but has he has been so frequently drunk, they were obliged to discharge him. The Weekly Committee will admit the Case with the understanding she make herself usefull.

610. Margaret Haynes: no incumberance, her Children being all away from her as well as her husband, rather a dissipated Looking Woman from Port Hope. The Weekly Committee recommend that she go back to Port Hope.

611. Ellen Fletcher: rere of 53 Duchess Street. To be visited.

612. Elizabeth Hammill: in one of Mr. Gowans Houses No. 29 Nassau St. to be visited.

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613. Joseph Hall -- gone on trial with George Orode of Clark. a Farmer See Case 362.

Tuesday 19th November 1861.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

614. Ellen Fletcher: No. 53 Duchess Street, Widow, Irish, says she belongs to the Church of England. No Children living with her or from whom she can obtain assistance. Visitor recommends a little Bread and Wood when given out. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

615. Mary Hatton: No. 9 Dale Street. Irish. ChofEngl. has 3 Children with her, is herself in the last Stage of Consumption. To have 12 [pounds] of Bread.

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616. Catharine Cavan: Widow. Irish. R.C. has one Child a Boy 5 years old lived in Montreal four years where her husband died. Came to Toronto about 3 Months ago. The Weekly Committee recommend that she apply to the Mayor for a pass to take her back to Montreal.

617. Mary McKinna [McKenna]: brought a Note from the Mayor recommending the admission of her four Children if fit subjects—She herself is to be admitted into the Lying in Hospital being near her Confinement. James McKenna the husband has abandoned his family and left them utterly destitute. The Children are covered with itch. The Mother will take the youngest and leave it with a neighbour, the other three are taken in the House subject to the approval of Weekly Committee. Francis 8. Ann Jane 7 and James 4 years of age. Irish. R.C.

618. George Drury: 41 years of age, Native of England. ChofEngl. has been in Canada 25 years, has worked in and near Toronto about 8 years. he is nearly blind, was discharged from the Hospital where he has been an Inmate for seven Weeks. He was admitted by the General Board on application of the Revd. E. Baldwin. admitted during the Winter.

Friday. November 22nd 1861.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & E. Hobson

619. Robert Booth: sent a Letter Complaining that his apprentice Charles Kennedy has run away from him without any cause. Supt. to write to Booth advising him, to try and get the Boy back if possible.

620. Joshua Wilson: (Colored) who is by his own account 116 years of age. Application was made on his behalf to the general Board for his admission. but as he is a resident of Yorkville and not Toronto, the Committee Consider that he can not be admitted, unless something is paid for his Maintenance say, [dollar] 1.00 per Week. Admitted to day Novbr. 22nd Mr. Wallace of Yorkville brought him her and paid [dollars] 6.00 in advance.

621. Francis McKenna: in Case 617. ran away, he Climed over the Fence about 5 Oclock this Morning.

621 1/2: Margaret Neal and her Child (See Case 598) had to take them both in the House again as they were starving outside.

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Tuesday 26th Novbr. 1861.

Present His Worship The Mayor.

622. Agnes Stanley: 14 years of age, Paralyzed on one side and utterly helpless not even able to take care of herself. Canadian, ChofEngl. She is the daughter of William Stanley who was for many years a Clerk in the Court of Chancery, he died last year and left no provision for his Children. This one has been Staying for some time at Thornhill with W.H. Clay—he now applies to have the Child admitted as he can keep her no longer. She is to be admitted.

623. Fanny Farrell: 23 years of age. Irish. R.C. Widow. her two Children, boy 4 & 2. is desirous of placing them with this Institution until spring by which time she thinks she will be able to provide for them.

624. Eliza Death: 52 years of age, a Widow 5 years. English. ChofEngl. two Sons in the States. one Son 12 years of age at Service for his Board and Clothing, but a delicate Boy. She washes when she can get it to do, She is slovenly in appearance and has a dissipated look. If they Committee chuse [choose] so the Visitor would recommend a Loaf of Bread per Week.

625. Wesley Collins (Colored) and William Chapman in Case 604 & 605 were sent back this Morning to their respective places as ordered by the General Board Meeting. Supt. paid their Fare.

626. Mary Askin: No. 83 George Street. Widow. Presbt. 65 years of age. The Visitor reported upon her Case last year when she was living in Ontario Street. She has been obtaining a living by selling Apples during the Summer. recommended for the smallest allowance of Bread—and for Wood as soon as the Committee are giving it out, to be continued say 4 times during the Winter, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.



627. The two Children of Fanny Farrell in Case 623 when brought to the House were covered with a Loathsome disease, Doctor thought it advisable not to admit them just now, sent a Note to the Mayor to explain, who has sent them to the general Hospital until cured.

628. Patrick Fleming: in Case 606. has been getting Shelter in the Outbuilding ever since.

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Friday 29th November 1861.

Present Messrs. E.H. Rutherford & E. Hobson.

628 1/2 Nancy Bradly: 38 years of age, a native of New York, came to Toronto about 2 Months ago, has a grand son 7, whom she wishes to give up to the Institution, the Boy was in the House before, but took the Fence for it, several times, was also in the Boys Home, where he ran away likewise, She says, that she is not able to work on account of a sore Arm, advised to go to the Mayor, and try to get a pass to the General Hospital.

629. Bridget Murphy: 30 years of age, Widow, husband was killed at the Western Railway at Hamilton where they lived 9 years, came to Toronto last March. has 3 Children. Boy 8. girl 5 and girl 2 years of age. Irish. R.C. Committee advise that she go back to Hamilton where she has a right to be assisted.

630. Edith Webb: 60 years of age (Coler'd) Baptist seeks admission says not able to Work, admitted, subject to Doctors Examination.

631. Ann Jane McKinna [McKenna] and James McKinna [McKenna] in Case 617 were taken away by their Father.

632. Mary Ann Ryan and her two little Brothers were taken out by their Mother Debr. 1/61. See Case 533.

633. Bridget Callaway: No. 33 Maria Street West, Widow. 30 years of age. Irish. R.C. has one Boy 8 years old in the Boy's Home. She is a Complete Cripple from spinal disease and was discharged some time ago from the Hospital as incurable, can do no work of any kind and has neither bed or blankets in her room. Revd. Mr. Kennedy thinks her a Case to be taken in the House. admitted Debr. 10th 1861.

634. Elizabeth Hammil: No. 29 Nassau Street. has 5 Children. girl 12. girl 10. girl 7. and two Boys 6 and 3 years respectively. Nurses for a living. Widow. Irish. R.C. House tolerable tidy. at present is obliged to nurse three babies to procure a living. Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends all the help that can be given, as she is industrious and deserving.

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Tuesday 3th December 1861.

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins & Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson.

635. Richard Bailey: English. ChofEngl. 24 years of age. four Months out from England. has been 3 Weeks in the General Hospital is now discharged Cured from there, No friends in Canada and no money expects the St. George Society to help him. Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends him to be admitted for a few days. allowed to remain for a few days. ^left in Jan'y 1862.^

636. Eliza Watts: who represents that a Child 3 ^5^ Months old was left with her by its Mother who afterwards Cleared out and has not been heard of, or seen since, The Mother of the Child said that she came from Peterborough. The Committee Considers that as she took the infant from its Mother they Can not take it into the House. Female Child.

637. William McDowell: 50 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. has been an Inmate before. applied to day for admission with a Note from Dr. Gardner. To be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding. No room in the House.

638. Mary Hase: Widow. one Child 7 years old. two years in Toronto. She is at present sick in bed not able to earn her living. Mr. McDonnell visited and recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and firing when given out.

639. James Neely -- his Mother brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends his admission if a fit subject. He has been an Inmate of this House several times, but it was found necessary to turn him out each time on account of his dirty lazy habits, and for Constantly making use of very foul Language, thereby Corrupting the Children in the House. The Committee cannot admit him.

640. Richard Lockhard: or Lockyer. he is husband of Ann Lockhard in Case 609. he is able but not willing to work, and what he earns he spends in drink, Brought a Note from Dr. Gardner who states that he is not a Case for the Hospital but recommends for shelter. The Committee considers him an able Man, that ought to work and make a home for his Wife instead of trying to become a burden on this Institution himself. Not to be admitted, but might have Shelter in the Outbuilding for a few days until he gets work.

641. Deserted Female Child. The Mayor sent a Note requesting admission for the Child in Case 636. admitted subject to approval of Committee.

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642. James Nealy: in Case 639. The Mayor and Mr. Boomer P.M. [Police Magistrate] called on his behalf, to be admitted in the Outbuilding at present.

643. James: Irwin an Inmate had leave to go out on Monday did not return, saw in the Police report of Wednesday's paper that he was committed to jail for a Month, having been disorderly on the Streets.

Friday 6th December 1861.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

644. Sarah Tomley Widow 38 years of age, Lives on Front Street in a Shanty West of Revere House, Irish. R.C. has five Children, four Girls 11.8.4 and 2 years, and Boy 6 years old. She appears to be an industrious Woman but cannot support so large a family in the Winter Months without some aid, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the season, and fuel when given out.

645. William Merritt: No. 587 Bathurst Street. English. ChofEngl. The Man is a labourer but infirm and unable to do much work, The Wife is ill with dropsy . The [they] are sober industrious people, recommended for assistance. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread and fuel when given out.

646. Bridget Murphy: aged 18. Irish. R.C. says she was married in the united States, has one Child 4 Months old, but husband has left her appears clean and tidy and says if her Child were provided for she would soon get work, she has applied to the Nursery, but they said it was too young to be taken in there.

647. Margaret Jones: rere of 43 Duchess St. Widow. R.C. 3 Children, See report of last year Case 752 in 1860. The Visitor recommends a small allowance of Bread and Wood or Coal as soon as either are given out.

648. Mary Curly: rere of Cartys Soap Factory. Widow 3 Children, not at home when the Visitor called, but the Children said that she went out to wash and scrub, and earned her living in that way. (See report Case 949 in 1860) The Visitor recommends a little Bread at present and he will report again about the fuel.

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Tuesday 10th December 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner, J.W. MacDonell & Revd. Mr. Kennedy.

649. Antony Corrigan: No. 61 Stanley Street, says he is 96 years of age, but, does not look more than 80. No Children or friends to help him. The Boys on Stanley Street ill use him whenever he goes out. He is very feeble and infirm, and quite destitute. Visitor thinks he should be received as an Inmate of the House of Industry.

650. Mary Brothers: No. 66 Stanley Street. This deplorable old Soaker is too well known to the House of Industry to need any encomiums from the Visitor, she is in the greatest need, but nevertheless as hard a drinker as ever. Committee will please judge. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, some firing when given out.

651. John Thomas: (No. 19 Shuter Street) and his Wife, a very respectable old couple and well known to the House. The Visitor recommends the continuance of their usual allowance of Bread and Fuel when it is issued.

652. Ann Sawtell: 70 years of age, Widow. English. ChoffEngl. Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends her as one deserving of being relieved. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and firing when given out.

Friday 13th Decb. 1861.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner, W.J. Mc Donnell. E Hobson & Revd. Mr. Kennedy

653. Margaret McCrean: applied to have a Child admitted, she says that the Child was left with her in October last by a Man who came from Linton and who said that it belonged to a Sister of his who had died. He promised to pay [dollars] 6 per month for the nursing of it, has not been seen since. The Case to be brought before the General Board.

654. Mary Ann Caulfield: No. 80 Portland St. Married. 3 Boys 10.5 and 2 1/2 husband a Bricklayer has been bad with his Eyes for two years, has lost his sight now altogether. To have 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week and a full allowance of firing. Irish. ChofEngl.

655. Sarah Johnson: in Palmers Yard Adelaide Street West. Has five young Children. The husband is in this House an imbecile. To be allowed 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and firing when given out.

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656. William White: 61 years of age. Has been a resident of Toronto for some years, brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends him for admission if found to be a fit subject. The Committee desire

him to bring a Note from some Gentleman that knows him and who can recommend him as sober and deserving. Admitted in the Outbuilding Irish ChofEngl.

657. Ellen Hockway: rere of 47 Sumach St. English ChofEngl. Her husband has been ill for several Months and is now in a miserable condition quite unfit for Work, they have two young Children. Visitor thinks they might have temporary relief in the shape of Coal once and he will report further next week.

658. Mary Butler: 78 Sumach St. She and her husband are both old people but the Man is by no means past work, he is trying to earn something at rag picking and professes to be willing to do any kind of Work, they are very badly off just now, both for food and fuel. The visitor recommends temporary assistance. They have no Children.

659. John Haines: rere of Cartys Soap Factory, he is a glazier and Plasterer has been in Hospital for some time and unable to work at his trade, Married one Child a Boy 10 years old, The man is willing to do any Work he can get now, which would not require much straining of the Eyes. They are in great distress. The Visitor recommends temporary relief in Bread and fuel and wishes the Case referred to him again before any more is given.

660. Ann Lynch: No. 47 Sumach Street. husband out of Work, Visitor did not see him and cannot therefore pretend to say what he is fit for. They have no Children.

661. Margaret Leonard: Esther Street, 60 years of age, Native of Ireland, English Church. One Arm disabled from an old sprain- husband alive but earns very little as he has an injured back. No Children. has a room with Mrs. Green washerwoman but is destitute of Bedding and Blankets. She seems to be a poor wretched Woman, very much in need of assistance. 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week

662. Mary Canally: Dundas St. Widow, has a boy 9 years old, an old maiden Sister is living with her at present- Keeps a Cow and Geese: has a large stock of hay on hand for the Winter- has a comfortable House- bedstead- feather bed and plenty of Blankets and Clothing with a good deal of Cooking and other utensils on hand. Pays no the rent of the House. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church

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663. Mary Finlan: No. 31 Stanley Street. Capt. Elmsley was not able to visit the Case but will call there next Week.

Tuesday 17th December 1861

Present Messrs. E Hobson and J Thom

663. Mary Thomey: 71 Stanley St. See report of 21 Debr. 1859. No Change since then, except for the worse. Visitor recommends Bread and Wood when issued.

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664. Margaret Adam: No. 90 Adelaide St West .39 years of age. A Widow Free Church, a boy 9 goes to School. Cleans the Show rooms at Jaques and Hays every other day for 25 cents a day, not enough to support herself and Boy, and she is unable to procure other employment. Seems dirty and untidy. has no friends in America. Visitor recommends Wood when issued.

665. Mary Finlan: Case 663. 50 years of age, husband ten years younger than herself, left her five months ago in great destitution, he was much given to drink, but otherwise a strong healthy Man and quite able to support himself and her, Daughter at Service in the Country for Board and Clothing. She is going through a course of Medicine for sore eyes, Miserable Creature, quite unable to earn anything, The Visitor does not learn that she drinks but has some suspicion and he will make further enquiry in the mean time he recommends a little Bread.

666. Mary Ann Bedford: a very respectable young Woman, her husband a Scamp, left her a year ago last August, She has two Children a boy of five years and one only 8 months old. She can get very little Work to do at home and on account of the Children cannot go out to work- She received help from the House last Winter. ChofEngl. Revf. Mr. Kennedy has helped her to pay her rent.

667. Elisa Wilson: No. 31 Denison Avenue, Widow, she has 3 Children Two boys 13 & 11 one Girl 10. She has them all in the Country, she lives with Boulton the Boat Builder who lets her live there out of charity, she is disabled in one arm which prevents her from doing hard work, has no bedding, miserable poor. ChofEngl.

668. Mary Madigan: Widow. See Case 747 in 1860 The Visitor recommends Bread & fuel.

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Friday 20th December 1861

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Thom

669. Catherine Wilson: 23 Queen Street east. 40 years of age. Widow. Boy 10 at School. Irish. ChofEngl. No friends in Canada. Respectable, tidy, clean Visitor recommends Bread and Fuel.

670. Mary Gillan: 68 Stanley Street husband in jail for drunkenness & beating his Wife and Child. Girl 6 and girl 2. Refers to Mr. James Humphrys of Seaton Street. Smells of grog herself and looks like a toper. Visitor wrote to Mr. Humphrys

671. Sarah Johnson 121 1/2 Adelaide Street west. Four Children, girl 9 girl 7 boy 4 and boy 2. Husband in House of Industry. Irish. ChofEngl. she is near her confinement. Visitor recommends all the relief that can be afforded.

672. Catherine Potts: Hickmans Lane, York Street She and her husband (who is almost Blind) peddle crockery, has four children. Girl 13, girl 10, boy 6 and girl 2. She was not in when the Visitor called.

Visitor thinks the Committee ought to insist on the placing out of at least two of these Children if not the family will be a burden on the House for many years, Leaves this family for the Committee to give what they think best. Not to be assisted unless the oldest girl is placed out.

673. Johanna Kelly: rere of Lewis the Bellhanger on Adelaide St west. Irish. R.C. aged 45. husband 66 almost Blind, has one daughter aged 7 years. appears to be very poor. The little girl was in bed with the Father when the Visitor called - supposes for warmth as there was no fire in the room recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of firing for the season.

674. Margaret Gartland: 86 Duncan Street. her husband left her about five years ago - has been of delicate health for some time past, apartment tolerably tidy, has two Children, both Girls one 10 years of age, the other 7 who is in very bad health, is a Native of Ireland and R. Catholic Church. gets a day or two washing in the Week, would gladly accept any relief that can be afforded by the Committee.

675. Catherine Cullen: 16 Ontario Street The Visitor cannot find such a person.

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676. Bridget Hagan: No. 111 Nelson Street. See report of last year Case 791. They formerly lived in Berkely Street. are industrious decent people with a very large Family. Visitor recommends them for a little firing during the Winter-say to the second week in February.

677. Jane Hogan: No. 79 Nelson Street. Not at home when the Visitor called. Lives in a miserable dirty room- scarcely decent, her 3 children were in, pale, miserable dirty half starved looking objects. The people of the House say the husband is in bad health, having something the matter with his spine, but he could saw a little wood if he could get it to do. Visitor {blank} they are objects of charity and have [had] better have a little bread & Wood allowed them during the severe weather.

678. Johanna O'Brien: Next to 102 George Street. See report of 1860. a very decent little woman, her children have all been ill with Scarlet Fever. Visitor recommends her for bread and firing for the next two Months.

679. Ann Bagly: 81 George Street. English. ChofEngl. Widow. 3 children. Boy 11. Girl 8. Girl 2. Not in when Visitor called. The Children said she was a Tailoress- The room looked Comfortable and tidy. See Visitors report of last year.

680. Eliza Waters: 416 King Street east. The unfortunate husband was lying on the floor with only a few miserable rags under him and with scarcely enough to cover his own person much less to keep his Wife and four Children warm, there was no fire and they had nothing to eat. The husband met a severe accident some time ago which rendered him almost incapable of moving. The room in which they are is open to all the Winds of the Season, and altogether a more wretched Case has not come across for a

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long time. Recommended for Bread and fuel for the next 3 or 4 weeks, and then the Case might be again referred to the Visitor to see how they are getting on.

681. Henrietta Wheals: (Colored) says she took a young Child from a person who said that she was going to take a place as music Teacher- has not seen her since, wants to know what is to be done with the Child- Committee cannot advise in the Case unless it is for her to keep it and look for the Mother.

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682. Alice Murray: rere of No. 10 Edward Street. Widow, 50 years of age, in bad health, Irish. Ch. of Engl. 2 children, a daughter 18 years of age in bad health in a situation as sewing Girl but earns little, the Boy in the Country for Board and Clothing. Visitor recommends Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

683. Sarah McNichol: No. 28 Edward Street. Widow, 53 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 3 daughters in Service who pay her rent. Mr. Grasett allowed her [dollar] 1 per Month, Clean in House and person. Visitor recommends Coal twice.

684. Ann Tooman: No. 74 Elizabeth St. Widow, 64 years of age. Irish R.C. a daughter also a Widow 30 years of age. dirty in House and person. Visitor thinks they spend too much money upon Whiskey, he cannot recommend them.

685. Sarah Archer: No. 74 Elizabeth Street. Widow. 54 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Not at home when the Visitor called, but he was informed that she came from London Canada West. had been in Toronto a few Months, has a daughter 10 years of age. She had better go back to London having no Claim on Toronto.

686. Margaret Galvin: No. 240 Terauley Street. See Case 837 in 1860.

687. Julia Burton: rere of No. 80 Sayer St. Widow 30 years of age. Irish. R.C. 3 Children, boy 7, a girl 8 and girl 6 years of age. Shoebinder. Mrs. Hawks informed the Visitor that she is a steady industrious Woman. Recommends Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread per week.

688. Ellen Kerr: rere of No. 38 Centre Street. see report of January last. Visitor was informed and believes it -that she could do well if industrious and spend less money in Whisky. He therefore cannot recommend her.

689. Rose Johnston: No. 31 South Park Street. 14 years in Toronto. Ireland. ChofEngl. 3 Children. Mary Ann 11. Fanny 9. Elisa 7. when in good health can easily maintain herself by washing, at present has an attack of ague. This seems a Case deserving relief. Visitor recommends usual allowance of fuel also Bread at discretion of the Weekly Committee.

690. Brady Hogan: aged 8 years Edward aged 6 and Patsy aged 4 1/2 years. Children of Jane Hogan, They were sent here by George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] their mother having been sent to jail for 30 days for disorderly conduct.

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Tuesday 24th December 1861.

Present The Revd. E Baldwin. Messrs. E Hobson & J. Thom.

691. Margaret Driscoll: No. 224 Queen Street east. Widow, 2 Children. See report of last Winter. She has now one Child laid up with a broken Collar bone. Visitor recommends her for Wood and usual allowance of Bread during the next two Months.

692. Jane Fraser: No. 224 Queen Street east, her Case was also reported upon last year. her husband is not in good health, and they might perhaps be allowed Coal once, but Visitor thinks they ought to pay for a half price ticket afterwards, more especially as they have no children to support.

693. Ellen Gallagher: 311 Queen Street east. Widow, has another very old Woman living with her who has been getting a Loaf of Bread all the Winter. Mrs. Gallagher is in bad health herself. The Visitor recommends some Coal and a small allowance for Bread for the next two Months.

694. Isabella Anderson: Nelson St. two doors north of Blairs Tavern. A woman who keeps a small hock shop. She has a bad leg which prevented her from attending to her shop for several Weeks, and she represents herself as being Consequently in great Want. Visitor does not think it altogether a Case for relief from the House, and as she can knit he has promised to give her a Coal ticket if she chooses to knit some Socks for it.

695. Margaret Brennan: who has been living with Mrs. Aderson for some time past, and who has also applied for relief from the House, she has no friends or relatives here, and is in bad health. Visitor thinks she might be allowed some bread for a few Weeks.

696. Ann Hart: No. 43 Duchess Street. an old Woman living with her daughter and Son in law, the latter is a labourer and has been out of Employment. Visitor is affraid from his appearance that he occasionally takes more than is good for him. The daughter (his wife) was not at home when called upon, they have 3 children 10-4-and 1. The Man says he cannot get Work, It is just one of those Cases, he cannot put to the test by sending him up to saw wood. That they are in want there is no doubt, and it might perhaps be as well to let them have some relief for this time but this time only. To see the Doctor. Doctor says not able to do much.

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697. Thomas Hall: Duke Street.next door to Parkinsons Waggon Shop. This Man is a painter by trade, but has been out of Employment for some time, he seems a decent respectable man, and his Landlord (Mr. Parkinson) tells the Visitor that he is quite sober and appears well inclined to Work when he can get it to do. His Wife goes out occasionally to sell tape, needles &c. perhaps he could get some painting to do at the House of Industry. Visitor recommends firing now, and the Case might be referred to him again, to see how they are getting on.

698. Ellen Casey: 109 Queen Street east, no such person living at that Number.

699. Sarah Gilmor: 103 Queen Street east, this is not within the Visitors Ward She seems a decent old Body and perhaps the Committee will allow her some temporary relief until visited.

700. Mary Murphy: No. 23 Queen St. east. not at home.

701. Mary Simpson: No. 17 Stanley St. 35 years of age. husband in the last stage of Consumption, skin & bone. Girl 18 months with Scarlet Fever relapsed, very ill. No friends in America. She works when she can get it, very little to be had, respectable Clean & tidy Visitor recommends Bread and fuel, double allowance.

702. Elizabeth Burns: No. 22 Stanley St. See report of 19 Debr. 1859. her daughter has married again and gone away leaving her daughter a burden on her Grandmother, without any support, the poor Child has a bad cough and seems quite delicate. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

703. Ellen Sloane: 30 Stanley St. No one there, unfinished House and uninhabitable.

704. Mary Coulter: No. 80 Stanley St. 50 years of age, husband 60, and a pair of old Topers apparently at that. Irish. R.C. says he cannot work. Doctor should see why not, he carries a basket with small wares in Summer, but cannot stand the cold in Winter. She knits al little. Committee will please judge on view of the husband.

705. Sarah Ryan: No. 106 Nelson St. No such person there.

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706. Bridget Hennessy: No. 101 Richmond St east See report 19th Debr.1859. and Debr. 18/60 Her girl is now in Consumption. Boy at School she has a pain in her side for which the Dispensary Doctor gives her medicine. Visitor recommends Bread & fuel.

707. Thomas Constantine: No. 93 Richmond St east. 43 years of age a tailor by trade. R.C. boy 7 bad Whooping Cough, Boy 2 & Boy 18 months. No friends in America. Tolerably clean and tidy, he has delicate health himself, can't work much. Visitor recommends bread and fuel.

708. Catherine Hughes: No. 73 Richmond Street east. See former report. Case 903 1860. Her daughter has had the small pox lately and is still very delicate though able to earn something. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

709. Elizabeth Cobb: rere of 116 Adelaide Street West. Widow aged 48. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

710. Catherine White: 259 1/2 Queen Street. Widow. aged 48. No children Visitor recommends nothing. to have 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Soup

711. Johanna Kehoe: No. 74 Boulton Street. Widow. R.C. aged 40. two Children girl 13 out at Service, girl 11 at home she has tender eyes, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the season. Coal no more than twice with the understanding that it is to be the last.

712. Mary Bilton: No. 51 Boulton St. aged 36 husband 42. Irish. R.C. 5 Children. Girl 15. Boy 13. Boy.11 Boy 9 and Boy 6. The husband is gone in the Country to seek Work. So she says. Visitor thinks it would be wrong to encourage such to seek charity.

713. Marcella Kennedy: 58 Boulton Street Visitor could not find her.

714. Sarah Bloomer: Corner of Wilton & Strachan St. A most respectable industrious Widow. She has a Son who used to help her, but he got his leg broke and is now Consumptive. Visitor recommends Bread & Wood.

715. Hannah Smith: respectable person lives on Denisons Avenue, she has one Son in the Country. ChofEngl. She has a stove but wants Coal badly. The Visitor recommends Coal & Wood during the Sons absence.

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716. Ann Scanlon: in a lane off Dummer Street. No. 38. has a room from a friend, Can with difficulty get any work, a Widow with one girl 10 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. No Stove of her own at present. Not a very tidy place -wants fuel and Bread.

717. Ann Quinn: 31 William Street West. A Native of Ireland and ChofEngl. an old Servant, lives alone in a room in a second story, about 60 years of age, Clean and tidy, weak in health, which is aggravated at present by a bad finger. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

718. Grace Langley: No. 116 Sayer St. Widow, 48 years of age. Irish. R.C. two daughters one 17 a sewing girl, the other 19 years of age at Service. The Visitor considers such a family all being in good health are well able to earn their own living without assistance, The Mother in good health works as a Charwoman.

719. Jane Hemming: No. 102 Sayer St. Widow, 55 years of age in bad health. Irish. ChofEngl. a steady decent woman works as Charwoman when she is able to go about. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal.

720. Ann Lynch: 102 Sayer St. Widow, 48 years of age. Irish. R.C. 48 years of age, Irish. R.C. one Boy 9 years of age. She is a dirty lazy Woman, lives by begging rather than work, her room has a most dirty miserable appearance. Visitor thinks it no charity to assist such people, who are able but not willing to work for their living.

721. Mary Henley: No. 46 Centre St. Widow. 36 years of age. Irish. R.C. a regular professional beggar. Visitor was told by a respectable Neighbo[ur] that she not only gets money for food and firing, but a considerable sum is spent in that house for Whiskey. Cannot be recommended.

722. Catherine Galoin: No. 44 Centre Street. Widow 30 years of age. Irish. R.C. a daughter 9 years of age, a clean neat appearance says she makes her living by sewing. Visitor was told by a respectable person living near that she was frequently seen fetching Whiskey, and drinking was carried on to a great extent in the House where she lives, Visitor therefore thinks better not to do anything for her as she ought to go to Service.

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723. Agnes Hooking: No. 95 Terauly St. Widow 42 years of age, ChofEngl. 3 children Boy 11 in Boys Home, Girl 10 in the Country, girl 5 at home, tries to make a living by sewing but finds it very difficult. She appears a clean industrious Woman. The Visitor recommends her for Wood.

724. Nancy Mitchell : No. 29 Trinity Lane King Street east. Widow from from Bowmanville last April, she is a tailoress but work in that Line being scarce at present, she takes in washing. ChofEngl. 3 Children Girl 8. Boy 6 and Boy 3. If the Children could be placed in some public Institution the Mother would go to service. She wants Coal. The Visitor thinks the Committee may grant it this time. Further relief to be contingent upon result of future enquiry. See report of St Lawrence Ward

Friday 27th Decbr. 1861

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E Hobson & The Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin

725. Mary Hephron: No. 82 George Street. See report of last year. Her husband had then gone off to St Lewis, since then she has heard of his death. She has supported herself and 3 children (her eldest boy although 15 years of age is so weakly as to be almost unfit for Work) by selling Fish Eggs & etc. In Winter however she can do very little in that way, and as the Visitor believes her to be a very industrious Woman he will recommend her for a little fuel say three times at least during the Winter and Bread for Six weeks.

726. Ann Kirk: in a lane back of St. Patricks Market. No 11. Native of Ireland R.C. Tolerable tidy- lives alone in a room in the second Story- between fifty and sixty years of age- wants fuel and Bread. Widow, The Visitor received this information from a friend in the same House, as Ann Kirk was not at home.

727. Sarah Cavanagh: No. 113 Nelson St. Widow, no Children- not in very good health-decent and respectable. Might have Coal once. But the Visitor told her if she wants any more she must come and knit for it. A small loaf perhaps occasionally might be given her.

728. Ellen Fitzpatrick: and Bridget Halloran: both occupy the same room- they are Widows, both of them pretty old and well nigh past work. They live at 113 Nelson St. a dirty wretched hole- Bridget the Visitor reported upon last year. She looks pretty rosy, but he has no good reason to suppose that she takes anything stronger than Tea when she can get it.

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728. Visitor thinks they might have some Coal between them during the cold January & February and perhaps a small loaf.

729. Ellen Casey: Visitor could not find her at No. 309 or 339 Queen St east.

730. Sarah GilmanL on the South side of Queen east of Caroline St. She is living with her Son in Law one James Clendenning who has a wife and one Child, he is a labourer and has been out of Work for some time. The Visitor would recommend Mrs. Gilmor to be allowed Coal once only - and perhaps a loaf of Bread for the next six weeks - but if they want any more fuel her daughter in Law must come and Knit for it. They should not be altogether dependent upon charity.

731. Martin Sullivan: an old Man and his Wife living with his Son in a yard off of Duke St between Ontario & Berkely St. next to Perkinsons Wheelright- they are in distress certainly, but Visitor thinks the able Woman must earn her Coal by Knitting for it.

732. William Turner: 316 Queen St. east This Man and his Wife are a very decent old couple, he has been in bad health for some time past. He is a labourer but has not had much Work lately- and they are badly off for want of a little fuel. Visitor would recommend them for a little coal and perhaps a little bread for a Week or two.

733. Margaret Burns: 131 Tecumseth St. a sick husband and four Children Boy 11, Girl 9. Boy 7 and Boy 4 years of age. they get Bread from the House. The Visitor recommends them for Coal.

734. Ann Balis: Charles St near Esther St. lives in same House with Warren and Chapman, her husband is an old Pensioner at 1/ [shilling] 3 [pence] Currency a day, says he has been in bed for the last 6 weeks with broken ribs, they both drink pretty hard but the husband is the worst, husband ChofEngl. Wife R.C. Weekly Committee refuse relief on account husbands pension.

735. Elizabeth Keely: Nassau St. husband left her last April. He used to drink very hard, was a Carpenter by trade. She has four children. 3 girls 18.7 and 3. and Boy 13 who earns 9d [pence] a week. The eldest girl stays at home and helps the Mother in sewing. ChofEngl. England. very respectable the House is kept clean and tidy.

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736. Jane Warren: Charles St near Esther St. husband a great drunkard, is a good Shoemaker. 4 children- Boy 12. one Girl 10 out at Service- two girls 4 & 2 at home. The Wife has separated from the husband but he comes and breaks into whatever he can lay his hands upon so that she and her children are very destitute. ChofEngl.

737. Mary Ann Chapman: ChofEngl. lives in the same house with Warren, her father an old Man supports her, but drinks, her husband (Name Cummings:) has been dead two years. Two children ages 3 and 2

738. Margaret Hallyghan: 41 Maria St. an old Woman 70 or 80 years of age. has no relation in the City and lives with Maurice Dillon, a day laborer, and from her own past of Ireland. Dillon has two children ages 9 and 6. the Wife keeps two Cows. R.C.

739. Margaret Fitzpatrick: No. 106 Portland St. gets Bread. The Visitor recommends her for coal.

740. Catherine Johnson: Corner of Laidlaw lane and Esther St. has one sickly Child, so can do but little. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per week Coal for the Winter and a Grate to be given to her.

741. Ann Lloyd: No. 116 Adelaide St West in the rere. Widow. aged 50, very poor, delicate, and very nervous, she is unable to get a living in the Winter without assistance. Visitor recommends her for 900 [pounds] of coal which may be given at once.



742. Mary Murphy: 84 Dummer Street. Widow in delicate health. has a room in second Story about 6 x 10. Cooks down stairs but has to provide fuel - when able goes out to work - has one boy 12 years of age, untidy. Native of Ireland. R.C. wants fuel and bread.

743. Catherine Murphy: 34 Dummer St. Lives with another family who are poor. husband is about 60 very infirm and greatly reduced in bodily health. Cannot work much as she is sickly, Irish. R.C. They want fuel very badly and Bread. Visitor thinks this a very deserving Case.

744. Julia Flanagan: 50 years of age. Lives alone. House tidy. Cannot work from infirmity. Two daughters in Service helps her a little, Irish. R.C. wants fuel and Bread.

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745. Marcella Kennedy: 53 Boulton St. Widow. aged 42. Irish. R.C. has two daughters twins aged 14. She was not at home when the Visitor called but made inquiries somewhere else, and thinks that such persons of such ages should support themselves.

746. Ellen Cradicotte: No. 9 Emily St. Visitor could not find her.

747. Esther Leonard: No. 75 Melinda St. Visitor reports that there are not half that Number of Houses in that street.

748. Catherine Carey: No. 132 Richmond St west. Widow. aged 44. Irish. R.C. has no Children and is living rent free. She thinks she ought to have assistance because all those who live in that house get it. Visitor leaves the Committee to judge this Case.

749. Mary Cooper: No. 132 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 40. R.C. has 3 Children girl 7 Boy 4 and Boy 2. Visitor recommends that she receive 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

750. Ann Henderson: Widow aged 40. ChofEngl. has four Children, the eldest Boy 16 years learning a trade she has to clothe him one Boy aged 11 at home, 2 girls sometimes at Service, She has had struggling to support them. Visitor knows her for many years, worthy of assistance and recommends her for an allowance of Coal for the season.

751. Ellen McCartney: No. 35 Boulton St. Could not be found.

752. Mary Carty: Widow. No. 116 Adelaide St. west in the rere. Irish. R.C. aged 60. has no children. Visitor recommends Coal once, not more until he sees her again.

753. Rachel Truly: one door west of John St. Not in St Andrews Ward at least not in Mr. Tyners district, but he recommends her as a deserving person worthy of assistance.

754. Clarissa Remnant: 46 McGill St. 28 years of age. husband enlisted in the 100 Regiment and is now in Gibraltar. Boy 8 Months. ChofEngl. Parents are Market Gardeners but are very poor. They live on Bathurst Street Named Verral, descent sober sews when she can get it. Visitor recommends fuel.

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755. Sarah Ryan: No. 112 Nelson Street. 60 years old. Widow 20 years. Son 30 in the east Indies. Daughter 21, at Service [dollars] 5 a month. She is herself unable to do much, on account of delicate health. Her daughter pays her rent, and gives her several things besides. Visitor recommends fuel, she has a grate in the House.

756. Catherine Ryan: No. 26 Stanley St no one there

757. Catherine Duffy: 26 Stanley St no one there.

758. Harriet Chase: No. 24 Victoria St. 26 years of age. Widow 5 months Girl 7 and Boy 5 both in Quebec. Boy 2 1/2 with her, she is near her confinement with a fourth. ChofEngl. sews when she can get it. Clean, Tidy, respectable The Visitor recommends fuel.

759. Mary Oldfield: No. 3 Crookshank St (See Case 136 in 1861) Still a deserving object. The Visitor the Visitor recommends fuel only. She gets bread from another charitable Society.

760. Ellen Sloane: 30 Stanley. Widow 15 months. Boy 16 at Service [at] [dollars] 3 1/2 a Month, all of which he faithfully hands over to his Mother, and she clothes him and pays her own rent besides, Girl 12 but remarkable small and weak for her age. Boy 7. ChofEngl. She says her sight is weak, and she cannot even thread a Needle. decent and Clean. The Visitor recommends her for fuel and Bread.

761. Alice Moody: 24 years of age, English, has a Child 13 months old, and is within two months of her Confinement, says that her husband deserted her, had gone to the States and enlisted, lived last near Hoggs Hollow, but has had no settled Home since she came in the Country. She was sent by the Mayor who recommends her for admission. The Committee consider on us, and it being against the rules to take females into the Institution situated as she is, they could not admit her, but will allow her to remain in the Outbuilding until she can get a place to live, when they will assist her perhaps with Bread and fuel.

762. Bellarina Mina: (Colored) about 80 years of age, came up from Montreal last, she came to Montreal from New Orleans with her Master and Mistress. She has no claim on this Charity, but the Committee will allow her to stay in the Outbuilding, until she can get a place.

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763. Rachel Mesnard: rere of No. 14 Terauly St. Widow. English. ChofEngl. 34 years of age. 3 Children, girl10. girl 8 and a boy 5 years of age, the eldest at Service at low wages, sleeps at home. Mrs. Mesnard is a well conducted industrious Woman, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread per Week, and Coal for the season.

764. Mary McCauseland: rere of 57 1/2 Terauly St. Widow 40 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. 4 Children 18 at home in bad health, not able to go to service for which she will produce a Doctors Certificate, daughter 16 been in Service but now at home, looking for a place, Boy 12 works for a Baker, Boy 9 at home, appears to be a clean industrious Woman. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

765. Charlotte Woolsey: 13 Elizabeth St. Widow 69 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 3 daughters all Married with families of their own and not able to do anything for their Mother, She works as Charwoman, but being old she is not able to earn much. Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious Woman therefore recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

766. Margaret Tansey: No. 25 Elizabeth St. Married 58 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Clean industrious Woman, work at charing and quilting, but not much Work. Husband a steady Man, but not been able to work for several years past, on account of a very bad leg. A Widowed daughter with one Child, at Service at [dollars] 2 per Month. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

767. Rose Foley: No. 48 Elizabeth St. Single Woman 36 years of age, Irish, R.C. says she has bad Eyes and not able to do much. The Committee will please judge for themselves.

768. Jane Keely: 59 Elizabeth St. Widow 66 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Came from the Country 5 months ago, to look for her Son who was then in Toronto. Visitor thinks she ought to go back to the Country not having any claim on this Charity.

769. Elisa Farren [Feran]: 79 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 30 years of age. 2 Children, girl 8 Boy 4. A Laundress, clean and industrious, has been in bad health for some time past. Not at home when the Visitor called. Recommends, bread and fuel for the season.

770. Jane Hood: No. 46 Centre St. Married 29 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Husband and herself young and able to work. They are not proper people for relief.

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771. Catherine Stuart: rere of 91 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 78 years of age. Husband a Cripple gone in the Country, as she was not able to keep him, assisted by some Ladies Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. Cameron and others and works for them in Summer, she lives with a poor family and has to find her share of firing. Visitor recommends Coal in addition to the Bread she is allowed.

772. Sarah Freeman: 102 Sayer St. Married. Husband left her several years ago. Irish. ChofEngl. 42 years of age. 3 Children, boy 18 out of Work, girl 16 in Service boy 9 years of age an Idiot at home, the eldest Son expects a Situation shortly. they appear much in want of food & fuel- The Committee will please judge.

773. Mary Ann Boughton: No. 112 Sayer St. Widow 47 years of age. English. ChofEngl. A clean industrious Woman, bad very bad health, a son in Country out of Work, daughter Married not able to assist her, Mr. Grasett allows her one Dollar per Month. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread on account of her bad health.

774. Ann Biffin: No. 14 Centre St. Married, husband left her two year ago. Irish. ChofEngl. 40 years of age, 4 Children, Boy 10. Girl 8. Girl 7 and Boy 4 years of age. Not too clean in appearance, Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for one Month and he will inquire further about them.

775. Eliza Thompson: No. 195 Park Lane, Native of Ireland, Methodist, 45 years of age, a Laundress, 3 Children boy 12. Boy 10 girl 9. Elder boy worked in the Leader Office at 3/ [shillings] 9 [pence] per Week, got his arm injured and lost his situation. Visitor recommends Coal & Bread.

776. Bridget Franklin: is not known at No. 15 Centre St.

777. Joshua Wilson: in Case 620 died this morning about 3 O'clock. Dec.24/61

778. Matilda Robinson: 96 Bishop St. a respectable Woman, her husband is a very weakly Man, earns a little by gathering chips. 4 Children 3 girls, ages 12,9 and 7. One Boy 4. The Children are sickly. Mrs. R. earns [dollars] 4 a month for suckling an Infant. Irish. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Woo and Bread during the Winter.

779. Sarah Trigg: Corner of Front & Church St. under a tavern, No such person known in that neighbourhood, must give a more definite address. Who keeps the Tavern.

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Present Revd. Mr. Grasett Messrs. J. Tyner & E Hobson

780. Margaret McCrum: has 3 Children, eldest a girl about 7, just recovering from Scarlet fever, next a boy about 5. Another girl 18 months. The husband is a Sailor, out of employment and anxious for Work,

but can get none She has a deserted Child to support. See Case 653. The Visitor therefore recommends relief. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread per and fuel. (See Case 653)

781. Mary Rogers: 241 Palace Street See report of last Winter. No material change to make since then, recommends for their usual allowance.

782. Ellen Casey: 243 Palace St. See report of last Winter, no change, certainly none for the better, as she is now lame and unable to work ,from a sprained arm, recommended for the usual allowance.

783. Grace Smith: 37 Nassau St. Widow, has four Children at home 3 Girls- 11-12- and 10 years of age, one boy 8. Can work only occasionally owing to a bad leg. Not very tidy, Irish R.C. wants Coal and Bread.

784. Sophia Wilcox: 294 Queen St west. A feeble old Woman, husband is 74 years of age and unable to Work. No Children, sews a little for a living. Clean & tidy. The old Couple lives alone, born in the States, but have lived 50 years in Canada. ChofEngl. Husband Presbt. Wants Coal & Bread, if possible it would be as well to send the Winters Coal at one time.

785. Ann Franklin: No. 13 Dummer St. husband dead 5 years, has two Children, a boy 6 years of age and a girl 4. Lives with another Woman.

786. Jane Cochlin: who has two small Children, the husband of the latter Woman is also dead, and she would like some assistance, as she has to maintain herself by Knitting, Ann Franklin works out when she can get employment. Tolerable clean & tidy. Irish. R.C. wants fuel and Bread.

787. Ann Donnelly: No. 116 Strachan St. has 3 Children, Boy 8 living with his Sister next door but one, and two girls, ages 6 and 4. She boards with a family named Kelly and 2/ [shillings] 6 [pence] a Month, was out at work when the Visitor called. Irish. R.C. Revd. Mr. Kennedy will call before next meeting.

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788. Mary Green: Esther St. husband left her 4 years ago, has two Children, girls ages 17 and 4. Eldest girl earns at Service 5 [dollars] a Month, She herself is a good Washerwoman but (though no proof) Visitor suspects she drinks, she has only herself and a little girl to support, the eldest girl pays her rent. Irish. R.C.

789. Catherine Deary: 118 Strachan St. Widow, has 4 Children, 3 girls ages 13-12-11 and Boy 17 years old but he has lost the use of his legs for the last 3 months and has running cancer in the neck, he is now in bed. The eldest girl is at Service and earns [dollars 2 1/2 a Month, from which she pays her Mother's rent. The Mother herself goes out to work by the day. There is enough Wood on hand to keep the fire going for some time, and there are about 50 Cabages in the House and 2 or 3 geese in the yard but no

Cow or Pigs. The Woman was out when the Visitor called, but though not in immediate want, he thinks her a deserving Case. to be relieved when in greater need. Native of Ireland. R.C.

790. Eliza Wilson: Case 667. Visitor advises not to give any relief to this Woman as she is a great drunkard, and is now in jail.

791. Eliza McCartney: 62 Boulton St. Widow, aged 44, says she belongs to ChofEngl. No Children, but she appears to be in bad health. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. Coal not more than twice for the season.

792. Ann Cunane: 141 Adelaide St. west a Widow aged 50. R.C. Ireland. She lives with her Son in Law who is a Shoemaker. Visitor recommends Coal but not more than twice during the season.

793. Sarah Johnson: No. 153 1/2 York St. No such Number to be found.

794. Julie Cronan: rere of No 17 Adelaide St. No. 6 in a lane. Widow, aged 36, Irish. R.C. has two girls ages 9 and 3. Appears to be anxious to help herself. Keeps her Children clean and tidy the eldest goes to School, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

795. Mary Gormley: 149 Adelaide St. west. Widow. ChofEngl. aged 38. has two Children at the Orphans Home, two at home boy 8 and boy 5. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season, likewise a grate.

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796. Catherine Cox: 283 Queen St. west, deserted by her husband, R.C. aged 24, has two Children on [one] 3 years the other seven Months, in the same House

797. Mary Barber: Widow. ChofEngl. She says she is 70 years of age. Visitor recommends Coal turn about with Cox for the season, 6 [pounds] if Bread a Week for Cox and 4 [pounds] for Mary Barber.

798. Catherine Moor: 59 York St. Widow, aged 55, R.C. this person has had an increase in her family since last year, then she had a girl of 16 with weak Eyes, there is now another Woman, lying in bed, whom she says is her daughter and a baby in the lap of the girl of 17 now, which of them it belongs to the Visitor cannot say, he was anxious to see the Marriage Certificate of the one that claimed the baby but it appears there is none, thinks best to let them have some Coal for the present, and he will visit again.

799. Ellen Nolan: rere of Mr. R. Gilmor Bay St. Widow aged 60. R.C. Visitor recommends her for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.



800. Bridget Conlin: Widow aged 58. R.C. in the rere of Cowans Store Corner of Yonge and Richmond St. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

801. Mary Morris: Widow, 265 Richmond St west. R.C. aged 58. No Children Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. Coal not more than twice for the season.

802. Esther Lennon: 25 Melinda St. R.C. says she is 70. Does not look more than 55. Has a daughter about 19 in a decline, husband away for a length of time, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a week and an allowance of Coal.

803. Catherine Thompson: No. 166 Richmond St not at home when the Visitor called.

804. Honora Cavanagh: No. 416 King St east. See the Case as reported upon last year, she is still working for the same rag shop and will not require the Visitor thinks, a very great deal of assistance recommends her for Coal only, say 3 times.

805. Margaret Harrington: 39 Ontario St. her husband is a great deal older than herself and is a miserable Creature, weak in both Body and Mind. Mrs. Harrington goes out to work scrub wash &etc. they have {no} Children.

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805. Visitor thinks they might be allowed some Coal now and again next Month, and should the Weather prove severe to allow it to them a third time.

806. Ann Cusack: and Mary Ann Woods two old Woman occupying a room together at 14 Duchess St.

807. Mrs. Woods fell down stairs the other day and is confined to her bed. Mrs. Cusack is a very old Woman, but the most active of the two. Visitor recommends them for Coal turn about during the Winter, and perhaps a little Bread until Mrs. Wood can get about again.

808. Theresa Henry: No. 92 George St. a Widow without Children, seems a decent tidy person- supports herself by huckstering, was laid up with Rheumatism for some time, and is consequently rather hard up just now. She might have Coal once and Bread for a fortnight-but as she has no Children, the Visitor thinks she ought not to depend upon the House except temporary assistance.

809. Ellen Brown: No. 75 Caroline St. a decent old Woman and deserving of assistance, her Case will be found fully reported upon last year. She has been ill for a long time, and is only just getting about again. Visitor recommends her for Coal (and a little Bread if she asks for it), during the cold Weather.

810. Bridget Halloran: No. 113 Nelson Street. She is not a very prepossessing old Lady but it is a Case in which the Committee must judge for themselves, she has all the outward signs of poverty about her. Mr.



Thom was told that she had Money out at interest if that is the Case. The Visitor hopes the Committee will not believe her until they are fully satisfied as to the facts of the Case.

811. Catherine Duffy: No. 26 Stanley St. 29 years of age, Widow 6 Weeks. ChofEngl. Girl 6. Girl 4. Both in Orphans home, says she has a very sore wrist which prevents her from earning a living, Doctor can tell all about that. Filthy den. Slovenly in person room and every thing. But if the Doctor Confirms her own Story of her State - he will recommend Bread and fuel. Doctor can not find any satisfactory evidence of disease.

812. Ellen Mc Cord: This House is now and has been for years the Den of Whores Rogues and drunkards, and the Visitor cannot conscientiously recommend any one who remains there.

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813. Catherine Dempsey: No. 27 Queen St. East. 29 years of age, husband drinks hard and beats her, he broke her finger with a stick, he smashes all the furniture and Crockery. Girl 5. Boy 3 and a girl 11 Months, seemingly to have a fourth child. ChofEngl. Sews for the Tailor but finds great difficulty procuring Employment. Mrs. Grasett and the Revd. E. Baldwin speak well of her. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

814. Elizabeth How: No. 3 Crookshank Street. 33 years of age. Widow. Bishop Beatty's Congregation, Boy 12 sickly. Girl 8. Girl 7 sickly Boy 3 1/2 all with her, sews when she can get work which is very scarce. Sober, tidy, No friends in the wide world. Visitor recommends fuel and Bread.

815. Elisa Johnson: 67 Stanley St. 44 years of age, husband deserted her 8 years ago, he went of [off] with another Woman. No Children, she say's she has lost the use of one hand by Rheumatism, Doctor can decide this point. Seemingly fond of a drop. Slovenly dirty. If the Doctor confirms her story about the hand, the Visitor will recommend fuel and Bread. Doctor says the Rheumatism in her hand impairs but does not destroy its usefulness.

816. Bridget Connelly: No. 66 Stanley St. See report of 24 January 1861. Much the same now. both seem to be regular hard Cases, eldest Boy sells Newspapers Committee will please judge on view of the Man.

817. Ann Ryan: in Lane next to 66 Stanley St. See report of last year. Much the same now, Committee will please judge on report of Doctor. Doctor thinks she is suffering from the want of nourishment, and that she is subject to attacks of asthma.

818. Catherine Allan: 73 Richmond Street east. See former report. much the same now, except that she has buried a boy and has given birth to a girl, husband still deserted her. Visitor recommends fuel and Bread.

819. Catherine Nugent: No 17 Shuter St. See report of 26 Debr.1859. much the same now, Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

820. Ellen Healy: 93 Stanley St. See report of last year, much the same now. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

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821. Ann O'Neill. House shut up no one there.

822. Margaret McCabe, lane next to 81 Stanley St. 35 years of age, Widow one year R.C. girl 3. Boy 1 very sickly Child. She is a dirty sloven. Nevertheless for the sake of poor suffering babe The Visitor recommends fuel only.

823. Margaret Greany: rere of 71 Richmond St. See report of 2nd January 1860 much the same now. Visitor recommends fuel only she can burn Coal.

824. Ann Christian: No. 49 Victoria St. See report of last Winter. She is somewhat weaker now. The House she lives in is her won, of which she only occupies on fourth part, renting or leasing the other three fourths. Visitor could not get from her how much she receives in rent, but as the House is a good two story dwelling, and in a decent locality she must be doing pretty well he thinks. The Committee will please learn the extent of her resources and if they be not large he would recommend fuel only.

825. Mary Ellen Quinn: 71 Richmond St. See report of last year, 32 years of age, husband deserted her a year ago and has not been heard of since. ChofEngl. Boy 5 in Barrie with a gentlemen who has undertaking to bring him up. Boy one with her. professional beggar, Visitor can therefore not recommend her unless she abandons that way of Life.

826. Honora Gillon: 68 Richmond St. See report of last Winter. 62 years of age, husband 70. He is very ill indeed, shortage of breathing, and a most sepulchral Cough, seems not long for this World, poor Man. Boy 19 apprentice to a Shoemaker. Visitor recommends bread & fuel.

827. Mary Rutherford: 137 Victoria St. Much the same now as last Winter. Visitor recommends Coal and a grate, if it can be granted.

828. Nancy Moor: rere of 27 Queen St east. Very near her last end. A poor old shriveled up old remnant of humanity, bed ridden. Mary Rutherford will appear on her behalf. The Visitor recommends fuel, bread, tea, sugar, oatmeal, in short everything that the Committee will allow to assuage the anguish of departing life.

829. James Gorley: ChofEngl. See Case 409 ^in 1860^ admitted.

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830. James McShane: was sent to the House the 28th instant brought a Note from the Mayor recommending him for admittance if a fit subject.

831. Michael Maney: came to the House and stated that his Wife gets relief from the House under the Name of Ann Franklin, and has done so for the last 3 years, that he does not wish her to do so, as he is well able to support her and his children, but thinks she will now live with him, likewise his Wife's Sister Jane Cochlin is above want, Keeps a store which supports her. See Case 785.

832. James Mc Shane: in case 830 recommended by the Committee that he be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding as he cannot be admitted in the House on account of his dirty habits.

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Friday 3d January 1861 [1862]

Present The Revd. Mr. Grasett and Mr. J Tyner.

1. Johanna Henchy: Agnes St west. Gowans Houses. abandoned by her husband for last two years- one Child, a girl 4 years old, works one day in the week-

2. Margaret McLean: a lone Widow, same house as above. Both live with another Woman apparently very respectable, Clean and tidy, Irish, R.C. they want fuel and Bread.

3. Catherine Garahee: No. 15 William Street West. widow (aged) no Children. Has a small room in 2nd story into which all her things are trust [thrust] in a most Confused manner, Cooks with a Family on the same Flat. Irish. R.C. wants fuel & bread.

4. Emily Dunn: No. 7 William Street West, Could get no satisfactory account about her husband who (she says) has gone to the States for work. has one Child a girl 3 years of age. has two rooms in a large house. at present generally gets 2 days work in the week. The Child in Summer was sick for 4 Months, during which time she could not work. Not remarkably tidy. English. ChofEngl. Wants fuel and bread.

5. Susan Walsh: in a lane off William Street west No. 6. a Widow, 2 Children. a girl 10 years of age, and a boy 10 5 (at present sick) Lives in a very Cold room in the second Story- Tolerably tidy, does general work, but with difficulty gets any. Irish. R.C. wants fuel and Bread.

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6. Mary Potts: Hickmans Lane York Street. aged 13. Sister 9. Brother 6 and Sister 3. ChofEngl. The Visitor has given up the old pair as unmanageable, and recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and allowance of Coal for the season for the poor Children, who are worse off than if they were orphans.

7. Ann O'Brien: No .149 Adelaide St West in the rere. Irish. R.C. Widow, aged 60. No small Children, lives with her daughter, whose husband is away from her, Visitor recommends an allowance of Coal for the season and no Bread.

8. Bridget McEvoy: 136 Richmond Street west. R.C. husband a drunken fellow not with her, boy 11. girl 3 and one 2. a wretched set in every sense of the word. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread and an allowance of Coal for the season with Case 9.

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9. Fancy Whealan: 136 Richmond St west. Widow aged 75. Irish. R.C. lives with Case 8. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the season, and Coal in turn with Case 8. according to the rules of the House once every 3 Weeks.

10. Ellen Cradicott: No. 9 Emily Street. Not ta home when the Visitor called they are very poor, the husband being paralyzed on one side. one boy aged 9. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and allowance of Coal for the season.

11. Margaret Smith: No. 90 Wellington Street, said Number is a gentlemans residence.

12. Bridget Conlin: rere of No. 5 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 58. R.C. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

13. Bridget Ward: No. 136 Richmond St west. Not at home when Visitor called.

14. Mary Ann Robinson: not at home at 136 Richmond St. west when Visitor called

15. Alice Flanagan: 339 Adelaide St. west in Revd. Mr. Kennedy's district.

16. Ann Wilson: No. 34 Duchess St. Widow one Child. Visitor recommends Coal turn about with:

17. Margaret Sweeney: who occupies the same room with Mrs. Wilson at No. 34. These two Woman might have Coal between them say three times. Visitor will be able to help Mrs. Wilson by given her knitting, but as she has the Child she might have a small loaf for the next four or five Weeks.

18. Ellen Casey: No. 109 1/2 Queen St east. Visitor recommends Coal once, and he will further inquire into the Case and report again.

19. Timothy Keating: 332 King Street east, husband and Wife and one Boy 14 years old, The Man has a sore leg and is not fit for much they are miserable off for fuel. Visitor recommends them for Coal during the severe weather.

20. Cecily Convey: No. 79 Caroline St. See report of last year, The Visitor recommends her for Coal again this Winter, she is a very decent industrious Woman.

21. Murtagh Keary: and his Wife also living in 79 Caroline St. an old Couple the Man is blind and goes also on Crutches. The Visitor recommends them for Coal say 3 times at least, and a little Bread if they ask for it.

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22. Mary Stuart: 34 Duchess St husband and Wife and five Children. Visitor did not see the husband, but the Wife said, he had a sore Leg a not uncommon complaint!! They seemed to be in miserable plight, their things having been distrained upon for rent a short time ago, therefore thinks they may be allowed some Coal during the severe Weather.

23. Bridget Hase: 34 Duchess St. husband and four Children, the Visitor did not see the husband in this Case either, which he is sorry for. The Wife said he had gone out to look for Work. They seemed in a wretched Condition, but Visitor must say that these Cases of husbands with sore legs! and "out of Work" make him still more desirous that there should be some means of testing them, Stones to break or employment of some kind if possible for these Cases. They might have some Coal.

24. Margaret Cloane: rear of 70 Duchess St. See report of last year, She has one Boy 15 years old whom she would be glad to have apprenticed in the County and Visitor told her that the House would do it for her if she choses [chooses] to give him up for that purpose, Recommends a little Coal. to have allowance of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal.

25. Ian Humphreys: next door some House as Mrs. Cloane, a decent Man and his Wife, the poor fellow was in Dallas (York Street) employment as Porter but has been laid up for six Weeks with severe Rheumatism and they have been reduced to great distress in consequence. Visitor would recommend him for Coal once, and a little tea and Sugar. The Case to be referred to him again if further assistance should be required.

26. Alice McKinnan: 50 Caroline St. Widow with two Children, appears to be a very respectable Woman, sews and scrubs &etc. but is very badly off for want of a little fuel, Visitor would recommend her for some Coal say three times during the Winter.

27. Nancy Mitchell: 122 Duke Street. See report of last year. Mrs. Mitchell's husband is a seafaring Man who left her nearly two years ago, and Visitor fears has very little intention of returning, she is a very

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decent respectable Woman, recommended for Coal during the Winter and a little Bread is she asks for it.

28. Mary Courtney: Nelson St. Blairs Yard, husband left her more than a year ago, (see report of last year) and never came back again. She has two Children. recommended for Coal during the Winter and a little bread.

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29. Mary Carroll: Nelson Street Blairs Yard. Might have Coal once, but had better be referred again to Visitor.

30. James Fitzgerald: 34 Duchess St. recommended for Coal say three times his Case was fully reported last year.

31. Margaret Doyle: No. 99 Berkely Street. husband left her 3 years ago not returned 2 Children, one ill with Scarlet fever which has prevented her from getting any work for some time. Visitor recommends for coal say twice, and Bread for three Weeks. Case to be referred again if she requires any more assistance.

32. Catharine Irvine: 377 Queen St east. See report of last year, a very respectable Widow Woman. Visitor recommends Coal for the Winter- she might have a small allowance of Bread for the next 4 Weeks.

33. Margaret Mead: 101 Beech St. See report of last year. Husband went to Montreal and never came back, recommended for Coal 3 times.

34. Mary Stuart: 322 King St east. Widow, old and in bad health. Visitor thinks he reported her Case last year. So far as he can ascertain, She is now entirely dependent upon charity, would therefore recommend her for Coal and Bread during the Winter.

35. Sarah Clements: 47 Parliament St. Not in St David's Ward, but Mr. Sanson has visited her, and has given her a Note to that effect recommending her for relief. Visitor would suggest that in any case where a Clergyman recommends a poor person, and states that he has actively visited and ascertained the facts of the Case, that his report should be taken in the same way, as that of the district Visitor.

36. Sarah McQuiggan: Lane in rere of James St. 26. down in a hollow. See report of last year. one of two Sisters decent industrious people recommended for Coal and Bread for the Winter.

37. Mary Percival: 191 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Widow about 75 years of age in bad health, daughter at 30 in bad health, does what she can at plain sewing for her own and Mothers support appears clean and respectable Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

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38. Christina Davis: rere of 63 Elm St was not at home when the Visitor called.

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39. Mary Giles: 94 Edward St. English, Baptisit Church, Widow , 41 years of age, in bad health for some time past. 4 Children, boy 9, boy 8. girl 6 and girl 4. all at home, a very clean industrious Woman, goes out to clean and sew for their support. Visitor recommends 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

40. Phoebe Gray: rere of 102 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Widow 55 years of age, decent industrious Woman, not strong, lives with a married daughter who has a large family. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Coal for the season.

41. Ann Conner: 21 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Single, 60 years of age, does a little washing, Visitor understands that she is a steady Woman, has bad Eyes, recommends Coal twice for the season.

42. Catharine Mooney: 58 Elizabeth Street, Irish. R.C. 54 years of age, in bad health, unable to do much work, very poor but tolerably clean, one daughter 15 years of age who goes to service, but home at present, not well, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

43. Mary Coulter: rere of 87 1/2 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 33 years of age, 2 Children, girl 13 years of age, and a boy 18 months old, boy very ill. She is in good health and well able to work, says she is obliged to keep the girl at home to nurse the boy, house in a dirty state. Visitor thinks she is not very industrious recommends Coal on account of the sick child.

44. Mary Duffy: rear 16 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Widow 40 years of age, house and person dirty, goes out charing, 3 Children boy's. 9.8 and 6 respectively. Visitor recommends Coal.

45. Margaret Flinn: 85 Louisa St. Irish. R.C. Married, 26 years of age husband left her 18 months ago to look for work, not heard from him since he left. one Child a year old, has also a Child to nurse at [dollars] 4 a month. Visitor was told she is a steady Woman, looks a poor miserable Creature. Recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

46. Jane Chambers: 31 Stanley St. 30 years of age, Widow. ChofEngl. Boy 10, Boy 5 who has a sore hip. She washes and etc. when she gets it to do. Has somewhat of a dissipated Look, and is rather slovenly in her house. Nevertheless the Visitor recommends fuel on account of the sick Boy.

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47. Simon Cantwell: No. 93 Stanley St. See report of Mary Cantwell in January 21/61 his Wife died in August last, he seems to be much the same now, and the Visitor thinks the Doctor is the only proper party to whom his Case should be referred, If he be an inebriate the Visitor cannot recommend him.

48. Elisa Caroline O'Regan: No. 80 Victoria St (see Case 107 last year) much the same now, Visitor recommends Coal she receives bread elsewhere,

49. Ann Grayden: No. 29 Stanley St. see report of last year, much the same now, except that she has disposed of 3 of her Children, and as her youngest Boy is 10, and as she herself enjoys good health, the boy should be put out to Service and she ought to earn her living.

50. Rose Fagan: next 91 Stanley St. no such person there.

51. Margaret O'Leary: No. 70 Stanley St. 30 years of age, husband gone of [off] with another Woman. Boy 9 girl 6. girl 5 and girl 3. A professional Beggar and apparently a hard drinker, the Visitor cannot recommend her.

52. Margaret Dean: 71 Stanley St. 40 years of age, Widow, one girl 6, another Beggar by profession Visitor cannot recommend such.

53. Mary Hogg: No. 12 Queen St east. 36 years of age, husband went to the states to seek Employment but finds none, he was in the Toronto Police and also in the Employ of Mr. Stanley, but his Wife does not give any satisfactory reasons for his leaving two such good places, there seems to be a screw loose somewhere, Boy 13. Girl 5 Months. Visitor recommends Coal once when he will visit her again.

54. Elisa Cuthbert: No. 80 Victoria St. 30 years of age, husband in Hamilton. Most of the time in Gaol for drunkenness, she is much afflicted with fever and ague, and has one leg so sore that she cannot walk upon it. She gets Medicine from the Dispensary. Girl 12, who whit herself does something in the Shoebinding way, but not much. Baptist. Clean respectable, Visitor recommends Bread, and also fuel turn about with Mrs. O'Regan, who both use the same stove.

55. Margaret Kelly: 93 Stanley St. See report of last year, much the same now The Girl has a running sore in the neck. Recommends for Bread & fuel.

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56. Margaret Cronin: No. 83 Stanley St. See last years report, much the same now Visitor recommends the Farmers life to the whole Family.

57. Mary Sullivan: 83 Stanley Street, See report of last year, much the same now. the Husband should show himself, when the Committee will judge. he denied at first that this Woman was his Wife, but afterwards admitted it, and stated that he did not live with her.

58. Mary Ann Bennett: No. 90 Adelaide Street. 60 years of age, Widow No Children, one Eye blind, the sight of the other weak, but this seems to have been the effects of intemperance, her Landlady would rather give any opinion of her, Nevertheless if the Doctor thinks her disorders are not occasioned by intemperate habits, the Visitor will recommend Bread and fuel.

59. Bridget Purcell: 171 Richmond Street no such Number.

60. The three Children of the late 'Thomas Hulbert' were sent to this Institution by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy, their Father and Mother having died within 3 Weeks of one another through intemperance, and said Children left utterly destitute, they were born in Canada and belong to the Church of England. Charlotte 15. Andrew 14. and Mary 10 years of age.

January Tuesday 7th 1862

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor J. Doel and E. Hobson

61. Mary Nolan: 16 Dummer Street. Widow, no Children at home. has a room upstairs from a friend. has been ill for 6 Weeks, and unable to pay rent, Knits for a living. Irish, Church of Engl. would like Bread this year as well as fuel which she has received for the last 3 years.

62. Michael Kenny: with whom Mary Nolan lives asked for assistance the same time. He showed Visitor a Doctors Certificate which he better present to the House. has 3 Children 2 boys 6 and 4 years respectively, and a girl 5 Months. his wife is unable to work. This is his first time of asking assistance. Irish. R.C. wants fuel and Bread.

63. Michael Grace: in a lane off Dummer St. No. 22. has only one room, he and his wife live with another family. last Summer lost his {lugga} while Coming from Hamilton. wife in poor health-Can only knit when she can obtain work. Irish. R.C. want fuel & Bread.

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64. Jane Curran: 262 Queen Street west. a widow aged 53, lives alone in a room second story-very neat and clean lives by sewing, is very delicate in health. Irish. ChofEngl. wants fuel and Bread this year though last year she had only the former.

65. Catharine McNamara: Maria Street No 1. Visitor could not find such a person

66. Susan Woods: Spadina Avenue, opposite Mr. Adam Wilson's a little to the North. Visitor could not find her at home, but knows' her well. an old Colered Woman whose Case was reported last years by Revd. Mr. Kennedy. lives alone, wants fuel.

67. Anne Camp: rear of 83 Stanley Street. 26 years of age, husband a Cabinet-Maker, lost a finger by a Circular Saw wound not healed yet. R.C. Girl 7 and a girl 3. Dirty and Slovenly. No friends in Canada. The Committee will please judge on view of the husbands wounds

68. Elizabeth Smith: 40 Stanley Street. 50 years of age Widow 4 Months, a Boy 16 in Montreal. Girl 15 out of place just now but seeking another Situation. She pays her Mother rent and Clothes herself decently out of [dollars] 3 a Month. The Mother is a poor feeble Creature. she earns a little when she can obtain work, but that is very difficult. Visitor recommends Coal only all she asks for.

69. Bridget Flinn: 33 Stanley St. See report of last year, husband dead since and there seems to be now some reform in her former life, girl 8. girl 4. Boy 3. She lives with very questionable people, but promises to move. Visitor recommends Coal once, and bread for a Month when he will call again.

70. Julia McCarty: 23 Stanley St. No such person there.

71. Elizabeth Smith: 114 Nelson Street. See report of last year, much the same now, with the additional burden of two years sorrowfull burden of poverty, and sickness. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

72. Bridget Purcell: No. 71 Richmond St. east. 35 years of age, husband deserted her about a year ago, and has not been heard of since, Irish. R.C. Girl 3 with Scarlet fever, she has a bad Cold herself, and receives advice and Medicine from the Dispensary. Decent & Clean. The Visitor recommends Coal and Bread.

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73. Ellen Cornell: No. 66 Stanley St. 60 years of age. Widow, Daughter 24 gone to England with a Lady. a Son 34. a very great deformity mentally and physically. She used to post herself on a vacant Lot at the North end of Toronto St. and there exhibited her disgusting spectacle of a drivelling idiot and unshapen mass of humanity. No doubt the Members of the Committee have often beheld them. She was often times as disgusting an object as her Son from intemperance, but now (the Visitor was informed) she left off her evil Ways. Therefore recommends Coal once and Bread for a Month.

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74. Ann O'Hara: No. 24 Osgood Street, Widow 63 years of age. Irish, R.C. a decent old Woman in bad health not able to work, no friends to assist her Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal.

75. Johanna Keane: No. 23 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Married, 25 years of age. 4 children, girl 8. girl 6. girl 4 and boy 2 years of age. She appears a clean respectable Woman, say's her husband is a steady industrious Man, but want of Work and a large young family has brought great distress on them, Visitor told her there would be stone to break, when her husband could have some work for relief.

76. Honora Cavanagh: rere of 42 Louisa Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 36 years of age. works at a rag store, two Children, Boy 13 and girl 8 years of age. Visitor recommends the Boy go to Service. Cannot recommend her for any more relief unless the Boy is sent out.

77. Ann Hurley: 16 Hagerman Street. Widow 46 years of age. Irish. R.C. 4 Children, she was not at home when the Visitor Called, but he was informed that one Boy was in Service the other 3 at home. has known her for several years, to be a clean steady industrious Woman, the Committee will judge what is best to do for her.

78. Ellen Meakin: 49 Emma St. English. Methodist church. Married. 61 years of age, husband 64, decent clean and industrious. both being in bad health, and having no friends to do anything for them, Visitor recommends Coal.

79. Bridget Franklin: is not known at 85 Sayer St.

80. Elizabeth Johnson: 46 Edward St. see report of last year, Visitor would recommend 900 [pounds] of Coal in one order for the season, as he thinks she might be trusted.

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81. Emma Burke: (Colored) rere of 63 Elm Street. Baptist Church, Widow 53 years of age, a clean industrious Woman who has her old Father and Mother and a Number of Children to keep, but still able to keep a Cow. Visitor thinks the House cannot assist her.

82. Jane Clarke: 235 Elizabeth Street. No such Number, where such Number should be she is not known.

83. Mary Black: 213 Bishop Street. 60 years old, husband 70 years old, works in Mr. Cameron's Brock St. They have no Children, they have had wood from poor house the last 6 years. a clean tidy and comfortable House with good garden attached, a Months supply of Wood on hand and chickens, geese, Cabages &etc. English. ChofEngl.

84. Elizabeth Gibson: Portland St. Widow for 16 Months. does sewing for Ladies. 2 Children-boys-ages 1 year and 6 years. English, ChofEngl. very industrious and respectable, requires aid badly.

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85. Mary Ann Sullivan: Widow 6 Months, 2 Children, ages 6 years and 16 Months, both boys. Washerwoman, pays 3/ [shillings] 9 [pence] per Month for room, lives with a Mr. Garner also a Widow. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. requires aid.

86. Mary Dyson: rere of 15 Elizabeth St. to have Coal & Bread

87. Sarah Williams: rere of 17 Osgood St. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week she is getting Coal.

88. Catharine Kerby: in a Lane between McMahon and Seaton St. appears to be a very decent respectable person, she has a husband and two young Children. He has been out of Work for some time, and the Wife positively declared that they had not a mouthfull of anything in the House to eat. under these Circumstances the Visitor would certainly recommend them both for Coal and for bread-for the next few weeks. If they Continue to apply after this Month perhaps the Case might be again referred to Visitor.

89. Eliza Buggy: in the same Lane as above, has a husband and six Children from 12 years old to a pair of twins 1 year old! They appear to be much in the same predicament as the Kerbys. no work for the husband, and no food or fire for the family. The Visitor cannot do otherwise than recommend them for Coal and Bread. But also recommends stone to break for these husbands out of Employment.

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90. Hannah Kyle: 63 Ontario St. another Case of husband out of Employment! The Woman the visitor knows to be an industrious hard working person, two of her Children have situations, and they are doing very well, they have two more still at home. They are undoubtedly very badly off for fuel and unless relieved will suffer very severely, it might be well to allow them Coal this Month, and perhaps longer if the weather should be severe.

91. Mary Kenny: Catharine Higgins: and Elizabeth Hammill: the Visitor could not find. The latters address was given as 483 no such Number on this side of the Don Bridge.

92. Catharine Kane: 315 Queen Street east. recommended for Coal for this Month and the next, and Bread for six Weeks.

93. Johanna Quigly: 157 York Street Widow. R.C. aged 36, one Child, girl aged 5. Visitor recommends Coal not more than twice during the season and no Bread.

94. Bridget Ward: 136 Richmond Street west. Widow aged 51. Irish. R.C. one boy 10 years old. Recommended for Coal not more than twice for the season, 4 [pounds] of Bread for 5 or 6 Weeks.

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95. Margaret Robinson: 136 Richmond St west, husband went in search of work several years ago, never heard from his since, has 3 Children, boy 12. boy 10 both living out, girl 8 at home. Recommended for Coal twice during the season, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for two Months.

96. Eliza Clarke: and Frederica Cline: could not be found at 176 York St and 129 Adelaide St.

97. Catharine Toman: rere of 144 Centre Street. Irish R.C. Married. 25 years of age. girls, two and three years of age. and appears likely to have another soon. husband works in the Coal yard's very dirty both in person and house. The Visitor thinks that if proper Care was practised on the part of herself and husband they might do well. he therefore cannot recommend them.

98. Christina Davis: rere of 43 Elm Street (Colored) Methodist Church. Married. has been in Canada about two years, left her husband in Slavery. 2 Children girl 12 and boy 3 years of age. Industrious, has two good pigs in the yard, Visitor thinks the Institution ought to be called upon to assist those who are able to Keep pigs.

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99. Jane Cummings: Wife of Joseph in a hovel near Allens eating House south side Palace St. husband has a sore leg, caused by kick of a horse, some 3 years ago. not been able to do a full day's work since, two Boys, Andrew, aged 16 James 12, they work about the Market and sell papers, ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Coal, also Bread at discretion of Committee.

100. Ann Williamson: 14 Front St east. husband works about wharves: left home last Friday, not heard from since. 3 Children, Charles 12 years no occupation, Rachel 9 Anne 4. Wife can wash and sew if she get employment. ChofEngl. the family is now utterly destitute and depending on Neighbours for support. Visitor recommends Coal and usual allowance of Bread for above Number of persons.

101. Mary Ann Beamish: rear 18 South Park St. Widow, very deaf. 15 years in Toronto. 5 Children: Mary Jane 10, works with her Mother for Mr. Thomas Haily: John 9: Alice 7. Charlotte 5. Francis William 2. ChofEngl. younger Children don't attend School for want of suitable Clothing, thinks she can manage if allowed some coal which Visitor recommends, she also want a grate.

102. Catharine Levly: or Levalle: 298 King St. east. Widow, Canadian, ChofEngl. 3 Children 6. 4 and 2 years of age. is able to earn a living when she can get employment at washing or sewing, but nothing doing at present. Visitor recommends Coal, also weekly allowance of Bread.

103. James Irvin: See Case 643 in 1861. was readmitted in the House, as he is not able to make his living out side on account of his Eyes.

104. Alice Flanagan: Widow. two Children, girls 16 and 6. eldest girl when in Service pays her Mothers rent of [dollars] 1 a Month, she is now out of place, is rather deaf which is against her, The Widow goes out washing and scrubbing when she can get it. Irish. R.C. Recommended for temporary relief.

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Present Messrs. R. Gilmor J. Doel and E. Hobson.

105. John Densmoor: 282 Queen St. west, a labourer out of Employ, has had to sell his shovel & pick to procure bread for his Children, a girl 7 years of age, a boy 4 a girl 3 and a boy 1. Irish. Presbyterian. Wants fuel Bread & Soup.

106. Margaret Dunwoody: No. 40 Nassau St. husband out of Work at present and ill. Generally does labouring Work. The house is in a most dilapidated

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and wretched Condition. Has 5 Children a boy 15 at School (St. Stephens Parish School) a girl 12. 2 boys 10 & 3. and a baby on the breast- Irish. ChofEngl. wants fuel and Bread. The husband to be examined by the Doctor to see if he is able to work. Doctor believes him to be a humbug.

107. Mary Gorman: 39 Nassau St. lives with Grace Smith whose Case has been reported already. a Widow, no Children. works, and when out of Employment 'begs' for a living with very good success. apparently a bird of passage. wants fuel.

108. atharine McCullen: No. 264 Queen St. West-has a couple of rooms taken from an old Carpenter, the rent of which she has to pay herself, as her husband is in the Country, and she has not heard from his for two Months, has one girl 6 years of age. does washing when she can get it, at present very little doing is an Irish Woman. R.C. Wants Coal and Bread for the present, until she hears from her husband.

109. Catharine Fogarthy: No. 29 in a lane off John St. south of St. Georges Church. husband is dead four Months- no Children, takes in Washing and has a Comfortable house, for the rent of which she is now in arrears to a small amount. Irish and ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal.

110. Margaret Courtney: No. 27 same Lane as above. a Widow who works out for a living. has two girls 3 and 5 years of age, Not tidy, Irish. ChofEngl. recommended for Coal and bread.



111. Mary Wolf: behind 82 Dummer St. a Widow has 3 Children, a boy 14, 2 girls 9 & 7. Works out a day and a half in the Week. The Boy earns a Dollar per Week. for the last 3 years obtained assistance from the House and tried to do without it the present year, but without avail. would like Coal & Bread.

112. Mary Smith: No. 21 Maria St. a Widow has five Children, 2 girls 13 and 5 years respectively and 3 boys. 15, 9 and 6. Keeps pigs for a living. the House in a very untidy Condition, the pigs being under the same roof "for the Winter". An Irish Roman Catholic. wants fuel and bread.

113. Catharine Turner: No. 20 Maria St. up stairs, has one Child a girl 2 years and 6 Months. deserted by her husband over two years since, Knits for a living has her own stove in her room, an Irish Roman Catholic. Says Coal will be sufficient.

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114. Elisa Spears: behind No. 60 Dummer St. husband unable to work from very bad Eyes. One girl nearly two years of age. very badly of [off]. She tries to get what work she can, but is not always successful in procuring Employment. The House not a comfortable one. Irish. ChofEngl. Wants Coal & Bread.

115. Michael Kenny: No. 16 Dummer St. has been reported upon See Case 62.

116. Jane Brown: No. 50 Dummer St. her husband is a reduced Baker. was working in the Summer on the Queens Wharf, but can get no Employment at present She washes when she can get work, is in great want. has three Children. a girl 8 years of age, and two boys 6 & 3- House is Cold and uncomfortable. a Scotch Presbyterian, Wants Coal & Bread.

117. Camilla Giles: Gowans Cottages, off Agnes St. West., husband is a brick layer but can not get employment. She herself washes to procure a livelihood. has 3 Children, a girl 8 years old. 2 boys 6 & 1 & 6 months old. A Scotch. Presbt. Wants Coal.

118. Rose Fagan: No. 59 Stanley St. 50 years of age, husband Deserted her last Summer, and has not been heard of since. Irish. R.C. Boy 11. Boy 10. Boy 8. a hard case seemingly, bleareyed, bloated features, slovenly, dirty apartment. The two boys the Visitor thinks should be put out at Service, until then he cannot recommend her for any relief.

119. Elizabeth Coran: No. 30 Victoria St. 44 years of age, Widow, in good health herself, Son 28 Married, and lives in same house up stairs with her. he is a painter and Glazier. Son 19. Son 16, both painters &c. and live with their Brother. Trade is now, and will be slack. Farming would do better. Daughter 21 Married to a Railway Engineer. Daughter 12 lives with her Married Sister, Son 14 and Daughter 7 live with their Mother. With such a large Number of Children, and well to do in the World, all in good health,

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The Visitor thinks it would be a mis application of the bounty of the House of Industry, to extend any relief in this Case.

120. Clarinda Warren: Lane between Maitland and Alexander St. 40 years of age. Colored Woman, Widow. boy 15 in Consumption. girl 12. Boy 10. Boy 9. girl 3. girl 2. Washes when she can get it. lovenly, dirty, Nevertheless in Consideration of so many small Children, The Visitor recommends Coal and Bread.

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121. Miomi Yates: No. 17 Adelaide St West. 59 years of age, in good health, one Son is married in New York, a Shipwright, and two of her daughters are staying with him. one Daughter Married in St. Catharines, two daughters grown up, in Milton, unmarried girl at Service Rossin House, another in Service in Shuter Street. 1 Boy at Sea. 1 Boy 14 at School. one girl 11 with her. ChofEngl. The Visitor thinks that surely a family of Eleven Children should be able to support their Mother without assistance from a Charitable Institution.

122. Elizabeth Kelly: No. 61 Stanley St. 38 years of age husband out seeking work. Irish. R.C. Boy 14 sells Newspapers, girl 12. boy 10. Boy 8. Boy 7. The Visitor leaves the Committee to judge on view of the husband.

123. While visiting Clarinda Warren, the Visitors attention was called to a case of seeming distress. Catharine Foster, 24 years, suffering with dropsy Husband porter in Laileys Store, [at] [dollars] 3 a week and find himself. Boy 2. and she is in hourly expectation of a second. She could not account for her husbands small wages. The Committee will please judge on questioning the Man as to the exceeding smallness of his income. If satisfactory, he recommends Coal, as she is certainly in great need of that article.

124. Catharine Thompson: Richmond St west. in a lane west of York Street aged 45. ChofEngl. one Boy at home aged 8 years, she is very poor, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the present and coal once and he will report again.

125. Eliza Lennon: 85 Richmond St. widow aged 31. ChofEngl. one Child 20 Months old, child sick perhaps wont live long, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month, and Coal once.

126. Elizabeth Diggins ^or Deacon^: No. 116 Adelaide St west. ChofEngl. Married, aged 32. husband 52. a girl 13. boy 11. girl 9. girl 7. husband English, sick these 3 Weeks, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month.

127. Sarah Johnson: 163 1/2 York St. (Colered) Widow aged 70. Methodist. recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, Coal once, She lives with a friend of hers and keeps her little place very clean and neat.

128. Frederica Cline: Next 129 Adelaide St west. No such person living there.

129. Catharine White: 259 1/2 Queen St. west, Case left to the Committee.

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130. Ann Foley: in a lane rere of Cottage No. 6 Bay St. entrance Wellington St. Widow. aged 60. Irish. R.C. sells apples in Summer, recommended for Coal not more than twice during the season.

131. Catharine McNamara: 84 Richmond St. west Widow aged 60. Irish R.C. one Boy aged 15 at home, she is wretchedly poor. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

132. Mary Carroll: Blairs Yard Nelson St. Widow, two Children, lives in the same House with Mary Courtney, she is one of that class who contrive to get on pretty well through the Summer, but come upon the House every Winter Visitor thinks she ought to be relieved, but if she and Mary Courtney still continue to use the same stove they ought only to have the Coal turn about.

133. Catharine Edwards: 75 Nelson Street. another regular pensioner, see report of last year, Nothing new to add. recommended for Coal and a small loaf of Bread.

134. Margaret Newman: rear of 172 Berkely St. husband deserted her a long time ago, and has never returned. 3 Children all very young, Visitor recommends Coal 3 times, and Bread for 6 Weeks.

135. Margaret Parr: 108 Duchess St. See report of last year, Mrs. Parr has now removed from Pine to Duchess St. and is living with her daughter (now Married) and Son in Law. recommended for coal now, and a little Bread.

136. Bertha Stinson: 122 Duchess St. a very decent old Widow Woman, with one son in bad health (See report of last year) recommended for Coal 3 times and Bread if she asks for it.

137. Jane Tremble: rear 88 Duchess St. Visitor recommends Coal & Bread and he will report upon her Case.

138. Sarah Clements: 47 Parliament St. not in St. Davids Ward.

139. Ellen Casey: 309 Queen St. east. recommended for Coal & Bread.

140. Ann Pettit: aged 35. ChofEngl. husband deserted her. is a decent and tidy person, and appears to work hard, and deserves to be assisted. Visitor recommends 900 [pounds] of coal and a grate, to be sent.

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141. Elizabeth Hammill: No. 483 King St east, husband a Carpenter but cannot get regular Employment 6 Children, girl 14. girl 12 girl 9. girl 7. Boy 4 and Girl 1. ChofEngl Visitor recommends a Weekly allowance of Bread to help in maintaining the family, they can do without other assistance for the present.

142. Ellen Moran: East St. No. 22. See report of previous years, Appearance much improved since the last visit. eldest girl Maria out of place just now but expects a situation shortly. other children at School. Visitor recommends Coal for the Winter, other relief not required.

143. Ellen Wren: East Street next door to above. husband a labourer, laid up by severe kick by a horse, attended by Doctor but hopes to get into the Hospital, when well is able to support his family without assistance. 3 Children girl 12. Boy a Cripple 6. boy 2. Irish R.C. Recommended for Coal, also Bread weekly during the husbands illness.

144. Elizabeth Meahan: 14 Sumach St. out when Visitor Called, enquirys answered by daughter Margaret. Native of Montreal husband was a farmer and died near that City four years ago. Washes and sews, on the whole seems tolerable comfortable Methodist. Girl 17. Girl 14. Jane 11. Peter 10. Boy 8. girl 6 not an extreme Case. one allowance of coal, with Bread once a fortnight may suffice until another Visit is made.

145. Elizabeth Newbury: No. 7 South Park St. Widow, lives with a Son in Law a Labourer without Constant Employment. Nine Children in all, most of them Scattered about, and some of them Married at home girl 17, Serving girl. Jane 16 Constant Service. John 11 at School. English. Methodist, relief may be granted occasionally as in the above Case.

146. Honora Kearns: 36 George St. Widow. only herself and Son a young Man of about 25, confined to bed with a very bad leg, and anxious to go to Hospital, R.C. Visitor recommends regular allowance of Bread and Coal till further Notice.

147. Henry Hawkins: 465 King St east. No such Number. a person of the name said to be living at Don Mount.

148. Johanna Ryan: Widow 2 children, No. 10 Duchess St. a decent respectable little Woman, her Case reported upon last year. goes out to wash and Scrub. recommended for Coal four times, and Bread for six Weeks.

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149. Frances McConkey: Widow, Corner of Duke and Berkely St. an old Woman. reported upon last year, one of those Cases that we shall have to relieve every Winter, recommended for Coal and a small allowance of Bread.

150. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. Widow 2 Children. an old Case She has managed to get on so far this year, without applying to the House. recommended for Coal and Bread during the Winter.

151. Martin Sullivan: Duke St. in addition to Coal and Bread, The Visitor recommends an allowance of Tea, Sugar, and Oatmeal on account of his sickness. See Case 731 in 1861.

152. Eliza McNamara: 103 Beech St. Visitor had not time to Visit, But reported upon her Case last year, and he imagines there has been no Change in her Circumstances.

153. Richard Ailes: who went on trial with Owen Davidson, was returned to day, January 11/62, The reason for being returned is that he will tell lies instead of telling the truth. he is otherwise a smart Boy.

Tuesday 14th January 1862

Present The Revd. Dr. Green. Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. T. P. Battersby

154. A Male Child about 3 or four Weeks old was found in Mr. John McGees' Hall on Gould St. about half past nine last night (January 13/) he brought it this Morning before the Committee to see what could be done in the Case, as no trace of the Mother Can be found. The Committee order that the Child be taken of [off] his hands, and placed out to Nurse with Mrs. Fairburn.

155. Catharine Kenny: 37 years of age, born in the States, brought up in Canada. Father lives near London C.W. [Canada West] with a Son who has a Farm, from which place she came in July last on account of her drunken husband after whom she was looking, has tried to go to Service, but Cannot stand the work, Consumptive, no friends here to assist her, and no means to pay her way. asks for admission until she can write to her father for means to get back. admitted subject to Doctors examination.

156. Mary Addison: 175 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married 45 years of age, husband a labourer, both in good health, one girl 3 years of age, Visitor Cannot recommend such people, being able to provide for themselves.

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157. Margaret Leahy: up stairs Listons shop 317 King St east, entrance from Parliament St. behind the Lime Kilns. sells apples about the Street. husband a labourer, able solid Man, but finds work very scarce, No Children or friends. from Ireland. R.C. This is about as miserable a place as Visitor has been. recommends an allowance of Coal, with a grate if required, also 1 Loaf per Week. The Committee consider such people should make their own living. to have one loaf for the present.

158. Mary Lithornow: No. 331 King St. east cannot be found.

159. Harriett Batty: rear of 61 Elm Street, English. ChofEngl. Married, 37 years of age, almost lost the use of her right hand, can sew a little, Moderately tidy. her husband a great drunkard, he went to the States a year ago, and is not expected to return, No Children, recommended for Coal & 4 [pounds] of Bread.

160. Ann Jackson: 232 Sayer St. (Colored) Methodist, Widow 35 years of age. 7 children, girl 22 in Service, boy 20, girl 15. girl 12. boy 10. boy 8. boy 5. all at home. she is an industrious Woman, but she does wrong in keeping all her Children at home, as five of them ought to be in Service, when there is Stone the eldest boy might be set to work for a few days, as no other Conditions can she be recommended for relief.

[161. -- case number omitted]

162. Catharine Murray: 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married 38 years of age. husband a labourer about the same age. boy 11. girl 10. Visitor sees no reason why they should not provide for themselves and Children. Cannot recommend them.

163. Catharine Boulster: No. 211 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 30 years of age, husband a book keeper but has been out of a situation for a long time past no doubt owing to his drunken habits, but five Months ago he took the pledge, and Continues to be steady. 7 Children. girl 11. boy 9. girl 7. boy 6. boy 5. boy 4. boy 2. Visitor did not see the husband, but the Wife appears a tidy industrious Woman. herself and Children are very much to be pitied, still Visitor does not know what can be done for them on account of her husband.

164. Mary Short: Phoebe St. east of the School, a Widow with one Child, almost idiotic from a hurt in the head-has a very bad leg, and begs for a living- lives with a poor family who are miserable off. House is Cold, dirty and uncomfortable- Irish. R.C. Wants Coal & Bread

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165. Margaret Sutherland: No. 22 William St. West. No such person as far as the Visitor could learn, in the Street.

166. Ann Graydon: see Case 49, The Visitor finds that he has been mistaken in re the person, and therefore now makes amends by recommending her for Bread and Coal.

167. Elizabeth Kelly: in Case 122, 61 Stanley St. Since the Visitors report of the 9th instant, her husband has deserted her, she says', taking his Clothes with him, from, which it would appear that he has no intention of returning. The eldest boy Visitor thinks should be put out to Service, the girl 12 years old the same, the three younger Boys might then be sent to School in which Case he would recommend Coal and Bread, but not otherwise.

168. Catharine Foster: Lane between Maitland & Alexander St. See Case 123. Since then Mrs. Elmsley has been Called upon to assist the poor Creature, who has been Confined after 3 days painful Labor, but left in a dreadful Condition, so as to be despaired of. Her husbands time is so taken up, that he cannot leave his employment, and his small income of [dollars] 3 a Week is reduced still less by the stoppage of 1/2 a Dollar to liquidate former indebtedness, in short the poor sufferer seems to be entirely destitute of fuel and food and of every comfort her state stands in need of. Therefore recommends Coal, bread, tea sugar, and Oatmeal as soon as they can be sent to her.

169. Bridget Stack: 77 Nelson Street. husband and three Children, They obtained relief from the House last year by the husband sawing wood, he is now out of employment and they are no doubt badly off both for fuel and food- still it is one of those Cases, in which one feels considerable reluctance in recommending that assistance should be given, without exactng work of some kind in return for it. tack is perfectly willing to work if he can get it to do, and if the Board have made arrangements to procure Stone for breaking, Visitor would recommend him to be employed, and paid in Coal. Coal given now to earn it hereafter.

170. Bridget Rogers: 301 Queen St. east. See report of last year, a very decent Widow woman, Three Children, she lives with another Widow, a {blank}

171. Eliza Hills: whose Case is reported upon they both use the same Stove, and Visitor would recommend that they be allowed Coal turn about during the Winter, if they could obtain one of the grates to put in their Stove it would be a great thing for them, they will not require any bread. Allowed as above recommended.

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172. Francis Norris: Parliament St. near Rogers Store! Opposite Pauls union place! Cannot be found.

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173. Mary Kearney: 79 Caroline Street. A Widow woman living with one Murtagh Kearney and his Wife, in Case 21. No Children, she says she is in bad health, and incapable of doing much work even if she could get it to do, she asks for Coal, Visitor told her she might ask the committee if they will allow her Coal turn about with Murtagh and his Wife, recommends an allowance of Bread.

174. Ann McNabb: Blair's yard Nelson Street. A Widow with two young Children apparently in great poverty. very badly off for fuel. Visitor recommends Coal this Month and the next. and small allowance of Bread.

175. Ann Griffiths: South Corner of Pine and King St. Widow. husband was employed in the rolling Mills and died of Consumption six Months ago, she has four young Children, goes out to Wash and Scrub. recommended for Coal this Month and the Next, and a little bread.

176. William Carberry: 30 Ontario St. Wife and two Children, was reported last year, very decent old Man, he contrives to support himself and family through the Summer and Autumn, but cannot manage to get through the Winter without assistance. All he asks for is Bread as he says he can make shift to collect chips and broken bits of Wood for their fire.

177. Henry Hawkins: 456 King Street east. Wife and five Children, a plasterer by trade out of Employment, and Consequently he and his family have been in great distress. recommended for Coal and a little bread, if there are any Stones to break he may as well earn his bread.

178. Elisa McNamara: 103 Beech St. See report of last year, The Visitor recommends her again this year, Coal and Bread, this and next Month.

179. Sarah Hardiman: 34 James Street. This is also an old Case, She occupies the same House with an old Man of the Name of Burrell who is bedridden and nearly blind, Visitor thinks they might have Coal twice but not oftener as she has a Son who can help her a little.

180. Sarah Killroy: No. 19 Emily St. in the rear Widow, aged 40. R.C. two Children at home, one 7. one 5. the one out at service 13. recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, Coal twice during the Season.

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181. Frederica Cline: next 149 Adelaide St West. Married, aged 40, husband 50. 3 Children. boy 15, helps them as much as he can, boy 4 1/2 boy 3. They are Germans and belong to the Lutheran Church, they are very poor, Visitor did not see the husband. recommends them for Coal.

182. Thomas Blaney: Lambs Hotel, King St. widower. ChofEngl. a fine old Veteran of 92 years of age, commuted his pension long ago he gets bread. Visitor recommends Coal for the season.

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183. Catharine Boland: 166 Richmond St. there is no such person there.

184. Sarah Kettleton: 30 Adelaide St west. no such person there.

185. Sarah Moor: Brick Cottage off Queen St. between Bishop and Lumley St. age 50. husband's age 55. tries to earn a little by cutting Wood- he is a sober old Man not at all strong. The Wife washes but has had no work for some time. 4 Children, 2 boys ages 23 & 11- 2 girls ages 26 & 23. The Children do nothing for their parents support. one of the girls is a prostitute. The Couple are in Charge of a brick Cottage of Cuttles' which they get rent free.

186. Mary Malone: No. 123 Tecumseth St. 21 years old. lately confined and says has a very sore arm in Consequence of Catching cold- Child 4 Months old. (illegitimate) Dr. Ogden attended her. Her Mother an old Woman 55 years of age has been unwell for some time back, and showed Visitor a Note from Mrs. Cayley recommending her to The House of Industry for Coal. They pay [dollars] 1 a Month rent for a wretched little room. R.C. They live with a family Callaghan, but the whole place is in a dreadfull Condition, and looks as if they all drank hard.

187. Camilla Childs: Agnes St. Gowans Cottages, Husband-.Bricklayer. drinks 3 Children, ages 8. 6. and 1 1/2 years old, Wife gets work once a Week. very respectable Woman ChofEngl. recommended for Coal for a short time. to be allowed some Soup. husband to break Stone before he gets Coal.

188. Johanna Hinchy: Gowans Cottages, Complains that she has received nothing from the House her Case has been reported upon by the Revd. Mr. Broughall. She declares that she cannot find her husband, has received nothing from him for last two years. 1 Child 5 years old, washes & scrubs. lives with a Woman of the same Name (Inchey or Kinchey ) but she is no Connection she says.

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189. Mary Lesslie: 101. Ann St. 23 years of age. Widow 4 Months, husband was given to drink. 23 years of age. R.C. Washes when she can get it. girl 3 Months, a delicate Child, takes up much of her time. Father dead. Mother Married again, and has enough to do to provide for her own Family. the same is to be said of his two Brothers and two Sisters, and they all live in the Country. She is a fine healthy lass, and will not the Visitor thinks, be long unmarried. if she goes on a farm. For the present however for the sake of the infant she may have Coal and Bread.

190. Henry May: 130 Jarvis St. 62 years of age, a chimney Sweep by trade, but fond of washing the soot down, by copious draughts of Whisky. he enjoys good health, but seems to love dirt, not only on his person, but on every thing around him. Widower. Son and daughter Married at Cobourg, he lives with decent like people, but the Visitor does not see how the House of Industry Can assist such

191. Mary Summers: Corner of adelaide St. and Nelson St. rear of 108. Per report of last year much changed, for the worse now; dirty slovenly, and looks as if she drank. but she positively declares that her appearance at present is occasioned by diphtheria, as Doctor Ross well knows, as he has attended her for several Weeks, If she produces a certificate from Dr. Ross, or if the Doctor of the House confirms her statement, The Visitor will then recommend Bread and Coal, her boy is now 14 and a strong chap at that. he should be at Service.

192. Margaret Gallagher: 47 Stanley St. See former report. much the same now, except that the husband has still stronger indications of being addicted to intemperance. She is still hopelessly blind, and they vegetate in one of the most degraded dens in Stanley St. It is so difficult to judge in this Case, that the Visitor must beg of the Committee to decide.

193. Martha Kenna: 39 Stanley St. See former report. She says she is afflicted with pains, which put it out of her power to earn her living, but the Doctor should see to that., and unless his report confirms her statement- The Visitor still thinks that Country air will be of the greatest Service to her.

194. Bridget O'Brien: 29 Stanley St. See last years report, her husband has left her since last July, her Boy is now in good health, as she is also herself. She should also The Visitor thinks try Country life.

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195. Richard Mairs: 38 years of age, from New York, 4 Months in Toronto, Widower, Irish. has two Children who are placed in the Orphans-House he is a Tailor by trade, seeks admission in the House, allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a time and to look out for Employment.

196. Donald Robertson: discharged from the General Hospital, sore Eyes, brought a Note from the Revd. E Baldwin who recommends him for admission. No room in the House at present, might remain in the Outbuilding.

197. Francis Hackett: 49 years of age Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Married Wife left him, has a Boy about 8 years old. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending him and his boy for Shelter, until the Mayor can procure a pass for him to Barrie.

198. Jessie Paulson: 26 Power St. Husband got into a scrape with a servant girl, about a year ago, went to the States not heard from since. Wife sews, but cannot do much work being scarce, herself bad with Rheumatism, 5 Children, boy 9 sells papers, girl 7 sick. boy 5. girl 3. baby 6 Months. Presbyterians from Highlands of Scotland, 12 Months in Toronto, has been selling her furniture and what ever else she could dispose of. Visitor Considers this a deserving Case and therefore recommends an allowance of Coal, and weekly Grant of Bread, at discretion of Committee.

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199. Mary Rice: 65 Pine St. Widow. one Child, (see report of last year.) She is living now with another Widow a Mrs. Hay's a very decent little lady who has no Children, Visitor would recommend that the two be allowed Coal turn about for this Month and the Next. and Mrs. Rice a little Bread if she asks for it- say for three Weeks.

200. Sarah Jane Norris: next to 115 Parliament St. This Womans husband has gone off to Kingston, leaving her and her infant almost in a state of destitution. He had been out of Work for some time and from her account, idleness had by no means improved his temper, whether he will come back seems to be rather doubtfull, in the mean time the Visitor would recommend her for both Coal and Bread, and if he does not return, it might be well to continue the allowance until the severe weather is over.

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201. Johanna OShea: 103 Beech St. a Single Woman living with Eliza McNamara (in Case 178). O'Shea has sore legs, from which she has been suffering for some time, and which she says disqualifies her for Work, Mrs. McNamara gives her her board and lodging for nothing, and O'Shea wants to be allowed Coal and Bread which of Course she would make over, as a sort of payment to her Landlady, who is herself receiving assistance from the House, and has enough to do to support herself and Children. The Committee order that she see the Doctor and if he confirms her statement as regards the sore leg-she is then to have Bread, and Coal turn about with Mrs. McNamara. Doctor reports that she has a small ulcer on one leg which is not sufficient to prevent her doing any ordinary work.

202. Ellen O'Brien: 115 Nelson Street. Husband and five Children. The husband a Chandler, but has been out of work a long time, he has now gone out to the Country in hopes of getting something to do. They are in very great distress having neither food or fuel. The Mother seems a decent respectable person. Visitor recommends them for Coal and Bread for a few weeks.

203. Mary Brien: Blairs yard Nelson St. Widow, 2 Children, one boy just gone out to Service. gets her living by peddling in Summer. She generally manages to to [do] work on to midwinter, before she applies for assistance, recommended for Coal this and next Month.

204. Mary: Wife of Martin Sullivan (in Case 151.) has again applied to the Visitor, The family consist of Father and Mother-Son and daughter in Law. The Son is a Tinsmith by trade a young Man, and the Father and Mother live with him. The Father is an old Man, and is at present confined to his bed by Rheumatism. The Son has been out of Employment for some time, and says he cannot get anything to do at his trade, and Consequently not only Cannot support his parents-but-requires assistance himself, he however does not apply- it is the Mother again who is asking for more Coal. The daughter in Law judging from what Visitor saw of her, is neither a very civil nor a very amiable personage! and the old folks have most likely, a pretty hard time of it.

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205. Mary Ann Sullivan: 87 Richmond St. west. was not in when the Visitor called but learned that she was about 34 years of age, husband about 40, and has a pension, did not enquire any farther as he does not intend giving persons of that age, and with a pension anything.

206. Elisa Clarke: lane back of 176 York St could not be found.

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207. Julia Scully: Watkins Lane rere of York St. Widow aged 60. R.C. recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Coal once only for the season. She lives in the same room with Catharine Dooley.

208. Mary Reid: rear part of 87 Richmond St. west. R.C. lives with her Mother. her husband she says away looking for work Visitor is informed that he is in jail (not for building Churches) but poor thing she is in poverty and wretchedness, with 3 Children, recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the present and Coal until he reports again.

209. Bridget McNulty: 22 Boulton St. Widow. aged 38. R.C. one Child a girl 9 years old, recommends Coal twice during the Season, a stout hearty Woman.

210. Ann Willoughby: Corner of Bloor and Church St. was recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins, Capt. Elmsley therefore recommends such relief as the Committee might think fit to bestow upon her.

211. Johanna Kelly: rere of Lewis the Bell hanger Adelaide St. west- She is to have Oatmeal, Rice, Tea and Sugar. on account of her sick husband.

212. Bridget Franklin: rere of 85 Centre Street, Irish. R.C. Widow 82 years of age, lives with her daughter and her Son in Law- who is a Carpenter, two Children he has, Visitor is informed that he is well able to provide for the old Woman who makes herself useful in the family. therefore cannot recommend her Case.

213. Nancy Soody: 231 Yonge Street, Irish, ChofEngl. Widow 90 years of age, She lives with her grandson a Shoemaker who is in a good way of business. and was much surprised to hear that she had applied for relief. as she is supplied with everything she requires, and hoped the House would do nothing for her.

214. Honora Ryan: rere of 72 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 57 years of age. Visitor was informed that she is a steady industrious Woman, she lives with a Married daughter 26 years of age, with one Child a year old, whose husband went to the States about 10 Months ago and done nothing for his Wife and Child. The daughter is a Charwoman, and her Mother looks after the Baby. recommended for Coal and Bread.

215. Eliza West: 119 Centre St. no such Number in the Street.

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216. Daniel Callaghan: 123 Tecumseth St. n old Man aged 65. does a little in the Blacksmith trade, but only very little. Wife 55 years. 7 Children all grown up the youngest 28 years old-they do nothing for their parents support. A grandson quite deformed cannot walk – is living with them age 12 - the Childs Father is dead. A wretched House quite open to the Wind and Weather. they and the Malones use the same Stove. He seems to be a fine old Man, and Visitor would recommend soup and bread for three. and a supply of Coal when that of the Malones' is done-

217. Thomas Evans: 2nd House in a lane Corner of Brock and Queen St. South. Young Man 28 years of age, subject to fits. was in one when Visitor called. A Mashinist by trade but cannot get work because of his ill state of health, Wife sews- very respectable family (clean). 1 girl 9 years old, pays [dollars] 2 a Month for rent and use of Stove - Temporary relief - Bread and Coal.

218. Thomas Henderson: rear 74 Queen St. west. n old Colered Man, not within when Visiter called - age 80 years - by report very much deserving aid. he picks rags in Summer. No one lives with him.

219. Charles Lossey: was sent by order of the Mayor. The Boy is about 13 years old, says his parents are dead, that he was with a farmer in the Country who treated him unkindly, had to send him to the Hospital, Covered with itch, and has a sore head.

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220. Mary Durand: 167 Lumley St. age 55 – husband 70 – Bricklayer, one Child sore Eyes 20 years, a Woman living with them pays [dollars]1 a Month rent. The family have had no work all Summer, Visitor would suggest a little temporary relief on Condition that the Son breaks Stone for the House. ChofEngl.

221. Mary Tracey: Lane back of 129 Tecumseth St. Widow 8 Months, husband killed on the Grand Trunk Railway, 2 Children, girl 7 Boy 5 - pays [dollars] 2 a Month rent-Has two pigs and about 3 weeks Wood. rather a dirty House. Visitor thinks them deserving of aid. Coal Bread & Soup.

222. Julia Williams: 173 1/2 York St. York St. Widow aged 42, ChofEngl. 2 Children, boy 14, boy 10, the boys have been working up to a recent date and expect to get work soon again, She's a respectable person, does not ask for Bread, Visitor recommends 600 [pounds] of Coal.



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223. Eliza Clark: Irish. R.C. Single, in a lane running West from 176 York St. has two boys, one 5 1/2, one 2 1/2, Melchizedek like as far as the father is concerned, but the Mother being so candid about it, the Visitor would recommend her to the favourable consideration of the Committee.

224. Patrick Connelly: rere of 30 Adelaide St. no such person any where about there.

225. Henry Randolph: (Colered) Wife white. in a Shanty east of Black-Horse Stables- Palace St. was a barber but now works at anything obtainable. 3 Children at home, Eliza 13. Catharine 10. George 7. His own age about 50. Wife say 40. 3 younger Children with friends in the Country. Wife R.C. husband ChofEngl. both rather feeble health, the Shanty is a miserable place, Visitor thinks better and cheaper lodging could be found in almost any other part of the Town, meanwhile a little Coal and Bread will not be ill bestowed.

226. Elisa West: 111 Victoria St. 56 years of age, Widow, ChofEngl. Son 22. Daughter 19, both in the U. States. She washes &c when she can get it to do, none to be had. No friends in Canada in good health, Clean and decent. Visitor thinks with no one but herself to provide for she might get some situation, that would suit her.

227. Alexander Beatty: Near Wilsons Tavern Church Street. 63 years of age. and a poor old wreck at that. quite unable to work out in Winter, ChofEngl. Girl 10. Boy 8. girl 6, all healthy, Clean, decent &c. Wife has lost an Eye by the Shaft of a buggy running into it, crossing a Street on a dark night. Visitor recommends fuel and Bread.

228. Mary Boylan: No. 77 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Widow 4 years. Irish R.C. Boy 4 years of age. Seemingly a hard drinker. Slovenly, dirty &c. Mr. Allan reported upon her case when she dwelt on Duke Street, please refer to his report. She washes &c but the Visitor thinks that the Cleanly portion of the Community would expect, that such a filthy Creature would send home their Clothes, dirtier than they were when she took them to wash. The committee will please judge, because, unless Mr. Allan has a good word for her, Visitor cannot recommend her for relief from the House of Industry.

229. Bridget Hunt: 82 Victoria St. 40 years of age, Widow 8 Weeks. Girl 10. Boy 4. Boy 2. Irish. R.C. washes &c. but can get very little to do. her friends in Canada are all as poor as herself, having families of their own decent Body, Clean and tidy. Recommended for fuel and Bread.

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230. Catharine Ryan: 66 Stanley St. 28 years of age. Widow 3 years say's she. girl 6. Boy 3. both reported to be illegitimate. Carries a Basket in the Summer, Cannot do so now. As dirty a Sloven as can be found even in Stanley Street. Seemingly given to drink. This House as Visitor reported before, is the recipient of all the dissolute wretches of Toronto; it is not safe for a decent person to be there after dark, and Visitor trusts he may be spared the Necessity of Visiting there again. Irish. R.C.

231. Margaret Connelly: next to Swan Tavern, Stanley Street. 30 years of age. husband in jail for drunkenness, and she looks as if it might come to her turn soon. girl 12. girl 10. girl 8. girl 5. girl 3. Boy 1. all with her, and seemingly in good health. She also supports the orphan Child of a Brother, 8 years old. She can do nothing with so many little things on her hands. For their sakes therefore, Visitor recommends Bread and fuel. To have 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week, allowance of Coal and 8 quarts Soup.

232. Jane Tynan: near 99 Richmond St. east, see report of 1860. Since then there is a most decided improvement in this Women in every way. Her husband has very sore eyes, probably brought about by drink, Our Dockter should be able to tell. Since Visitors last Visit, one of the Children died. Committee will please judge on view of the husband.

233. Richard Mahers: 30 Adelaide Street east. No such Number there: all there about is vacant Land.

234. Ann Mooney: 41 Carlton Street. Corner of Church. Spinster. R.C. Although this poor old Creature has not been refered to Capt. Elmsley to visit, he nevertheless takes the liberty to call the attention of the Committee to her Case. she can hardly Crawl about on Crutches in Summer time, and during Winter she is quite unable to go outside the House. She is a very decent, quite sober, and respectable Body, in every way, and Wood and Bread will be well bestowed. Her Sister will wait upon the Committee upon her behalf.

235. Johanna Leary: rear of 48 Power Street. No at home when Visitor called. Her Case was reported upon last year. Her husband is now in the House of Providence, and she has only one Child to support. So the Woman with whom she lodges informed Visitor. Some Coal might be allowed her- but the Committee Can judge for themselves when they see her.

236. Ann Tovey: 9 Nelson St. Could not be found, must be some mistake.

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237. Henry Smith: 144 Pine Street, husband and Wife and 5 Children. eldest not at home, the Wife says that her husband has been out of Employment a long time, and that they are very badly off both for food and fire. Visitor did not see the husband, but has no doubt that they are really badly off, and a little Coal and Bread would be well bestowed, but the husband should work for it.

238. Elizabeth Cummings: 67 Pine Street. A Widow with one Child, a decent respectable old Woman, goes out to wash and scrub, she lives with another old Woman a Mrs. Kenny as poor as herself, Visitor recommends Coal and a small allowance of Bread for this Month at all events, and if the weather should Continue to prove severe February also.

239. Jane Bowes: 113 Queen St. east. Husband a worthless drunken character, has left his Wife and Children to shift for themselves, he has not been at his home for three Months, She has got some of her Children into the Boys' House, But she has one or two younger ones and an infant to support. Visitor recommends a little Coal and Bread for a few weeks.

240. Mary Butler: next to 78 Sumach St. reported upon before, Visitor recommends another allowance of Coal.

241. Harriett Beck: rear of 57 Duchess St. Visitor found them in great distress last week, he is doubtfull as to how far the husband abstains from anything stronger than Water, but the Neighbours said that they had never seen him intoxicated, temporary assistance in the shape of Coal would be well bestowed.

242. Maurice Convey: Native of Ireland, Member of Roman Catholic Church. applied for admission, was an Inmate before, but left the House during the Summer Months and took a place, which he is now obliged to leave on account of ill health. To be admitted.

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243. Priscilla Ann Cook: 60 Dummer Street. Widow, has one Boy 5 years of age. Works out sewing &c. for a living- some Weeks gets nothing to do- lives in a clean tidy room 2nd floor. English ChofEngl. The Visitor recommends Coal & Bread.

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244. Margaret Hall: lives some distance west of Fox's Tavern, South side of Bloor St. in a small Shanty- has to support herself as she best can, her husband having quarrelled with her- very poorly off, has one girl about 12 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

245. Ellen Walsh: Phoebe St. east of School House, her husband, hurt about three Months ago, is now out of Work- has 3 Children, all Boys 4 years, 2 years, and 6 Months respectively, the age of the latter preventing her from Working- the House is very Cold and uncomfortable- Irish. R.C. Wants Coal & Bread. to have Coal for the present, and if she brings a certificate from Dr. Ogden as to the state of her husband, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread.

246. Elisa Ellis: Lodge Keeper for Mr. W. Boulton, top of John St. husband away from her for last 6 years. Has four Children, a boy 19 years of age, who is just out of Hospital and is still suffering from low fever. and 3 girls 13. 9. and 11 the last of whom has been ill all Fall and Winter. Irish. ChofEngl. Wants Coal and Bread badly.

247. Anastatia Hanton: No. 40 in a Lane off Dummer St. a Widow for 6Months. one Boy 12 years of age. unable to work much owing to infirmity of Body. House Clean and tidy. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

248. James Muirhead: No. 26 in a lane off William St. east. an old Man, lives with a single Man in a house which is most uncomfortable wretched in its appearance, there being scarcely any furniture, unable to work from a "sore side", appears to be entirely supported by alms. Irish. Presbyterian, wants Coal, Bread, and Soup.

249. Mary Morrow: 48 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 62 years of age. 2 daughters 14 & 16 years of age in Service, at 2 and 3 Dollars a Month. a decent old Woman. Recommended for coal and Bread.

250. Jane Quin: N.o 191 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 35 years of age. one girl, 4 years old. husband a labourer, has not been able to work the last seven Weeks on account of a broken finger. The Visitor recommends that he work for Coal and Bread.

251. Elisa Rutledge: 37 James St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 45 years of age, husband a labourer, 2 Children, girl 3 and a boy 2 years of age, appears a tidy industrious Woman, Visitor thinks they ought to provide for themselves.

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252. Margaret Costello: No. 18 Elizabeth Street. Irish. ChofEngl. idow 27 years of age. 2 Children, girls 8 and 9 years of age. appears a tidy and industrious Woman. but very poor. Visitor recommends Coal and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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253. Mary Ann Henderson: No. 10 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 44 years of age. Charwoman Clean and industrious, Visitor recommends 600 [pounds] of Coal for the season.

254. Mary Ann Rogers: No. 10 Elizabeth Street. Irish, ChofEngl. idow 45 years of age. looks much older clean and industrious, one Daughter 20 years of age was in Service at the Hon. Mr. Allans but had to leave on account of ill health. Visitor recommends 600 [pounds] of Coal for the Season.

255. Elisa Walton: No. 88 Sayer Street. English. ChofEngl. Married 31 years of age, 3 Children, boy 9 years, boy 5, boy 2. and she is near her confinement. The husband a Labourer in good health. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for which he must work.

256. Thomas Harrison: 157 Centre Street. (Colered) Methodist Church. Married, 34 years of age, in last stage of Consumption, the Wife about the same age. girl 9 years of age, in this Case the Visitor recommends for allowance of every thing say 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and 2 [pounds] Sugar 1/2 [pounds] of Tea, 8 [pounds] Oatmeal, and 600 [pounds] Coal per Month.

257. Elisa West: rear of 191 Centre Street, English. ChofEngl. Married 22 years of age 3 Children, 5, 2 and 1 years old, husband a boiler Maker, gone to Kingston to find work, Came from England 5 Months ago. appears a clean steady Woman, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal.

258. Alice Allan: opposite 239 Elizabeth Street. Colered, Methodist Church. Widow 62 years of age. No Children or friends in Canada to assist her. Visitor recommends Coal

259. Mary Ann Arkness: has left Elizabeth St.

260. Patrick Lindsay: is not known at 149 Elizabeth St.

261. Margaret Dagett: 119 Adelaide St. West. Widow, aged 74, ChofEngl. lives with a Mrs. Bacon who has a family, all Colered persons, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread and Coal not more than twice during the season.

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262. Catharine Collins: No. 90 Front St. east. There are no houses on this Street from No. 86 to No. 102- No. 90 should be directly back of the Rolling Mills.

263. Mary Spencer: 30 Stanley Street. A professional Beggar, Visitor cannot recommend such.

264. Catharine McKendrick: 47 Stanley Street. No such person there.

265. Julia McCarty: 49 Stanley Street. See report of 1860 and 1861. Much the same now, Visitor recommends Bread & fuel.

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266. Catherine Quinn: opposite Hunters Tavern Stanley Street, See report of 1859. Much the same now, except that the daughter is Married, and Cannot afford to pay her poor Mothers rent, any longer. The Boy still sells Newspapers and helps her a little, Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

267. Mary Conner: 28 Mutual Street. 63 years of age. Widow. Son 18 at home a labourer, All in Excellent health. She seems a decent old body. Irish. R.C. She has 4 of her Children Married in Town. It appears to the Visitor that so many grown up Children should be ashamed to let their old Mother go begging. Committee will please judge.

268. John Murphy: 44 Ann Street. Not at home when the Visitor called, but found the Wife very ill indeed, in bed, having some very severe affection of the heart. Mr. Westmacott one of our Trustees, has given him a line of recommendation which he will Exhibit. They have 6 young ones, the oldest only 9 years of age. everything in the House and about the Children shows that the Mothers watchfull Eye is needed. dirt and stench reign supreme. The Visitor recommends all the Committee will be pleased to bestow upon them, provided that the husband should appear to be a temperate Man. Bread, Coal, Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal and Soup. they need it all.

269. Mary A. Lindlay: 28 years of age. Canadian born, belongs to the Methodist Church. discharged from General Hospital where she has had very severe sickness, and has lost a toe or two from hardships and poverty. Though not at all a Lunatic, she is not of strong intellect. If she could be admitted until Spring, she would then be able to make her own way.

270. Johanna Collins: Shanty next to Revere House, not at home when the Visitor called.

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Present The Revd. Mr. Darling and Messrs. R. Cathcart & E Hobson

270. Mary Sullivan: No. 7 Elizabeth St. (off Dennison's Avenue) husband out of Work- Has had his Thumb broken about 2 Months since- The Woman says she would work if she could get something to do-at present lives by charity of a few Ladies. Has four Children, 1 boy 6 years old. 3 girls 4. 3 and 1. year respectively, lives in a very cold House. Irish. R.C. Wants Coal and Bread.

271. Mary McKeown: 56 1/2 Queen St. west- after several enquiries from people in the Neighbourhood Visitor could not find them.

272. Patrick Lindsay: No. 7 Wood Street. See report of 29th Decbr. 1859. much the same now, with the addition of the reputation amongst Neighbours, of being fond of the drop. Committee will please judge on view of the Man.

273. Fanny Wales: 62 Stanley Street. She has left that classic region and gone to parts unknown.

274. Ann Boylan: near Wilsons Hotel, Church Street. 50 years of age. husband a Labourer, but cant get work. 2 Children in Liverpool England. Girl 17 at Service [dollars] 4 a Month. Girl 12 getting very deaf, girl 6. No friends. Irish. ChofEngl. She has a sore leg which prevents her working, says she. both Man and Wife have a dissipated look. The Committee will please judge on View of the husband. heard since that she earns [dollars] 1 1/2 a Week at Yonge Street Police Station, and get Employment every day at the lower Station.

275. Mary Caruthers: rere of No. 5 Victoria St. See report of 10th Jany. 1860. husband still away, Boy taken by a friend in the Country, she was at Service but met with an accident, by falling from the roof of the House, while hanging out some Clothes by which she sprained the sinews of her leg. and was for 3 Months in the Hospital; from whence she was discharged only partially, cured; and soon became worse, but could not again obtain admittance. Leg in a very dreadfull Condition. Visitor recommends Bread, Coal, Tea, Sugar and Oatmeal.

276. Anne Tovey: 99 Nelson Street. There must be some mistake, Visitor Cannot find such a person.

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277. Margaret Boyet: widow aged 80: (Colored) ChofEngl. has moved from 119 1/2 Adelaide St. from which she was reported last Week. She was on her way to the House but fell down in a fit, she lives now on York St. No. 132. with a Mrs. Yerby. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal once or twice for the season.

278. Walter Power: rear of 52 Boulton St. R.C. aged 56. Wife 42. No Children. Powers grows old very fast, last year 50. this year 56. Last year ChofEngl this year R.C. Visitor leaves him to the Committee.

279. Patrick Kanilly: rere 29 Adelaide St. west. R.C. Tailor by trade. aged 54, his Wife is in the Hospital. 3 Boys 11. 9 and 8. the two eldest sell papers, lives with another Man who is also a tailor. The House is scarcely fit for pigs to live in. Visitor leaves his Case to the Committee. decided that he come and work for relief.

280. Honora McNearney: 38 Charles St. Denisons Avenue. 50 years old, has been a Widow for the last ten years. has one Child, a girl aged 10. She Complains of a sore foot, and can seldom get work even one day in the Week- She pays [dollars] 2 rent per Month, and Keeps a Clean decent House. R.C. recommended for Coal Soup and Bread.

281. Elisa Hodge: 396 Queen Street west. Cannot be found.

282. Ann Baylis: (See Case 734 in 1861) but as the old Man still Keeps very ill Visitor would recommend Bread and Soup. as they have Wood in the House to last for a Month.

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283. Ellen McDonell: 10 Duchess St. reported upon last year, nothing new to add now. She is a very decent respectable hard working Woman- her husband is a miserable sickly person, and was ill in bed when Visitor called. They have refrained from applying for assistance as long as they could. Recommended for Coal and a small allowance of Bread for a few Weeks. They have 2 Children at home.

284. Catharine Fahey: 16 Duchess St. was not at home when called upon. he is an old Case as will be seen by reference to report of last year. She sells apples Cakes &c. at the Railway Station, and Contrives to get on pretty well until about this time, when she generally applies for a little fuel. Recommended for Coal.

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285. Margaret McDonnell: rear of 57 Duchess Street. a Married Woman living with her Father. her husband has gone off to the States, and does not seem likely to come back again. has 3 Brothers. Boy 13. Boy 10. Boy 7. Her Father is a one legged! Man employed at present by the Corporation to keep the side Walk, crossings &c. in front of the City Hall clean. Mrs. McDonnell has only one Child living, and it is in the House of Providence. her Brothers live with her, She says she has been unable to obtain any Employment, and is in great distress for want of both Bread & fuel.

286. Mary Wynn: 71 Pine Street. Widow with 3 Children, a very decent Woman. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for the next two Months. and Boy 14 in the County. Boy 12 and girl 9 at home.

287. Ellen Thompson: 12 Duchess Street. Widow. No Children. has contrived to struggle on so far through the Winter without applying for assistance but is now very badly off both for food and fuel. Visitor recommends Coal for two Months, and Bread for one.

288. Lucy Bird: 75 Caroline St. living with Mrs. Woods who is now getting relief from the House, she is a single Woman, and is well recommended by Mrs. Grasett. She is in very bad health and unable to do any steady Work. isitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread for a few Weeks and Coal turn about with Mrs. Woods.

289. Bridget Halloran: See Case 810 in 1861) her person and the room she lives in, exhibit all the outward Marks of poverty. she is not a very prepassing [prepossessing] old Lady, and may be an imposter, but Visitor has no good reason for saying so.

290. William Turner: (See Case 732. 1861) recommended for more Coal.

291. William Sykes: in the Basement of a large Brick House opposite Cemetery West side of Parliament Street. was formerly an Engineer and Contractor. and appears to be a person of good adress and education, has been very unfortunate in Money Matters and worse still, has been most frightfully afflicted within the last two years with Rheumatic Gout. he is now Confined to his bed, and unable to



move. his funds are quite exhausted and he can only get food and fuel on Credit. He has a large family of young Children, and altogether the Case is a very sad one. The Visitor would recommend some Coal to be sent, and that they be allowed Bread for 6 Weeks.

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292. Jane Tremble: 150 Seaton St. should she apply, the Visitor would recommend a little Coal, and he will report more fully.

293. Richard Ailes: (in Case 153) gone on trial with William Hand of Mulmer.

294. Margaret Neal: (See Case 621 1/2) left the House on her own accord, having previously disposed of her Child by giving it away to a Lady who intends adopting it as her own. Jany. 30th.

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Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson.

295. Ann Bagly: 20 years of age, English. ChofEngl. Has been a twelve Month in Toronto was at Service but had to leave on account of a sore leg- has no friends to stay with and no means to support herself, wishes to be admitted for a time, To be admitted subject to Doctors examination.

296. Margaret Alexander: Lumley Street. her husband has been in the Country for some Weeks looking for Work, she has four Children, a boy twelve who works for his Board, girl eleven, nine and seven- She got a hurt- which has thrown her back in her work, otherwise she would not apply- Visitor recommends Coal for the Winter.

297. Ellen O'Brien: 108 Adelaide St east. See report of 1860. She is about the same now, if all she says of her infirmities be true, Visitor would think she ought to be taken into the House of Industry. The Doctor can decide that point. Doctor allows she is ill. but all her ailments are not true. To have Bread & Coal.

298. Fanny Wells: 27 Stanley St. 25 years of age. Widow, Childless. ChofEngl. has Rheumatic pains which prevent her from going out to Service, or earning her Livelihood any way. If our Doctor confirms her report of herself Visitor will recommend Bread and fuel, otherwise she ought to shift for herself, having no one else to care for.

299. Elizabeth Hodge: 696 Queen St. opposite Asylum, husband is up the Country somewhere and is not (according to the Wifes report) very steady- he has given her nothing for some time back – She is deaf

and Keeps a little Shop- 4 Children, ages 10-9-7-3 1/2 - The house seems tidy but is very cold wants Coal. Irish. R.C.

300. Ann Tovey: 91 Nelson St. a very decent respectable Woman. recommended for Coal.

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301. Mary Martin: Wife of John Martin. 2 Boys ages 8-5- have just recovered from Scarlet fever, husband 40 years of age. does not look to be in very good health. has not been able to get work for some time, Wife does not get work, even once a Week- All the money they had saved spent in burying a little Child dyed of Scarlet Fever. Coal once and Bread. husband to work.

302. Mary Oakley: 127 Tecumseth St. husband 54 years of age. blind and very deaf- quite an object of Charity- Wife aged 40. The Neighbours say has been ill all the Fall, No Children, recommended for Coal Bread & Soup.

303. Janett Kirkland: 44 Elizabeth St. cotch. Presbt. Church Widow, 33 years of age 3 Boys, 1 - 3 and 5 years of age. appears a clean industrious charwoman, but finds little work and with such a young family not much time to spare to go out. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal.

304. ane Clarke: rear of 253 Elizabeth St. Canadian, ChofEngl. Widow, 24 years of age. 2 girls 4 and 3 years of age. Sewing Woman, but work is very scarce at this time She appears a clean industrious Woman, Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and some Coal.

305. George Williams: 230 Sayer Street. (Colored) Married, about 30 years of age. Shoemaker. about a year ago he married a Dutch Widow with four Children. boy 11. girl 8, girl 6 and girl 1 years of age. The place is very dirty and no furniture except a very small stove, she says she has nothing to clean her house with, they came from Whitby a week ago so they have no claim on the House of Industry, except the Committee think proper to let him saw wood for a few days.

306. Catharine Richardson: rere of 114 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Widow 37 years of age. clean industrious Woman, her little place is very tidy, lives by knitting and sewing one girl 12 years old was in Service but had to leave on account of bad health- is now at home, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per week & Coal.

307. Julia Munk: 17 Agnes Street, Irish. any Church. Married, 40 years of age. 3 Children all at home, boy 13. girl 9. boy 4. She says her husband is 48 years of age. a book keeper at [dollars] 2 per Week. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

308. Mary Ann Shearden: 154 Centre Street, No such a person known at that Number.

308 1/2. The Children of "Jane Hogan" (in Case 690 in 1861) were taken out by her to day.

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309. Johanna Keane: 23 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Married. 5 years of age, appears a clean industrious Woman. with four Children, girl 8. girl 6. girl 4, and Boy 2 years old. husband a Labourer has been out of Work for some time past. Visitor recommends that he be allowed to saw Wood for relief.

310. Margaret Higgins: rear of 68 McMahon St. her husband has deserted her for the last two years and is living in the Country with a daughter. Mrs. Higgins has been left to support herself which she has done by Needlework and has managed to get on so far without assistance, but work has been slack lately, and she is very badly off for fuel. I would therefore (The visitor) recommend that she be allowed some Coal, and be also supplied with a grate to put in her stove, Bread if she requires it.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson

311. Nancy McFarlane: 26 years of age, Native of Scotland, Member of Presbt. Church. 2 Children, girl 3 and girl 2- She is near her Confinement- Came from the States with her husband, who is a weaver by trade- have had no settled home since they arrived in Canada. The husband will go in the Country to day and seek for employment in the Factories, as soon as he gets it her will send for his family. Mr. George Michie recommends the Wife and Children to be provided for in the House of Industry until the husband gets settled. to be admitted subject to Doctors approval.

312. Mary Ann Gentey [Gently]: Reeses' Wharf. foot of Simcoe Street. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. has been in Toronto for some years. Spinster 27 years of age, lost the sight of one Eye, can see very little with the other- therefore not fit to be in service seeks admission, Visitor recommends. To be admitted on the promise of making herself general useful. subject to Doctors examination.

313. Margaret Henry: 177 1/2 York Street, Married, Presbt. husband 68. herself 38 years of age, Six Children, boy 17. girl 16. boy 14. girl 12. girl 7. boy 5. the four eldest were at Work at a factory until recently, but are doing nothing at present. appear to be respectable, Visitor recommends 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and an allowance of Coal for two Months. Husband is willing to work for it if required.

314. The person in Nasmiths yard, Visitor recommends not to Countenance them. the pair (herself and husband) drink, curse, swear, and fight. ^Mullen^

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315. Catharine Hunt: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. in the rear. Widow. R.C. aged 40. 4 Children, girl 13 has been at work up to last Saturday, at a factory, but will be idle now for perhaps 2 Months. girl 5 1/2, boy 3 1/2, boy 2. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for two Months and Coal twice. She appears to be an industrious Woman.

316. Margaret Sturgess: 78 Richmond St. West. aged 38. says shes' ChofEngl. husband Colered, Visitor did not see him. boy 14. girl 9 at Service, boy 8. boys twins aged 5. Visitor recommends them for relief by husband working for it.

317. Mary McRoberts: 9 Alexander St. 39 years of age, in delicate health. husband a travelling Canvasser for the great publishing Firm of Virtue. Girl 16, has intermittent fever, but is now convalescent. Girl 14, girl 8. Girl 5. girl 3, Boy 10 Months. Congregational Church. has lots of friends in Toronto who help her: refers to Patrick Freeland & Morriss Barristers, Church St. It seems to the Visitor that instead of seeking relief from the House of Industry, such people should be in a position to Contribute to its resources.

318. Benjamin Naughton: 93 Alice Street. 38 years of age: a Waggon Maker, in good health, but says he cannot find employment. His Wife washes &c. they both have an indolent air about them, Son 21 in Childs Shoe Shop, [at] [dollars] 4 a Week, unmarried, girl 18 at Service [at] [dollars] 3 a Month, Girl 16 [at] 2 1/2 [dollars] a Month. Boy 15 with a farmer in Scarboro. boy 9. boy 4. all in excellent health. He has [dollars] 60 owing to him but he cannot get it. and says he has to sell his tools to buy bread & fuel. Owes 3 Months rent, but the Landlady will take it out in his Wifes washing for her. With this help and so many well to do Children, Visitor thinks they should shift for themselves.

319. John Pryke: 89 Church St. 55 years of age, a very small edition of a Man. Wife and family all in Hamilton, He came to Toronto to seek Employment as a Shoemaker, but finds it as scarce here as there. ChofEngl. Son 25 earning 5 [dollars] a Week. Daughter 20 Married. Son 18 earning [dollars] 2 1/2 a Week all in excellent health, Except his Wife who is rather delicate from a sore leg. Visitor recommends that his Railway passage back again to Hamilton be paid.

320. Ann Camp: 83 Stanley St. (See Case 67) since then she has been Confined, and is in want of every thing required in Childbed. The Brute of a husband has made tracks to parts unknown, recommended for bread, fuel, Soup, Sugar, Tea & Oatmeal.

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321. Mary Ann Richardson: See former report, her husband visits her occasionally but with little benefit to her, unless the annual increase of the Population of Toronto, be of Service to the poor Creature. She seems to be once more in the family way. The brute has taken himself off somewhere now. This is an extremely difficult Case to decide upon: because [because] if the House of Industry is to support the Wives of all Vagrant husbands, its funds will soon disappear. On the other hand, it certainly does seem hard to refuse relief to such a Case as this. The Committee will please decide.

322. Mary Ann Sheridan: 154 Centre St. English. Methodist Church. Married 30 years of age, husband left her five years ago, She has a foundling Girl 3 years of age, works at sewing, appears a Clean industrious Woman Visitor recommends Coal for the season.

323. Mary Bell: 133 Centre Street (Colored) Methodist Church. 62 years of age husband a labourer 62 years of age they have no Children, no friends in Canada to assist them, appears Clean and industrious, Visitor recommends Bread & Coal after the husband works for it.

324. Robert Brown: 115 Elizabeth St. (Colored) R.C. Married, 54 years of age. Wife a Laundress. Son about 18 years of age. Brown has a bad hand, has not been able to work for some time past, but before relief is given the Son ought to work for it.

325. Sarah McPhail: Maple Lane opposite the School House. Is a Widow with 3 Children, all girls, 12, 6 and 4 years of age respectively. has two rooms taken in a very Comfortable House. Washes for a living, but can get very little to do at present, Is an English Woman and belongs to the ChofEngl. wants fuel and Bread. To have 600 [pounds] Coal. and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

326. Margaret Nugent: Charles St. south side 3rd door from Esther Street. is a Widow in delicate health for the last 16 years. has a Son 23 years of age who has been suffering from fever & ague until quite recently. expects to get Employment in a few days, The Woman has the reputation of being a needy deserving person. Irish. R.C. Wants fuel badly- would like Bread for a short time. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread & Coal.

327. Ann Tooman: 30 Dummer St. a Widow, without Encumbrances, lives with a friend who has several small Children, got her feet frozen about 3 Weeks ago. is therefore an object to seek assistance, wants fuel and Bread until she can work.

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328. Catharine Kane: previously reported upon. Visitor recommends her for another allowance of Coal and Bread for 3 Weeks.

329. Julie Johnson: Lane between Seaton and Berkely St. The Visitor recommends her for Coal and Bread.

330. Margaret Hunter: Lees Cottages. Rear 209 Palace Street, husband John a labourer, out of Employment. Visitor did not see the husband, but told the Wife to send him to House of Industry, that work would be furnished there. 4 Children, Boy 8. Girl 6. Boy 3. and girl 3 Months old. ChofEngl from Ireland. furniture poor, and general appearance untidy. Committee can best judge on seeing the husband.

331. Mary Hase: same address as last, but not same House, Widow, 3 Children Marie 10: Bridget 8: Ann 5: R.C. Maria has been at Service but is out of place at present, Mother sold Apples and fish in Market, as long. as she could find customers. 15 years from Ireland. Wants Bread and fuel, both which Visitor recommends.

332. John Metcalf: (Brother to Ann Elisa) gone on trial previous of being apprenticed, with David Bastedo. Fbr. 5/62

333. Margaret Grant: 562 Queen St. west. A fine healthy Woman. a Widow with two Sons, one in Scotland, the other in the army. She was quite tipsy when the Visitor Called, She is staying with Mrs. McKenna (see below) only for a few days, Visitor recommends nothing. Scotch Woman. Presbt. Church.

334. Mary McKenna: 562 Queen St. west. Husband an able bodied Man-says can get no work, 5 Children. with (the Visitor thinks) Scarlet Fever. ages 8 years boy. 7 years girl, 4 years boy. 2 years boy, and girl 2 Months. They are to move out of present House in a day or two. they pay no rent. Irish. R.C. Recommended that the husband work for relief.

335. John Nolan: 479 Richmond St. west. old Man age 60. Wife and two Children Boys ages are 8 & 5. They live with one Conall, and pay him [dollars] 1 a Month rent. he provides half the fire, recommended for Coal and Bread.

336. Ellen Nugent: No. 2 Charles St. Corner Esther St. Widow, 17 years troubled with Asthma a Son 29 has a severe attack of Fever & Ague, and Daughter 28 at Service earns [dollars] 4 a Month. Visitor recommends Bread & Soup, and Coal once.

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337. Charlotte Hulbert: (in Case 60) engaged with the Revd. Joseph Alexander. Presbyterian Minister of Norval. for 6 Months at [dollars] 2 a Month, and if she behaves and learns to do her work, to have more.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson.

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338. Thomas Bain: No. 507 Richmond St. west. 5 Children, Boy 17. girl 15. boy 9. girl 7. girl 5 years of age. eldest Boy is gone to the Country, living with his friends. the eldest girl has to stay at home to help the Mother who is dropsical. and has been under Doctors hands for the last four Months. The husband has Rheumatism in his legs. not been able to work for the last 5 Months. A clean and respectable family- but the Children are all badly off for clothes. Irish, ChofEngl. Mother R.C. Visitor recommends Coals once – Bread and Soup for the family until the Father is able to get Employment.

339. Elizabeth Langley: lane rear of Queen Street, entrance from Brock St. second House in Lane. aged 29. husband 40. 3 Children, girl 12. girl 9. girl 3. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends relief by husband working for it.

340. Ann Conway: 221 1/2 Adelaide St. there is no such Number or person about that quarter.

341. Isabella Anderson: McLeans Yard, back of 5 Victoria Street. 55 years of age, 14 years a Widow. Five Children all grown up and away she knows not whither. ChofEngl. She carried a Basket in the Summer Months, but she has scalded her leg very badly and cannot venture out in the Winter time. Doctor may be able to tell all about this. Mr. Allan Visited her about 6 Weeks ago on Nelson St. She has a very bloated and dissipated look, nevertheless if our Doctor thinks that her appearance is the result of disease Visitor will recommend Bread & fuel.

342. Margaret McKew: No. 14 Stanley St. No such Number on that Street.

343. Alice Alcock: No. 120 Herbert St. off Bishop St. Married, 40 years of age. English. ChofEngl. She is a most respectable hard working Woman, but has of late been ill. She has two Children, Boy 8. girl 5. he husband an elderly Man peddles furniture and varnishes, he goes about from Morning to night, but earns little. Visitor recommends 2 Months fuel.

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344. Johanna Brown: 224 Queen St. east. Not in when visitor called – husband is a Carpenter has worked at the House of Industry? They have no Children. Neighbours say that has has been out of Employment for a long time.

345. Mary O'Neil: not at home when Visitor called. No. 168 Parliament St. her Landlady says that she is an old Widow Woman, No Children and incapable of doing any work as she is suffering from Rheumatism.



346. Mary Kenny: 265 Parliament Street. Found her living in a dilapidated building without doors or windows, boarded up to keep out the cold – husband has deserted her and her four young Children, they have not fire and nothing to eat. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

347. Thomas Hall: Duke Street Visitor recommends him for Work at the House.

348. Ellen Casey: 315 Queen Street east. Visitor recommends that she be allowed Coal once more, and Bread for a fortnight.

349. Bridget Callaway: an Inmate, left the House after disgracing himself by getting drunk, and being cruel to the Children.

350. Coal for the Poor was tried on the Scale to day in presence of Messrs. ~~J. Tyner~~ William Mather, J. Doel and E. Hobson. The Load 1200 [pounds] proved short of Weight 120 [pounds]. January 23th last when tried in presence of Messrs. J. Tyner W. J. MacDonnell and E. Hobson it proved short 135 [pounds] in 1180 [pounds].

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Present The Revd. S. Givins, Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Thom and J. Tyner

351. Elisa Mullen: Nasmiths yard York St. Married. ChofEngl. had 7 Children but has only two at home, boy 7 years and a baby 15 Months. Husband a worthless dissipated fellow, Visitor thinks she is no better. She is 40. husband 50 years of age, she is English, Husband Irish. Visitor recommends Coal once and he will look after them again.

352. Ann Conway: 212 1/2 Adealide St. west. Irish. R.C. Married. 2nd husband who is sick and confined to his bed, has 2 girls one 11 is lame, girl 9 and Boy 13, these are by a former husband. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread for the present, Coal twice, they boy has been at work, but out at present.

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353. Margaret Boyet: 132 York Street. (Colored) who lives with Mary A. Yerbey is getting relief, Visitor recommends in addition an allowance of Tea Sugar Rice, Oatmeal.

354. Mary Green: lives in a lane off the East side of Esther Street. has not seen her husband for the last five years, has one Child at home five years of age (a girl) is sure of only one day's work in the Week,

sometimes gets more the House is very uncomfortable, being a mere Shed. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Coal.

355. Mary Price: last House on South Park St. See report of previous years, unable to work has a pulmonary complaint, good for nothing, she says, "but to sit by the stove all day" Mrs. Coliff with whom she lives took her in from Charity. Visitor thinks her deserving relief, recommends a weekly allowance of Bread for herself and Child, also some Coal as Compensation to Mrs. Coliff for her charitable Conduct. Any relief granted Mrs. Price (she being unable to come) can be sent by Mrs. Doyle North Park Street who is already a pensioner of the House.

356. John Richardson: 16 Albert St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 63 years of age. labourer, 2 daughters in Service at [dollars] 3 a Month, but do little for their parents. Visitor understands he is sober and industrious, recommended to work at the House for relief.

357. Jemima Cornell: 132 1/2 Sayer St English. Baptist. husband deserted her two years ago, 44 years of age. 4 Children, all Girls, one 15 in Service 13. 9 and 5 years of age at home. She appears a clean industrious Woman Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal.

358. Edward Myers: 63 Centre Street. (Colored) Baptist. Married 61 years of age, has been ill and confined to the House since May last, Visitor was told by the person he worked for that he is a steady industrious Man. Wife Clean, 3 Children. Boy 16 works when he can get it. Girl 14 & girl 12 at home. Visitor recommends Coal.

359. Sarah Fullerton: 175 Centre Street. Irish. No Church. Spinster. 23 years of age. Came from the Country 3 Months ago. No Claim on Toronto.

360. Ann Farell: rere of 55 Duchess Street. There must have been some mistake in this address, as the Visitor could not find it.

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361. Mary Murphy: 113 Nelson St. an old Widow Woman who supports herself by scrubbing and washing in Summer, she is a decent old Lady, and being out of work is badly off for fuel, Visitor recommends Coal for this Months and Bread for a Week or two.

362. Jemima Carr: 259 Queen Street west, is a Widow and has two Boys 14 & 11 years respectively, her daughter 19 years of age, has been out of a place for 2 Months, is looking for one, gets occasional work, a days washing now and then. The Mother and Children live with a very poor Family. Irish. ChofEngl. Wants bread Coal & Soup. The Boy to work for relief

363. Caroline Whiteside: No. 3 William St. West. husband was hurt last February and has had only about a Weeks work since that time, once got Employment on G.T. Railway, but had to give up the Case, being unable to do the work. The Wife gets one sometimes two days washing in the Week, from which rent is paid. has two Boys 2 years and a Month respectively. English. ChofEngl. they want Coal and Bread, have been in Toronto since May last; came from Hamilton.

364. Sarah Johnston: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. in addition of coal and Bread, the Visitor recommends an allowance of Sugar Tea and Oatmeal during her illness, as she was lately confined with a baby.

365. John Fraser: 259 Queen Street west. 27 years of age, has a Wife and 2 Children has nothing to do at present and is destitute, Visitor recommends that he be allowed to work for relief.

366. Caroline Stokes: rear of Maitland St. 35 years of age. Colored. Widow of the celebrated Lemon Ice Cream, who Emigrated to Hayti [Haiti], and there died, about 2 Months since, Daughter 18, went with her father, and is now in Hayti [Haiti]. She is in good health and receives the rent of two Houses well tenanted, and worth together at least 8 [dollars] a month. It seems to the Visitor that such a one should not be an applicant for relief to a Charitable Institution.

367. Margaret Appleton: 60 Bathurst St. works over a week at the Boys' Home a Daughter 21 Married, and a boy 9 and girl 6 at home. Widow. Stays with a Woman named Burns and pays 1 [dollar] a Month rent. was out working when Visitor called. Burns says she wants Coal and Bread. R.C.

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368. Mary Scott: No. 98 Portland Street. Corner of Adelaide St. Widow, 2 Children boy 19 in the united States army. Boy 10 and girl 9 at home. Respectable Kind of Woman and washes when she can get work. the House is in a wretched Condition, no furniture of any description. Visitor would recommend Coal once and Bread. She expects to have work enough next Month to keep herself and Children. English Church.

369. Ann Frazer: 72 years of age. Widow, Native of Scotland and Member of Presbyterian Church. She made her living by peddling until lately when she had a severe fall, was sent to the Hospital, remained there 3 Weeks when she had to leave as they cannot do any more for her, seems to be completely helpless, No friends. Mr. J. Thom and Mr. McMurrich recommended her as a proper Case for admission. To be admitted.

370. Christina Mayna: a young woman just out of Gael, was sent to the House by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] who recommends her for admission as she has a sore hand. To be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a time. Native of Scotland. Presbt. Church. 26 years of age.

371. Margaret Caverly: 40 years of age. Spinster. Irish. ChofEngl. 20 years in Toronto, has supported herself by picking hair at Messrs. Jaques & Hay's Factory. Cannot do so any longer on account of her Eyesight failing, she is nearly Blind, has no means, and no friends in Toronto. Recommended by Lady McCauly for admission, enquiry's have been made at Messrs. Jaques & Hay's, by which it appears that she is a fit Case for the House of Industry. To be admitted, subject to Dr. examination and to make herself usefull. See 446

372. Edith Webb: (Case 630 in 1861) she is now quite well and able to work for her living, and as she is not willing to make herself usefull in the House, The Weekly Committee advise that she should leave and shift for herself.

373. David Bosson: (in Case 499) died this Morning at 2 OClock A.M. Feb 13/62

374. Timothy Farrell aged 4 1/2 and Edward Farrell aged 2 1/2 years, Children of Fanny Farrell, were admitted from the General Hospital, Nothing has been heard of from the Mother lately. Feb 13th. (See Case 627 in 1861)

375. Donald Robertson: in Case 196 was admitted into the House in Bossons place.

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376. Mary Nixon: back of Wilsons Store Stanly St. near Nelson St. no such place to be found.

377. Hugh Galt: 99 Richmond St. east. 50 years of age. Wife with him. Knox's Church. Four Children in Scotland, none here. Farmer Lost his left hand by the bursting of a Gun. He can keep accounts, and oversee Workmen. Reddish face; Wife dirty, slovenly, & etc., Visitor leaves the Committee to judge.

378. Benjamin Carey: 62 Adelaide St. east. 34 years of age, Bachelor. No friends in America. No Church in particular, Disease of the heart. perfectly prostrated, Doctor King attends him. Was 3 years in the Army, discharged (by reason of his ill state of health) in October last, and has been getting worse ever since, totally destitute. Visitor recommends that he be taken into the House of Industry.

379. Julia Frazer: 259 Queen St., Wif[e] to John in Case 365. reported upon before

380. Agnes Baker: 15 Emily St. widow, ChofEngl. aged 28 husband 27. 4 Children. boy 14, girl 12, girl 9, and girl 6. English, the boy is going to School, and is preparing for learning a trade in a few Months, the eldest girl is delicate. Visitor recommends 10 of Bread per Week, and Coal twice for the season. also a Coal Grate.

381. Sarah Trigg: next to 379 King St. east. husband Edmund a farm labourer, left her last Summer, not heard from since, he left her twice before; thinks he is to [too] lazy to work for his family, has 4 Children: Sara 8: William 6: Mary 4. these 3 living in the Country with farmers, George one Month old. from England 8 years of age, 3 or 4 Months in Toronto. ChofEngl. Wants bread for herself and infant also Coal. The only objection to getting relief is her short residence in Toronto, this point is left to the decision of the Committee.

382. Elizabeth Gray: next door to Earls Store Queen St. west. A respectable House, with the large rent of 4 1/2 [dollars] a Month, husband 79 years old, wife 63 years old. 5 Children, boy 30, boy 25, boy 18, girl 22, girl 16 years. The two eldest Boys are in the Country Carpenters, they are unmarried. They Boy 18 years old is learning a trade, and getting 2 [dollars] a Week, The girls are engaged tailoring trade but have not much Work at present the 3 youngest Children live with their parents. Methodist. Case left to Committee.

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383. Charlotte McLaughlan: 74 Elizabeth Street, the Visitor did not call, on account of hearing a very bad account of the house and those who reside in it, he therefore cannot recommend any one from that House.

384. Alice Tracey: rere of 38 Centre Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 43 years of age, one Son 13 years of age who has been in bad health but is now better, she has been in Service last Summer, The House is in a very dirty State and she is not much better, sleeps on a bundle of Straw, lives in the same House with Ellen Kerr her Sister, who has relief from the House, Tracey might have Coal turn about with Kerr, though Visitor thinks she would be better in Service.

385. Johanna Quigly: 157 York Street (in Case 93) to have another allowance of Coal, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, as she is sick at present.

386. Mary Ann Collins: 73 McMahon St. husband ill in bed with severe cold. 2 young Children. They have had a great deal of sickness in the Family, are much in want both of fuel and food. They are strongly recommended by the Revd. Mr. Lawson who knows them well. Mrs. Collins has had Coal already from the House, Visitor recommends her for more, and also for some bread tea sugar and Oatmeal for her husband.

387. Mary Butler: who with her husband formerly lived on Sumach Street, and who has been getting Coal from the House, has now removed to 39 Ontario St. whenever her Month is out Visitor recommends her for another allowance.

388. Elisa Buggy: recommended for Coal once more.

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389. Margaret Wooley: living with her Mother Mrs. Halloran 113 Nelson Street. The old Woman is very ill in bed and her daughter has been deserted by her husband and is expecting her Confinement in a few days, She has two Children at present, and used to make a living by selling crockery, latterly she has been unable to do anything in this way. They are badly off for food and fuel, and the old Woman is much in need of a little Tea & Gruel.

390. Harriett Beck: (in Case 241). They are applying for assistance again and Visitor told her to send her husband who has now recovered from his illness up to the House for Work.

391. Hannanan: Widow ^Elizabeth^, Next door to 84 North Park St., and not able to come to the House, being old and infirm, Visitor recommends that Coal be sent to her.

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392. Andrew Hulbert: gone on trial with Wm. Hand, a Farmer, Township of Mul{mur}

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Present the Revd. Mr. Elliot and The Revd. Mr. Givins.

393. Elisa Hamilton: Hickmans Lane York Street. Widow. R.C. five Children. 2 out at Service, 3 at home, Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week. and Coal twice during the season.

394. John Bell: Shanty above Gzowski's Crookshank Lane. A Cripple, and paralytic age 35. by trade a baker, but too weak now to follow his trade. a Wife age 33. and 2 Children girls, ages 7 and 3. Wife washes once a Week, seldom twice, seems a respectable kind of man but lives in a dreadfull place, Visitor heard that he drinks, but he does not look like a drunkard and denies the charge strongly. ChofEngl. recommended for Coal & Bread.

395. Ann Farrell: Lane back from 92 and 90 Duchess Street. Widow, 2 Children one a daughter has been out at Service but is now at home, the other a young Child with a Crippled back. Mrs. Farrell goes out to wash and scrub, and takes in sewing when she can get it. Visitor recommends Coal once and Bread for 3 Weeks.

396. Elizabeth Gaffrey: 39 Stanley St. 32 years of age, husband herself and 3 Children all in Excellent health, R.C. Visitor recommends him to go to Acton, where there is a great amount of Chopping to be done this Winter, and Choppers are advertised for in this City, by Posters on the Walls. he says he can chop well.

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397. James Sullivan: 70 Stanley St. 64 years of age, looks more like 70. R.C. a poor worn out old Man, his 3 Children are grown up and Scattered he knows not whither, leaving their poor old Father to shift for himself, his left hand was disabled by a heavy blow from a Pickaxe, accidentally inflicted by a fellow Labourer, about 18 Months since. Visitor recommends Bread Coal & Soup.

398. James Murray: 63 years of age, Irish. R.C. No friends, an old resident, says not able to work, seeks admission into the House. no room at present, to be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding

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399. John Densmore: died this Morning Fbr. 19th 1862. (See Case 769 in 1859)

400. The following 3 Children were Baptised by the Revd. Mr. Boddy (February 19/62)

William Dow: about 12 Months old See Case 505 in 1861.

Jane Watts: about 7 Months old, See Case 641 in 1861

John Gould: about 2 Months old. See Case 154 in 1862.

401. Maria Pierpoint: 144 Centre Street. English. ChofEngl. Widow, 40 years of age. 3 Children, girl 13, boy 9, boy 8, a very industrious Woman, she has been very ill for the last Month, which has caused her to be much in want of assistance, The Visitor recommends her double ration of Tea & Sugar. 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week. Coal & a grate.

402. James Harwood: 253 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 41 years of age a gardener but no Work this time a year. They appear to be a clean respectable family. 3 Children, boy 12, girl 10, and girl 8 years of age. Visitor recommends relief if he works for it.

403. Ellen Fletcher: No 9 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 56 years of age, appears much older, decent old Woman not able to do much for herself to be continued on the List for relief.

404. Catharine Thompson: rear of 38 Centre Street. Widow 41 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. an boy at home 8 years old, She was not at home when Visitor called, but he knows her Case, thinks it would be best for her to give the Boy up to the House and go herself to Service, not industrious, might be continued on the Books for this Season.

405. William Hudson: is not known in Emma Street, four doors from the College. Avenue or in the neighbourhood.

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Present The Revd. S. Givins and Revd. J. Elliott

406. {blank} Jeffrys: Richmond St. West, near Peter Street, in one of four little Cottages. No such person there.

407. Catharine Carey: 132 Richmond Street West, Widow, aged 44, R.C. No incumbrance, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Coal once for the season.

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408. Catharine Moor: 59 York Street, Widow, aged 58. R.C. one daughter deserted by her husband, aged 24, who has one Child 13 Months old, and is in very bad health, and another daughter aged 18 not able to work having very sore eyes. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal once for the season.

409. Bridget Day: Lane in rear of Cartys Soap Factory. George Street. husband and Six young Children. lived formerly in McMahon Street. See former report. They have lately lost their two eldest girls. Day is a rag-picker, a miserable weakly Creature, He says that he has not touched any liquer for more than a year! They are in a wretched plight. Visitor would recommend Coal once and Bread perhaps for three Weeks. but if there is any work to be done at the House it would be well to earn his bread.

410. Johanna O'Brien: Lane rear of Cartys Factor. Next to 120 George St. previously reported upon this year, recommended for Coal once more

411. Evan Humphreys: in the hollow back of Lewis Walker Duchess Street. reported upon before, husband has been Confined to his bed for several weeks with Rheumatism. just beginning to get about again, recommended for Coal once more, and Bread continued few weeks longer, They are very decent people.

412. George Tolliver: (Colored) 144 1/2 Pine Street, Married, the Man is old not fit for much work has been unemployed all Winter, in fact ever since they came to Toronto. Visitor thinks it a Case that ought to be relieved. if they got something now they will probably get on without farther assistance, as soon as the weather gets warmer.

413. William McDowell: an Inmate, left the Institution to day at noon on his own accord. See Case 637 in 1861.

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Present Mr. R. Woodsworth

414. Mary Nixon: 84 Stanley St. in the rear. 34 years of age, Widow, ChofEngl. Boy 10 and boy 8. both in Orphans Home. Paralytic. Right side entirely deadened, quite unable to work, No friends in America, Church allows her 1 [dollar] a Month, very clean in person and apartment respectable and sober, recommended for bread & fuel.

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415. Catharine Hunter: rear of 103 Parliament Street. Husband has been laid up with a badly frozen foot, they have a family of young Children and are very miserably off. Visitor recommends Coal once, and bread for 3 Weeks.

416. Mar McGuinness: 85 Richmond Street. She is waiting her time, to get in to the Lying in Hospital, her husband was killed by an accident. recommended for a loaf a Week until she gets in Hospital.

417. Julia Jones: 62 Boulton Street. (Colered) deserted by her husband, aged 45. has 4 Children at home, girl 21 in Consumption. girl 8. girl 2. and Boy 11. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Coal once. she appears to be an industrious Woman.

418. Charles Nelson: he and his Wife came out from Ireland about 4 Months ago and since their arrival here they have been reduced to great want, he was a Clerk at home, but has failed to get Employment of any kind here. They lodge in No. 14 Duchess St. they have one Child 18 Months old. The Wife has endeavoured in vain to procure work. Visitor thinks it a pitiable Case and one that should be relieved. To have Coal once, and 6 [pounds] Bread per Week for a Months or five Weeks.

419. Honora Gillan: applied to get her husband admitted in the House, no room. she brought a Note from Mrs. McCutchen, Mrs. Gillan and her husband are getting relief from the House.

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Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & J. Tyner

420. Julia Cummings: 53 Victoria Street. 50 years of age, and feeble at that. R.C. Daughter 19 was at Service at 2 [dollars] a Week, but was obliged to leave it on account of swelling in the knee joint, which threatens to become serious. Girl 12 at Service at 2 [dollars] a Month, Boy 16 with a Farmer at 4 [dollars] a Month. pays his Mothers rent. Respectable Clean tidy. Visitor recommends fuel & Bread.

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421. Peter Crossett: rear of 99 Richmond St. east, 71 years of age, remains of a fine Man, was a Soldier in last American War, shows Certificates of good Character but Visitor is afraid that he does not sustain now his early reputation, at least judging from the Color of his Nose. He is badly ruptured, as appears by a Doctors certificate. He never was Married, and has no friends, recommended for fuel and Bread. does not desire to be received into the House of Industry.

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422. Mary Ann Adams: No. 99 Richmond Street, East. while Visiting Peter Crossett This young Woman stated that she had been to the House of Industry, and was told that her Case would be referr'd to Visitor, while in the very house he (Visitor) took down her Case. She is 30 years of age unmarried and fears that she is in a decline. Our Doctor will ascertain this, she has a Brother 27, a Butcher by trade who cannot get work, Visitor did not see him, but he is to appear before the Committee, who will please judge of the Case.

423. Robert Sherlock; rear of 9 Victoria Street, He lost a child and wanted Money to pay for the ~~Whiskey~~ funeral. Visitor could not recommend it.

424. Elisa Ann Tearney: 44 James Street Husband left her and went over to Buffalo almost 10 Weeks ago, has not heard from him since, She has two Children. She has worked at the Tailoring trade but that has been so slack lately, that she is quite unable to go on longer without assistance, Visitor recommends Coal once and Bread for a fortnight or 3 Weeks.

425. Thomas Mead: 103 Beech Street. Visitor does not know why this Case was referred to him, The Meads having been getting assistance all the Winter. if They want anything further the Son, (the husband of the Mrs. Mead who has generally been at the House) is now at home and he should be made to work for it.

426. Elizabeth Esson: No. 8 a Street west of North Street Yorkville. Scotch. Presbt. Widow, 63 years of age, she is not able to work on account of bad legs, no friends in Canada, she was in Service until her legs got bad when she was obliged to leave, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Coal turn about with Sarah Robinson, same Stove.

427. Sarah Robinson: same house as above, English. ChofEngl. Widow, 59 years of age, daughter 16 a sewing Girl at home, Son 19 years old in Service at [dollars] 5 a Month, pays his Mothers rent, She appears a decent respectable Woman. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal with above.

428. Richard Forge: No. 34 Louisa Street, English. ChofEngl. Married. 34 years of age. Bricklayer by trade, was ill last Summer, not able to do much work but well now. 4 Children Boys 16-14-8 and 4 years of age,

the two eldest in Service, the one 16 at [dollars] 3 a Month, the one 14 works for his Board. The husband is to work for relief.

429. Catharine Crawford: is not known at 66 Agnes Street.

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430. Charlotte Archer: 41 Emma Street Irish ChofEngl. Widow. 39 years of age. 4 Children, boy 13 has been at work for a Carpenter, but no work at present. girls 11. 9 and 7 years of age. all at home attending School wants to find a situation for the eldest as nurse girl. She appears a clean industrious Woman, but having a large young family, she requires assistance. The Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, she had 600 [pounds] of Coal.

431. Julia Williams: 173 1/2 York Street, in Case 222. The visitor recommends 600 [pounds] of Coal once more.

432. Zilpha Smith: lives at present with Mrs. Williams No. 3 Power Street. Native of Toronto, but returned here only two Weeks ago, from Buffalo where husband died 8 Months since. 3 Children, 2 with an uncle in Illinois. 1 here aged 2 Months her own age about 30. No Church. Is apparently quite comfortable just no and in no need of assistance. This report is made chiefly in view of future emergency.

433. Bridget Hughes: Married. Irish. R.C. She is just out of the Lying in Hospital with a baby one Month old, her husband is in jail, her 3 eldest Children in the House of Providence. The Hon. Mr. Allan has given her a trifle and now sends her to see whether she can obtain temporary shelter at the House as she is in a pitiable Condition, and has literally no means of obtaining shelter or food. allowed to stay in Outbuilding

434. Ellen Plunkett: Irish. R.C. she has a Child 4 Months old with her. just out of jail, bad with Rheumatism, was sent here by George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admittance as she is destitute. To remain in Outbuilding.

435. Catharine Kenna: 22 years of age, from Peterborough where she was born, and from whence she came to day. She was sent by the Mayor who recommends her for admittance for a few days until she can be taken in the Lying in Hospital being near her confinement. R.C.

436. John Holt: 46 years of age, English, ChofEngl. Came from the States in January. Not in good health, and no means of supporting himself at present, wishes for shelter until he gets better.

437. William McDowell: in Case 413 was brought back by a Police Constable by order of Mrs. Boomer P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been found lying about the Street in the Snow. March 1st.

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438. Ann Frazer: in Case 369 died this Morning of debility.

Tuesday 4th ~~February~~ March 1862

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner

439. Margaret McKew: 84 Stanley St. See report of 1860 and 1861. Much the same now, except that the husband complains of Rupture in addition to the effects of his accident 2 1/2 years ago, and Doctor should be consulted, or he may bring a certificate from the Hospital Doctor of his inability to earn his living, by reason of his accident and rupture, in which Case Visitor recommends Bread & fuel.

440. Fanny Jordon: rear of 15 Maria Street, lives alone upstairs, a Widow without any Children. Has had a bad throat the whole Winter, and is unable to work, Irish. R.C. wants Coal badly.

441. Mary Johnson: Phoebe St. next to School House, lives as the Neighbours told Visitor in a house of ill-fame, and certainly to all appearance the Story is true. Not recommended for anything.

442. Ann Duval: 120 York St. (Colored) widow, aged 70. Methodist, one daughter at home aged 18. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week permanent and Coal once.

443. Mary Jane Bowling: living in Bloor Street, not very far from 'Fox's Tavern' she and her husband are very poorly off, and if the House could give them any assistance it would be an act of kindness to a struggling Family.

444. John Riley: an Inmate dies this Morning [at] 9 O'clock of Consumption. See Case 720 in 1860.

445. John Craig: 23 years of age, Canadian, ChofEngl. Completely crippled with Rheumatism, he has not friends to do for him in Toronto, and his Case could not be entertained in the Hospital, was sent to this Institution (February 17th) by the Mayor, to be admitted.

446. Margaret Caverly: in Case 371 asked leave to go out for a few hours on Fbr. 27th did not return until 5th of March, advised to come before the Committee, to see whether they will admit her again.

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447. A little girl about 5 years old, was sent to the House by Sergeant Major Ferris, The Mother Jan Strathey having been sent to jail, for one Month for disorderly Conduct.

448. Thomas Ferreter: 45 years of age, Native of Ireland, Member of English Ch. discharged from General Hospital, he was formerly a Watchman on Board the Steamer Zimmerman met there with an accident by which he lost his sight. has no friends or means. Recommended by the Hospital Trustees for admittance.

Friday 7th March 1862.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

449. Ellen Roberts: Corner of Albert & Elizabeth St. west of Prince of Wales Tavern, English. ChofEngl. Married, 59 years of age, husband 50. a Shoemaker in Consumption, but able to work a little, that is he can earn about 10d [pence] per day when he can work, clean, respectable people, No friends in Canada to assist them. Visitor recommends Coal, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

450. Alice Turner: is not known at No. 80 Centre Street.

451. May Lovell: Hickmans' Lane, York St. Widow, aged 35, R.C. 2 Children, girl 14 going to School, boy 7 at home, this ought to be reviewed, the girl should go to service, and the Boy at School, Visitor thinks she might be allowed 300 [pounds] Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week until 1st April.

452. Mary Morrison: 261 Richmond St. West. Visitor recommends that she receive Coal once more.

453. Francis Goddard: Widow Eight years, has been living in Toronto the last two years, has been working for the Shops, can get no work now. is badly off has one daughter 8 years old, lives in a room in the House of James Hannon, if she were allowed Coal, and Bread and Soup, she could arrange for her rent with Hannon. She appears a most respectable Woman. ChofEngl.

454. Henry Howard: 285 Queen St. east, No such person to be found there.

455. Margaret Sherlock: 33 Nelson St. and Bridget Moran 31 Nelson St. there must be some mistake in both these Cases, No such Number North of Kings St. within the Visitors district.

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456. Mary Foster: rear of 94 Duchess St. the Visitor will be able to give her husband some work, and he will pay him with a ticket for Coal at half price.

457. Margaret McLennan: Union Place, opposite St. Pauls Church. Power St. husband dead, one Child. has an aged Father and Mother living with her, works at tailoring herself, but has had nothing to do for some time, If she could have some Coal now, and perhaps once more, should the weather continue cold, seems a very decent respectable Woman.

458. John Scott: No. 19 Brittain St. Visitor recommends that he be allowed some rations for a sick Son, has known the family for some years, they have had a great deal of illness and suffering, and have struggled hard to support themselves. The Son is in a hopeless State, and the Father cannot afford to get him the requisite Nourishment.

459. Sarah McConnell: 24 years of age. Irish. R.C. She has a crippled foot and is lame in consequence. She left this Institution last Spring and went to Service, is now out of place, and she says on account of her lameness she cannot get another place, seeks admission, to be admitted and to make herself usefull, that is, if the Doctor thinks her a fit Case.

460. James Kennedy: an Inmate died at 3 OClock P.M See Case 744 in 1858.

Tuesday March 11th 1862

Present Messrs. E Hobson & J. Tyner

461. Honora Mangan: No. 33 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Widow 2 years, No Children, No friends in America. A regular hard Case, says she has running sores in her side, which prevents her doing anything for a livelihood. Our Doctor can ascertain all about that. R.C. She lives in one of the worst dens in Stanley Street, the resort of all the depraved creatures in Stanley Street of this City, Men and Women huddled together, the latter in a state of Seminudity and more than half drunk. Visitor thinks that if her sores are as bad as she represents them to be, they must be aggravated by her intemperate habits, unless therefore she quits her present Company and mode of Life, he cannot recommend her for anything.

462. Catharine Moor: Dummer Street, is badly off for fuel, her husband is in the old Country, has 7 Children. The Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends for Coal.

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463. Elizabeth Hannan: 84 North Park Street. recommended for Coal once more. by Visitor.



464. Bridget Conlin: in a lane off Richmond St. west. had Coal twice. The Visitor recommends that she have Coal once more.

465. Thomas Williams: 6 years of age, was taken in to the House to day., his Brother George E. William 4 years of age, was apprenticed through the House Fbr 12/62 to Duncan Robertson. They are Orphans, both their Parents being dead. Mary Hatton their Aunt signed them over to the House in the usual way. ChofEngl. admitted.

466. John Dill: 77 years of age, Native of Ireland, Presbt. Church. he was formerly an Inmate, but left to reside with some friends in the Country. He made application some time ago for readmission, his friends being nearly all dedd [dead], no room at the time, but having now a vacant bed, (one of the Inmates having died,) there is room for him. admitted

467. Ann Burns: Irish. R.C. 38 years of age. has been an Inmate before. is destitute of a home, promises to make herself general usefull if admitted. admitted

468. Ann O'Neil: 24 years of age. Irish. R.C. has one Child 18 Months old. She came from Kingston last Summer, is a Vagrant and lives by begging, Came here some time ago and begged for a Nights Lodging, but on account of having a very sore toe, and her Child being sore all over the face, and head, from the effects of a severe scald, and likewise both Mother and Child being almost naked, it was impossible to turn her out next day as is usually done, The Doctor will most likely take her toe of [off], if she can be allowed to stay a little longer.

Friday 14th march 1862

Present Mr. E Hobson, & Revd. S. Givins

469. Catharine Mack: Widow 35 years of age, ChofEngl. Canadian born in Brockville, has 3 Children, came from Buffalo yesterday, was sent to the House by the Mayor, she asked permission to remain in the Outbuilding for a few days, to wash some Clothes for herself and Children. allowed to remain for a few days, and then to try and get a pass from the Mayor to carry her back to Brockville.

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470. Elizabeth Esson: a Widow 63 years of age, a Native of Scotland, and Member of Presbyterian Church, has been an out door Patient for relief this Winter, The Revd. S. Givins recommends her for admission in the House, she is very inform. admitted.

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471. Mary McLaughlan: an Inmate 72 years of age died this evening of general debility. March 14th.

472. Joseph Bloomfield: an Inmate 77 years of age died this Morning of general debility March 15th

473. Mary Hulbert: (In Case 60) gone on trial with J. W. Collins of Newmarket.

Tuesday 18th March 1862.

Present Mr. J. Tyner and The Revd. Mr. Givins

474. Bridget Moran: rear of 83 Stanley St. 35 years of age, looks to be 50 at least. Widow 8 years, R.C. Girl 11. Both Mother and daughter in the most filthy, ragged, and miserable Condition, and living in a horrid den not fit for Swine. She says she has some Complaint of an undescribable nature! but Visitor thinks it may be traced to intemperance and a dissolute Life. Nevertheless if our Doctor should decide that her state from other causes will not admit of her earning her living, she may have such relief as his case may require, because she certainly is in a most destitute State, but on condition that she leaves Stanley St. forthwith and goes to some respectable vicinity free from the numerous incentives to Vice, with which she is at present surrounded. To have Coal once.

475. Margaret Corcoran: rere of 155 Centre Street, Irish, R.C. Married, 35 years of age, 6 Children. girl 13. girl 8. girl 2, boy 11, boy 6. and boy 5, all at home, husband a labourer very ill with Cancer and Consumption she appears a Clean industrious Woman, Children and house clean. Visitor recommends 600 [pounds] a Month, 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week, Tea, Sugar, Rice & Oatmeal.

476. Ann Philips: No Number 197 in Terauly Street.

477. Margaret Purkis: No Number 26 in Terauly Street.

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478. Thomas Crawford: The Visitor recommends that he receive Coal once more.

479. Mary Ann McDermott: 17 years of age, Married, Native of Guernsey ChofEngl. deserted by her husband, one Child 14 days old, a boy. has been in the Magdalen House, lately from Lying in Hospital, The Committee will allow her to stay a Month in the house, until her Mother (who is at present in the Magdalen House) can provide a place.

480. Nancy McFarlane: and her Children left for Hamilton, she says her husband got Employment there. See Case 311

481. Thomas Mackett: 161 Centre Street, English, Methodist Church, Married. 62 years of age, very ill in Consumption, wife very ill. Son 32 years of age Widower very ill of Consumption, 2 daughters 11 and 9 years of age, appears very Clean, and respectable people, Visitor recommends 1 [pound] of Tea, 4 [pounds] of Sugar 8 [pounds] of Oatmeal and 600 [pounds] of Coal per Month, 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and a grate for the Stove.

Friday 21st March 1862

Present Messrs. W.J. Macdonell & J. Tyner & E. Hobson

482. Elizabeth Gaffney: husband applied for relief, See Case 394. The Committee will allow them 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week to the end of this Month, and 300 [pounds] of Coal, providing the husband works for it.

483. James Mair: (in Case 360 in 1861) died this Morning about 4 O'Clock. March 23th

Tuesday 25th March 1862

Present The Revd. Mr. Howard, Messrs. E. Hobson J. Thom & J. Tyner.

484. Catharine Ryan: and Michael Ryan, were sent yesterday to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr., the Mother having been sent to Gael for disorderly conduct. R.C.

485. Owen Monahan: the Step Father of the Children in Case 465, applied for the Children, The Committee consider he has no claim on them, as they were given up to the Institution by their Aunt, with whom the Children were placed, and who has been supported by the House.

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March 25th 1862

486. Mrs. Winters: Matron of Lying Hospital, applied to have a Male Child ^2 weeks old^, admitted in the House, the Mother who came from Caledon after her Confinement left the Child and cleared out, Mrs. Winters will try and trace the Mother ^who goes by the Name of Mrs. Brown^ if possible, and get her punished. The Committee order that it be given to a Wet Nurse, and the House to pay at the rate of [dollars] 4.00 a Month for the Nursing of it. Ellen Scott 140 York St. took it to nurse at [dollars] 4 a Month. 3rd April

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487. Elizabeth Brown: 40 years of age, Native of Ireland, she says that she is a Member of ChofEngl. has been in the General Hospital, brought a Note from Dr. Gardner, stating that she is in a destitute state, and a Case for the House of Industry, The Committee admit her on Condition that she makes herself general useful, if not she will have to leave the Institution.

488. James Murray: in Case 398 left for Montreal, a Sister of his having sent for him.

489. Elizabeth Moor: Not Married 22 years of age, English, near her Confinement. Came from Whitby, to be a patient in Lying in Hospital, brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her for admission for a few days, to be allowed to stay in the outbuilding for a few days and sleep in Lying in Hospital at Night.

Friday 28th March 1862

Present Mr. E. Hobson

490. Ellen Montgomery: Canadian, Widow, no Children or connections living, about a year in Toronto, suffers much from Rheumatism, and has been in the Hospital. Baptist. Wishes admittance to the House of Industry, can sew well and would make herself general useful, her means are nearly exhausted, and she appeals to the House as a last resource, 40 years of age. Canadian. Mr. W.J. MacDonell Visitor of St. Lawrence Ward recommends this Case to the favourable consideration of the Committee. admitted.

Tuesday 1st April 1862

Present The Revd. E. Baldwin & Mr. E. Hobson

491. Mary Nixon: in Case 414 to have temporary shelter in the House (as she has no home at present,) until something can be done for her outside.

492. Elizabeth Cobb: to be continued on the Bread List during the Summer, 4 [pounds] per Week.

493. Jane Curran: to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

494. Sophia Wilcox: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread continued.

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495. Sarah Linch: to have her usual allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week this Summer.

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496. Dolly Gane: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
497. Ellen Fletcher: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread continued.
498. Sarah Ryan: to be continued on the Bread List. 4 [pounds] per Week.
499. Ann Spelling: to have her 4 of Bread per Week continued.
500. Jemima Clements: to be continued on the Bread List 4 [pounds] per Week
501. Frances McConkey: to have the same as usual 4 [pounds] per Week.
502. Ann Foley: her 4 [pounds] of Bread per week continued to her.
503. Ann Cusack: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.
504. May Wolf: recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall to be continued on the List for her allowance of Bread. The Committee consider that she ought to do without relief during the Summer Months.
505. Mary Ann Caulfield: recommended by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy for her allowance of Bread during the Summer Months.
506. Janett Kirland: to be continued on the Bread List for 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

"The Special Committee" for revising List of Inmates met this afternoon at half past three OClock. Present The Chairman, Messrs. Wm. Mather, E. Hobson, and J. Tyner. The committee recommend that the following named Inmates be discharged from the Institution within the next two weeks, giving them time to look out for Employment, they are considered able to earn their own Living.

507. George Wickerson: in Case 507 in 1861. left April 16th
508. Thomas Johnston: in Case 543 in 1861. left April 3rd.
509. Patrick Fleming: in Case 628 in 1861.
510. Richard Lockhart: in Case 640 in 1861. was sent to Jail for drunkenness April {illegible}
511. James Nealy: in Case 642 in 1861 left April 2nd
512. Wiliam White: in Case 656 in 1861
513. John Smith: was all the Winter in the Outbuilding left May 12th
514. Joseph Jenkins: do [ditto] do [ditto] referred to Doctor again.
- [number 515 omitted]
516. Catherine Kenny: in Case 155 in 1862 left April 3rd.
517. Mary Ann Lindlay: in Case 269 in 1862. left April 22nd paid her fare 75 [cents]
518. Ann Bagly: in Case 295 in 1862 left May 12th
519. Bridget Hughes and Child in Case 433 in 1862. left May 5th

520. Ellen Plunkett and Child 434 in 1862 left April 10th

521. Ann O'Neil and Child 468 in 1862, left April 2nd

522. William Stephens left April 21st.

The Committee read a Letter from our Medical Officer referring to the present crowded state of the House, which letter they deem very important, and would advise that the Superintendent show it to the Weekly Committee.

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523. Kennedy O'Brien: 40 years of age, Blind, from Baltimore, was sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for a few days shelter, until the Mayor can have him forwarded to Peterboro, where he wishes to go to.

524. George Mack: about 4 years of age, and William Mack about 3 years of age, were sent to the House by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Mother Catharine Mack having been sent to gaol as a disorderly character.

525. The Child Strathey: in Case 447 was taken away by the Mother, who came out of Gaol this Morning April 3rd.

526. Ann Sawtell: recommended for her usual Allowance of Bread.

Friday 4th April 1862.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E Hobson

527. Margaret Gartland: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months on account of her bad arm.

528. Mary Sullivan: Martin Sullivans Wife recommended to be continued on the List for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week until 1st of May

529. Honora Gillan: to have her allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

530. Mary Jane Astley: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week until 1st May.

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531. Mary Dagelor: to have an allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months, being sick.
532. Ann Bagly: to have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week up to 1st of May.
533. Martha Dawson: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread until 1st of May.
534. Jane Bowes: to have her allowance of 8 [pounds] of Bread until 1st of May.
535. Margaret Fitzpatrick: to be restore to her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months.
536. Mary Ann Caulfield: to have an allowance of 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Season.
537. Ellen Brown: to have her usual allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.
538. Mary Curley: to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Season.
539. Ellen Connell: to have an allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months. on account of her crippled Son.
540. Bridget Hennessy: to have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week during Summer Months.
- 541 Samuel Wedge: recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Season.
542. Johanna Ryan: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread until 1st of May.

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April 8th 1862.

Tuesday 8th April 1862

Present the Revd. Mr. Grasett & Mr. Alex. Hamilton

543. Mary Rogers: No. 332 King Street east. recommended for her usual allowance of Bread to 1st of June. 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.
544. Margaret Burns: to be replaced on the Bread List as recommended by the Revd. Mr. Kennedy. 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.
545. William Simpson the husband of Mary Simpson, recommended by Visitor to be continued on the List for relief as long as he lives, which the Visitor judges cannot be long.
546. Mary Coulter: and her husband seemed to Visitor to be very fond of the Bottle, he states that he is unable to work, and Doctor should have something to say on this point.

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547. Catharine Stuart: recommended for her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

548. John Hookaway: to be continued on the relief List for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

549. Thomas Williams: gone on trial previous of being apprenticed.

Friday 11th April 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. Grasett

550. Ellen Sloane: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

551. Henry Howard: made application for admittance in the House, cannot be admitted now the Summer is coming on, as the Number of Inmates has to be reduced, but to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week allowed to him.

552. Catharine Dempsey: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

553. Mary Rutherford: to have her usual allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

554. Ellen O'Brien: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

555. Bridget Ward: to be continued at the rate of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week

556. Mary Hughes: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

557. Ellen Fitzpatrick: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

558. Mary Rutherford: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued.

559. Mary Finlan: 31 Stanley St. Visitor has strong impressions that her sore eyes are the result of indulgence in Whiskey Potations Our Dockter should be consulted, and if he thinks that her eyes are in such a diseased State from other causes, he would recommend permanent relief.

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March 14th 1862

560. Edward Byrns: an Inmate left on his own account.

Tuesday 15th April 1862.

Present Mr. J. Doel & the Revd. Mr. Broughall.

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561. Mary Barber: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months.

562. Honora Kearns: 36 George St. recommended for her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for two Months on account of her sick Boy.

563. Ann Ryan: recommended for her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week until farther Notice from Visitor.

564. William Merritt: to have his allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months.

Good Friday 18th April 1862.

No Committee

No Applications

565. Mary Ann McDermott: and Child in Case 479 left to day (April 21st) she is gone to take a place as Nurse and place her Child out.

Tuesday 22nd April 1862

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby

566. Catharine Murray: applied to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week continued referred to Visitor of the Ward.

Friday 25th April 1862

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby.

567. Bridget Driscoll: had relief all the Winter, wishes to have it continued. Visitor does not recommend, thinks she ought do without during the Summer.

568. Mary Donoghue: 70 years of age, Native of Ireland. Protestant. brought a Note from Mr. Eaton Vice Chancellor, who recommends her as a fit Case for admittance having been a long resident in Toronto, and now without means of living. admitted.

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March 25th 1862.

569. Catharine Murray: recommended by Visitor that a ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread be allowed her during the Summer Months.

670 [570]. John Gould: the Child at Nurse with Mary Fairburn was returned to the House by her as she is gone to leave Toronto. It was given to Jane Bailie to Nurse who lives at No. {blank} Elizabeth St. at [dollars] 4 per Month. April 26th.

Tuesday April 29th 1862

Present Mr. E Hobson.

571. Margaret Densmoor: 282 Queen St. west, Irish. R.C. 4 Children husband has been in prison for a Month, and there is no prospect of immediate release – herself has a very bad hand, which prevents her working. recommended for Bread. & to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

572. Ann Quin: 31 William St. west recommended for an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread during Summer Months.

573. Jane Armstrong: about 5 years of age, was sent her by G. Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother having been sent to Gael for a Month for disorderly conduct. the same Child as appears in Case 525.

574. A Female Child newly born and wrapped in a dirty Sheet, was left at the Gate on Elizabeth Street about 9 OClock April 29th gave information of the Case to Police Magistrate who promiss'd that inquiry should be made, in the mean time placed the Child out to wet nurse with Mary Jane Bailie 111 Elizabeth St. [at] [dollars]4 a Month.

575. Thomas Killally: an Inmate left the Institution on his own account.

Friday 2nd May 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

576. Charles Moray: 74 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. has been living in Streetsville since 1827. Came to Toronto about 12 Months ago, seeks admission into the House, brought a Note from the

Mayor recommending his Case to the Consideration of the Board. has no friends to assist him, no means himself, seems a feeble decent old Man. admitted.

577. Catharine Galvin: brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her for a Continuation of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. Visitor will call upon her – to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. May 6th.

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Tuesday 6th May 1862.

Present Mr. R. Cathcart & Revd. Mr. Darling

578. Mary McCabe: applied for relief, ordered her to have a loaf for the day, but cannot restore her to the permanent List during Summer.

579. James Parker: Colored, recommended by Visitor for Bread during the Summer Months, he is an aged infirm man, and his Wife is likewise advanced in years. They live in the South Side of Bloor Street. west of Fox's Tavern. Irish. R.C.

580. Margaret Burns: 131 Tecumseth St. to have no more relief during the Summer Months. as both husband and Wife are able to work.

581. Ann O'Niel ^in Case 521^ was sent to Jail for 6 Months for theft. her Child a boy called James about 2 1/2 years of age was sent her by the mayor to be taken care of during the Mother's imprisonment. Entered on the Books as James O'Niel. R.C.

582. Mary Nixon: in Case 491, sent her of [off] to Quebec as ordered by general Board, paid [dollars] 5 towards her Expences.

583. John Craig: in Case 445 left the House, having recovered from his sickness.

584. Elizabeth Brown: in Case 487 discharged from the House on account of her filthy habits, and making use of foul language.

585. Jane Hutton: an Inmate left the Institution on her own account.

Friday 9th May 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. Darling and Messrs. R. Cathcart & E Hobson

586. Thomas Killally: who left the House on 1st May, applies now for some Bread to assist him. as he left the House on his own account the Committee will not place him on the List during the Summer Months.

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587. Margaret Corcoran: rere of 155 Centre St. to have her allowance of Bread increased to 12 [pounds] a Week during her Confinement, likewise to have rations.

588. Frances Hackett: in Case 197 was sent to Gael for indecent exposure on the Streets. his Boy Frances was taken out the House by the Mother of the Boy.

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May 12th 1862.

589. A Female Child about 14 Months old was sent to the House by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother Catharine Mack having been sent to Gael for disorderly Conduct, she is the same Woman as mentioned in Case 525 there are now 3 of her Children in the House. The Child mentioned died June 16th/62

Tuesday ~~Friday~~ 13th May 1862.

Present Messrs. T. Storm & E. Hobson

590. Mr. Robert Walker: of the firm of R. Walker & Son, applied on behalf of the Revd. Mr. Davidson at whose door a male Child was left, (at the time about 2 Weeks old,) whether it can be taken in the House, Mr. Davidson has paid for two Weeks Nursing but cannot afford to do so any longer. enquirys to be made and if no trace can be found of the parents, the House will then take the Child of [off] their hands, and place it out to nurse.

591. Martin Sullivan: and his Wife to be continued on the Bread List during the Summer Month at 6 [pounds] per Week.

Friday 16th May 1862

Present Mr. Thomas Storm.

592. Enquirys have been made regarding the Foundling in Case 590, no trace of the Parents can be found, the Child to be sent out to wet nurse with Arabella Townley 92 Agnes St. at [dollars] 4 per Month on May 14th

593. Charles Moray or Mulloy: in Case 576 would like to live out of the House with a daughter of his, if relief could be afforded him out of doors, referred to Visitor.

594. James Gold: to have 300 [pounds] of Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for a Month.

595. G.S. Giles: in Case 322 in 1858 died this morning of debility. Mary 20th.

Tuesday 20th May 1862

Present The Revd. Mr. Elliott & Mr. E Hobson

596. Mary Mahon: 69 Albert Street to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month.

597. Charles Mulloy: in Case 593. Visitor called and learned from Mulloys daughter that her father recently came from the Country, he therefore leaves the Case to the Committee

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May 20th 1862

598. William Smith: 50 years of age, came from Pickering to get into the Hospital, was not considered a proper Case by Dr. Odder. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending him for a few days shelter in the House if not against the rules of the Institution. The Committee consider he has no Claim here and therefore order the Supt. to pay his fare back to Pickering. Native of England. ChofEngl.

599. Jane Chambers: 28 Richmond Street, no such person there or thereabouts.

600. Edward Cradicotte: 160 Queen St. west aged 44, has a Wife and Boy 9 years. is paralised for last 5 years, wife has one days work in the week. English ChofEngl. recommended for a loaf a week. Cannot have any Bread during the Summer.

601. Margaret Adams: Widow, 58 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. has been living in Toronto 30 years, She is now without a home and has no means of making a living, her Children are all more or less dissipated and are away from her, she wishes to become an Inmate. She is to be admitted on the terms that she make herself general useful, which she promisses to do.

602. Jane Large: rere of 87 1/2 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 40 years of age 3 Children all Boys, 6.5 & 2 years of age. husband and herself both in bad health. came from Trafalgar in April last where they have been living for the last seven years, expecting to get better medical advice for her husband who is in bad health intends to return as soon as able to leave. to have temporary relief, 1/4 [pound] Tea 1 [pound] Sugar, 2 [pounds] Rice 2 [pounds] Oatmeal 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

Friday 23th May 1862

Present Messrs. E. Hobson. W. Mather & Ths. Storm.

603. Mary Ann Brown: an Inmate asked leave to go out. The Committee refused on account of her not being able to conduct herself when she gets out.

604. Elisa Turner: 54 years of age. Spinster. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. she is a Cripple not able to make her living outside, has been in the House before, is now anxious to become an Inmate again. The Committee will admit her on Condition that she make herself agreeable, and general useful, and not to expect to take in work, to do for people outside.

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May 23th 1862

605. Elisa Hamilton: Hickmans Lane York St. says that she took a Child to Nurse last March from a strange Man, who promiss'ed to pay her [dollars] 1 1/2 a Week in advance for the Nursing of it, paid her two weeks, and has not been heard of since, she now wants to give the Child up to the House. The Committee can not entertain her Case.

606. John Beatty: Mr. W. Wakefield made an application on his behalf, wants to get him admitted in to the House, Beatty has [pounds] 200 at interest is willing to pay something for his support when in the House, Supt. to write to Mr. Wakefield, and to say that he will be admitted on the payment of [dollars] 20 a quarter in advance, and to be subject to the rules of the House the same as any other Inmate, no extra difference can be made. Irish. ChofEngl.

607. William Smith: in Case 598. was to [too] ill to be sent away, was allowed to remain in the Outbuilding, he died this Morning May 25th.

608. Jane Armstrong: in Case 573 was taken out to day (May 27th) by her Mother.

Tuesday 27th May 1862.

Present Mr. R. Woodsworth

609. John Beatty: in Case 606, Came in the House May 27th, he is willing to pay [dollars] 20 per quarter in advance, and willing to be subject to the rules of the Institution.



610. Catharine & Michael Ryan: in Case 484 where [were] this day (May 29th) taken out of the Institution by their Mother.

Friday 30th May 1862.

Present Mr. E Hobson

611. Richard Jeffers: applied to the Committee to have his youngest Child took in to the House, his Wife having died and the elder two Children are placed in the Orphans Home, the youngest boy is 11 Months old and sickly. The Committee consider that Jeffers is quite able to provide at least for one of his Children, and therefore will not take it of [off] his hands.

612. The Foundling in Case 574 was returned to the House by Mary Jane Bailie her husband not approving his Wife nursing a Colored Child. (May 30th)

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Tuesday 3rd June 1862

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Mr. E Hobson.

No Applications.

613. James Irvin: an Inmate had leave to go out on last Monday, he has not returned up to date May [June] 6th

Friday 6th June 1862

Present Messrs. E Hobson & J. Thom.

614. Mary Hanlon: to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Summer Months.

Tuesday 10th June 1862

Present Mr. E Hobson

615. George & Jane Clark: aged respectively 8 & 7 years, were sent here from the General Hospital their Mother is dead, and the Father it appears has deserted them, both have sore heads, to be admitted. Children of William and Elisa ~~Jane~~ Clark.

616. James Prest: has run away from Mr. John Brown with whom he was apprenticed. Brown wishes to have the Indentures cancelled, the Case to be brought before the General Board.

617. John & Edward Thomas: Colored, Children of Ann Davis were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. PM. [Police Magistrate] the Mother having been sent to jail for one Month.

618. Ann O'Donnell: returned from her apprentice Ship, with Consent of the General Board.

619. Jane Chambers: Mr. Thom visited, but cannot recommend the Case

Friday 13th June 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

620. Ann Corrigan: opposite Hunters Tavern Stanley St. 25 years of age looks 40, grief has brought her down, her husband is a confirmed drunkard and is now in jail for that Crime will be out on the 3rd July, beats his Wife Cruelly, as says she. girl 5. Boy 3, and girl 1 1/2, all in good health, but unable to obtain work, and until her husband get free again, she cannot

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sustain herself and 3 Children. The Visitor recommends bread for a Month. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

Tuesday 17th June 1862.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & W.J. MacDonell

621. Mary Littleman: 76 years of age, Widow, ChofEngl. born in the States. a resident in Toronto since 1831, her Children all died, has no friends and no home now, seeks admission into the House. The Committee consent to take her in on trial for a time, to ascertain whether she will make herself general useful as she is not past work.

622. George Cantwell: about 5 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer P.M. {Police Magistrate} the Father Simon Cantwell having been sent to jail for a Month.

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Friday 20th June 1862

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & W.J. MacDonell.

623. Margaret McCabe: applied for relief, to have a Loaf for the day, but not have any permanent relief.

624. James Irwin: in Case 613, made application for readmission, The Committee will admit him this time as he seems to have been absent on account of his Eyes, for which he was under treatment at Belleville,

625. Ann, John & Catharine Densmore: aged 8. 5 & 3 years respectively were recommended by the Mayor for admission, the Father having been sent to jail, and the Mother being bad with dropsy intends to go into Hospital The Parents are Irish, the Father & Children are Members of Presbyterian Church the Mother a Member of Roman Catholic Church.

626. George Woods: an Inmate (Colored) was discharged on last Tuesday by the General Board, having struck another Inmate with a stick & cutting his head.

627. William McDowell: an Inmate (Imbecile) left the House on last Saturday (June 21st) without leave and has not returned since June 23/62

628. James McShane: in Case 832 in 1861. left the Institution on his own accord on the 13th instant

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Tuesday 24th June 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Mr. E Hobson.

629. Jane Gilbert: 20 years of age, Native of Ireland, has been 9 years in Canada, not Married, has a Child (a boy) 13 Months old, says that she is not able to support it, and therefore wishes the House to take it of [off] her hands. The Committee consider her well able to work and to support her Child, and that this is not a Institution to take illegitimate Children of [off] the hands of their Parents.

630. Joseph Jenkins: 33 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. has been in Toronto about 7 years, been in the Outbuilding all the Winter, discharged in April last, but on account of inability to work, was allowed to remain his Case to be referred to the Doctor. Doctor states that Jenkins is not a fit Case for the Hospital, He will most probably be permanently Lame.

631. Application was made by the Mayor for admission of the four Children of Thomas Warren: who died through intemperance, Notice was sent to Revd. Mr. Broughall the Ward Visitor, who reports, that he visited the Family but found the Mother out. The little girl told him however that her Mother had resolved not to send them to the House. Visitor believes the Revd. Dr. Fuller is at present interesting himself in their behalf. June 25th.

632. A Male Child about 2 years old, was sent to the House by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother Mary Quinn having been sent to Gaol for one Month June 26/62

633. Ellen Roberts: in Case 449. recommended by the Visitor for a full ration of Oatmeal, Rice, Sugar & Tea, on account of her husbands illness.

Friday 27th June 27th 1862.

Present Messrs. E Hobson & J. Thom.

634. Augusta Dross: 22 years of age, a German, has a Child 5 Months old named Charles Dross. The Mayor wished the Child to be admitted into the House of Industry, thereby enabling the Mother to go to Service and earn a decent living, admitted, to be placed out to Nurse at the Expense of the House with Elizabeth McMullan, Spadina Avenue No ~~28~~ 23. at [dollars] 4 a Month. June 28th.

635. Alice Murray: to have a full allowance of Tea & Sugar & Oatmeal 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, on account of her sick Daughter Mrs. Neal.

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Tuesday 1st. July 1862.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E Hobson.

636. Neal {blank}: 18 years of age. ChofEngl. She is in the last stage of Consumption her husband left her and her Child (a girl) who is 5 Months old utterly destitute, she stays with her Mother Alice Murray in Case 635 who lives by begging. Visitor recommends that the Child be taken away from the sick Mother and placed out to Nurse at the expense of the House. sent to Nurse with Arrabella Townsley 92 Agnes St. [at] [dollars] 5 per Month.

637. The following 6 Children were sent to this Institution by G. Boomer Esqr. Police Magistrate, their Mothers' - Margaret O'Leary: and Cathr. Barton: having been this day Committed to Gaol for being drunk in the public Streets. James O'Leary 7. Mary Ann 6, Honora 5, Margaret 3 years of age, these children are extremely filthy and have sore heads and itch. The two Bartons - Susan 5 and Catharine 4 years of age have both sore Eyes.

Friday 4th July 1862.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Thom.

638. Elisa Davis: Widow, 46 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. has been residing in the States for some years where she lost her husband, she is sick now, has no means of supporting herself, wishes to go to her friends in Ottawa who would take care of her if she could get there. The Committee order that Superintendent pay her fare to Kingston, and that she apply to the Mayor there to forward her to ~~Kingston~~ Ottawa.

639. Ann Davis: took her Children out the Institution see Case 617. July 8th

Tuesday 8th July 1862.

No Committee

640. John Gould: in Case 154, died this day at Margaret Costellos No. 231 Sayer St. having been placed there to wet nurse July 9th.

641. The Child (Female) of Bridget McVey was sent to the House by the order of George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother having been Committed to Jail for one Month. Child about 2 years old. July 10th

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Friday 11th July 1862.

Present The Revd. H.J. Grasett.

No Applicants.

642. Peter Ward: about 11 years of age, was sent to the House for admittance by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] he having been found drunk and destitute on the Public Streets, the Boy's Mother was sent to Gaol yesterday for one Month, having been disorderly on the Streets. ran away the same evening.

Tuesday 15th July 1862.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmore. J Doel and Revd. Mr. Broughall

643. John Barrett: 76 years of age, Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic Church seeks admission in to the House, he is strongly recommended by Mr. Rutherford who has known him for many years, he has a pension of 4 d [pence] a day which he is willing to give up to the House. to be admitted.

644. Charlotte Ann Hatton: 5 years of age, an Orphan, Canadian, ChofEngl. The Mother was sick (Consumption) for a long time, died last Week. The Child has no friends is recommended for admittance by the Revd. Mr. Darling and Mr. E. Hobson. To be admitted.

645. George & William Mack in Case 524 were taken out by their Mother. July 16.

Friday 18th July 1862.

Present Mr. J. Doel.

646. Margaret Densmore: the Mother of the Children in Case 625, left the Hospital, applied to be admitted in the House for a time, The Committee cannot admit her, but allow her a Loaf of Bread p [per] Week for a Month, and her Children will be allowed to remain in the House for a few weeks longer until she gets settled.

647. John Wingrove: 56 years of age, Native of England, ChofEngl. he is blind, and has been begging about the Town in Winter and Country in Summer for many years, he has no one to lead him about now, the woman that used to has died, he is in a most filthy state, that no one can take him in for shelter, brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends his admission, in the House of Industry.

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July 18th 1862

The Committee order that he be examined by the Doctor and if nothing about him is to affect others, to be thoroughly scrubbed, after which to be admitted in the Outbuilding.

648. William Murphy: Irish. R.C. has a Wife and 6 Children, 3 of which are down with the Measles, and the Wife near her Confinement, Mr. Westmacott recommends them as very deserving, and Capt. Elmsley who visited them, recommends all, that can be done for them, by the House of Industry.

649. Patrick Gann: aged 6 years and 6 Months, gone on trial with Isaac Walton Township of Albion.

650. The Female Foundling (Colored) at Nurse with Emily Gaunt 117 Elizabeth Street. died this day July 21st.

651. William Cowan: now about 11 years of age, was apprenticed to David Whitson of Lot 37 in the 7th Concession, Township of Osprey in the County of Grey, July 22/60. The Boy returned to day July 21st.

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Complains of not having been used well, his appearance confirms his statement, having been most shamefully used.

Tuesday July 22nd 1862.

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby & Revd. Dr. Green.

652. The Weekly Committee recommend that William Cowans Case (Case 651) be brought before the General Board.

653. Elizabeth Johnson: (Colored) 46 Edward St. 70 years of age, Widow, no family, Visitor recommends that she be placed on the Bread - List for 4 [pounds] per Week.

654. The Child McVey in Case 641 was taken out by the Mother, July 24th.

Friday July 25th 1862

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby.

655. Jane Tremble: No. 222 King St. east. Visitor recommends a allowance of Bread Weekly, her Son is dying from Consumption, and her husband had his arm broken, unable to do hard work. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread per week.

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656. Hosiah Turner: 62 years of age, (Colored), has been 20 years in Toronto, No family, discharged from General Hospital, where one of his legs was taken off, having been frozen last Winter, recommended as a proper Case for admission, by our Medical Doctor. To be admitted

657. Catharine Densmoor: in Case 646 took her eldest Child Ann: out of the Institution to nurse her baby while she is out at Work, she will take the other two as soon as she gets settled.

658. Mary Ann Quinn: took her Child out of the Institution, her term in Gaol having expired. See Case 632.

659. The Child of Mrs. Neal in Case 636. died out at Wet Nurse July 26



660. Sarah McDonald: an Inmate had leave to go out on last Sunday she has not returned yet. July 29th. See Case 459.

Tuesday 29th July. 1862.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

No Applicants

661. The four Children O'Leary: in Case 637. left the House, the Mother's term in Gaol having expired July 31.

Friday August 1 1862.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

662. Zilpha Smith: in Case 432, applied for relief, the Committee consider she ought to go to Service.

663. Henry Ireland: an Inmate wishes to go into the Country to live with his friends, applied to the Committee for a little Money to help to pay his fare, to be allowed [dollars] 2.

664. The two Children Susan and Catharine Barton: in Case 637. taken out by their Mother, whose term in Gaol having expired.

665. Mary Ann McNight: Widow, Irish. Presbt. 3 Children 4, 3 and 3 Weeks old husband died last fall, lives in a Lane of [off] Shuter Street. brought a Note from the Mayor. Capt. Elmsley recommends all that can be done for her by the

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Committee as he considers her deserving. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and one ration of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & Rice.

666. Joseph Jenkins: an Inmate asked leave to go out 1st August has not returned up to date August 5th

667. James Irwin: an Inmate had leave on Saturday to go out, returned on Monday evening.

668. The four Children of Bridget O'Leary were again sent to the House by the Police Magistrate, she having been sent to jail for two Months for disorderly Conduct. See Case 661. August 2.

669. The two Children of Mary Barton in Case 664. were sent here again by the Police Magistrate the Mother having been sent to Gaol for one Month. also the two Children of Catharine Ryan: she having been sent to gaol for one Month. August 4th.

Tuesday 5th August 1862.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson.

670. James Irwin: in Case 667 to be admitted once more, but if he should transgress again, not to be taken in again.

671. Ann Lloyd: No. 111 Adelaide Street west, an old out door Pensioner recommended by the Visitor Mr. J. Tyner that she be placed on the permanent List for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

672. The Male Child of May Gallagher: was sent here by the Police Magistrate the Parents having been this day sent to gaol (August 7th) Child about 2 years old. See 694.

673. Richard F. Walker: a boy about 9 years of age was sent here by order of the Police Magistrate, his Worship recommends that the Boy should be confined, and some chastisement administered to him to correct him of his evil and vagabond habits (August 7th) The Boy ran away the same evening by claiming over the fence.

674. Mrs. Walton: applied for some Bread for her Children, her husband having been sent to Gaol for drunken and disorderly Conduct has 6 [pounds] of Bread.

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Friday 8th August 1862.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart J. Thom & E. Hobson

675. Elizabeth Young: No. 97 Beach St. Married, 5 Children, Girl 10. girl 9. Boy 5. Boy 3 and girl 6 Months old. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church husband a Shoemaker, decent deserving man, provided for his family as long as he was able to work, now far gone in Consumption and most of his time in bed, all depends upon the Wife to support him and the Children. Mr. Thom knows the Case well and recommends them as deserving for all the assistance that can be afforded. The Committee order that she receive 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week and a double ration of Sugar Tea &etc. per Month.

676. Ann McNab: Widow, 26 years of age, Irish, Presbt. two Children seeks temporary relief as her Children are sick at present to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for this once.

677. Margaret Densmoore: would like to take her two Children out of the Institution, if the Committee would allow her some Bread weekly, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week. and to have her Children.

678. Robert Campbell: 65 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. he has been in the Toronto Police force for some years, his Wife and family are in Mono. he has very bad legs, says he cannot get admittance in the Hospital, has a Claim on a farm somewhere when that gets settled he will recompense the House for his Keep - and leave the House, to be admitted.

679. A Male Child about 6 Weeks old was sent by the Mayor for admission, it was left at a door in the City, and consequently has to be cared for, if it is obliged to be sent out to Nurse, his Worship will see that it is paid for.

Tuesday 12th August 1862

Present Messrs. Thomas Storm & E Hobson.

680. Sarah Barnett: Spinster, 60 years of age, has been living for many years in the Lower Province, came lately to Toronto to look after some friends, but could not find them, seeks admission into the House. The Committee cannot entertain her Case, she having no Claim on Toronto, should go back to Montreal where she last lived for about 5 years

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681. Margaret Murray: an Inmate, gets occasionally a trifle of Money from a daughter who lives in the States, as she is not a fit person to be trusted with Money, being rather fond of going on the Spree. The Committee order that it be expended on her for Clothing when she requires it.

682. The two Children of Mary Barton were taken out of the House to day by their Father who brought a Note from the Police Magistrate recommending them to be given up as he (the Father) intends leaving Toronto with them. See Case 669.

683. George Cantwell: in Case 622. was taken out by his Father, whose time in Gaol having expired. August 13.

684. The following 3 Boys were sent for admission by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] Thomas . Henry: aged 13, Frank Glenn: aged 11, and John Lynch aged 10 years. The Magistrate desires

they may be retained in the House until they can be bound out as apprentices. They were found in Company with other bad Boys who had been stealing Iron pots. August 14th.

Friday 15th August 1862.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and Thomas Storm.

685. Charlotte Baxter: Married, 2 Children. Irish. ChofEngl. She and her husband and two Children came from Quebec 2 weeks ago, to better their Condition in Toronto, cannot get Employment, seeks relief from the House. Committee advise that she have a loaf for to day, and that she see the Mayor if he can send her back to Quebec where she was born and has been living ever since.

686. Margaret Murray: in Case 681. insisted on leaving the House yesterday, to day she applied for readmission, to be admitted on Condition, that she getting leave to go out occasionally will entirely depend upon her behaviour in the House.

687. Margaret Harrington: an old Case seeks for relief, cannot be placed on the relief List during the Summer Months, being a strong healthy woman able to work.

688. The 3 Boys in Case 684. escaped the same evening by Claiming the Fence.

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August 13th 1862.

689. Archibald McKinney: 74 years old, Irish. Presbt. has been 9 years in Toronto, been living with a Son in Law on Dundas St. they quarrelled in Consequence of which the old Man seeks admission in the House of Industry. Mr. Hobson will make enquirys about the Case and report by next Tuesday.

690. Thomas Luke: 72 years of age, Native of England, has been living in York Township near Berwick for 42 years, was sent to Toronto by Mr. Grub, for admission in the Poor House. Cannot be admitted as every Municipality has to look after their own poor. Supt to write a Note to that effect.

691. Ann and Billy Kearney: respectively about 7 and 3 years of age. were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. both Parents having been Committed to Gaol for one Month.

692. Three Boys: who had been taken up as Vagrants were sent to day (August 18th) by the Police Magistrate to be Kept in the House until they can be bound out as apprentices Silvester Hogel 11. and George Hogel years of age (Brother's) say they were born in St Catharines and belong to the Roman Catholic Church, their Father died some years ago, when they removed with their Mother to the States, from where they came back about two Months ago. The Mother married again a Man named Peter

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Dupraw, both went to Montreal to look after some thing and left the Children destitute in Toronto. The other Boy,

693. George Duggan: 8 years of age, says he is an Orphan and belongs to the Roman Catholic Church, Father was a Tailor and lived on Magill Street, admits that he was placed by the House of Providence with some People in the Country about 8 Miles out, from whom he absconded

694. Joe Gallagher: 7 years of age, had been Confined to Gaol for stealing Apples, was brought to day (August 18th) by a Constable to be taken Care of for a few days until his parents come out of Gaol. The Boy belongs to the Gallaghers in Case 672.

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Tuesday 19th August 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins

695. The Children in Case 692 to be admitted for a time, Left to send due Notice to Capt. Elmsley to find suitable places for them.

696. Archibald McKinney: in Case 689, Mr. Hobson made enquirys, and reports that McKinney has no occasion to come to the Poor House as his friends are willing and able to Keep him if he likes to make himself agreeable. Committee will allow him to remain in the Outbuilding until Friday.

697. William McDowell: in Case {blank} to be admitted again as he is not capable of taking care of himself.

698. Sent Notice - to the Hon. Capt Elmsley, according to the rules of the Institution to find places within fourteen days, for the following 3 Boy's belonging to the Roman Catholic Church. Silvester Hogel 11 and George Hogel 8 years (Brothers) and George Duggan aged 8 years.

Friday 22nd August 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson

699. Archibald McKinney : in Case 696, cannot be admitted as his friends are willing to keep him.

700. George Drury: an Inmate objects helping to do the work of the House, is afraid of Water and Steam on account of his Eyes - Doctor to pass his opinion, and if he pronounces him able to work, Drury will have to do so or else leave the House.

701. The three Boys in Case 698, absconded this Morning at day break by Claiming [climbing] the Fence.

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702. The Male Foundling in Case 679 died this day (August 24th) at Agnes Street with Arrabella Townsley where he was placed out to Wet Nurse.

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Tuesday 26th August 1862.

No Committee

703. James Barron: an Inmate brought Whisky into the House Contrary to the rules of the Institution.

704. Elizabeth Nab: 23 years of age. Canadian born, ChofEngl. has been living in the States 5 years, was married there, left her husband last February, came to live with her Mother in Niagara, now from the Lying In Hospital where she was confined, her Baby (a girl) is about 2 Weeks old. She and her Child are recommended by the Mayor for admittance until she can get a place as Wet Nurse. to be admitted. Left the same day without giving her reason for doing so.

705. The following four Boys were sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] Michael Keating the Magistrate desires to be Kept until bound out to Service, The other three are Children of Anthony and Eliza Maguire who were this day (August 28) Committed to Gaol for one Month. Keating is 11 years of age. The others of Maguire, Patrick 10. William 7 and Owen 2 1/2 years old respectively. Michael Keating absconded same day.

Friday 29th August 1862

Present Mr. E. Hobson

706. Patrick Monahan: 60 years of age. Married, Irish. R.C. lives in the second House on King Street, west of Bathurst Street. He is in a weak state of health, seeks admission in to the House for a time. His Case referred to the Ward Visitor.

707. Sidney Morrison: she is a Woman about 35 years of age, No particular Church. has been about 3 years in Toronto doing nothing, says she is without friends, and in a feeble state of health, seeks admission into the House to be admitted if the Doctor considers her a proper Case. Irish

708. John Henry Taylor: a boy about 5 years of age, was sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] his Mother Mary Ann Taylor has this day been Committed to Gaol for one Month.

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709. The Male Foundling in Case 592 died this Morning with Arabella Townsley 92 Agnes Street.

710. Sidney Morrison: in Case 707. to be admitted as the Doctor pronounces her far gone in Consumption.

Tuesday 2nd September 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

No Applications.

711. Mary Barber: aged 9. and Elisa Barber: aged 8 years respectively, were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother being dead, and the Father John Barber is now undergoing one Month's Imprisonment in the common Gaol of the City of Toronto.

712. Charles Lossie: a boy about 13 years of age (see Case 219.) was sent by the Police Magistrate, to be kept here until he can be bound out to Service. ran away Sept. 5th.

713. William Kelly: an Inmate 8 years of age, gone on trial to George McManns Esqr. previous of being apprenticed.

714. Mary Brown: an Inmate ran away. See Case 603. Septbr. 4th

715. William McDowell: in Case 697 ran away this Morning. Sept 4th.

716. James, Owen and John, aged respectively about 7. 5 and 2 years of age - Children of Maria and Owen Sullivan who have this day been Committed to gaol for one Month. Children were sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken cared for in the House of Industry.

Friday 5th September 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

717. William White: who was in the Outbuilding last Winter and last part this Summer, but was turned out for smuggling Whiskey into the House contrary to rules, made application to day for readmittance - Cannot be admitted as he is able to work, and the House being too full at the present time.

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September 5th 1862

718. William Eldon: an old Case applied for admission, he was discharged by the General Board, and therefore cannot be admitted by the Weekly Committee.

719. Patrick Monahan: King St. south side 2nd House west of Bathurst St. Infirm old Man, disabled in his arms, was 3 Months in Hospital - aged 60 years, Wife age 55 years Knits a little - 6 Children, ages from 26 yrs. to 17 yrs. 4 boys and two girls. The Boys have gone to the U. States. one daughter Married, the other is at Service with her, Monahan and his Wife live in a small Shanty, rent [dollars] 1.50 per Month with taxes. Monahan Roman Catholic, his Wife ChofEngl. to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week. see Case 706

720. Patrick Gardiner: took out his Son James in Case 716. The other two Children belong to his daughter Maria Sullivan.

721. Mary Butler: an Inmate died this Morning at half past nine O Clock A.M. Septbr. 6th. See Case 378 in 1862.

722. John Stalker: an Inmate died this day (Septbr. 6th.) at 3 OClock P.M. See Case 501 in 1860.

723. John Hayes: 10 years of age. was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be kept until he can be bound out as an Aprentice, Boy says his Father and Mother went to the States last Winter. was taken up by the Police as a Vagrant. says he belongs to the Roman Catholic Church

724. John Schallon: an Inmate left the House on his own accord with the intention of making his living out.

Tuesday 9th Septbr. 1862

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

725. John Hayes: in Case 723 to be admitted, Notice to be sent to Hon. Captn. Elmsley to provide a place for him according to the rules.

726. Mary Brown: in Case 714 returned to the House, after having sold part of her Clothes to have her spree with. wishes to be readmitted, promises not to run away again if admitted this time to be admitted.

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Friday 12th September 1862

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

727. Thomas . Richardson: 7 years of age, Mother lives on Elizabeth Street Father sails on the Lakes. The Boy was sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be kept until he can be bound out. ran away same day.

728. William Dow: Eighteen Months old died this Morning Sept. 13th See Case 400.

729. Sent the usual Notice to Capt Elmsley to provide a place for the Boy John Hayes: in Case 725. Sept. 13th.

730. George Washington: an Inmate died this Day (Sept. 15) See Case 246 in 1858

731. Mary & Elisa Barber: in Case 711 were taken out by their Father he having been released from Gaol. Sept. 15th.

Tuesday 16th Septbr 1862.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

732. Sarah Ross: of 65 Elizabeth Street, and Jane Heasty: Servant in Lunatic Asylum applied for George & Jane Clarke in Case 615. They produced a Letter from the Childrens Grandfather John Clarke of Ballinagall (Monaghan P.O.) Ireland, who wishes to have them home - sent Money to clothe them, and a ticket for their passage, Committee order that the Children be handed over to the said parties as soon as they bring some clothing to take them away in.

733. Norah Warren: Widow, 64 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. has two grown up Sons, but both away from her, one in the States the other in the Lower Province, says she is not able to work, and has no one to assist her. her Case to be referred to the Visitor, to enquire whether she has any claim on the House.

734. Ann & Billy Kearney: in Case 691 were taken out by their Father his time in Gaol having expired.

735. Margaret McNerny: about 7 years of age, sent by Police Magistrate to be Kept until she can be put out to Service, she being a homeless vagrant.

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Friday 19th Septbr. 1862.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & Mr. W.J. MacDonell

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736. Alice Turner: 91 Centre Street, referred to the Visitor.

737. George Drury: in Case 700, applied for leave to see Mr. Kingsford at 2 O'clock this afternoon about a Situation, to be allowed this time, and to bring a Note from that Gentleman stating the time that Drury by be required by him in future - and that Angelina Abrahams: who seems to have an appointment this afternoon about the same time be retained in the House, to prevent a meeting between the two.

738. Jane Watts: about 13 Months old died in the House this Morning at 4 O'clock. See Case 400.

739. Michael Campbell: aged 13 years, and Michael McNerney: aged 11 years were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] and he desires them to be kept until they can be bound out - they were arrested for disorderly Conduct on the Streets. Sept. 20th. both Boys ran away.

740. Maurice Convey: an Inmate, 47 years of age, died this Morning, Sept 20th See Case 837 in 1859.

Tuesday 23rd Sept. 1862.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson.

741. George Drury: in Case 737 has Employment at the Exhibition, has permission to sleep in the House until he gets paid when he will have to leave the House for good. left Sept. 29th

742. Robert Campbell: in Case 678. left the House on his own account.

Friday 26th Sept 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

No Applications

743. The Children of Catharine Ryan, were taken out the House by her, See Case {blank}

744. The Children in Case 716. taken out by their Parents Sept. 27th.

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744. Mary Ann Wilson: about 4 years of age - was sent by G. Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the Mother Mary Wilson having been sent to Gaol for two Months - admitted.

Tuesday 30th Septbr. 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson. Revd. E. Baldwin

745. James Morris: and Robert Campbell (see Case 742.) were sent by the Police Magistrate to the house both being homeless Vagrants. Morris: is 54 years of age a Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. he cannot give a correct account of himself, seems to be partly out of his mind. To be admitted in the Outbuilding for a few days until his Case is properly considered. Campbell: to see Doctor.

746. Margaret Benfield: Native of U. States, last from New York, Came to Canada with the intention to go to Peterboro where she says her Children are. asks' mean's from the Committee to pay her fare she being without Money, to go to the Mayor and bring a Note from him to certify that he will pay half if House pays the other half. Supt be then authorized to send her off.

747. {blank} Burrett: No. 118 York Street. her husband aged 50 years, one Child a Boy aged 5 years. She is very poorly situated, and is sick - her Sister who is a Widow and has 3 Children is with her in the same apartment, say they came from the States a few weeks ago. Mr. Tyner took a good deal of trouble to get her in the Lying in Hospital after having permission she would not go - had doubts of many of their statements, Widow says her husband was killed at Bull-Run. thinks they wont suffer for want of asking. leaves the Case to Committee to have 8 [pounds] of Bread for a Month, the Case then to be referred to Visitor again, they had allowance of Tea, Sugar, and Oatmeal on recommendation of Dr. Green.

748. John Hayes: in Case 725. and Margaret McInerney: in Case 735. were sent to House of Providence on Application of Capt. Elmsley, both Children belonging to the Roman Catholic Church.

749. Mary Jane Morrison: a girl about 12 years of age was found wandering about the Streets, having lost her way, she was taken up by the Police, and was sent here by Police Magistrate to be taken care of until claimed by relatives. Mother Called and took her out.

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September 30th 1862.

750. John Gilipsie: 65 years of age, Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church has been a resident in Toronto for some years, is now destitute, not able to earn his living, recommended by Mr. R. Gilmor for admission. admitted.

751. The four Children in Case 668, were taken out by their Mother Bridget O'Leary. October 2nd.

Friday 3rd October 1862.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson & Revd. E. Baldwin.

752. James Morris: in Case 745. turns out to be a Lunatic. and therefore no proper Case for this Institution, Committee advise that Dr. Ogden write a Note to the Police Magistrate, with a view to get Morris admitted in Lunatic Asylum.

753. The 3 Children in Case 716, were taken out by their parents, Owen and Maria Sullivan, their terms in gaol having expired.

754. Thomas Harvey: 62 years of age, from George Town, he was sent by the Police Magistrate, having been charged with drunken and disorderly Conduct in the Streets, and being a homeless wanderer.

755. William Clayton: and Sarah Watson: each of the Children about 10 years of age, were sent to the House by the Police Magistrate to be Kept until claimed by their Parents, the former was taken up on suspicion of stealing a Silver Watch. The latter having been deserted by her parents. Clayton ran away

Tuesday 7th October 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

756. Barbara Reynolds: No. 44 Church Street - 28 years of age. husband gone to California, and sends her no assistance whatever, has not heard from him since. He is a hard drinker, and otherwise a worthless fellow. Boy 11. Boy 7 and girl 5 with a farmer in Elora, girl 2 1/2 with her and a Boy 2 Weeks old with her. She is very delicate since her Confinement. Parents dead. Brother and two Sisters in the Lower part of the province but unable to help her, having families of their own. Very clean, tidy, respectable in every way, quite unable to do anything for her living. Visitor recommends the most that the Committee can do for her. ChofEngl.

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October 7th 1862

757. Barbara Reynolds: in Case 756, to have full ration of 2 [pounds] of Sugar 1/2 [pounds] Tea. 4 [pounds] Rice and 4 [pounds] of Oatmeal, 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and the Committee recommend her to call upon Mrs. Grasett with a view of getting her in the lying in Hospital for a week or so, her not being a Case that can be admitted in here having no claim upon the House.

758. John McShane: who was sent to the general Hospital by order of the Mayor on the 23rd Septbr. last, and left by the Police, Dr. Gardner sent a Note requesting to know whether McShane can be taken

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in the House, as he is not a fit subject for the Hospital, and that the Mayor directed he should be sent here, The Committee will admit him, if House Doctor considers it a proper Case. (admitted.)

759. Catharine Fogarty: in Hospital since the 9th of July with a broken leg belongs to Toronto, and was discharged on 29th ult. Dr. Gardner of General - Hospital wishes to know whether she can receive Shelter at the House of Industry for a short time till her leg gains more strength - she having no home of her own. Dr. Ogden to see whether she is a fit Case for this Institution.

Friday 10th October 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

760. John McShane: in Case 758 to be admitted, he is helpless having no use of his Limbs, and Idiotic, he is extremely filthy in his habits, otherwise in good health. Doctor considers him a Case for the House. Irish. R.C.

761. Catharine Fogarty: in Case 759 is to be admitted, Doctor thinks that after 2 or 3 Weeks more she ought to be perfectly recovered, and ought to be able to earn her living. Has two daughters in Toronto somewhere on[one] 20 the other 16 years of age. Widow, 42 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl.

762. Agnes Urquhart: 35 Oxford Street. A respectable Woman, and Keeps a tolerable clean House, husband (a stone Cutter) died 8 Months ago - she is a wet Nurse and has one Child to take care of at [dollars] 4 per Month - rent for house [dollars] 2 per Month. 5 Children - 2 boys (ages 9 years & 13 Months), 3 girls (ages 8 6 & 3 years) - Bread used to be supplied her by St Andrew's Society but receives none now. Scotch Family, belong to ChofEngl. Visitor recommends some Coal or Wood. as no firing is given out at this time a year, the Committee will allow her 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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October 10th 1862.

763. Mary Spelling: of 17 Elizabeth Street, refuses to accept any relief from the House of Industry, if her Case is to be enquired into. to have no relief.

764. Margaret Shearden: rear of 15 Elizabeth Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 28 years of age, two Children twins one Month old, has lived in Toronto one year, says that her husband left her 8 Months ago, not heard from him since, and has no idea where he is. recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and an allowance of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal, & Rice,

765. Mary Ann Morrison: No. 68 Centre Street, not at home when Visitor called but was told by a daughter a stout girl about 12 or 13 years of age, that the Mother was a Widow, came from George Town about a week ago, saw also two stout boys able to work, She has no claim on Toronto; she had better go back in the Country where her Children could go to service.

766. Elizabeth Esson: in Case 470. left the House on her own accord, to live with a Sister whose Name is Margt. Sharp and who lives on St Patrick St.

767. The Children of Mary Gallagher in Case 672 & 694 were taken out by the parents their term in Gaol having expired.

Tuesday 14th October 1862.

Present Messrs. J. Doel & E. Hobson.

768. William McDowell: was sent here by the Police Magistrate, was found wandering about the Streets, he is an old Case has been in the House several times, but runs away occasionally with a view of begging about the Streets, 14 / [shillings] were found about him, which Committee order Superintendent to place to Contingent account and find McDowell suitable Clothing. See Case 715.

Friday 17th Octbr. 1862

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor. J. Doel & E. Hobson.

769. James Galvin: 52 years of age, Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Stone Mason by trade, has been living near Barrie for some years, where he had the Misfortune of putting his hip out of joint, came to Toronto with a view of getting into Hospital, could get no admittance - was last week sent by the Mayor for a few days Shelter at House of Industry. He wishes to go to Kingston where he has friends - but no means to pay his way there, Committee recommends

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him to make application to the Mayor for a pass, and the House to assist him likewise to get to Kingston.

780. Henry Howard: 73 years of age. English. ChofEngl. has been in the House as an Inmate several times before, but goes out during the Summer Months to live with a married Daughter. Revd. Mr. Broughall

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(Visitor) recommends his Case strongly to the Board for admission - being afflicted with some attacks of Rheumatism and no proper accommodation can be found during the Winter by his daughter - to be admitted.

781. Mary Jane ~~Johnson~~ Smith (Colored) about 7 years of age, was sent to the House (Octbr. 17th) for admittance by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] She having neither Father or Mother.

782. Stephen Brady: about 9 years of age, Irish, Presbt. Son of Jane Hogan, was sent by the Police Magistrate, (with the Mothers Consent) to be Kept until he can be bound out. ran away the same day, Octbr. 18th.

783. John McShane: in Case 758 died this day Octbr 18th, aged 50 years.

784. Margaret Gallagher: 48 years of age, Irish. R.C. Blind. She was sent by the Police Magistrate, her husband having been sent to Gaol for drunkenness made their living by begging, it appears she is now destitute of a home having no one to lead her about. To be admitted if Doctor pronounces her a fit Case.

Tuesday 21st October 1862.

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby

785. A Letter from Dr. Augusta referring to his apprentice: 'Catharine Kinnough' to be brought before the General Board.

786. James Nealy: in Case 511. he is now out of Employment the Mother made application for his admittance in the House, she being in Service having no home for him. admitted for the present.

787. Norah Warren: No. 3 Adelaide St. east, No such person there.

788. Mrs. Flint: No. 160 Elm Street, Mrs. Bow's wishes to recommend the Case, the Visitor cannot find the party, no Number so high as 160 in Elm Street.

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Friday 24th October 1862.

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby.

789. Jane Doughty: 36 years of age, Widow 3 Months. Boy 14 quite a delicate Child can only earn [dollars] 2 a Month, tending Cows. Girl 12, at Wicksons' for Board and Clothing, as wages. Boy 8, Boy 6, both going to School. Boy 3 Months Ch. of Engl. clean, respectable decent body: Visitor recommends

every thing the Committee will give the poor thing, who has evidently seen better times; fuel when it is issued. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

Tuesday 28th October 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

790. Catharine Hughes: to have a loaf of Bread for the present, and to call again in a Months time.

791. James Kennedy: 35 years of age, Single, a Native of Ireland, R.C. Church has been living in the States for some years, came to Canada a few days ago. seems a strong able bodied Man, but either pretends to be or is a Mad Man in reality. He was sent by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

Friday 31st October 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

792. Thomas Archer: No. 196 Mutual Street. 31 years of age, Married. Boy 6 years old. Lame Sailor, caught a very severe cold, which seems to have settled on his lungs: unable to stand, Coughs very hard, ChofEngl. Mrs. Westmacott very kind to him. Visitor recommends all the Committee can give, and fuel if possible as he shivers in bed if his apartment be not warm.

793. James Kennedy: in Case 791, to be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding until next Monday, when he has to leave for good.

794. John Schallor: applied for readmission, cannot earn his living now Winter his coming on. to be admitted.

795. William Wright: a Boy 13 years of age, who was apprenticed from the House. May 3st/58 to Samuel Gray of Brock Township, has now returned on account of bad treatment. Received a Letter from Mr. Thompson the Reeve of the Township, who confirms the Statement the Boy makes.

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Tuesday 4th November 1862.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart, R. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Darling

796. Timothy Harrington: 76 years of age, Native of Ireland, has a Wife younger than himself and two young Children, seeks admission in the House of himself, has been an Inmate before - cannot be admitted at present to call again in a Months time.

797. Ann Lyttle: 24 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. She had her feet frozen four years ago on her way from Barrie to Toronto, had to go in to Hospital where the toes of both her feet were taking off. Seeks admission into the House, finding it hard to make a living out - on account of the Los [Loss] she has sustained. Committee will give her a trial, if she makes herself useful she may remain if not she will have to leave again.

798. Mary Conger: 38 Bishop Street, Widow aged 68. Methodist Church. Visitor would recommend her for admission in the House as she has no way of supporting herself. - as she does not want to come into the House the Committee will allow her 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week & Coal when given out

799. William Wright: in Case 795. The Weekly Committee order that his Case be brought before the General Board.

Friday 7th November 1862.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson

800. Barbara Reynolds: in Case 757. cannot be admitted in the House as she belongs to the Village of Elora, all the Committee can do in her Case will be to pay her fare back, which they order Superintendent to do.

801. Alice Murray: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week until her hand gets better

802. Catharine McClean: No. 46 Centre Street. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Widow. 32 years of age, husband dead 6 Months. 4 Children, girl 3. girl 5. boy 6 and boy 8 years of age and near her confinement again. The Visitor thinks she is an industrious Woman, and recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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Tuesday 11th Novbr. 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

803. F. Walker: a Boy about 8 years of age, was sent by the Police Magistrate to be admitted in the House, having been arrested by the Police as a Vagrant his parents being very worthless people and who allow him to wander exposed at nights to the inclement weather The Boy seems to be a hard Case as he ran away the same day, after having a good dinner.

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804. Received a Letter from Mr. John Thompson, stating that the Little Boy Henry May who was apprenticed to him, was scalded accidentally on the 31st of October last, from the effects of which he died three days after.

Friday 14th Novbr. 1862

Present Mr. E Hobson.

805. Mary Courtney: No. 46 Nassau St. Husband has a sore arm. He has gone 12 Miles in the Country to work at wood cutting, but his Wife says he only gets [dollars] 5 a Month. 3 Children, girl 6. girl 4 and Boy 4 Months old. Mary Courtney pays 2/ [shillings] 6 [pence] per Month for rent to a Mrs. Dowling with whom she lives - the house is a very dirty one and according to report is a house of very ill reputation.

806. Mary Ann Spencer: an Inmate, ran away this (Friday) evening on her own accord. ^was Confined August 6th 1863.^

Tuesday 18th Novbr. 1862

Present Mr. R. Gilmor.

807. Elizabeth Hammill [30 years of age] No 29 Nassau Street. Widow. Irish. R.C. 5 Children 3 girls (ages 13. 10 & 9 years) The eldest girl is out at work. Mrs. Hammill Nurses two Children at 3 dollars & four dollars a Month. Pays [dollars] 3 a Month for house rent. Clean looking House.

808. Ann Hart: Church Street Wharf. Widow. 65 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. lives with her daughter Mary O'Neil, in ordinary times the family live well enough by working, but like many of their neighbours, are hard up at present. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread, relief afforded to one of them would be for the benefit of all. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

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Friday 21st November 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. S. Givins.

809. Sarah Coldread: No. 365 Adelaide Street west. Widow aged 60 years. does a little sewing but very little. Has the Asthma. No Children - pays a [dollars] 1 a Month rent for room, which is very clean - very neat - and good furniture and bed Clothes, Visitor Knows she drinks and is surprised that she has such

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comfortable quarters will keep his Eyes upon the House, if he hears any more about the Woman will acquaint the Board. English. ChofEngl.

810. Dennis Strand: 28 years of age. Native of Ireland. R. Catholic Church. says he is unfit to work on account of ill health (Asthma) some Months ago was turned out of Hospital incurable, no friends in Toronto, Committee will allow him to stay in outbuilding, until he can procure a Line from Dr. Gardner of General Hospital. admitted.

811. Mary Courtney: (in Case 805) 33 years of age. Irish. ChofEng. her husband has returned from the Country not able to work. Husband to come and see the Doctor, and if pronounced not able to work - she is to have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

Tuesday 25th November 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

812. Catharine Sullivan: No. 71 George St. Widow. R.C. Native of Ireland. Husband was a small Farmer - died in April last - She was his second Wife, and he had a family by the first who persuaded this Woman to sign away her dower for [dollars] 100 and after she had done so refused to pay her. She came into Town to be confined, and is now almost entirely destitute. She appears to be a very respectable woman, and Visitor thinks her Case is one which calls for relief. The Committee will allow her 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and a double ration of Sugar, Tea, Rice & Oatmeal for once. she is to have Coal when given out and a grate.

813. Ellen Meakin: No. 49 Emma Street, was upset by a Waggon and severely hurted, English. Methodist - Church. Mr. Hobson (Visitor) recommends them 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

814. Margaret Smith: No. 198 Sayer Street. Irish. ChofEngl. She is 52 years of age, husband 65. No Children. Visitor can not recommend them at present to call again.

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815. William Wright: in Case 795 ran away this afternoon

816. A Female Child deserted by its parents, and left with a Woman named Margaret McCrum: (See Case 653 in 1861) was admitted in House of Industry by request of Finance Committee, and J.G. Bowes Esqr. Mayor on July 1st 186[2] Child was apprenticed on October 17th 1862.

Friday 28th November 1862.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & E. Hobson.

817. James Kilroy: 10 years of age, R.C. Irish. was sent to the House by order of Police Magistrate, he having been charged with being an idle drunken Vagrant. ran away Novbr. 29th.

818. Terrance Meehan: No. 58 Dummer Street. The Visitor cannot recommend the Case for relief. the Mans Wife has a Shop in Town, and his Son a Tavern in Queen Street.

819. Rebecca Toms: No. 77 Strachan Street. A very respectable Woman with 6 young Children, who are just recovering from the Measles - her husband has been ill for Months and though he is now well and at work on the G. Trunk R.R. yet he will not receive his wages till the end of the Month They are now in very great destitution, and Visitor would recommend that a Months firing and Bread should be given to them. On account of the Measles the Committee will allow 600 [pounds] of Coal for once, 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month - and a grate. English. ChofEngl.

820. Sarah Tomlie: Widow. York Street near Front Street. in a Shanty. Irish. R.C. aged 39 years. has 5 Children. Girl 12. girl 9. boy 6. girl 5 and girl 3 years of age appears to be an industrious Woman. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of firing when given out.

821. Catharine Potts: and Family, Hickmans Lane York Street. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and an allowance of fuel for the Season when the time comes to give it out. Visitor thinks it is not required to give particulars about this Family as all the Board Knows them too well. to have 8 [pounds] Bread a [Week].

822. Archibald McKinney: in Case 699. The Committee will admit him on these terms that he be not allowed to leave the House except on Sunday's to go to Church, and if he say's - or does anything to injure the character of the Institution, to be dismissed.

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823. James Morris: in Case 752, ran away, from the premises without being noticed at the time by any of the Inmates.

Tuesday 2nd December 1862

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Messrs. E.H. Rutherford & E. Hobson.

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824. Bridget Flinn: Capt. Elmsley has visited this Woman for 3 or four years, Since she has been rid of her worthless husband, she seems to have recovered her selfrespect, in is now tidy in her person, and respectable in her Lodgings. Her two Sisters, small girls, live with her since the death of her parents, and she has two little girls of her own, not old enough to be of any Service to her or to any one else, She has a brother 17 but he seems to take to the Loafers Life, and she can get no assistance from the Scamp. Recommended for Bread, and fuel when issued. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

825. Johanna Kennan: No. 9 William Street west. has five Children, 3 girls 9. 7 & 5 years severally and 2 Boys, one 3 years old and a baby 8 Months. Cannot go out to work on account of the young Children, but does sewing when she can get it. her husband has been at Lindsay for the last seven weeks but as yet has sent no money to his wife. Her place is tolerable Comfortable and tidy. Irish. R.C. very badly of [off] for fuel. Visitor recommends her for assistance from the House for 2 or 3 Weeks until her husband can be heard from. Committee allow 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month. and to be visited again.

826. Jane Jackson: rear of No. 16 Agnes St. Irish. 45 years of age. ChofEngl. at present in bad health, her Mother not able to work. To be allowed full rations, to be sent to Mr. Stephens to be given for her use.

827. Ellen Montgomery, alias Thompson. in Case 490. died this day, (Debr. 3rd) at 4 OClock P.M.

828. Sarah Clements: No. 413 King Street east. Widow. been resident here some twenty years, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. lives with an unmarried Grand daughter named Thompson, who takes in sewing - A half witted widow named Williams lives in the same House rent of which is paid by Williams' Children who are at Service, Clements is past work, about 70 years of age Visitor recommends small allowance of Bread, and firing once or twice when given out.

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Friday 5th December 1862.

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby.

829. Mary Edwards: next to No. 61 Ontario Street. ChofEngl. husband and four Children. Husband ill in bed to which he has been confined for the last twelve Months, is dying Visitor thinks with Consumption, the Mother is also in bed at present having been Confined only 4 days. The eldest child a little girl is only 9 years old - They are in great want, and Visitor would recommend them for fuel, bread, and if possible some tea and Oatmeal. To have a full ration of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal and Rice, and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, firing when given out

830. Ann Hickey: No. 39 Boulton Street, The Visitor cannot find such Number or such person there.

831. Catharine Maguire: Widow, Irish. R.C. lives with her Son in law Walter Canfred at No. 27 Pine Street. She is nearly 60 years of age and in bad health - Canfred workes at the Wharves, but his work



now is not very regular, and he says he cannot manage to support his Wife and Mother in Law both through the Winter. Visitor thinks Mrs. Maguire might have a small allowance of Bread and a little Coal once - and then if there is any sort of work about the House that could be given to Canfred - he might be paid in Coal which would be a great assistance to all of them, It is just one of those Cases in which it is most desirable, that the Man who is an able bodied healthy fellow - should be made to work if possible, he is perfectly willing to do the work if he can get it. To be carried out as suggested.

832. Mrs. Hawks: No. 186 Berkely Street. Has given the wrong Number - There is no such Number on Berkely Street.

833. {blank} Sims: Nelson Street 2 Children. Husband away in the States she has not received anything from him or heard of him for some time - Visitor thinks she might have some bread and fuel now but she is a stout healthy woman, and if she could manage to put her child out by and by She might get on better.

834. Jacob Taylor: (Colored) applied on behalf of two Children who were left destitute on his hands, the Mother Ann Davis, a well known Case, having been sent to Gaol one Month for fighting. The Committee recommends that Taylor receive 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week, for maintenance of the Children as long as the Mother remains in Gaol.

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835. Richard Lockhart : 62 years of age, died this day (7th Dcbr.) at 5 OClock A.M. See Case 510.

Tuesday 9th December 1862.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

836. Mary Oliver: No. 405 Queen Street East. Widow. 1 child girl 14 years of age, Mrs. Oliver says she has been suffering for some Months with inflamatory rheumatism, which entirely unfitted her for work, and that she accordingly applied to the Mayor for a ticket for some Coal, and she appeared very much surprised that she could not get it at once Visitor explained to her that no one could be relieved without first being visited, but she still seemed to consider it quite a degradation to receive relief from a Board . Visitor told her that he had discharged his duty in visiting her, and had nothing more to do, but to wish her good morning.

837. Catharine Irving: Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children all girls about 14. next 12. next 10. Mrs. Irving is living in a Lane between Seaton and MacMahon St. turning down by a large Brick House of Mr. Halls' on Seaton Street - she is a very respectable industrious Woman, she supports herself & Children by working

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for the ready made clothing Shops - she gets on very well in Summer but requires assistance in the shape of a little fuel in the Winter. See full report in Case 318 in ~~1862~~ 1861. To have Coal & a grate.

838. Mary Brothers: No. 78 Stanley Street. This Case Captain Elmsley presumes is so well Known to the House of Industry as a broken down remnant of a life spent in intemperance that he need not enter into particulars. She is now in a most destitute Condition in every regard and has no one to help her.

Recommends bread and fuel when it is issued.

839. Mary Toomey: No. 71 Stanley Street, Visitor has recommended this poor Creature for 3 years past. Her Condition remains as deplorable as before, with the addition of another years advance in the downward, recommends bread and fuel when issued. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week

840. Bridget Barrett: No 22 Adelaide Street east. No such person in those diggings.

841. Margaret O'Brien: to have a Loaf of Bread for the day.

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842. John Smith: about 70 years of age, says he is 83. Irish. R.C. seeks admission into the House of Industry, seems to be a Vagrant without a house, says Capt. Elmsley knows him, to bring a note from that Gentleman and if recommended as deserving to be admitted if there is room in the House.

843. Sarah Johnson: in rear of 121 Adelaide Street west, states to the Committee that a Woman (a stranger to her) came to her house last Thursday with a little Girl about 3 years of age, and asked permission to warm herself was allowed to do so, when after a while she said she would go out and get a loaf of Bread, it appears she went out with the intention of deserting her Child as she never returned. Mrs. Johnson has 5 Children of her own, and therefore not able to keep this stranger, wishes to place it in House of Industry. To be admitted being a deserted Child.

844. George Verral: 11 years of age, says he is a Protestant and a Canadian, He was sent to day (Debr 10th) for admittance by the Police Magistrate, being a homeless wanderer, and having been Charged before the Court with Vagrancy.

845. James Nealy: in Case 786 left the House, thinks of getting a place with a person at Thornhill.

Friday 12th Decbr. 1862

Persent Mr. E Hobson.

846. Elisa Kates: 345 Adelaide Street west, a very untidy looking woman age 30 years, her husband has gone to Pensilvania. She pays a rent of [dollars] 1 a Month and lives by sewing and washing. She has 4 Children, 9, 7, 6 and 4 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Her husband is Engl. Ch. as her Children are so young she must require assistance both in food and fuel.

847. Catharine Allan: 35 years of age. Widow, Irish. R.C. 73 Richmond St east. See the report of the three previous years. Visitor again recommends Bread and fuel. 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

848. Catharine Hughes: No. 73 Richmond St. east. Still a deformed Cripple, with no friends to assist her. See former report. Visitor again recommends Bread and fuel. Aged 48. Irish. ChofEngl.

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849. Ann Richwood: No. 99 Richmond Street east. Husband still unable to work: he has not now the same appearance of intemperate habits that he had when visited in 1859; although they still live in a horrible den. Visitor again recommends Bread and fuel. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

850. Peter Crassett: No. 99 Richmond Street east. Being very badly ruptured he is almost unable to move. See former reports. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel. Fuel turn about with Ann Richwood as they burrow in the same Sty.

851. Ann Ryan: 74 Stanley Street. See former report for the last 3 years. If the Doctor still confirms her own account of her state of health. He will recommend Bread and fuel again. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

852. Honora McCarty back of Dr. Greens, Victoria Street. Upwards of 60 years of age, unmarried. in very delicate health. two Sisters in the Country but they have both large families and cannot assist her. She lives with a Niece who is a Widow, and has one small Girl, and who finds it very hard work to support her Aunt in addition to herself and Child, Clean, respectable, tidy, &etc. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

853. Jane McIntee: No. 59 Elizabeth Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 42 years of age. She has been in the Hospital for some Months with a broken leg, and at this time not able to work without Crutches. Lives by sewing appears a clean industrious Woman. Two daughters 6 and 12 years of age. The eldest works at a Tobacco factory at 2/ [shillings] 6 [pence] a Week and boards at home, thinks . 16 Queen Street. Irish. R.C. Widow. 57 years of age, almost blind, on which account she is not able to sew, appears a clean respectable Woman but very poor, one daughter 18 years of age works at sewing, but not able to do much being in bad health. Visitor recommends Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

856. Mary Shannon: rear of 21 Centre St. See report of last year recommended for the same.

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857. Phoebe Gray: No 8. Terauly Street. English. Ch of Engl. Visitor believes her to be a decent industrious Woman, works at rag cutting, not in good health, a Son is with her at present from Kingston but not able to do much work being a cripple. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week & Coal.

858. Hannah Ellis: is not known at No. 91 Sayer Street

859. Margaret Campbell: not to be found on Elizabeth Street.

860. Elizabeth Gibson: Portland Street second door from Queen St. South. Recommended by the Visitor for Bread and fuel. See former report. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week and fuel when issued.

861. Mary Boulger: No. 132 Richmond Street west. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 80 years has one Grand daughter with her occasionally aged 10 years. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week as long as she might want it which cannot be long, she is very weakly, recommended for Coal as soon as given out.

862. Margaret Galvin: No. 132 Richmond Street. Aged 68. Native of Ireland. Roman Cath. Church. Has no Children. has Bread from the House, recommended for Coal when given out.

863. Eliza Garvin: No. 132 Richmond St west. Visitor called twice but did not find her in either time, does not know her history, but that she is very poor, has a baby one Month old, and another Child 4 years of age. Visitor recommends her Bread and fuel for one Month until he can see more about her and her Character. 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week allowed.

864. Margaret Cochrane: Phoebe Street first door west of Maria Street, is a Widow with 6 Children. her husband has been dead 8 Months the eldest Child at home is a girl 13. Boy 12. 2 girls 9 and 7. Boy 5 and girl 3 an infant 5 months old. washes for a livelihood as far as she can under the Circumstances of her young Children. Is assisted by her eldest girl who is in Service at [dollars] 2 per Month. The House is small but tidy, recommended for Coal and Bread. Had 8 [pounds] of Bread all the Summer is receiving the same still. Native of Ireland. Roman Cath. Ch.

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865. Ellen Cradicott No. 160 Queen Street west. Has a husband an old Man partly Paralyzed, who as well as herself can do light work when procurable The house where they live is not Comfortable and extremely untidy. They have one little Boy 10 years of age who is occupied every day earning a trifle. Husband ChofEngl. Wife RC. Recommended for occasional assistance.

866. Sarah Freeman: same house as above, upstairs, an old Woman who cannot procure work. Has a Son 23 years of age who cannot obtain work, a daughter 18 who works in a Tobacco factory earning [dollars] 1.50 per Week, and a second Son 14 years old. Live in very contracted quarters, and appear very poorly off. ChofEngl. Irish. Recommended for temporary relief.

867. Ellen Kerr: No. 61 Corner of Queen and Pine Street. Widow 37 years of age. Irish. RC. Reported upon last year. has lately lost her only Child a Boy 7 years old who was drowned. Mrs. Kerr is very industriously inclined, but has bad health, and work is difficult to be got. Recommended for Coal during the severe part of the Winter. no Bread.

868. Miss Greens' three Sisters. living at 134 Berkley Street. They have seen better days being totally educated and of a very respectable family. They have been out in this Country about a year, and have had a sick Brother with them, who is now so ill that he has been obliged to go to the Hospital. They have endeavored to support themselves by needlework, but are now almost destitute of everything, when Visitor called in the evening they had not a particle of anything in the Shape of fuel or food in the House. Strongly recommended for an allowance of Coal during the Winter.

869. Charles Eagan: 46 years of age, Married, no family. Native of Ireland. Shoemaker by trade about 4 Months in Toronto, has lived in London C.W. [Canada West] for some years, advised to go back to London if possible as he has a claim there to be assisted, but has none here.

870. Margaret Adams: in Case 601 rather unwilling to make her general usefull, and flatly refuses to lend a hand to assist in the scrubbing and cleaning of the House on the plea of ill health. The Committee refer her Case to the Doctor, if he considers her able to work, and she persists in not doing it as refusing to do it, she is then to be dismissed from the House, Dr. examined Mrs. Adams and says that she is well fit to earn her living out and that she is able to scrub or any kind of Work required of her.

871. Honora Warren: in Case 733 to be admitted into the House.

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Present Messrs. W. J. MacDonell, E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Kennedy.

872. Elisa Lennon: No. 85 Richmond Street west. Widow. ChofEngl. aged 30. One Child a Boy aged 2 years 8 Months, in bad health. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and fuel once until Visitor calls again.

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873. Walter Powers: in rear of 147 York Street. he is not to be found there.

874. Mary Henry: No. 132 Richmond west. Widow. R.C. Irish, aged 49 has no Children, and no rent to pay. Visitor recommends but one allowance of Coal for the season.

875. Mary Hall: No. 1 Boulton Street. Visitor could not find her.

876. Mary Sullivan: 132 Richmond Street west, Irish. R.C. aged 66. Husband 70, and bad with Rheumatism, has a daughter a young Woman aged 19 but very sickly, this Family gets bread from the House, Visitor recommends Fuel also.

878. Margaret Galvin: No. 29 Adelaide St west. Ch. of Engl. aged 35. has a husband aged 52, who is in very poor health, and at best can not do much to support a large Family of young Children, of which there are 5, girl 11, boy 9, girl 5, boy 4, baby 6 Weeks. Visitor recommends 12 [pounds] of Bread a Week and an allowance of Coal.

879. Sarah Robinson: No. 8 North Street. This person the Visitor cannot recommend, as she has two daughters working at a tobacco factory in place of going to Service, was also informed that they were to be seen in the Street at very late hours at Night.

880. Margaret Campbell: No. 219. Elizabeth Street. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Widow, 22 years of age, 2 Children, boy's 1 and 4 years of age. She works at Sewing, appears a Clean industrious person, Visitor thinks her worthy of assistance, and recommends 6[pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.

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881. Mary Lavell: No. 66 Centre Street Irish. R.C. Widow. 36 years of age. 2 Children boy 4 and a girl 12 years of age, lives principally by begging. Visitor cannot recommend such people, as herself and daughter ought to go to Service.

882. Mary Morrow: No. 86 Sayer Street. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow 63 years of age in bad health not able to work for her living. 2 daughters in Service 15, 17 years of age who pay her rent. Visitor believes her to be a well conducted Woman recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.

883. Rebecca King: in rear of No. 10 Centre Street. Widow. Colored. Baptist. 44 years of age, has 2 Children boy 9 and a girl 5 years of age. She is a respectable well conducted Woman. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal, on account of a bad foot she has not been able to do much for some years past.

884. Patrick Lindsay has left 26 Christopher Street, as the person was not able to keep him any longer, and he not being able to work. His Case being well known at the House the Committee will admit him for

a time in the Outbuilding, and if he Conducts himself in a proper manner he might be taken in to the House after a time.

885. Jane Heanan [Henning]: rear of 102 Sayer Street in the yard being so deep with mud the Visitor was not able to make his way to the House but will Call and report at some other time.

886. Rosella Harris: rear of 155 Centre Street. No person in when Visitor Called, but will if possible report on Friday.

887. Jane Cavanagh: Agnes St west, not at home when Visitor called. Saw her husband however, who is about 36 years of age, a labourer, he has been laid up with a very bad leg for the last 40 days, and very probably will be unable to work through the Winter. 4 Children boy 12. Girls 9. 7 and 2 years. Family R.C. Natives of Ireland. Visitor Considers this a bona fide Case of poverty and would recommend whatever the House can afford to give the family.

888. Cathr. Maguire's Son in Law Walter Canfred complained to the Committee that the relief his Mother in Law receives makes her quarrel]a good deal with him, he would rather that she receive no relief. To be struck of [off] the List for a Time.

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889. Mary Pretty: No. 126 Portland Street. Visitor would recommend her to receive a supply of Coal. her husband was on the Northern R.R. and died about 2 Weeks ago, leaving her with a family of 5 little Children and very little means to support them. She says she has no money to buy Coals at a reduced price.

890. Mary Rogers: Widow. R.C. 29 Regent Street. One Child Boy 9 years old she has been receiving relief (in the shape of Bread) from the House for some time, on account of weak Eyes she is not able to work. She is applying for Coal Visitor thinks she might be allowed some, when the weather becomes Cold again.

891. Richard Burrell: No. 44 James Street. Opposite the School House. Burrell and an old Woman of the Name of Hardiman living in the same House, have been reported upon, and received more or less relief from the House for the last two or three years. Burrell has been bed ridden for some years and has been waited upon and taken care of – by old Mrs. Hardiman, who is no relation – but appears nevertheless to have acted kindly towards the old Man. Burrell has been gradually getting worse, and is now in a very pitiable state, blind and deaf and so extremely feeble that he can possibly not live long, the old Woman is anxious now to get him into the House. She is very old herself and finds the constant attendance on him particularly at Night, more than she can manage.



892. Bridget Driscoll: No. 224 Corner of Queen and McMahon Street. Widow. Irish. R.C. Case reported upon for the last two years, no change in her Circumstances. Visitor recommends her for a little Coal during the Winter.

893. Jane Tremble: No. 122 Duke St. Widow. ChofEngl. 2 Children, a girl {8} and boy 5. reported upon last year, a very decent respectable person earns a living by Tailoring, requires a little assistance during the Winter, Visitor recommends during the next two Months. To have Coal, a grate and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

894. Ellen Casey: 121 South Park St. with Mr. Day. See report of previous years There seems a slight improvement in the Case although her Child is still sickly and her hand not get strong. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread, as on former occasion, more especially as she managed to work through the Summer without assistance.

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895. Jane Burke: No. 261 Palace Street. with Mrs. Sullivan. 2 years in Toronto. from Ireland. ChofEngl. Widow, 2 years; one Child, a boy about 2 years old, her own age say 27. able to work, but can get no employment. Mr. Sullivan keeps her from Charity – the whole establishment has a very unprepossessing appearance. 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly may suffice for the present.

896. Martha Kerr: No. 9 Victoria Street. 64 years of age. Widow these 8 years. ChofEngl. Son 30, but a Married Man with a large young family to support, and so cannot assist his old Mother. She has clear Eyes, and smelt of Whisky. Mrs. Edward Baldwin promises (she says) to speak for her, If therefore Mrs. B. gives her the Character she gives herself, Visitor will then recommend Bread and fuel. for she seems very destitute.

897. Mary Coulter: See report of last year, much the same now. Husband will again show himself, when the Committee will please judge.

898. John Sweeney: No. 57 Stanley Street. No such person there or thereabouts

899. Bridget Barrett: No. 16 Richmond Street. No such party there or thereabouts.

900. Mary McCabe: rear of 81 Stanley Street. See report of 1861. Still excessively filthy, sells newspapers, the sickly Boy is still living but seems to be a mere skeleton. For the sake of the sick little one The Visitor recommends fuel.

901. Ellen Dowd: No. 66 Stanley St. old Numbering. 35 years of age. Husband has drank himself into a wretched Condition and is now in the Hospital from where he will not go forth, except feel foremost.

Boy 12. a miserable stunted urchin. Boy 8. do. [ditto] Girl 5. Irish. R.C. She gets scrubbing and washing to do, but will Visitor thinks prove deserving from the Committee, recommends Bread and fuel.

902. Catharine Carey: 83 Stanley Street. 43 years old. Widow 3 years. Two Children in the States but she knows not where they are, and has no friends at all in Canada. She says she is very sickly, but appearances did not warrant her allegation. She says she was in Mrs. Crawford's Richmond St. House last Winter and was visited by Mr. Tyner, perhaps that Visitors report will assist the Committee. If the Doctor Confirms her own report of her health, she may be relieved. To See the Doctor.

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903. Ann Mooney: Corner of Yonge and Shuter Street. behind Widowsons Store, on a Lane. This poor Creature is now quite unable except with immense difficulty to go as far as the House of Industry. She is a very deserving person in every respect, and the Visitor trusts the Committee will send her fuel all she asks for.

904. Ann Kirk: Lane east of St. Patricks Market. a Widow lives in a brick house, up stairs in a very comfortable room. washes for a living, has one daughter age unknown, say from 17 to 18. who has left her place three Weeks since, on account of alleged heart complaint, but says she will shortly look about for another place. Irish. R.C. recommend for Coal twice.

905. John Kelly: 160 Queen Street west. an old man nearly blind and infirm has a wife who occasionally can find work, and a daughter seven years of age, lives up stairs in an uncomfortable room, is a Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Wants Coal and Bread.

906. Julia Hannagan: No. 28 Dummer Street, an old widow living alone in a not over comfortable House, is too infirm for any work save knitting very little of which she can get. Irish. R.C. Receives assistance from the Clergy of St. Patricks and St. Marys Church. Says she is badly in need of Coal and Bread.

907. Mary Collins: 52 Dummer Street, an old Widow, no family. lives with some friends, the Man of the House has been out of Employ for a Month. The Widow too old to work. Irish. R.C. recommended for Coal & Bread.

908. William Merritt: recommended for Coal

909. Ann Sawtell: recommended for Coal she gets Bread.

910. Sophie Wilcox: recommended for Coal is on the Bread list.

911. Mary Ann Caulfield to have 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week during the Winter Months, instead of 8 [pounds]. See Case 536.

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912. Joseph McClellan: 45 years of age, Native of Ireland. Ch. of Engl. He has been 14 years in the Country mostly in the Township of Logan, but no settled home, has been in Hospital with a sore leg, he is also bad with Rheumatism, therefore unable to work. Seeks admission into the House for the Winter. To be admitted.

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913. Thomas Wood: 44 years of age a strong healthy Man, says he cannot get employment wishes therefore to become an Inmate in House of Industry. has no incumbrance. Committee cannot fill the House with such Men, but will allow him a loaf of Bread for to day.

914. James Atkinson: 45 years of age. Single. Native of England. ChofEngl. Carpenter by trade lost his right hand (a Twelve Month ago) by a planing Machine at Weston, seeks admission in the House as all his means are gone. The Committee will admit him for a month and he is to look about in that time to get some employment.

915. Mary Donoghue: in Case 568 left the House on her own account to have more time to run about the Street. Left on 13th this Month.

916. Mary Miller an Inmate 78 years of age, died this morning of general debility. See Case of admittance 728 in 1859. Debr. 19/62

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Present Messrs. W.J. MacDonnell J. Tyner & Revd. Mr. Kennedy.

917. Mary Scott: Widow. ChofEngl. aged 58. poor, old, and feeble. has two grandsons with her, but their mother who is out serving helps to support them, the boys going to School. She lives at No. 13 Dundas Street. The Visitor recommends 900 [pounds] Coal for the season.

918. Margaret Fitzpatrick: a deserving Widow four children, eldest 12 next 10 – third 7 and Baby 3. Lives at No. 100 Portland St. Visitor recommends that her Bread be increased from 6 to 8 [pounds] per Week during the Season of Winter. and some Soup.

919. Jane Smith: 46. Ch. of Engl. Irish. aWidow since August. She is a deserving person, 3 Children, girls 13, 8 and 4, Visitor recommends Coal, Bread and Soup.

920. Ann Woods: 122 Duke St. Visitor thinks her a deserving person recommends Coal and a grate, will report upon her fully next week.

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921. Elizabeth Burns: No 8 West of St. Patricks Market, a Widow with one grand daughter 8 years of age lives with a friend in a small room, unable to work lives upon Charity, apparently a respectable Woman, recommended for Coal and Bread.

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922. Jane Tremble: rere of No. 5 Richmond St. west. Married. aged 48. Husband {illegible} Irish. ChofEngl. husband not able to work, is injure in the shoulder, besides being old and feeble. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

923. Elizabeth Crawford: No. 5 Richmond Street west. Widow, aged 59. Irish. Presbt. She is a respectable person. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

924. Bridget Conlin: rere of No. 5 Richmond Street. Irish. R.C. Widow aged [illegible] recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per week. Coal for the season.

925. Joseph Bouquett: French Canadian, Widower, aged 67. Says he belongs to no sect but is a member of the Church of Christ. Recently from the United States, 2 children, boy 5 and girl 11. Lives in Hickmans [Lower] York Street. Is recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

926. Mary Murphy: 132 Richmond St west. Irish. R.C. aged 61. Has two boys 10 and 12 going to School, the eldest boy ought to be earning a living. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal this Winter. But after this Winter those Boys should be put out.

927. Margaret Robinson: Rere of 136 Richmond St. west. Irish. ChofEngl. aged 35. has one Boy aged 11 who is engaged at present in a Tobacco factory. Visitor recommends Coal for the season no bread.

928. Judy Mullen: rere of 136 Richmond Street west. Irish. R.C. aged 40. Husband 50. has no Children. The man was hurt about a month since, and is not able to do anything at present, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread a week and Coal for one Month, and then see again if he is better.

929. Elizabeth Cobb: rere 116 Adelaide St west, recommended for an allowance of Coal the same as last year.

930. Rose Harris: rere of No. 155 Centre St. Widow (Colered) 50 years of age, Methodist Ch. One girl 8 years of age. Mrs. Harris is a clean industrious well conducted Woman, but unfortunately for herself she has not good health. The Visitor recommends Coal for the Winter.

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931. Charlotte Parker: 126 Elizabeth St. Widow. Colored. 72 years of age. No family, almost blind and not able to do much for herself. Visitor believes her to be well worthy of relief. Recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal. Methodist Ch.

932. Jane Heanan: rere of 102 Sayer Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 56 years of age, lives with her daughter and Son in Law, who have one Child, it appears to Visitor that there is something wrong in the family as she might do without relief, if they would strive and be industrious. Cannot recommend for relief.

933. Bridget Murphy: is not known at No. 91 Sayer Street, but in former report of her she ought to provide for herself.

934. Rose Johnston: 31 South Park Street. See report of last Winter, no material improvement to be noted, her two elder girls were out when Visitor called, looking for situations, Visitor recommends last Winters allowance to be renewed for the present season.

935. Catharine Leahy: 200 King Street east cannot be found.

936. Ellen McDonnell: 10 Duchess St. See report of last year, The husband who has been in bad health for the last year and a half, is now scarcely able to leave the Bed, She has been trying hard to support him and the family, but cannot manage without assistance during the Winter. She is a hard working and very deserving person, and Visitor would recommend her for Coal and Bread during the Winter Months. 8 [pounds] Bread & Coal for the Season.

937. Ann Wilson: rere of 43 Duchess St. another old Case, Mrs. Wilson supports herself and Child by huckstering during the Summer, but cannot stand out during the cold weather, Visitor thinks she might have a small allowance of Bread (she has only one Child) say for the next two months, and Coal during the severe weather. 4 [pounds] of Bread. Coal twice.

938. Jane Chambers: rere of 57 Duchess Street. Widow, 2 children. Boy just out of the Hospital with some disease of the hip, and an infant 11 months old. Cannot get work enough to keep herself and children during the Winter, and having so young a child is a great draw back to her, Visitor thinks she might be allowed a little bread and fuel for two months.

939. Clarissa Redmond: 46 Magill Street is in St James' Ward.

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940. Ellen Brown: 75 Caroline Street. See report of last year, a very decent old Woman, she is very feeble, and Visitor would recommend her to be allowed Coal all through the Winter, is getting bread.

941. Ellen O'Brien: living in the same room with Mrs. Brown, this is another old Case, she is very industriously inclined, but she is in miserable health and quite unfit for any hard work, recommended for an allowance of Bread during the Winter, to have Coal turn about with Ellen Brown.

942. Ann Bagly: No. 81 George Street, reported upon last year. Widow. ChofEngl. 3 Children. The eldest a fine Boy of 11 years of age, Mrs. Bagly would be glad to have this Boy sent out in the Country if he could be apprenticed to some respectable Farmer, where she could hear of him from time to time. She works for the Taylors shops. she is an industrious Woman, and is certainly deserving of assistance for the Winter Months, as she does her best to support her family. 6 [pounds] of Bread. Coal for the Winter.

943. Mary Jennings: Margaret Woods: and Ann Cusack. three Widows all living together at No. 14 Duchess Street. Jennings has one little girl of 5 years old. Woods has no Children. Jennings goes out to scrub and wash, and manages to get on pretty well during the Summer months but gets rather pinched for fuel during the Winter, Woods in pretty much the same predicament. Cusack is an extremely aged Woman, quite unable to do anything for her own support, She has been a pensioner on the House for years. Visitor recommends Coal turn about beginning with Mrs. Jennings although they each have their own room, they all live pretty much together, and by making use of the same stove and sharing their allowance of Coal would make it go much farther.

944. Ellen Tracy: No. 76 Pine Street. Not in when called upon, but Visitor is inclined to think from what her Landlady told him that she would be the same person recommended by him last year. She is a Widow, has no Children and goes out to work and scrub, and from what he heard about her, appears to be deserving of assistance.

945. Mary Ann Collins: 73 McMahon Street. Married. 2 Children. 5 & 8 years old respectively. ChofEngl. is a very hard working industrious Woman, husband is not in very good health and in and out of work at present. Recommended for Coal and Bread, but if there is anything that the husband can do in the way of work, he will have to work for further assistance. 6 [pounds] of Bread. Coal for Season.

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946. Margaret Moyland: 28 years of age, Married, R.C. Ireland. 73 McMahon St. her husband left her to seek employment in Pennsylvania, and has since enlisted obliged to serve in the Federal Army. Mrs. Moyland has 3 Children all very young, she has to earn a living by huckstering, but is very badly off for

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the want of fuel, and Visitor thinks some Coal would be well bestowed upon her. Coal for the season and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

947. Isabella Anderson: No 81. George Street reported upon last year. A Widow, no Children living with her, formerly lived in Nelson St and kept a little Shop, but she has given that up for want of means to carry it on. She goes out to work occasionally, and visits and does needlework, but cannot keep herself in food and fuel, She is a respectable old body and has seen better days. Visitor thinks a small allowance of Bread, and Coal twice or thrice times during the Winter might be allowed her. 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal 4 times.

948. Margaret O'Brien: 31 Stanley St. 65 years of age. Unmarried. No friends in America, has rather a dissipated look Visitor thinks. Leg very sore this long time. Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Sinclair of the Market Square know her well, and will give her a good character, so she says. If they do Visitor shall be much surprised, and in that Case will recommend Bread and fuel.

949. Mary Cooper: 98 Ann Street. 40 years of age. Widow 4 years. 3 Children, girl 8, girl 5, boy 3 1/2. R.C. Irish. Washing and Scrubbing when she can get it to do, seemingly sober and steady, and tolerably clean and tidy. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel on account of the young ones. To 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

950. Eliza Johnson: 76 Stanley St. No such person there now, gone no one knows where. A regular hard Case Visitor suspects.

951. Margaret Kelly: 78 Stanley St. see former report, since then she has been in much the same condition, and therefore the Visitor recommends Bread and fuel on account of the Children. 6 [pounds] of Bread & Coal.

952. Richard Burrell's: Case. Sarah Hardiman the old Woman who takes care of him will try to keep the old man a little longer. The House will allow her a double allowance of fuel and likewise a double allowance of Tea, Sugar, Rice, and Oatmeal.

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953. Elizabeth Smith: 40 Stanley Street. See Case 71. She lost her old toper of a husband about that time, and has improved much in every way thereby, She still needs a little help, her daughter pays her rent, but her Son is still away in Lower Canada and does nothing for her, recommended for bread and fuel. 6 [pounds] of Bread and Coal for the Season.

954. John Sweeney: 59 Stanley St. 65 years of age, an old Bachelor. No friends in Canada. Stone Mason by trade, but has been getting blind these 4 or 5 years as well as weakly. He will produce a Certificate from Daniel Sullivan of Norway Mills, Kingston Road, as to good character. Dan knows him well he says.

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Therefore if the Doctor reports that his sight is failing, and if Dan Sullivan speaks well of him, Visitor will recommends Bread & fuel.

955. William Charles: 55 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Married. Wife lives servant with Sir John Robinson. Charles seeks admission into the House, Revd. Mr. Kennedy made some enquiry regarding him. It appears that he is a decent man has been a Servant in the same family where his wife now is, but lately very restless cannot stop long in one place. To be admitted.

956. Sidney Morrison: an Inmate 35 years of age, died this morning (Dec {illegible}) at 6 O'Clock a.m. Consumption. See Case 710.

957. William McDowell: an Inmate 51 years of age, died this day (Dec 21) at one O'Clock p.m. See Case 637 in 1861.

958. Margaret Harris: No. 195 Elizabeth St. see former report. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, Coal, and also a Grate

959. Elizabeth Johnson: 46 Edward Street. See former report. Bread Coal and a grate.

960. Sarah Wilks: rere of 38 Centre Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 38 years of age. 4 Children, boy 10, boy 4, girl 8 and girl 6 months, a steady industrious Woman well worthy of assistance, her husband a worthless drunken labourer left her some time ago and does nothing for Wife or family recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week with Coal and Grate.

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961. Mary Percival: 191 Sayer Street. See report of last year, Visitor recommends Coal.

962. Sarah Johnson: rere of 68 Emma Street. Colored. Methodist Ch. About 75 years of age, lives with a niece who appears a very clean industrious woman provides for family and Aunt, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week Coal and a grate.

963. Mary Howard: 42 Elizabeth Street. Not at home when called upon. Visitor was informed by respectable neighbours that she is a steady industrious Woman. 26 years of age. Widow. ChofEngl. Irish. 2 Children 4 and 1 1/2. Coal & Bread.

964. Mary Gormley: 62 Emma St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 39 years of age. 3 boys one 12 with Dr. Lett, one 10 in Orphans Home and one 6 years of age at home. She appears a dirty lazy woman. Visitor leaves the Case to the Board as he doesn't not know what is best to do in such Cases.

965. Christian Davies: No. 28 Centre Street, was not at home when the Visitor called, refers to former report.

966. Margaret Shearden: rear of 15 Elizabeth Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 28 years of age, a baby 4 months old, her husband a drunken worthless fellow left her 8 months ago. I recommend (the Visitor) Coal, she is allowed bread.

967. Johanna Quigly: rear of 25 James Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 32 years of age, one girl 6. She appears a dirty lazy woman, she ought to put her girl out to the Sisters and go Service herself.

968. Margaret Gray: No. 90 Agnes Street. R.C. Irish. 49 years of age. 2 daughters 16 and 20 years of age, one in Service at 4 [dollars] a month, the other at home after sickness, Visitor cannot recommend her for cleanliness, ought be allowed Coal once.

969. Mary Dyson: No. 15 Elizabeth Street. See former report. recommended for Coal.

970. Margaret Costello: No. 231 Sayer Street. See former report. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal.

971. Rebecca Jones: 221 Sayer Street. Colored. Methodist Ch. Widow about 75 years of age lives with a Married daughter who has 7 young Children, her husband who has lost the use of one side is not able to do anything for the support of his family. Visitor recommends 12 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the Season.

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Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson.

972. Emma Clarke: (Colored) about {blank} years of age, was sent by Police Magister. She having been charged before the Court with having stolen one pair of Boots from the outside of a shop on King Street.

973. Mary Ann Bedford: 14 Oxford St. is a Widow with two Children, both boys 6 and two years of age respectively. has a room from Mrs. McMahon. Washing is going very irregularly, sometimes one day in a Week, at other times none, can with difficulty get any sewing. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

974. Jemima Clements: Strachan Street. a Widow, two children one son who is so delicate that he cannot sit long at work, can do little to support his old Mother and Sister. The Mother is very sickly, the sister a cripple and half idiot. ChofEngl. Fuel recommended for the season.

975. John Cavanagh: Agnes Street west Gowan's Houses, aged 36 a Labourer, has been laid up 40 days with a very bad leg. Four Children, boy 12. girl 10. girl 8 and girl 2, a very sad Case. The Wife scrubs but cannot get much work. Irish. R.C. Revd. Mr. Kennedy recommends Bread soup & fuel to on large an extent as possible while the husband is laid up.

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976. Julia Ann Smith: No. 123 Bishop St has one daughter a young Woman living with her who has had sore eyes for the past six weeks, but who when able does needle work, the Mother visiting her. Their circumstances are very poor. Irish. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal.

977. Margaret Jones: 46 Duchess Street, reported upon last year, a Widow with 3 children, a very decent industrious Woman, Visitor recommends Coal and Bread.

978. Sophia Munro: 71 Bishop Street, a very poor deserving Woman, living alone is just now badly off wished to have coal from the House, does the best she can in the way of working for her living since her husbands death. Visitor has known her for the last four years, recommends her for relief

979. Bridget Murphy: No. 21 Cedar Street a young married Woman with one Child {1 1/2} years old, the husband left her and hers the last four Months she has been residing with a friend. Clean and Tidy. Irish. R.C. recommended for Coal Bread & Soup.

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980. Susan Walsh: alias Mrs. Hays, William St west Her husband is out of Employment but she gets a considerable amount of washing to do. drinks a little occasionally has 2 children, a girl 10 and a boy about 7. Wants Coal – N.B. This information was obtained from a neighbour, as the Woman was not at home when called upon.

981. Julia Flanagan: 28 Dummer St. reported upon before.

982. Catharine Murray: No. 15 William St. west an old Widow, has one daughter who supported her mother by washing, the old Woman being infirm. The House is a very cold one but is kept very clean and tidy. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Coal, receives Bread.

983. Margaret Gartland: Dummer Street, her husband has not been heard of for the last 6 years, has two children little girls 12 and 8 years of age. Comfortable and tidy in her room, had her hand broken in two places about a year ago, and thus has been disabled for hand work. Irish. R.C. recommended for Coal.

984. Ann Quin and Mary Dagelor live together in a room upstairs 31 William St. w. Mrs. Quin is a widow 62 years old, no children, not able to do much work. Mrs. Dagler also a Widow, with two boys 9 and 2 years old. In Consumption and unable to work, both ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

985. Mary Malone: Gowans Cottages off Agnes Street. a Widow with one daughter who has lost the use of her arm, has one half days work in the Week. Lives with a Mrs. Sullivan from whom she has taken a room. Irish. R.C. want Bread and Coal.

986. Richard Jeffers: ChofEngl. aged 64. Married, Wife 51. One Child aged 3 years, lives at No. 4, in a lane off Adelaide Street south side, west of Yonge St. Visitor recommends a Box of Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread for a month, and he will visit again.

987. Sarah Gimor: adjoining 379 King Street east, Widow. 13 years in Toronto one son married here, with two children, another Son in the Army, a daughter aged 24 in Service, the two latter children assist her according to their means. ChofEngl. 70 years of age, lives by herself, knits a little, but her sight is failing, receives Bread from the House, recommended for Coal for the season.

988. Margaret Henderson: 18 South Park Street not known there.

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989. Jane Lee: 93 South Park Street, Widow, 14 months, husband was a laborer, 3 children, girls aged respectively 6 months 4 & 5 years, her own age 28. Chof Engl. 6 years in Toronto, lives with Mrs. Arkell, Mrs. Lee does all she can to support her family by sewing washing etc. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

990. Ann Lloyd: No. 116 Adelaide Street west gets Bread from the House, Visitor recommends Coal for the season, To have 1200 [pounds] of Coal

991. Mary Hall: Boulton St. Married. Cho Engl. aged 51, husband 66. Works a little, cannot do much, being so old, Visitor considers her a respectable person and recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the season.

992. Margaret McCarty: 87 Richmond St. Widow, R.C. has one Boy aged 6 years recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and an allowance of Coal for the Season.

993. Bridget Ward: rere of 136 Richmond St west. Widow. R.C. aged about 55 years, one Boy 10 1/2 gets work some Weeks at the Tobacco factory, but not constant, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread and an allowance of Coal.

994. Margaret Charlton: Married lives in Hickmans Lane York Street. R.C. husband Protestant. Margaret had her face pretty well marked and husband had his side scalded. She is 28 years of age, husband is 34 has 3 children all girls, about 6, 5 and 2 respectively, Visitor will recommend 4 [pounds] of Bread until his scald gets well, and Coal once.

995. Walter Power: rere of 147 York Street aged 27 Wife 46 in bad health not able to work, Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season, Wife R.C. husband ChofEngl.

996. Samuel Hodge: Reeses Wharf. ChofEngl. aged over 60, wife about the same, receives Bread from the House, recommended for Coal.

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997. Elisa Callaghan: 123 Tecumseth St. reported upon last year, the old Man is become much more frail than he used to be, The Visitor would recommend Coal. R.C. very wretched House.

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998. Johanna Delaney: 125 Tecumseth Street, husband left her for the States four months ago. She seems to be a good deal troubled with the Asthma. pays [dollars] 1 a month rent for her single room. 2 children, boy 7, girl 8 years of age. She seems hardly strong enough to work or wash, but says she takes in a little sewing. R.C. recommended for Coal & Bread.

999. Margaret Burns: 131 Tecumseth Street, husband is very sickly, unable to do any kind of work. 4 Children, 2 Boys, 2 girls, ages 7 & 4. 10 & 5. Washes a good deal and seems to be a respectable tidy Woman, would recommend two supplies of Coal.

1000. Jemima Clements: 35 Strachan Street, an infirm old Woman, respectable. She has a grown up Son with her, but he does not do much work. and a daughter about 20 years old, who is half an idiot. ChofEngl. receives Bread, recommended for Coal.

1001. Sarah Harris: 231 Bishop Street, a very helpless Case, the husband is paralytic and unable to speak, the Wife is maimed by inflammatory Rheumatism she has 4 Children, the oldest a girl is 15 years old. They keep two Cows but have hard work to live. This is one of the dirtiest houses Visitor has ever entered, would recommend them for Coal Bread and Soup. ChofEngl.

1002. Matilda Robinson: 96 Bishop Street, her husband is an infirm old Man who peddles about with a horse and cart, but gets nothing hardly to do. ChofEngl. 4 Children, 3 girls ages 11, 9 and 7, one boy age 5. She seeks assistance.

1003. John Rielly: 21 years of age, Irish, R.C. he was sent by the Police Magistrate for a few days admission into the House, had his feet frozen and states he is in destitute circumstances. admitted into the outbuilding.

1004. Bridget Collins: 72 McMahan St. Widow. R.C. husband died some 12 months ago, 3 children, 8 & 4 years, and infant 3 months, works at tailoring used to work for Lumly, but he has now given most of his business here, and Mrs. Collins finds it very difficult to obtain sufficient employment to enable her to support her family, appears to be a respectable well disposed person, and quite deserving of assistance. Visitor recommends a little Bread for 3 Weeks and Coal three times.

1005. Elisa McNamara: back of 26 James Street east. Case reported upon last year. Visitor recommends a little Coal.

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1006. Mary Mitchell: No. 122 Duke Street. ChofEngl. 2 Children, girl 13, boy 11. Reported upon last year, husband left her four years ago, and went to England and has not been heard of since. She is a very respectable and industrious person and never applies for assistance until she is really in want. Visitor recommends her for Coal only during the Winter.

1007. Frances McConkey: Duke St. reported upon last year, is a Widow and a very old woman, She manages to get on pretty well through the Summer, but requires a little help in Winter, gets Bread from the House, Visitor recommends Coal.

1008. Ellen Fletcher: 113 Nelson Street. ChofEngl. Widow, no children, a very old woman sells Apples and Eggs through the Summer, cannot get through the Winter without assistance, gets Bread, Visitor recommends Coal

1009. Ann Woods: in Case 920. ChofEngl. Widow with 5 children, eldest girl has been out at Service, but is out of place just now, second girl out in the country, the others at home, the youngest only 10 months old. Visitor recommends Coal and a grate, and a small allowance of Bread.

1010. Mary Ann Bennett: 115 Nelson Street. ChofEngl. Widow, no children, is partially blind, and is also suffering a great deal from Rheumatism, says she has done her best to support herself without applying anywhere for relief, but what with the difficulty of obtaining work just now, and her failing health she cannot struggle on any longer, Visitor thinks her a deserving Case, and recommends her for Coal.

1011. Johanna Ryan: 58 Duke Street. R.C. Widow, girl 14, boy 5, received assistance last year, she goes out to wash and scrub, her daughter does Needle work at home. She says she is not strong enough to go to service, but Visitor thinks she might do better in that way than receiving at home, recommends for coal once.

1012. Ellen Thompson: 12 Duchess Street. Widow. No children, decent old body reported upon last year, does her best to earn a living, but is very badly off for fuel, and during the next two months ought to be allowed a little bread.

1013. Mary Hephron: 82 George Street, reported upon last year, Visitor recommends during the next two months Coal and Bread.

1014. Ellen Gallagher: rear of 311 Queen Street east. Another old case, Visitor recommends a little Coal and Bread.

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1015. William Turner 312 Queen St. east, this is another old case, an elderly man and his wife, they are very badly off for want of fuel and if there was any work to be done at the House, he would willingly do it they are quite deserving of assistance, did not call after being reported upon.

1016. Catharine Johnson: rear of 66 Power Street. ChofEngl. Husband a sailor, has been away from her all the Summer, and is now supposed to be down in Quebec. She has not heard from him, or received anything from him, since the Summer. She has two children both young, she goes out to scrub and wash, but work is slack just now, and she is not in good health. Visitor recommends Coal now, and the Case might be reference to him again.

1017. Elizabeth Cass: 309 Queen Street east. Husband and four children. Husband out of work Tinsmith by trade, she says they are in very great distress, Visitor recommends husband to go and see whether he could get any work at the House.

1018. Sarah McQuiggan: Living down in a hollow back of 26 James Street. She and her sister are old pensioners. They are very industrious decent old bodies. They earn their living by knitting and spinning, but like many others, cannot get on without assistance in Winter, Visitor recommends Coal now and during the next two months.

1019. Elisa McNamara: Living in half of the same cottage with the McQuiggans. Case reported upon last year, recommended for a little Coal.

1020. Eliza Witts: a Case of last year, a very respectable Woman but in bad health and not able to get through the Cold weather without assistance. Visitor recommends Coal during the next two months.

1021. Mary Courtney: Blairs Yard Nelson Street, Visitor is not satisfied about this case would like to make further enquiry.

1022. Ann Spilling: 15 Shuter Street. Visitor recommends a permanent supply of Bread and fuel to this party who is well deserving thereof.

1023. Catharine Dempsey: 53 Victoria Street. See former report, Since then she strives to maintain herself and 3 children respectable, by the needle, but thinks it hard to do so, her husband though in Town, does nothing but loaf about disorderly houses. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

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1024. Margaret Greany: 71 Richmond St. east See report of former years much the same now. Clean tidy &etc. Visitor recommends Bread & fuel.

1025. Mary Simpson: 17 Stanley Street. Husband since dead, See report of last year, her little girl a very delicate child requiring much of her time, respectable Clean and tidy. Recommended for bread and fuel.

1026. Bridget O'Brien: 62 Stanley Street. No such person there.

1027. Mary Rutherford: 27 Queen St. east. The Visitor recommends this case for permanent relief. A decent respectable lady.

1028. Margaret McLean: No. 83 Stanley St. 50 years of age looks older. Widow. Son 19 in the Yankee Army but he sends very little of his pay. He was a great Scarup when here. She has not a friend in the world. Professional beggar by her own account. Committee will please judge in this case.

1029. Ellen Healey: 93 Stanley Street. See report for 3 years past. She has now a splendid Black Eye and cut face, given to her by her drunken husband who is now in jail for the same. She is not clean or tidy, and looks as if she was fond of the drop, but Visitor hopes he may be mistaken and if they [the] Committee think he is, they will give her relief for her little ones sakes.

1030. Margaret McKew: 84 Stanley St. See report for the three last years past. Since then her husband's rupture and accident have rendered him unable to do anything, he says. If the Doctor thinks so too, Visitor will recommend Bread and fuel.

1031. Julia McCarty: 49 Stanley Street. See report for the last 3 years. Still feeble and tottering to the final issue. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

1032. John Henderson: back of Hewitts Hardware Store. (Colored) has had three families, all dead and gone. 82 years of age, an old soldier, served in the American War in 1812. Lost his left arm by the bite of a madman whom he was employed to take to the Lunatic Asylum. Visitor thinks he should be taken in the House, if he has not intemperate habits, and on this point he has his suspicions but could not make enquiries amongst the neighbours as no one seemed to know him. Leaves the case to the Committee.

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1033. Mary Finlin: See report of the last two years. If the Doctor still thinks that her sore eyes are not the effect of intemperance, he will recommend Bread and fuel.

1034. Elisa Death: 7 Wood Street. See report of last year, If her personal appearance be, in the opinion of the Committee, not the result of intemperate habits, he will recommend Bread and fuel.

1035. Catharine Martin: 7 Wood Street. Report of the last two years referred too [to]. The husband seems to be able to earn his living and ought with his two grown up children to support the family. The Committee will please judge on view of the husband.

1036. Clarissa Redmont: 44 Magill Street. Visitor recommends fuel only. See Case 939.

1037. Mary Holdfield: No. 3 Crookshank Street. Sent Visitor word that she was quite unable to go as far as the House of Industry, and begged of him to recommend her again this year for Bread and fuel. See report of last year, her condition is much the same now as then. Recommended for fuel all she asks for.

1038. Catharine McClean: in Case 802 was Confined since then, her two boys are in the Boys Home, two little girls with people who feel interested in her Case. She is very destitute. Visitor recommends that she be taken in the House with her two youngest Children for a time at least [least]. The two children are girls one 3 years old and the other 3 weeks old. Admitted. Irish. ChofEngl.

1039. Jessy Paulson: Married. Native of Scotland, Presbyterian Church. Deserted by her husband. She has four children two of whom have been provided for by her friends, is desirous of placing the other two (George aged 6 years and Jessy aged 4 years) in this Institution, is willing to sign the usual Letter or Form required by the By-Laws of the Institution. To be admitted. Intends going in to Service herself.

1040. Mary Ann McKay: 20 years of age. Native of Scotland, Presbt. Church. She is one of 16 girls who were sent out to Canada as Servants in [the] charge of a Miss Nickolson 5 months ago in Ship St. George who sailed from Liverpool. The girl seems in a weakly state of health not able to go to Service. Mr. R. Gilmor applied on her behalf to have her admitted in House of Industry as she has no friends. Admitted for a time.

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Present Messrs. J. Thom, E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Howard

1042. Mary Askin: 83 George Street, Widow, Presbt and [an] old woman, very decent and respectable, earns a living in summer by peddling Apples &etc. might have Coal during January and February, and a small allowance of Bread for a few weeks.

1043. Ellen Armstrong: 81 George Street. Widow, no Children living with her. Works at Tailoring but has had little or no employment for some time. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice and if she was allowed a very little Bread for a week or two after the New Year, she may get into work again.

1044. Ellen Casey: 309 1/2 Queen St. east, a widow with a sick daughter (who is evidently in a decline) to support as well as herself, she has done her best to get on without assistance, but her daughter being

now at home and dependent upon her, has reduced her to great distress. Visitor recommends her for coal and Bread during the Winter.

1045. Catharine Ryan: 91 Nelson Street, a widow, one daughter in Service who helps to pay her rent, and has a little grand daughter living with her. A decent old Body not able to do much for herself. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for the next two months.

1046. Mary Brennan: 91 Nelson St. Living in the same house with Mrs. Ryan, has a daughter living with her also a widow, with one Child. Coal twice.

1047. Johanna McDonald: 332 King St. east, an elderly single woman in bad health, scrubs and washes but says she can get little or nothing to do at present, recommended for Coal twice, and Bread for a week or two.

1048. Mary Stewart: 21 Power Street, not at home when the Visitor called. The person whose house she lodges, says she is a poor Widow Woman without children.

1049. Mary Clampitt: in a lane between Berkely and McMahan St. North of Sydenham. Husband a Well digger and out of Employment. She is quite blind, and has been so for four years, one Child a boy. They are much in want both of fuel and food. Visitor thinks temporary assistance might be given until the husband gets some employment, perhaps something might turn up at the House.

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1050. Charlotte Quinn: 39 James Street. ChofEngl. Husband has deserted her, she has two young children, one an infant in the arms, she was formerly in the Public Nursery. She appears to be in very great distress, Visitor recommends Coal and Bread, but wishes to have the case referred to him again before Coal is given a second time.

1051. Catharine Roach: 44 James St. 3 children. husband left her some weeks ago and went to the Country to look for work and has not since been heard of, she might have Coal once and a little Bread, but Visitor would like to ascertain whether the husband has returned, before any further assistance is given.

1052. Edward Herbert: 144 Beech Street, a helpless old infirm Man, living in a miserable hovel. Neither wife or Children. Visitor rather suspects that he consoles himself with something stronger than water! Thinks it would be far better to take him into the House than to give him out door relief. does not wish to come in the House, to have a little relief out.

1053. Ellen Hookaway: ^rear of^ 47 Sumach St. Widow with 3 children, her husband only died a few weeks ago, he had been ill for nearly a year. Visitor reported upon the case last year when he was ill. Recommended for Coal. Is getting Bread.

1054. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. reported upon last year. Visitor recommends her for Coal during the Winter Months.

1055. Mary Wims: 71 Pine Street. Widow, 3 children. Recommended for Coal once and Bread for a few weeks. The Case to be referred again.

1056. Murtagh Kearney: 79 Berkely St. a very old and infirm man nearly blind quite incapable of even taking care of himself. Visitor did not see his wife but was told that she is younger and more active. thinks it quite a case for relief both for Bread and fuel.

1057. Mary Hays: 78 Berkely Street, was not in when the Visitor called, but the people in the House said she was a poor Widow, with one girl 13 years of age. That she went out whenever she could get a days work, but very badly off both for fuel and food. Visitor thinks the girl is old enough to go to Service.

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1058. Bertha Stinson: 122 Duchess Street, a very decent old woman. Case reported upon last year. She has one Son with her who is in a bad health being Subject to fits. Recommended for Coal and Bread during the next two months. See Case 136.

1059. Cecely Convey: 79 Caroline Street and Margaret Cloane: in the same House, both cases fully reported upon last year. Visitor recommends them for Coal for the next two months.

1060. Margaret Jones: 46 Duchess St. Widow R.C. reported upon last year, her circumstances remain just the same. Visitor believes her to be an industrious woman doing all she can to support herself and only applying for relief when driven to it by necessity. Recommended for Coal and Bread during the next two months.

1061. Bridget Driscoll: living on the corner of McMahon Street, has had coal. Visitor recommends a grate.

1062. Catharine Mooney: 30 Ontario St. The Visitor cannot find this woman, she must come to him and show him where she lives, thinks there must be some mistake about the Number.

1063. Mary Meredith: No. 80 Elizabeth St. Irish, Methodist Ch. Married 30 years of age, one boy 5 years old, her husband a Colored Methodist Clergyman went to the States a year ago and she is afraid that he is dead as she has not heard from him for near a year past. Her sister who is ill with Consumption lives with her, appears clean and respectable live by sewing. Recommended for relief.

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1064. Mina Burton: rear of 17 Centre Street. Scotch, Presbt. Ch. Married 40 years of age, husband a labourer 55 years of age. 2 children girl 2 1/2 years of age and a boy 5 months old. They appear clean, but Visitor could not gain any information about them, husband had better saw Wood for relief.

1065. Mary Mahoney: 79 Sayer Street. Irish, arrived in Toronto two months ago from London England. Married 35 years of age, husband a Shoemaker, he is not able to earn much, not understanding peg work. 7 children – girl 17, do [ditto] 7, boy 14 do [ditto] 12 do [ditto] 10 do [ditto] 5 do [ditto] 1 year old. The four youngest are at home. They appear in great want. The Visitor recommends that they be assisted for one Month.

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1066. Elizabeth Hall: 97 Sayer Street (Colored) Methodist Ch. Married 22 years of age. One girl 5 years of age, husband a labourer who she says is not able to find work. he had better be set to work to cut wood. She is clean but the House is dirty.

1067. Charlotte Rich: 41 Emma Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 33 years of age. One daughter aged 11. appears as if she lived on the good things of this world. Visitor recommends that she and her daughter go to service.

1068. Bridget Franklin: rear of 85 Centre Street. See report of last year.

1069. Thomas Mackett: 161 Centre Street. English. Methodist Ch. Married. 63 years of age in consumption. Wife also in bad health. clean respectable people. A son a widower with his two daughters lives with them. Children aged 10 and 12 years. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per week and Coal for the winter.

1070. Ellen Meakin: rear of 49 Emma Street. English. ChofEngl. Married. 62 years of age, husband about same age, they appear to try to make their case worse than it is, but on account of their age, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per week and Coal for the winter.

1071. Elisa Thomas: is not Known at 116 Centre Street.

1072. Elisa Clarke: in a lane rere of Queen St. entrance from York St at No. 176 lives at the far end of said lane. Not married. Irish. R.C. 27 years of age has two children, boy 4 and a boy 6 years of age. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread per week and Coal for the winter.

1073. Johanna Kehoe: 78 Boulton St. R.C. aged 40. two girls one 15 the other 13 years old, the eldest is at Service the other is at school. when these children were young the Visitor willingly recommended assistance, but now that they are fit to earn their own living he cannot do so. leaves the Committee to judge for themselves.

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1074. Mary Jane Johnson: 116 King Street, was not in when the Visitor called. The man with whom she lodges said she was out looking for some assistance, It therefore appears that she begs for a living, it is a wretched looking place where she resides. They said she was a widow aged 35, two children aged 4 & 6 respectively. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends nothing until he visits again.

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1075. Bridget Barrett: 16 Adelaide St. east. Skedadddled out of that.

1076. Ann Carr: opposite A. Cameron's Church St. ^Roman Catholic.^ Widow four years, was intemperate but lost her leg in consequence of disease. She is now steady, but quite unable to work. Son married and cannot help her. Daughter at Service who assists her. Other small children. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

1077. Alice Murphy: 44 Ann Street, see report in 1860. Since then another baby; and 5 other small Children all down with the measles. Much improved in cleanliness by the wife. Visitor did not see the husband but he will show himself to the Committee and they will please judge on view of him.

1078. Elizabeth Howe: No. 3 Crookshank Street. See report of last year. Much the same now. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

1079. Bridget Connelly: No. 8 Stanley Street. See report of last year, much the same now. Husband to show himself, the Committee will please judge.

1080. Ann Dunn: 82 Stanley Street. 40 years of age. Husband 63. he has not the use of his right arm. Was in Hospital a Month, discharged much better but still a cripple. Looks like a hard case. Was a grease and Ashman. Son married but very poor himself. Girl 11 in delicate health, girl 8, boy 6. R.C. tolerable clean, husband to show himself, Committee will please judge.

1081. Sarah Blake: Adelaide St east next to Brothers ~~School~~ the painter. See report of 1859. Much the same now. Respectable &etc. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

1082. Catharine Wilson: No. 5 Victoria Street. See report for the last 3 years, much the same now. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

1083. Bridget Hunt: 100 Richmond St. east. See Case 229. Much the same now. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

1084. Bridget Hennessey: 101 Richmond St. east. See report for the last 3 years. Much the same now. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

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1085. Catharine Duffy: 93 Stanley Street. See report of last year. Since then has been in Hospital for affection of the Lungs, but was discharged as the hot air of that Institution did her more harm than good. Very delicate. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

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1086. Margaret Hooly or Wooly: 150 Richmond St. east. No such number in that street.

1087. Elizabeth Connell: 86 Richmond St. east. 30 years of age, husband sickly, he was in Hospital in Montreal 3 months with inflammation of the bladder. Was burnt out and lost everything, and was on his way to friends in Buffalo, but is run out of Cash here. The Chief of Police and Dr. Burns will speak for him. Seemingly decent people. Boy, one year old. If Capt. Prince and the Doctor will speak for him Visitor will recommend Bread and fuel. He will show himself to the Committee.

1088. Honora Gillan: Next to Lawyer Bell's Richmond St. east. See report of last two years. Husband is still alive, but that's all. Visitor recommends them for fuel, they are receiving Bread.

1089. Michael Judge: No. 90 Victoria Street. He has got over a temporary distress and can do without help now: He thanks the Committee for their good will all the same.

1090. Sarah Trigg: Church Street Wharf. See case 381. Pretty much the same as then. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread and Coal twice, and the case might be referred to him again.

1091. Mary Ann Beamish: care of 18 South Park Street. See case 101. Not much change since then. She can manage if allowed Coal for the season which the Visitor recommends, other relief not required just now. Committee allow 8 [pounds] of Bread per week likewise.

1092. Elisa Long: Parliament Street, east side second door from Palace Street. Widow two months. 4 children, 3 boys, 7, 6 and 4 years of age, one girl 7 Months old. Her own age 27. Has been 10 years in Toronto. From Ireland. Roman Catholic Ch. 2 eldest boys go to school. Cannot go out for work on account of her infant. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per week and coal for the season.

1093. Bridget Kane: No. 12 Front Street. 36 years of age, husband 43. Irish. R.C. 6 children, Boy 15 with a pork Butcher, boy 12 hunch back, boy 10, boy 8, boy 5 and boy 2 years of age. Arrived out here 4 months ago. Husband is willing to work but cannot get Employment, husband to make personal application, and after hearing the Case, the Committee can decide upon its merits. To be allowed 12 [pounds] of Bread temporary and Soup and Coal temporary.

1094. Mary McQuinn: Married, husband left for the country 2 weeks ago. English. ChofEngl. 2 children, boys 7 and 2. to have 6 [pounds]s of Bread & Coal.



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1095. Ellen Welsh: Phoebe St next to School. 28 years of age, husband in the States. R.C. Irish. 2 children, Boys 3 and 1 years of age. Recommended for Coal.

1096. Mary Barber: John Street near the Church. Not reported upon.

1097. Ann Franklin: No. 12 Dummer Street. 33 years of age, deserted by her husband. R.C. Irish. 2 children, Boy 6 and girl 5 years of age. Recommended for Coal turn about with Jane Cochlin.

1098. Mary Henly: No. 8 Dummer Street. 46 years of age. Widow. ChofEngl. Irish. Recommended for Coal.

1099. Elisa Ellis: Boulton's Lodge John Street. husband deserted her. 42 years of age. ChofEngl. Irish. 4 children. Boy 19 in the States. 3 girls 14, 12 and 10 years old. Recommended for Coal to have 1200 [pounds] sent at once for the season.

1100. Jane Cochlin: 12 Dummer St. 26 years of age. a Widow with 2 Children, Boy 5 and girl 2 years of age. Irish. R.C. to have Coal turn about with Ann Franklin as the [they] both use the same stove.

1101. Mary Courtney: 46 Nassau Street. Married 33 years of age. ChofEngl. Irish. 3 children, girl 11, girl 4 and Boy 4 Months old. recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread per week and Coal.

1102. Mary O'Brien: No. 5 William Street. 3 children. Irish. R.C. Married. Girl 7, Boy 5 and boy 3. Recommended to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per week and Coal.

1103. Michal Grace: 27 Andersons Lane. Married. No family, lost his arm and leg in a treshing [threshing] machine. Recommended to have 6 [pounds] of Bread a week and Coal.

1104. Jane Warren: Charles Street Denisons Avenue east side. 32 years of age a widow. ChofEngl. Irish. 4 children, girl 13, boy 12, girl 4, girl 2 years old. Recommended to have 8 [pounds]s of Bread a week and Coal.

1105. Mary O'Brien: No. 5 William St. west. Widow. 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. One child at home sick a boy 20 years of age. To have 8 [pounds]s of Bread per week and Coal.

1106. Ann Nichols: (see case 691 in 1860.) Died this day Debr. 27th at 8 A.M. of general debility in the 70th year of her age.

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Committee for receiving and accepting Tenders met at 4 OClock P.M.

Monday 29th Debr. 1862

Present: The Chairman E. H. Rutherford Esqr. and E. Hobson Esqr.

1107. John Wicksons Tender for Meat being the lowest tender ([dollars] 2,37 1/2 [cents] per 100 [pounds]) was accepted

Mrs. Harper's Tender for milk (5 [cents] per quart) was accepted.

W. & G. Coales tender for Bread 31 {wt} [at] 7 [cents] for 4 [pounds] Loaf was accepted.

Dodgson Shields & Co.'s tender for groceries also being the only one sent in, as is usual was accepted.

1108. Jane Levan: 25 years of age, Widow, Irish. R.C. has one child 6 months old, lost her husband this fall by an accident on the Railway. She is a most respectable industrious Woman, recommended for fuel for the Winter to have 1200 [pounds] of Coal sent her at once for the Winter.

1109. Ann Heenan: 264 Queen Street west, is an old Widow 51 years of age. has No. children, lives with an acquaintance, has sore eyes, which prevents her doing work regularly. Irish. R.C. recommended for Coal.

1110. Catharine Galvin: No. 8 Dummer Street. Is a widow, has only one Child, girl 10 years of age, Lodges with a Mrs. Kerby. Sews for a living, but can get very little work. House very untidy. Irish. R.C. wants fuel also recommended for a small allowance of Bread.

1111. Susan Woods: head of Spadina Avenue opposite Hon. A. Wilson. a widow, lives alone and supports herself by nursing and Washing, very poorly off. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal.

1112. Bridget Dean: 50 years of age, R.C. on a Lane South Side of Richmond St. w. off York Street. Husband sick. 6 children, ages 12, 10, 8, 6, 3 and 1 years of age. allowed Bread and Coal.

1113. Mary McQuin: 35 years of age, ChofEngl. Husband away 12 weeks in St. Lewis. Two children, boy 7 and boy 2. Lives on Charles St. second door from Maria St. Allowed 6 [pounds] of Bread and Coal.

1114. Jane Daughy: 14 Isabella Street. 36 years of age. Widow 3 months. See case 789. The Visitor recommends Coal as she is receiving Bread 8 [pounds]s which is to be increased to 12 [pounds] a week during winter months.

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Tuesday 30th December 1862

Present: The Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin and Mr. E. Hobson

1115. Charlotte Fraser: No. 10 Edward Street. English. ChofEngl. Married. 34 years of age. No Children, husband left her 8 years ago, she is quite blind all she can do is knitting. She appears a clean respectable woman. Visitor recommends her for 4 [pounds] of Bread per week with Coal and Soup.

1116. Margaret Flinn: rear of 55 Centre Street. Irish. R.C. Married, 28 years of age, husband a labourer, left her about 2 years ago, gets her living as a Char Woman. one child a girl 2 years old. Recommended for 4 [pounds]s of Bread a week and to have Coal turn about with Mrs. Biffin who uses the same Stove.

1117. Ann Biffin: rear of 55 Centre Street, in same House with Margaret Flinn. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 40 years of age. husband a Carpenter who left her 3 years ago. 4 children, boy 10, girl 7, girl 6 and girl 4 years of age. Works as a Charwoman, Visitor was informed that she is a industrious steady woman. Recommended for 8 [pounds]s of Bread a week with Soup and Coal turn about with Margaret Flinn.

1118. Mary Tansey: 25 Elizabeth Street. see former report, husband confined to the House with bad leg. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.

1119. Margaret Wooley: 71 Richmond St. east. 36 years of age. Husband deserted her several Months ago. he was a hard drinker and before he left he sold off everything and she has been destitute ever since. Girl 7, girl 4, Boy 10 months. gets some scrubbing and washing, but her baby has the Diarrhea very badly and wants constant attention. Decent, tidy. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

1120. Mary Ann McNight: rear of Bond Street Church. See case 665. She is receiving Bread, Visitor recommends Coal.

1121. Bridget O'Brien: rear 62 Stanley Street. No such person there.

1122. Catharine Quin: 39 Stanley Street. See past reports for last two years. Since then her daughter's husband has turned out a great drunkard, he beats his Wife and will not let her help her poor old Mother. The son still helps her a little, as he has a good situation, she still looks very delicate in health. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

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1123. Bridget McCan: 53 Victoria Street. See report of last year. Since then she has become more feeble, and if possible poorer. seems respectable. Visitor recommends Bread and Coal.

1124. Margaret Burns: 259 King Street east. Corner of Prince St. a Widow. Native of Ireland. R.C. Mrs. Cooley with whom she lives keeps her out of charity. Recommended for Coal.

1125. Richard Grayden: 23 Duchess Street. an old and infirm man without friends or any settled home, Visitor thinks the best thing that could be done would be to take him into the House, if there is any

room, he is a tailor by trade and might probably make himself very useful in mending the Clothes of the Inmates. to be admitted tomorrow.

1126. MW living with her, who it seems has since left, and she does not know where she has gone to.

1127. Mary Anne Sheridan: 47 Sumach Street. A widow one (adopted) child. Methodist. A very decent respectable Woman. She work for the Tailors Shops, but work is very slack just now, and Visitor would recommend Coal.

1128. Mary Ann McNamara: Lane back of Cartys Soap Factory. Husband has left her, has two children. Living in a miserable dirty house, She might have Coal once and Bread for a week or two and then the case had better be referred to Visitor again.

1129. Jane Fraser: 90 George St. Case reported upon last year. She and her husband are an elderly Couple who get their living by huckstering during the Summer. He presents himself to be in bad health. They are decent sober people, they have no children. Visitor recommends them for Coal.

1130. Honora Kearns: 30 Ontario Street. Widow with one son, nearly 21, but who has been confirmed invalid for many years and quite incapable of doing any work. Visitor recommends Coal during the Cold weather & small allowance of Bread for 3 weeks.

1131. Catharine Mooney: 30 Ontario Street. a very decent old Woman, has one daughter at Service who helps to pay her rent. Irish. R.C. Mrs. Mooney is in bad health. Visitor recommends Coal and a little Bread.

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1132. Catharine Kane: 313 Queen Street east, and [an] old Case reported upon the last two years. She really is in distress, but she will lose nothing for want of asking! Might have Coal once now, and for the next two months, and Bread for a month.

1133. Mary Black: No. 213 Bishop Street. Case reported last year, has received aid for the last seven years, decent old lady. Committee order 1200 [pounds] Coal for the season.

1134. Ann Donnelly: No. 179 Hope Street. works occasionally, 5 years a Widow, has 3 children, 2 boys 11 and 5 years and a girl 6 years of age. She lives with another family named Donnelly and pays [dollars] 1,50 a Month rent. Irish. R.C. was not at home when called upon and Visitor is hardly satisfied with his visit. Recommends Bread for a month, and if he thinks her deserving of Coal will let Committee know.

1135. Ellen Seddon: 485 Richmond St. west. a tidy woman, her husband is a pensioner and has been very ill all the Summer, brought on by drink, he is still anything but well. No children. Visitor

recommends Coal. Irish. R.C. Committee cannot allow anything in this case as [dollars 6 a month ought to do for them.

1136. John Kearns: 133 Tecumseth Street. a rag picker. wife and Child. Irish. ChofEngl. Ought to be able to support himself. Visitor cannot recommend assistance.

1137. Mary Nichol: 171 Hope Street. The husband has been unable to get work for some time back, and on Christmas Eve the whole family was turned out of doors. There are 6 children, the eldest not 9 years old, not one of the children is clothed even warmly enough for Summer, the wife has no clothing of any description and Wife and Children are all lying on the floor huddled together without a Blanket to cover them. No Stove. Visitor hopes the Committee will give immediate relief. The woman has no clothes in which to go to the House of Industry. Irish. ChofEngl.

1138. Catharine Johnson: No. 1 Charles Street, a respectable widow woman with one Child, aged 7 years, she washes. Recommended for Coal.

1139. Johanna Delaney: reported upon last week (Burns) gets ~~no~~ Bread, she is well taken care of by the Barracks, and Visitor has since found gets money from her husband.

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1140. Michael Hanrahan: 3rd door in a Lane opposite Cathcarts on Bathurst Street. age 60 years, Wife and one Child aged 6 years. The wife is very poorly, He cannot get work. Pays [dollars] 1 3/4 a Month for rent. Irish. R. C. Ch. Recommended for Coal.

1141. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope St. Husband can get no work, was gone to see a fight at Fox's Tavern when Visitor called. only herself and him in family. has a garden and keeps pigs. Require no assistance.

1142. John Tracey: 486 Richmond St. west. The well-known Chimney Sweep, his Contract with the City was taken away in the Summer, and he has had nothing to do for a long time, He has a very badly sprained wrist. He and his wife are all the family, being his first application to the poor house, Visitor would recommend Coal once.

1143. Sarah Harris: 121 Bishop Street. Recommended for Coal, Bread and Soup. Irish. ChofEngl.

1144. Francis Irwin: 484 Richmond Street west. Chimney Sweep, age 43 years. 3 Children, 10, 12, and 16 years. The eldest girl is at Service at [pounds] 2 1/2 a Month. Was ill during the Summer and has just come out of the Hospital where he was laid up with a broken leg that is not quite well yet, he is unable to follow his trade at present, used to drink very hard, but is not so bad now, recommended for Coal and one Month's Bread. ChofEngl.

1145. Mary McKenna: Husband a drunkard, has no work. The wife applied last year for relief. 5 children, ages 9, 7, 5, 3 and 1 years. All of them are down with the Measles. Recommended. Irish. R. C. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread a week and Coal.

1146. Alice Torphy: 369 Adelaide Street West. Visitor cannot find the Case has given the wrong address.

1147. Ann Garde: Brunswick Avenue Sherriffs Cottages. A clergymans Daughter but greatly reduced by her husband's bad habits, has a large family greatly in need. Revd. Mr. Broughall thinks that Committee should do something for them.

1148. Catharine Maguire – in Case 888 to have relief. The Hon. Mr. Allen has made enquiry and finds that the son in law is a great Blackguard and that the Police are on the lookout for him. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly & Coal.

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1149. Henry William Adams: 63 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbt. Ch. has been about Toronto for many years, seems feeble through want. No friends. Not in a state at present to earn his living. Seems a very respectable Man. Seeks admission, promises to make himself useful about the House. Admitted.

1150. Catharine Martin: in Case 1035. Visitor finds that her husband died after a life of habitual intemperance, leaving his widow destitute with a girl 11 sickly and girl 9. The other two grown up have gone to the States. Was not aware of these matters when he sent in the last report, hopes therefore that she may be now relieved with bread & fuel. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly & Coal.

1151. Wesley Collins: Colored, in case 625. Has made his appearance again in a most deplorable condition, he says that he had to live by begging ever since he was sent away from here, begs a few days shelter, to be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding for a few days.

1152. James Brown: about 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. came to Toronto from Whitby to seek employment, has no money seeks Shelter for a few days.

1153. Robert Perry, 64 years of age, Native of Ireland, Presbt. Church, has a sore leg, been several times an Inmate in this Institution, is desirous of obtaining shelter in Outbuilding.

1154. George Gibbs: 43 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. has a very sore leg, recommended by Mr. Rice Lewis for a few days shelter until he can get admitted in General Hospital.

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January 2nd 1863

Present The Revd. E. Baldwin & E. Hobson

1. Charlotte Darby and her husband William, live at No. 221 Centre St. English, ChofEngl. She is 44 years of age, has 10 Children, girl 20 in Service, girl 18 in the Asylum, girl 16 in Service, girl 14, girl 12, boy 10, boy 8, girl 7, girl 6 and Boy 2 years old at home. Appears very respectable, husband a Bookkeeper, has been in Canada about 2 year, not been able to meet with regular Employment - willing to do anything to support his family. Visitor recommends that the husband ^cut Wood^ and to have relief in the mean time.
2. Charlotte McLaughlan: No. 221 Centre Street. English. ChofEngl. Married 42 years of age, 5 Children, girl 14 in Service, boy 12, boy 10 sick, boy 7, boy 3 at home, husband a Tailor not at home when Visitor called. Wife states he is in bad health, if so they will require assistance, Visitor will make further enquiry, Visitor did enquire and in doing so finds that they are a drunken set, cannot recommend their Case.
3. Oliver Jackson: No 223 Sayer Street. Colored. Methodist Church. Married, 40 years of age. 8 Children, boy 13 earns 3/ [shillings] 9d [pence] a Week, girl 9, girl 8, girl 5, boy 6, boy 3, boy 1, girl 4 years of age. They have been living a short way from Toronto, but if the husband saws Wood for relief, Visitor thinks it might be granted on those terms.
4. Catharine Winchester: rear of 44 Alice Street. Irish, ChofEngl. Married, 41 years of age, 4 children all Boys 11 - 10 - 7 and 4 years of age. Husband a Cabinet Maker, they appear in want but he refuses to saw Wood and on that account Visitor thinks they ought not to be assisted.
5. Alice Allan: No. 234 Elizabeth St. Colored, Methodist. Widow. 63 years of age a decent industrious Woman, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.
6. Charlotte Woolsey: 22 Elizabeth Street. See former report. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.
7. Margaret Walsh: 232 Elizabeth Street. See former report. Recommended for Coal during the season.
8. Thomas Blaney: rere of 36 Terauly Street see former report is receiving Bread. Recommended for Coal.

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9. Mary Sargant: 234 Elizabeth Street. See former report. Visitor recommends Coal for the season.
10. Mary Stuart: No. 21 Stanley Street. 35 years of age, husband has a bad leg occasioned by an accident some years ago, which prevents his working. Visitor did not see him, our Doctor can tell about his sore leg. 5 Children, girl 12 at Service for Board and Clothing only, no wages. Boy 11, girl 10, Boy 6 1/2 and girl 3 1/2. So many dirty wretched little urchins Visitor has seldom seen. She seems to have been drinking plentifully this day, speaks incoherently, Eyelids red as fire, all of which she attributes to the Cold Weather. Husband must show himself on Friday: when the Committee will please judge. he little ones are in a very pitiable condition.
11. Bridget Hayes: No. 93 Stanley Street. See former report. Since then she has had another boy, now 2 Months old, Husband is sick and unable to work. Visitor did not see him our Doctor can tell how that is, She is now dirty and slovenly, and keeps her house and Children in a filthy Condition, a sad change for the worse, Husband must show himself when the Committee will please judge.
12. Ann Corrigan: No. 77 Stanley Street. 26 years of age, Husband went to the Country on Monday last to seek work, leaving her perfectly destitute. He was working on the Wharves and about the Shipping all Summer, but drank all his earnings. Often in Gaol. Girl 6, at her Mothers. Boy 4, girl 2 with her, nice Children, and she keeps them and herself Clean and tidy, and she has a respectable appearance. Recommended for Bread and fuel.
13. Ann Lloyd: rear of 79 Richmond St. east. No such person there.
14. Bridget Burke: rear of 82 Stanley Street. Not 84. 30 years of age, husband deserted her 3 Months ago, She seems to be a hard Case, talks thick and leans against the door post to keep the perpendicular. 3 Children, boy 7 girl 4 and girl 2 years of age. Wretched in every way. For the sake of the poor suffering Children, Visitor recommends Bread and fuel, but the Committee will please judge.
15. Catharine Nugent: No. 17 Shuter Street. See report for the last 3 years. Her Daughter's Lungs are much affected, and she is still very delicate Visitor recommends fuel only, all she asks.
16. Mary Barber: 31 John Street, age 73. ChofEngl., lives alone, allowed Coal has been receiving 4 [pounds] of Bread all the year.

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17. Ellen Nugent: Richmond Street east, next to Lawyer Bell's 52 years of age. Widow 19 years, Son 28 in the Yankee Service, Daughter 24 at Service, but only for Board and Clothing, as she is so delicate sometimes, that she cannot do anything, decent, clean, sober &etc. Sews when she can get it to do. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

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18. Mary Lee: Richmond Street east, next to Lawyer Bells, 50 years of age. Widow 8 years, and a buxom Widow at that. Daughter Married in the County of Grey somewhere. Son 24 Shoemaker in Town, Married and cannot or will not help his Mother. Girl 28 at Service at [dollars] 4 a Month, She pays her Mothers rent. She herself goes out to wash scrub &etc. Clean tidy and seemingly an active, busy striving body. Visitor does not think that the House of Industry is to be charged with her support to any amount at all, but she should try and join her Married Daughter or Son.

19. Mary Constantine: 132 Richmond St. west, Married, R.C. aged 40. Husband 56. Has 3 Children, boy 8, boy 5 and boy 2 1/2. Husband is a Tailor but cannot do much, they have no rent to pay, Visitor thinks it might be as well to give them Coal twice, but no Bread.

20. Julia Jones: 142 York Street, deserted by her husband, aged 45. Four Children, Boy 13 at work, 3 girls aged 10, 8 and 4 years. She appears to be doing the best she can. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season

21. Mary Morris: 261 Richmond Street west. Widow aged 60. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

22. Ann Hendrson: 34 Trinity St. husband cannot get regular Employment a Labourer, Natives' of Ireland, 3 years in Toronto. ChofEngl. 7 Children, Girl 11. Girl 9 Boy 7. Boy 5. boy 4. Boy 2. And a boy 5 Months old. Her own age 34. Visitor did not see the husband or oldest girl, the rest are certainly a squalid looking set. The Mother cannot go out to work on account of her numerous and helpless family. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal say twice, or till again visited

23. Mary Row: 72 South Park Street. Widow 3 years, 2 Children, Boy 9- at School, girl 8 with friends in the Country, her own age 50, 3 years in Toronto, Native of Ireland, R.C. unable to work from sore Eyes, but can wash a little occasionally. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. And Coal twice during the season.

24. Catharine Deary: 36 Ontario Street, Could not find her or her Number.

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25. Jane Baine: 37 1/2 South Park Street. Husband aged 37, out of Employment. her own age 41. 4 Children, Margaret the eldest in Montreal, Boy 10 nothing to do boy 7 and boy 3. Came here last May from Port Credit, but has spent most of her life in Toronto, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Visitor did not see husband or Children, but left Word for former to call on the Committee who can then judge as to relief to be granted.

26. Jane Crook: behind 60 Denisons Avenue. Has on Girl 11 years of age, her husband (about 55 years old) is now rather poorly as well as herself. He is a labourer and at present is out of Employ, live in a room taken from another family. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread for a few Weeks.

27. Margaret Lennon: No. 18 Oxford Street. Lives in a room up Stairs taken from a friend, a very respectable Man. Is 60 years of age, her husband is about the same. No Children, both infirm. Irish, one ChofEngl the other R.C. Visitor recommends them for Coal.

28. Julia Burton: Not at home when Visitor called, saw her place which is a room up Stairs (40 Dummer St.) in a most wretched Condition. no furniture, bed or anything Comfortable. is a Widow and has 3 Children 2 girls, one boy, all under 10. used to stitch Coats and Shoes, now her occupation is gone. R.C. Irish. Recommended for Coal and Bread – received the information from her Landlord.

29. Margaret Newman: rear of 81 McMahon Street. Husband gone to the States. Has left her with 3 young Children to provide for, appears to be a very respectable little Woman, and is Visitor thinks deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal three times and Bread for 4 Weeks.

30. Susanna Easton: 77 McMahon Street. A somewhat similar Case to Mrs. Newman, her husband has also gone to the States, and has enlisted in the Northern Army! Unfortunately he gets no pay, and consequently has not sent her any Money! More fool he for going there! She has only two Children. Recommended for a little Coal once.

31. Catharine Edwards: 75 Nelson Street an old Case. See report of last two years. Since those reports were written, Matters have not improved with Mrs. Edwards. The clean tidy rooms have changed to dirty desolate looking holes. The greater part of her furniture has been sold for rent, and she herself from a neat tidy person, has turned into a miserable ragged Shoeless Creature. Drink Visitor suspects, though he has no actual proof of it, has been the Case, She is in great want and misery without any doubt and a little Coal would be a great boon to her.

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32. Margaret Sherlock: No. 113 Nelson St. Was not at home when Visitor called. Said to be a Widow, and a very respectable person.

33. Johanna O'Brien: 102 George Street. See report of last year. No change has taken place in Mrs. O'Briens circumstances, she has struggled on as long as she could this year without applying for relief. Recommended for a little Coal and Bread, during the next two Months.

34. Mary Gilkinson: In a yard rere of 41 Duchess St. Living with Mrs. Wilson. a Widow, a respectable industrious Woman Visitor believes, recommended for a little Coal. See Case 230. in 1862.

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36. Catharine Lavalla: 298 King Street east, Not at home when Visitor called. She is he (Visitor) is told a Widow with 3 young Children, and was relieved last year when living in the same place. Has no recollection of having visited her, Mr. Givins might have done so and his report might be referred to. See Case 102 186{2}.

37. Ellen Lockhart: rere of 105 Sumach Street. a Widow, with 3 Children. Her husband used to go about vending Matches and Clocks, he died last year. She has been very ill since, and is still in bad health. She is living with another Women whose husband left her and went off to the States, and who is nearly as badly off as Mrs. Lockhart. Visitor would recommend them for Coal turn about and Mrs. Lockhart to have a small allowance of Bread for a Month.

38. Elizabeth Cummings: 67 Pine Street. a Single Woman. a very decent industrious person She and a Bridget Hays live together. the latter a very tidy little lady, both their Cases were reported upon last year. They might have Coal for the next two Months.

39. Bridget Rogers: 65 Pine Street. See report of last two years, recommended for Coal only – four times.

40. Margaret Smith: rere of 84 McMahon St. could not be found.

41. Mary Tremble: No. 115 Seaton Street, reported upon last year. She and her husband go about selling Eggs, poultry &etc. they have a very large Family, and as they are really very sober industrious people, Visitor thinks they might be assisted with a little Coal. say four times.

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42. Ann Hart: rere of 41 Duchess Street and [an] old woman living with her daughter who received assistance from the House last year. Mrs. Hart is a Widow and quite past work, Visitor thinks she might have a little Coal, but he would suggest that her Son in Law might saw Wood for it.

43. Josephine Empey: about 4 years of age was sent by the Police Magistrate to be admitted into the House of Industry The Mother Ann Empey having this day (Jany 3rd) been Committed to jail for trial on a Charge of Larceny.

44. Ann Toner: rear of 36 James Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 54 years of age. 2 Children, boy 13 and girl 10 years of age both at home, She says she goes out to work as a Charwoman. Visitor thinks the two Children ought to be in Service, leaves the Case to the Committee. Refused unless her children is put out

45. Mary Jane Jacobs: No. 201 Elizabeth Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 24 years of age. 4 Children all boys, 5 and one. And twins 4 years old. husband a plasterer has been some time out of Work, they appear decent and Clean but very poor, he is willing to saw wood for relief, Neighbours say they are sober industrious people.

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Tuesday 6th January 1863

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson

46. Elizabeth Hannan: in a little hovel opposite 85 North Park Street, is a very old and infirm Woman, a Widow, no Children, Visitor takes her to be a very fit object of Charity, and recommends her for Coal during the next two Months and a little Bread if she asks for it, thinks that she will do without the Bread if she can

47. Margaret Doyle: 87 North Park Street. Was not in when Visitor Called, but the Woman with whom she lodged said that Mrs. Doyles' husband had deserted her and that she had two young Children, 5 and 10 years to support, that she was an industrious sober Woman, willing to work when she could get it to do.

48. Bridget Cruse: living in a lane between Jarvis & George Street, rear of Cartys Building North side of Queen St. appears to be a very decent Woman, and she, her husband and her family are in great want. The husband works about the Wharves but like many others this season of the year is out of Employment, Visitor told the Wife that her husband had better go up to the house, and see whether they could give him any Wood to saw, and if he does so, would recommend him for relief.

49. Ann Jones: Widow 78 years of age, lives at No. 410 Queen St. English. ChofEngl. A decent old Body, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, a grate and Coal for the season.

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50. Mary Edwards: Ontario St. whose husband died lately, and who has been getting relief from the House has such a miserable Stove, that it would be a Charity if she could be allowed Wood instead of Coal. The Stove is so cracked and open that the Coal smoke fills the whole room, making every thing more dirty and wretched.

51. Mary Gilkinson: No. 90 George Street. Widow, 56 years of age. English. Methodist appears to be a very respectable Woman, two of her Children were apprenticed out by the House some two years ago. She is out of work just now and has no fuel and Visitor therefore sent her up this Morning. She has a Son a Sailor who is now out of Employment, if assistance is continued to her the Son might saw wood for it.

52. Catharine Moor: 59 York Street. Widow. R.C. aged 51, has 2 daughters one aged 25 Married but deserted by her husband, has one Child 2 years old. The second Daughter is 19 years old but has weak Eyes, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, and Coal twice during the season.

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53. Ellen Nolan: No. 6 in a Lane rere of Bay Street. Widow, R.C. aged 56. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal two or three times during the season She has no Children, Keeps herself and place somewhat tidy. Committee consider she out to earn her own living.

54. Ann Foley: in the same cottage as above Widow. R.C. aged 70, an old Pensioner, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal for the season.

55. Esther Leonard: 23 Melinda Street deserted by her husband, aged 70. R.C. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal twice during the season. Has a daughter a young Woman who helps her some.

56. Ellen Marshall: 24 1/2 Adelaide St. in the rere, has an old husband aged 69. Herself 50. Irish. R.C. recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.

57. William Moor: Corner of Simcoe and front Street. ChofEngl. Aged 48 but in bad health. Wife 45. They have 5 daughters, two in Service aged 18 & 15. 3 at home aged 13. 11 1/2 and 7 1/2 years respectively. See Visitors report.

58. Alice Flanagan: No. 369 Adelaide St. west. Widow for the last seven years. 2 Children, girls, ages 16 years and 7 years. The eldest girl is deaf and has a sore neck, is out of place. Recommended for Coal Bread & Soup.

59. Bridget O'Brien: No. 77 Stanley Street. See report of last year, She says Mr. King will speak for her. If that be done, Visitor would recommend fuel only.

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60. Mary Sullivan: No. 71 Stanley Street. See reports for the last two years. Her husband will do nothing whatever for her, neither will he show himself at the House of Industry: her 3 little Children are with herself in wretched Condition in every respect. What can be done for her visitor know's not, and therefore must leave the Committee to judge in this Case.

61. Margaret Sweeny: No. 81 Stanley St. See report in 1859. She seems to be in much the same Condition now, except that she is more decent in her personal appearance, and in her house: but it seems to the Visitor that she might maintain herself and her boy in the Country. For this Winter only he recommends Bread and fuel.

62. Ann Lyden: rear of 99 Richmond St. See report of 1860. Case 44 and 821. There is no improvement since then: a professional beggar.

63. Eliza O'Regan: 80 Victoria St. See report of 1862. Case 48. Visitor recommends fuel only. Committee will likewise allow her 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

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64. Thomas Burns: 81 Stanley St. Visitor met this Man who showed him a very sore leg, which if not brought on by intemperance renders him a deserving object. He seems a quite [quiet] Man, steady now at any rate, his Wife is a decent body seemingly and his little girl 21/2 is kept nice. If the Doctor thinks he drinks would not recommend him, but if his sores arise from other causes would recommend Bread & fuel.

65. Ellen Dowd: 99 Richmond Street east. Visitor reported upon this Case (in 1862 Case 901.) and recommended bread and fuel. She received the bread, but before the fuel could be sent to her then place of abode 66 Stanley Street, She flitted to 99 Richmond Street, where she now is. When the Carter arrived with the fuel at 66 Stanley St. he found the Bird had flown, and he could not tell whither, Visitor trusts that the fuel may now be sent to her at 99 Richmond Street. She has 3 small Children.

66. Mary Gallagher: Sylvesters yard rear King Street east, husband aged 32 able to work, but has no regular Employment. Her own age 30. 4 Children, Boy 9. Boy 5. Girl 3 and Tom 8 Months old. Irish R.C. They came from New York last May. House very dirty: apparently a great scarcity of Water, Visitor did not see the Husband, but left directions for him to call upon the Committee, which he will do. If relief be granted Visitor would recommend 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week Coal twice and a Grate.

67. Ellen Dowd: in Case 65. Made enquire about her Coal, which was delivered to her at 66 Stanley St. She had it removed from there by a Carter in two Barrels and taken to Mrs. Kenny who keeps a Tavern on the Corner of George & Duchess St. to whom she sold the Coal for 3 Shillings.

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68. Johanna Britt: rear 121 South Park Street Widow. From Ireland, age 45. 3 years in Toronto a Son 19 went to the States 6 Months ago, last heard from at Cleveland Ohio. R.C. A daughter aged 13 wants a place to take care of Children has lived for some time with Mr. Kehoe. Mrs. Britt washes for a living, Visitor thinks her deserving of relief, recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal for the season.

69. Julia Monk: No. 6 James Street. Irish. No particular Church. Married 41 years of age. Charwoman, 2 Children, boy 14 and a girl 10 both at home. Husband is a Accountant earns at present [dollars] 2 a Week. Both husband and Wife are very fond of strong drink, but for that they would do well, Visitor cannot recommend these people as each of the family are able to earn their own living.

70. Margaret Darcey: No. 5 William Street (west) a Widow about 27 years of age has two Children both girls, eldest 4 years and 6 Months, youngest 2 Months. Has been "Wet Nursing" but the Child died Christmas Morning. Is unable to get work, lives with Mrs. O'Brien. Irish. R.C. recommended for bread and soup.

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71. Mary O'Brien: No. 5 William Street (west) has been reported upon and receives relief. The Visitor recommends a grate also.

72. Johanna Kelly: husbands Name John. 160 Queen Street (west) See Case 905 in 1862 recommended for a grate.

73. Fanny Gordon: 15 Maria Street. Not at home when visited, an old Widow no Children, procures a little work with difficulty. Recommended for Coal and Bread

74. Male Child about 2 years old was sent to this institution for admittance by order of George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate]. The Mother Ann Brown having been this day Charged with Vagrancy and sent to the Hospital in Consequence of having a bad leg.

75. Ann Burns: an Inmate was sent to general Hospital. Jany. 8th.

76. Mary McCarty: Charles Street, 2 doors from Maria Street. Husband died two Months ago, has three Children, two girls 11 years and 9 years one Boy 2 years old. The youngest Child is sickly. Recommended for Bread Coal and Soup.

77. Bridget McVey: with James McVey Esther Street. Lives with a man and Wife same Name but no connection. Has 3 Children. 11 yers. 5 years 2 years old. Her husband is at the War in the States, She pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month for room and Kitchen, recommended for Coal and Bread and Soup.

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Friday January 9th 1863

Present Revd. Mr. Grasett and Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

78. Margaret Harrington: 319 Queen Street east. Husband a very old Man in the Hospital at present. They have two Children. She goes out to scrub wash &etc. She has had Scarcely any work lately and is very badly off for want of fuel. I recommend her for Coal, (The Visitor does) and bread for 3 Weeks.

79. Ann Farrell: 92 Duchess Street. Widow with one Child a Cripple, Case reported upon last year. A very decent Woman. Does not apply for relief so long as she can possibly avoid it. Recommended for Coal three times.

80. Mary Murphy: 113 Nelson Street. Widow, No Children, sells apples and Oranges in Summer Cant earn anything in that way just now. Recommended for Coal now, and should the Weather Continue severe she might have it once again.

81. Margaret Cloane: 79 Duchess St. Visitor has already reported upon this Case. the Woman is now ill in bed and cannot come out, Coal to be sent to her.

82. Mary McCarty: rere of 53 Duchess Street. Husband and one Child an infant. She is ill in bed, husband picks rags, was told to go up to the House and see if he could get any wood to saw. They are really in distress, and he seems quite willing to work.

83. Catharine Cairns: 319 Queen St. east an old Woman with a still older husband both unfit for hard work, They have Children 3 Boys quite able to do for themselves, one of them used to work in the rolling Mills, but they are ungrateful fellows They do nothing for their parents. And under the Circumstances Visitor thinks assistance would be well bestowed.

84. Thomas Burns: (See Case 64.) Visitor visited this Man at his own request Since that time he has been to his (Visitors) House in a state of intoxication, and and suspects that Burns leads an intemperate Life, He therefore wishes to recall the recommendation then given.

85. Elisa West: 111 Victoria Street. See report of 257 in 1862. Since then she has become somewhat the worse for wear, her daughter also is in delicate health, and has been obliged to come home from Service. Her Son still remains in the States. Her rent was paid by the late Mr. Kennedy "May he rest in pease [peace]" who has also given her a recommend, which she will exhibit. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

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86. Mary Carroll: rear of 77 Stanley Street. See report of the last 3 years. Since then her husband has returned to her for good and all, but so Emaciated with Rheumatism as to be unable to leave his bed. He receives Medicine from the General Hospital, but derives no benefit therefrom. She seems to keep all things in better order than heretofore, recommended for Bread & fuel.

87. Ann Willoughby: Corner of Church and Bloor Street. The Revd. Mr. Givins recommends her, and his recommendation supersedes the necessity of Visitors.

88. Ellen Moran: 22 East Street. See report of former years, there is a vast improvement since Visitor first had the pleasure of seeing her, her eldest Boy is employed in the Rolling Mills, the two younger attend the Brothers School, and the Girl has a situation with some person in Boulton Street. recommended for Coal during the season which is all she asks.

89. Ellen Ryan: 20 East Street. (the same person as Ellen Wren in 1862) Husband has recovered from the Horse kick, but is suffering from pulmonary disease, and unfit for constant labour. In other respects, the family appear unchanged since last Winter, If allowed Coal for season she can manage without other assistance as she drives a flourishing business at the Washtub, recommended for Coal.

90. Julia Cummings: 261 Queen Street (west) in a Lane, Widow, R.C. Irish. aged 50. has one Son aged 19 who pays the rent for her. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal twice during the Season.

91. Precilla Cook: lives in the same House as above, Widow, ChofEngl. English. aged 44. has two Children, boy 6. and a girl 17 in Service who helps her some. Recommended for Coal during the season and no Bread.

92. Louisa Hollingbrook: No. 97 Queen St. (west) Married, ChofEngl. lately from England, aged 43. husband same age, Cannot get Employment, have one Child aged 6 years. At present lives with a friend that came out with him last Summer, recommended for Work, ad to have a little Bread in the mean time.

93. Mary Ann Astley: 33 Boulton St. No such Number.

94. Rebecca Miller: 233 Sayer St. Irish, ChofEngl. Spinster, 50 years of age. has been in Service but left her Situation some time ago, wants Coal to enable her to wash her Cloths, when she will try to find another place. To have Coal.

95. Charlotte Parker: 126 Elizabeth Street, to have a Grate.

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96. Mary Moon: No 13 Elizabeth Street. See Case 57. recommended for 4 [pounds]. of Bread a Week and Coal for the season.

97. Eliza Thompson: 195 Park Lane. See former report, to have 8 [pounds]. of Bread a Week.

98. Ann Conners: 21 Centre Street. See former report. To have 900 [pounds] Coal for the season delivered at once.

99. Margaret Wilson: 15 Louisa Street. See former report. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal for the season.

100. Eliza Thomas: 210 Centre Street (Colered) [colored] Baptist. Widow, 81 years of age. lives with a Married Son who is out of a situation at present, She is a very clean respectable Woman. Recommended to have 900 [pounds] Coal for the season.

100. Grace Smith: 37 Nassau Street. Widow with 5 Children, 3 girls, ages 16, 14 and 10 years. 2 Boys ages 15 and 8 years. The two eldest girls are at places getting [dollars] 2 1/2 and [dollars] 2 a Month respectively. The eldest boy gets [dollars] 3 a Month but he lives far back in the Country. Children ChofEngl. Mother R.C. When Visitor called there was a drunken Woman sitting in the House, but the

Woman Smith was sober. Cannot find out if she drinks worse than her neighbours but she seems to be a hard working Woman, keeps rather a tidy House. Visitor thinks she deserves assistance he therefore recommends Coal.

102. Margaret Dunwoodie: 40 Nassau Street. Her husband is a labourer but can get no work, he will gladly cut Wood for the House if required to do so. 6 Children 4 Boys, ages 15. 10. 4. 1 years. 2 girls ages 16 and 12 years. The eldest girl is in Country at [dollars] 3 per Month. The eldest Boy gets a Dollar a Week. They seem to be very poor, and in want of fuel. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for one Month. ChofEngl.

103. Mary Green: does not live at address 521 Queen Street (west) Visitor knows the Woman, and thinks very little of her Character. must bring right adress.

104. Mary Durand: 67 Lumley Street. Visitor knows the family and recommends Coal and Bread for one Month.

105. Jane Crook: does not live at 59 Denisons [Dennison's] Avenue. this is the second time she has given a wrong adress.

106. Margaret Lennon: does not live at 28 Oxford Street, It is annoying to be sent so far out of ones way to no purpose.

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Present The Revd. Mr. Broughall Messrs. R. Gilmor & J. Doel.

107. Sarah Johnson: Married, rere of Palmers Adelaide St. west. ChofEngl, aged 34. husband sick for a long time back is only a burden to the poor thing, She has 5 Children, 4 girls 11. 9. and 11 Months old, boy 6 and boy 4 years old, girl 11 has been at Tobacco factory and got [dollars] 1 a Week, but since Christmas there has been nothing doing. Recommended for 8 [pounds]. of Bread a Week and Coal for the season.

108. Ann Hickey: rere of 94 York Street. No such person there.

109. Ann Lovey: 91 Nelson Street an elderly Woman deserted by her husband several years ago. No Children. Goes out to Nurse and does odd jobs occasionally but her health is bad and she is unfit for any hard work, Visitor recommends Coal twice during the season.

110. Mary Courtney: Blairs yard Nelson Street. Visitor reported upon this ^Case^ year before, and is not quite satisfied with it now, nevertheless he would recommend Coal once, She was deserted by her husband about two years ago, She has two Children. They are living in a wretched dirty hole, it would be far better for her to move to other Lodgings.

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111. Margaret Hannon: Lane in rear of 64 Power St. Husband and two Children, 6 & 4 years old respectively, Mrs. Hannon has been suffering from scurvey and her legs are in such a state as to prevent her from doing almost any work, The Husband is out of Employment just now, The Visitor recommends husband to go up to House and Cut Wood for relief.

112. Timothy Keating: 319 Queen St. east the same party as reported upon last Week as Cearns [Cairns] (See Case 83.) instead of Keating, the fact is it is nearly as difficult to make them - comprehend - or comprehend them! - as if they were from China or Japan! The Man either can't or won't speak English They are a miserable old Couple, living in the same house, or rather Cellar with Timothy Harrington and his Wife; as far as Visitor can learn about them he would say they were decidedly objects of Charity, The old Man professes to saw Wood, but his legs are in such a state, that it is doubtful whether he is able to work, Visitor recommends relief.

113. Ellen Fitzpatrick [Fitzpatrick]: rear of 99 Richmond Street east This poor old thing should be put on the permanent List, or else taken into the House She is now quite feeble, Visitor recommends Fuel and Bread Sugar Tea and Oatmeal.

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114. Letitia Dunmoore: rear of 86 Stanley Street. 38 years of age, Widow one year ChofEngl, two Boys 9 and 7 respectively, both in Orphans-Home, Girl 5 boy 2 1/2, both with her, and all hands in excellent health. She expects to get the two younger ones into the Nursery next week when she will go out to Service, in this Case Visitor recommends fuel only, and only once.

115. Peater [Peter] Gear: 17 Stanley Street. This fellow is earning from [dollars] 4 to [dollars] 5 a Week as a journeyman Shoemaker, Send him off if he comes again, with a flea in his Ear.

116. Elizabeth Forsight: Heyden Street, 2nd House South side. 45 years of age. Widow one year. ChofEngl. Three Daughters all grown up and gone with their husbands and families to the States, She has a Grand daughter to support, a full orphan Child of her late daughter, She washes and scrubs when she can get it. Clean respectable &ct. Visitor recommends Fuel only all she asks.

117. Ann Scanlon: 142 Agnes Street. Irish, ChofEngl. Widow, 45 years of age one daughter 17 who she says has been to service, but on account of a bad cut on the hand was obliged to leave, and is now attending the Hospital. Mrs. Scanlon says she is a Washerwoman, but not able to do much having a bad leg, Visitor thinks it is more likely she likes to live at public expence, to see the Doctor.

118. Mary Ann Morrison: 142 Agnes Street. Irish, ChofEngl. Widow, 36 years of age, came from George Town about 5 Months ago. 8 Children, boy 14 in Service at [dollars] 4 a Month. girl 12. boy 11. and boy one year old at home, girl 8, boy 7, boy 6, and girl 4 in Orphans home, She was not at home when Visitor

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called, her room is dirty, but neighbours say she is a steady industrious Woman, but coming from the Country she has not much Claim on House of Industry.

119. Mary Birmingham: 54 Edward Street Irish, Methodist, 3 Children, all Boys 11, 7 and 3 years of age, have the Measles, The husband almost Blind but willing to work for relief, which Visitor recommends, very dirty people but appear very poor.

120. Eliza Rutledge: 99 Terauly [Terauley] Street, Irish, ChofEngl. Married, 45 years of age. 5 Children, girl 20 in Service at [dollars] 5 a Month, Boy 18 in the States, girl 16 in the Country, girl 4 and Boy 2 1/2 at home, Visitor is afraid it is a lazy, bad managed family as they might do better, husband a Labourer, To Cut Wood.

121. Mary Durand: 67 Lumley St. aged 58. her husband is 73, now Sick in bed. very poor unable to get work, English, ChofEngl. recommended for Coal & Bread.

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122. Mary Moffatt: 16 Centre Street Irish. R.C. Married. 35 years of age, husband left and went to the States 2 Months ago. 5 Children, boy 11 works at a Tobacco factory at 3/ [shillings] 9d [pence] a Week, girl 10, boy 8, boy 6, boy 4 years of age, all at home, Mrs Moffatt was out at work when Visitor called, but the little girl who is a very clean intelligent. child gave the above account. The House and Children are very clean which is a great credit both to Mother and daughter Recommended for Coal and Bread.

123. Margaret Daley: 27 William Street west. a Widow 40 years of age, has one girl 6 years old, Lives with a Mr. Smith and family, who have taken her in on account of her poor circumstances, used to sell Candy &ct. for a lively hood. Is in delicate health. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

124. Mary Ann Sullivan: 160 Queen Street west. Husband went to the States 3 Months ago. has two Boys 7 and 2 respectively. House is in a most wretched and dilapidated state. No Stove only a large fire place, No furniture. From Lockport New York. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal Bread & Soup.

125. Ann Boland: No. 2 East Street. Spinster, Native of Ireland. R.C. Not able to do much being subject to ague. 25 years of age. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal for the season, which will help to pay her Board, as Mrs. Spink the Woman she lives with is rather hard up herself.

126. Catharine Ellamonge: 26 Front Street up stairs Widow with two Children. John 5 and Joseph 3. her own age 23. Canadian. Washes for a living, but not able to go much abroad owing to her young Children. Husband and Children R.C. herself Protestant, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal for season, with any extra relief in the way of Clothing that the House can grant, as it seems a deserving Case.

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127. Catharine Cox: 50 Elizabeth Street west husband left her and went to the States (so she says) two years ago, has two Children 4 years and 2 years old. Pays 3/ [shillings] 9 [pence] rent per Month. Rather a young Woman, but Visitor knows nothing against her, recommends Bread. Irish. R.C.

128. Nancy Fee: a respectable old Widow with 3 Children, ages 8, 13 and 11. She lives with Catharine Cox and pays 3/ [shillings] 9d [pence] per Month rent, She did not apply but because a Married daughter was living with her who however is now gone to Montreal, Visitor recommends Bread and as she and Catharine Cox have the same Kitchen in common, he would recommend that they be allowed Coal turn about. Irish. R.C.

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129. Ellen O'Reilly: 60 Bishop Street. Husband dead, 2 Children 1 boy aged 10, girl 4. Pays 3/ [shillings] 9d [pence] a Month rent, Washerwoman tidy House, recommended for Coal & Bread.

130. Margaret Stamford: 104 Strachan St. a very respectable hard working Woman with two little Children and one girl (aged 16) out at place at [dollars] 3 a Month, She has a vagabond husband - who can get nothing to do, perhaps the Committee (Visitor thinks) would allow her Coal for the Winter.

131. A Boy about 5 years of age was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be taken care of in the Institution, the Mother Catharine Smith having this day been Committed to Gael [gaol] for one Month for disorderly Conduct. Wm. Dickinson

132. Josephine Empey: in Case 43 was taken out by the Mother this day Jany. 13th whose term in Gael [gaol] having expired.

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Present Messrs. R. Gilmor and E. Hobson.

133. Richard Purtell: 34 Elizabeth St. west. Has a wife and four Children. 1 boy 8 years. 3 girls 6. 4 and 2 respectively - Himself is aged 60, Wife 50. - Is a Labourer but ^out^ of Employment - Is willing to work at the 'House: - apparently a sober respectable Man, Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup.

134. Bridget Rogers: Palace Street, last house but one, lives alone, husband went to the States last June - heard from him 4 Months ago, when he sent her [dollars] 9 - No Children, 10 years in Toronto about 30 years of age. R.C. Knits washes and scrubs when opportunity offers. Recommended for Coal twice and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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135. Michael Conner: 261 Richmond west. Married. R C. aged 45. Wife 44. Three Children all Boys, ages 7, 5 and 7 Months respectively, he says he's in bad health - this sometime back. Visitor has known this Man for some years, bears a good Character, but doubts if he is fond of Work, recommends fuel.

136. Catharine Corbett: 87 Richmond Street. Married aged 30. Husband 42. two Children at home, boy 8, and a baby 10 Months. A wretched pair - did not see the husband, they have no Stove all is gone on account of Whiskey - She says they had a horse but it died for want of care, then he has given her a gentle Castigation for which he paid [dollars] 7, to the Police Magistrate, to make up the account he had to sell his Cart, and since that he has led a Vagabond life, Visitor leaves their Case to the Committee, might have Coal this cold Weather.

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137. Mary O'Brien: Blairs Yard Nelson Street. Not at home when Visitor called, The Woman of the House told him, that she was a Widow woman with two Sons - both grown up - one out at Service, and the other with Mr. Lee, who is also doing something for himself.

138 Jane Hogan: Blairs Yard Nelson Street. In the same house as Mrs. Courtney - has a husband and several Children, Visitor recommended the husband to come up to the house to saw some Wood as the only means by which they could have relief.

139. Elizabeth Goodship: in one of Ramseys Cottages, in a lane between Bercley & McMahon St. Widow, ChofEngl, one daughter 19 years of age. Lost her husband in October last, has been in bad health ever since, she looked in a sorry plight to day, with a blackened Eye which she says she struck against the door the other night. Says she is willing to work whenever she is strong enough and can get it to do, and only asks for temporary assistance. Visitor recommends Coal once Bread for a few Weeks, until she is able to work again.

140. Margaret Sherlock: 113 Nelson St. was ill in bed, the people of the House represent her as being miserable off, and quite dependent upon Charity.

141. Jane Burns: 117 Duke Street, Jane: Bowes: not Burns, husband a Tailor out of Employment - has gone up to Hamilton in search of Work. She herself also works at tailoring, but has little or nothing to do now, They have a family of 5 Children, the youngest an infant in arms. They appeared to be very badly off for both fuel and food - Visitor would recommend her for Coal once and Bread for a Month, The Case might then again be referred to him, to ascertain whether the husband has returned or got work.

142. Mrs.Nelson: Rebecca, Ontario St. a Widow Woman no Children, living by herself in a miserable Cellar, she was sitting cowering over a few Coals in a little Stove when Visitor Called this afternoon, She appeared so stupid, that at first he began to think she must be drunk, on talking to her however it

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seemed more Stupidity than anything else, says she tries to make a living by huckstering but that there is little or nothing doing just now. Recommended for a little Coal.

143. Sarah Ann Graham: 105 Shumach [Sumach] St. husband has deserted her and gone to the States, has one Child, supports herself by scrubbing and Washing, appears to be a very respectable Woman, and deserving of assistance, recommended for Coal 3 times and a grate and Bread for a few Weeks.

144. Mary Eagan: Corner of Pine and North Park St. To have some Coal.

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145. Neal Poulson: Eleven years of age next August, Canadian, Presbt. Church. he is Brother to George and Jessy in Case 1039 in 1862. Mother has gone to place, and he has come here for a home, admitted.

146. Richard Fleming: in Case 457 in 1861. died this day (January 17th) of General debility in the 72nd year of his age.

147. Jane Brown: 24 years of age, ChofEngl, Native of Ireland. Application was made on her behalf for admission by Mrs. Drew who keeps a registry Office on Yonge Street to whose House Brown came in a very weak state of health and asked permission to lay down to rest herself, which was granted. They could not get rid of her again, Dr. Ogden was sent to ascertain whether she was a fit Case for House of Industry, he reports that after careful examination finds her incapable of earning her living, She has one Sister in the Asylum and is evidently tending that way herself, her mind is very weak, but she is not bad enough yet to be taken to the Asylum, nor will they take her in to the Hospital, although with all deference to the Authorities there, Doctor thinks she is a more fit subject for that Institution than for House of Industry, thinks the best that can be done will be to take her into the House for a time.

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Present Revd. Dr. Green, Messrs. T. P. Battersby & C. Robertson.

148. Timothy Harrington: who has been an Inmate of this Institution several times, brought a Note from the Mayor to day recommending him to be readmitted if found a fit subject. To be admitted.

149. Bridget Caverly: recommended for admission by Mrs. Grasett and Mrs. Muklebury, has been in the House before (See Case 446 in 1863 [1862].) Committee order her to have a loaf of Bread, refused admittance. She is a drunkard and professional Beggar. Name is Margaret instead of Bridget.

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150. George Drury: brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending him to be taken into the House if found a fit subject. Was an Inmate last Winter (See Case 741 in 1862) he is able to work but not very willing to do so, Committee will not admit him, but recommend that he be allowed to cut Wood in the yard and by so doing enable him to live out.

151. Ann Moffatt: Widow aged 74. very infirm wishes to be admitted into the House, Mr. R. Gilmor was applied to on her behalf, referred to Ward Visitor The Number of House will have to be given before Visitor can call and report upon her Case.

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152. John Nolan: rear of 66 Stanley Street. 60 years of age and upwards, Corageous enough to marry a buxom lass, half his age. R.C. Boy 10. Boy 6. He peddles Apples &ct. in the Summer, but is quite unable to work in the Winter. clean &ct. He will show himself to Committee, who will please judge. To see the Doctor.

153. Ellen Black: behind Mr. Edward Jones' Church Street. No such party known thereabout.

154. Teresa Clark: behind 45 Maitland Street. 37 years of age, Widow 3 years. ChofEngl Girl 15 at Service in Montreal, heard of her Marriage last week. Girl 13 with her, ^and a boy 7 years of age^ a good Scholar, good [goes] steadily to School. Only 4 Months in Toronto, having been forced to leave Montreal, where, since the death of husband she kept a small provision Store, but failed in Business. She cannot get any Employment here, handy at the Needle, Seems to have seen better days. Clean tidy &ct. recommended for Wood only.

155. Mary McKenna: No. 5 Victoria Street. 37 years of age. Husband a Labourer, of steady habits, so say his neighbours. Wood Cutter but great Competition, is adverse to a realization of a large fortune, at that business, she washes when she can get it to do, Clean tidy &ct. Boy 5. Boy 6 Weeks, Parents and Children in excellent health. Husband to show himself to the Committee when they will please judge.

156. Ann Jane Williams: Corner of Victoria and Stanley Street. No such party thereabouts to be found.

157. Ann Rouse: 89 South Park Street, Widow, born in Toronto but lived a short time in Buffalo, where her husband a Ship Carpenter, died 4 years ago. 6 Children, Boy 16, with Mr. Sutherland Yonge St. at 12/ [shillings] 6 [pence] a Week. Boy 14, doing nothing at present, Girl 12 at home. Girl 8, Boy 6. Girl 4. her own age 36. Worked many years for Mr. Lumley, as tailoress, but idle now. Wesleyan [Wesleyan] Methodist Ch. has always maintained her family without assistance, but is at present in want of fuel recommended Coal for the season.

158. Mary Henry: 132 Richmond West. this person got Coal once, Visitor recommends Coal twice more during the season, and no bread.

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159. Mary Murphy: 25 Melinda Street. Deserted by her husband, Irish, R.C. aged 38. 3 Children, girl 11. boy 9. and baby 7 Months, she gets Bread from the Sisters. Visitor recommends Coal twice and Soup.

160. Mary Gorman: 63 Esther Street. A widow without Children, She was drunk when Visitor called, recommends nothing.

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161. John Crofts: 112 Richmond St. w. Married. one Child 11 Months old. himself 27. Wife 23. from England, ChofEngl, is a weaver by trade, can get no work, have spent all they had. Visitor recommends them for the present 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and allowance of Coal, they are both willing to work if they can get it, the Man is hardly fit to saw wood.

162. Ann Duval: Colored [Colored]. 116 York Street. aged 70. Recommended for Coal twice during the season and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week permanent.

163. Catharine Hunt: 121 1/2 Adelaide Street west. R.C. aged 44. 3 Children, Twins aged 7, and one 3 1/2. The Woman is worthy of assistance, Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal for the season, and Soup.

164. Anne Conway: 121 Adelaide St. west. Married. R.C. is confined to her bed for some time, aged 50. Has 3 little girls, ages 13, 11 and 8 years respectively, help her some by selling papers, her husband is a worthless fellow, he is not the father of these Children, they are by a former husband. recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week, Soup, and Coal for the season.

165. Margaret Quinlan: 85 Richmond St. east, a pretty hard Case, her husband in jail, not for building Churches. aged 35, husband 38, R C. two Children. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee. They want every thing, but they deserve nothing. filthy in extreme. But what about the unfortunate Children.

166. Mary Green: 521 Queen St. west, 2 Children, one grown up, the other a girl 5 years old - A Widow has a small house and one room is let to another poor Woman at 3/ [shillings] 9d [pence] a Month, her oldest Daughter has lately been Married, and lives with her parents paying her [dollars] 1 a Month. R.C. recommended for Coal and Bread.

167. Catharine Dearey: See last years report, She has a bed-ridden Son - to have Coal and Bread if they Committee think her worthy.

168. Ann Donnelly: 97 Bishop Street. Visitor has had no time to visit this Woman her Sister received aid the other Week. Her husband is alive and says he can get no work, she has two or three Children - recommended that her husband should cut wood for a supply of Coal and Bread.

169. Eliza Gavin: had assistance from the House. As will be seen by Visitors former report that she is recently from London C.W. thinks that perhaps it is best to allow her 4 [pounds] of Bread for another Month or two, but still thinks it is against the rules in the way that he views the Case. Will leave it to the Committee to do as they think proper.

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170. Margaret Hall: Bloor Street, aged 46, a very poor Woman, unmarried, in delicate health at present - has one Child a girl 13 years of age. The Child has sore eyes, unable to do much in the way of work, Irish, ChofEngl. recommended for Bread and Soup.

171. Mrs Garde: Brunswick Avenue, (west side,) immediately North of St. Stephens Church. aged 37. has six Children, 4 Boys 9. 3. 1 1/2 and baby 5 Months. 2 Girls 10 and 6 years of age, This Case has been before the Weekly Committee and approved - recommended for 900 [pounds] of Coal to be sent at one time.

172. Mary Carroll: Blairs Yard Nelson Street, Widow, two Children - Washes & Scrubs, out of Work just now. might have Coal once.

173. Mary Forster: rear of 94 Duchess St. Case reported upon last year, a very decent person, who never applies for assistance so long as she can possible avoid it. recommended for Coal.

174. Ellen Griffin: King Street east next door to a Grocers Shop kept by Mr. Brown, husband and two Children at home, a butcher by trade has been out of work a long time, and cannot get Employment at his trade just now. They have been out of fuel except what the Charity of their Neighbours has given to them, The husband went to work at the Rolling Mills but was obliged to leave as his health gave, Recommended for Coal twice.

175. Margaret Chapman: 224 Queen St. east Widow one Child, Scrubs and Washes, recommended for Coal twice during the season.

176. Mary Ann Beemer: Visitor could not find her.

177. Dennis Strand: (in Case 810 in 1862) died this Morning Jany. 22d. turns out to be the husband of Ellen Dowd an out door Pensioner.

178. Samuel Anson: Native of Scotland, has been a resident at North Oxford for many years, came to Toronto a few days ago with a view of getting into the General Hospital were he was refused admittance, has had temporary shelter in the Outbuilding since. Revd. Dr. Burns called on Committee on his behalf, whether he could be taken in the House, Committee refused on the ground that Anson has no claim upon this Charity, but may have temporary Shelter for a few days longer.

179. William Robson: Hon. G. W. Allan begs to bring his Case before the Board. out of Employment wants Shelter for a few days, allowed to stay in Outbuilding.

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Present Mr. T.P. Battersby

180. Mary Corcoran: Blairs yard Nelson Street, husband and Children a pair of Twins! a Month old, husband a Carpenter out of work, rather a sickly looking Man, but still Visitor thinks he might saw Wood, if he is really desirous of doing something to earn his living, has told him to come to the House and if he works to be paid in Coal.

181. Mary Ann Beemer: No. 77 Oak Street, deserted by her husband 2 years ago gone to the States, has a large family, but only two at home, one girl out at Service 15 years of age helps to pay her rent, and she has a Boy grown up who works, has already had Coal, if she has it once more nexth Month, Visitor thinks that will be all she requires.

182. Susan Easton: 87 McMahan Street. Her husband has also gone to the States and has enlisted for a soldier. She and her two young Children were in a state of great destitution when a very kind person took Compassion on her and took her into the Basement story of her house. She had coal once, and might have it again in February, a little Bread also perhaps, for a Week or two, if she applies for it.

183. Ann Ferguson: 38 Boulton Street, aged 30. Husband 32. ChofEngl., has seven Children, Boys 11, 9, 3 1/2, 2. Girls 7 and 5 years respectively. Tailor by trade, says he cannot earn more than two dollars a Week since New Year, that wont keep nine of them, visitor recommends them 12 [pounds] of Bread a Week, likewise Coal and Soup. Mrs. Gilmour knows the family and spoke in their favour.

184. Caroline Wilson: 121 Adelaide Street (west) Colered, aged 24, has no Children. Visitor thinks she ought to go to Service.

185. Ann Glynn: rere of 156 Richmond St. west. R.C. Married, aged 39, husband 40. 3 Children, girl 15 a Simpleton, boy 10, and Baby 13 Months old. Glynn has a sore finger he cannot work. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal twice by that time his finger might be well, they may have Soup.

186. Julia Williams: 156 York Street. Widow, aged 42. ChofEngl., two Children, boy 15 and Boy 12, both at work at a Tobacco factory, she sews for a living, only wanted some Wood, does not want Coal, withdraws her application if she cannot get the Wood to burn with some Coal she has.

187. Frank French: 33 Denisons Avenue, his Wife died last Week, but he was so ill with Rheumatic Gout that he was unable to attend her or leave his bed. 2 Children under 10 years of age, recommended for Coal and Bread for one Month until he gets strong again, ChofEngl.

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188. Ann Boyland: 35 Richmond St. east. See Case 274 in 1862. Since then she has lost her husband, if indeed it can be considered a loss under the circumstances. She has decidedly improved in personal appearance and in the Cleanliness of her apartments. If the Doctor thinks, that her sore leg prevents her earning her living, Visitor will recommend Bread & fuel.

189. Margaret Cronin: rear of 77 Stanley St. See report for the last three years, since then it seems that she is in much the same Condition in every respect, and it is a question which Visitor must leave for the Committee to determine whether such Cases should be encouraged to hang about the City, year after year, when the Country is decidedly the best place for them all.

190. Bridget Pilmore: 74 Stanley Street. 32 years of age. Widow 7 Months. No Children. She should go out to Service, as she did before she was married. She seems to be a respectable young Woman, Clean and even neat in her apparel, and should not be long out of place.

191. Catharine Thompson: a Widow aged 42. Lives in the Lane between William and Dummer Streets, has one boy at home, 9 years of age, has a small room without furniture which she takes from an old Bachelor, has one days work in the Week. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread for a Month.

192. Mary Wolf: 16 William St. East, a poor Widow in bad health, just out of the Hospital, has one girl at home 10 years of age, unable to work, lives with a Mrs. Phealan with whom she has been for the last fortnight. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread and Soup for a Month.

193. Ellen Plunkett: brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her to be admitted for a few days, she had a Child 18 Months old in her arms, apparently dying, half an hour after being admitted the Child died, Mother says with Water on the Brain. Plunkett is a Notorious drunken disorderly Character.

194. Thomas Dunn: 50 years of age, Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic Church, says he is not able to work (on account of a Lame hand) for his family, was turned by his Landlord out of doors, the Wife is living with a friend, and he himself seeks admission with his two Children in House of Industry, is willing to have the Children apprenticed out, and properly signed over to the Trustees according to the rates of the Institution. Jane 8 years of age, Daniel 6 years of age. Children admitted. Dunn to stay in outbuilding for a time.

195. William Henry Brown: a Colored Boy, was sent by Mr. McCord, having been found destitute on the Streets.



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196. Frances Hood: See report in 1859. Daughter Fanny drowned last fall. Daughter Mary, aged 14, lives with Capt. Simpson, at Sault St. Marie, has a Son apprenticed in Montreal, another, formerly in Boys' Home, ran away some time ago, and not heard of since, Daughter Phoebe aged 12 lives with her; Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal twice.

197. Sarah Johnson: rere of Palmers Adelaide Street west. She receives Bread & Coal but on account of the large family and the imbecile husband, The Visitor would recommend a ration of Tea Sugar and Oatmeal also.

198. Mary Ann Woodcock: 20 Camden Street. A very respectable Woman, whose husband is very little able to work from recent illness. She has two little Children, girl 8, and boy aged 3 years. English. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for one Month.

199. James Dowling: 46 Nassau St. is a poor Man with a large family. He is now out of Employment. He has a Wife and four Children, boys 10, 4 and 10 Months, girl 13 years old. Irish. R.C. Wife 40, and husband 40. Visitor recommends Bread and Soup. The Man to saw Wood in the yard.

200. William Dickinson: in Case 131 was sent to General Hospital, on account of the measles having broke out on him.

Tuesday 27th January 1863

Present Messrs. J. Bugg and E. Hobson

201. Margaret Mead: 91 Centre Street. Canadian. ChofEngl. Married 27 years of age. 2 Children, boy aged 3 years and a girl 9 Months, husband a labourer who went to the States 5 months ago to look for Work, has not heard from him since he left. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.

202. Grace Langly: 116 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 49 years of age. 3 daughters, 14, 18 and 20 years of age all in good health and able to earn their own living. Visitor cannot recommend her for relief.

203. Justina Johnson: 42 Dummer Street, told the Visitor that she had plenty of washing to do, and plenty of Money. Does not want any assistance, her application was not made in person, but through a Mrs. Hanley who perhaps wanted the additional aid for herself.

204. Mary Gray: No. 2 William St. west, no such person to be found in the Neighbourhood, had better send in her proper address.

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205. Mary Johnston: Shanty head of Bishop St. opposite Mr. McCurdys. An elderly Woman, with an elderly husband, has one Girl 13 years old, out of Employment very poor. Her potatoes are rotting. She is desirous of obtaining Bread. Scotch. ChofEngl. Recommended for Bread and Soup.

206. Margaret Beatty: 28 Frederick St. husband a Market huckster. Sold Horse and Waggon, went on a spree and ran away, leaving her in debt and destitute, supposed to have gone to Chicago, two Children, boy 6 years and boy 18 Months old, husband English. ChofEngl. The Wife aged 27, R.C. Native of Ireland. Visitor recommends Coal for season, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

207. Johanna Strang: 28 Frederick St. Spinster age 45 years, Irish R.C. Charwoman, has a nephew with her. Patrick Glendon, 24 years of age, wants a situation as house servant. These people seem very destitute, no Stove, no furniture of any kind, the poorest Case Visitor has seen this Winter, recommended for Coal and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, the young Man to come and work for it.

208. Ann Edwards: No. 50 Caroline Street. No such person to be found there.

209. Mary Rice: 65 Pine Street. Widow, one Child, supports herself by sewing and scrubbing. She is living in the same House with Bridget Rogers she is getting relief from the House. Visitor would recommend her for Coal turn about with Mrs. Rogers. Mrs. Rice to have it this next time, and then if the weather proves severe in February Mrs. Rogers to have it again.

210. Mary Summers: 232 King Street East, was not at home when Visitor called her liitle Boy said that his Mother was working at Dr. Ross' on Caroline St who appears to have taken a great interest in her, and to have been very kind to her on several occasions, saw a Letter from Dr. Ross in which he speaks of her as being an industrious well disposed Woman, to have Coal & Bread.

211. Catharine Johnson: rear of 66 Power Street, her husband has now returned since last visited, and Visitor told him he would have to come up to the House before any more relief could be given would have to work for it, which he has promised to do.

212. Bridget Purcell: rear of 57 Duchess St. Widow with one Child ill with the Measles appears to be a respectable person, recommended for Coal.

213. Johanna Ryan: Duchess Street, to have Coal once more and only once.

214. William Henry Brown: in Case 195. Mr. Hobson will call on Boys Father, who lives near Foxes Tavern.

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215. George Hedges: a Lad (Imbecile) about 16 years of age, was left in General Hospital with a sore leg, he is now cured and was sent here by Dr. Gardner who writes in his Note having orders from the Mayor in doing so. Boy says his father is dead, Mother somewhere in Toronto, and two Brothers with an Uncle at Scarboro.

216. Charles Gillespie: 65 years of age, a Native of the Isle of Wight, England. ChofEngl., has been a resident in, and about Toronto for many years, he is now in a very feeble state of health and not able to do anything for himself, has no friends. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Carruthers for admission, admitted.

217. James Horn: a young Man about 21 years of age, formerly apprenticed from this Institution, came to the House for admission for a time, about a Month ago, stating that he had come from Rochester, that he was out of Employment and had no friends, was admitted. He left the Institution yesterday Jany. 26th on his own account.

218. John Irwin: 64 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. Widower, a resident in Toronto for many years, decent old Man, had out door relief during Winter Months last year or two. Cannot support himself any longer, getting feeble, not able to work. The Revd. E. Baldwin knows him well, recommends his admission. To be admitted.

219. Margaret Mead: in Case 201, Visitor reports that he found them to be a drunken disorderly set, and instead of the husband being in the States, he is at home, and at work, he therefore recommends them to be struck off [off] the List.

220. George Verrall: (in Case 844 in 1862) gone on trial previous of being apprenticed.

Friday January 30th 1863

Present Revd. E. Baldwin, E. Hobson & J. Bugg Esq'.

221. Ann Donnelly: 97 Bishop Street. See Case 168. She is a Widow Woman with 3 small Children, two respectable Neighbours told Visitor that she is quite an object of Charity, and therefore has no hesitation in recommending her for Coal and Bread.

222. Mrs. Donovan: 96 Bishop Street, badly off and in need of assistance, but as her husband is alive Visitor would recommend that he be allowed to cut Wood.

223. Margaret Gentle: 29 Adelaide Street west, in addition to firing and Bread, the Visitor recommends an allowance of Sugar, Tea, Rice and Oatmeal, on account of the husband's illness, Consumption.

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224. Ann Grayden: 31 Stanley Street. See report of the last two years, The Visitor still thinks that she should go out to Service.

225. Mary Wilson: 29 Stanley Street. 55 years of age, Widow 6 years, Boy 12 with a farmer, for Clothing and Board. Dirty looking, hard Case visitor fears, bloated face. Says she broke her leg some years ago, and cannot now work. Our Doctor can see to this, if his statement confirms hers, would then recommend Bread and fuel, as she is most certainly in a very destitute condition. Doctor states, that she has a lame leg the result of old fracture, and subsequent disease of the bone, which he thinks must interfere with active labour.

226. Ann Williams: No. 10 Stanley Street. 65 years of age. Drunk when Visitor called. Desired that if fuel were to be sent to her, it should be sent by itself, and not in the Vulgar Poor House Cart with the square Boxes. Visitor replied that if any fuel should be furnished her, it would be conveyed in a Coach and six, with outriders Lacqueys &c. she was too respectable to be treated as the common paupers were.

227. Elizabeth Whalen: 85 Queen Street east, 80 years of age. Widow 16 years, decent body. Lives with her daughter who is also a widow and has 4 Children. R.C. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

228. Janice Barry: 61 Stanley Street, no such person there or thereabouts.

229. Margaret Henderson: 39 South Park Street. Strange this Woman cannot give her address correctly, it is the second time Visitor has tried to find her.

230. James Watson: a poor needy Man, and out of Employment, recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall to saw wood in the yard.

231. Sarah Murray: 44 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl, seems to be in a very nervous State, says she has no home, wishes to become an Inmate in House of Industry, to be admitted for a time if Doctor considers her a fit Case. Doctor reports that she appears weak, but not suffering from any disease which should prevent her admission, he believes however that she is just recovering from a Spree.

232. Matthew Ward: 81 years of age. Native of Yorkshire, England. ChofEngl. has been a resident in Toronto for many years, seeks admission into the House, highly recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins, as a respectable decent old Man. To be admitted.

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Tuesday February 3rd 1863

Present Messrs. Alexander Hamilton & E. Hobson

233. Mary McLaughlan: 25 Trinity Lane, husband out of work, went to Collingwood two weeks ago looking for Employment. Two Sons, John 15 wants a place, is accustomed to care of horses: Alexander 5. Her own age 46. Native of Scotland, Presbyterian Church. Visitor recommends Coal twice and Bread 6 [pounds] Weekly.

234. Elizabeth Scott: all the particulars of the Case will be found in last years report. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread.

235. Mary Chapman: A Woman with two Children who has taken up with a young drunken fellow, Visitor cannot recommend anything until she has become honestly married.

236. Mrs. Tracy: her husband the Chimney Sweep still continues unwell, his hand is much hurt. He receives Coal from the House, Visitor recommends Bread now.

237. James Barry: 46 Agnes Street, Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 57 years of age. Shoemaker states he is not able to work on account of a bad leg, one Child a boy 6 years of age in ~~good~~ bad health. Wife 29 in good health, they are dirty miserable people, no furniture in their dirty room, husband to see the Doctor and if pronounced not able to work, to have Bread and Coal. Doctor states Barry has sprained his Ankle some time ago, it is now swelled and painful making him somewhat Lame, but as he is a Shoemaker it does not interfere quite so much with his occupation as it would in some other Cases.

238. Ellen Duggan: 3 Albert Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 35 years of age. 3 Children, boy 14, girl do [ditto] 3 years of age husband a Labourer but Visitor is afraid that he is fonder of drink than he is of work. Recommended to cut Wood for coal and Bread.

239. Margt. Gentle: The Visitor recommends her for a double allowance of Coal and [on] account of her husbands illness. See case 223.

240. Mary Jane Astly: opposite 110 Boulton Street, Widow. R.C. has 5 Children girl 13 at Service, boy 10 works at the Tobacco factory, the other 3 at home. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, has been in receipt of 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for some time, to be Continued.

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241. Ann Bettes [Pettit]: 106 Richmond Street west, deserted by her husband. ChofEngl. Native of England. 4 Children all girls, ages 11, 7, 4 and 2 years respectively. Visitor recommends her as a highly

deserving person, To have 1200 [pounds] of Coal for the season and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week. Ann Pettit instead of Bettes.

242. Julia Fitzgibbon: rear of 84 Stanley Street, left the premises and gone no one know whither.

Friday February 6th 1863

Present Mr. Alexander Hamilton

243. Ann Spencer: In a Lane opposite 117 Parliament St. Husband and four Children. Some time ago the husband was induced to go to the Muskoka Settlement, he cleared some land and put in potatoes &c. an early frost came and destroyed everything, and he found himself left without any prospect of even providing food for his family. They left the Country therefore and came into Town again, he was fortunate in getting work in a foundry, near the Don and for some time did very well. The foundry was unfortunately burnt, and now he has been out of work so long, that they are in great want both of food and fuel. Visitor recommends that he be allowed to saw wood at the House for Coal and Bread.

244. Mary Kenny: about 26 years of age No 100 George Street, was not at home when Visitor called, but the Children (of whom there were four young ones) informed him that their father had been sent to Gael on Saturday for being drunk! Mother was out scrubbing, wretched looking place, and badly enough off.

245. Elisa McLean: No. 2 Ramseys Lane, between Berkly and McMahon Street. Widow with four Children, 3 girls 20, 12 & 8 and a Boy 4 years of age, works at Tailoring but has been quite unable to get anything to do for many Weeks past, she has already had some Coal. Visitor now recommends Bread for a Month, and Coal once more as she is a deserving Woman.

246. Anne Cook: 52 James Street east. Husband and five Children, husband has been out of Employment for some time, was told to go up to the House and ask for some Wood to saw, and if he did so he would be relieved.

247. Ann McNab: 88 George Street, Widow 27 years of age, with two young Children Boy 4 and Girl 2 years of age, goes out scrubbing &c. but the Children being so young is a great drag upon her, so she has to pay some one for taken [taking] care of them, while she is out at work. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for six Weeks.

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248. Elizabeth Buggy: 161 George Street. Husband and five Children, husband used to work in a Soap Factory, but met with a bad accident (a rupture) lately which has quite incapacitated him for work, under those circumstances. Visitor recommends them for Coal once and Bread for six Weeks.

249. Margaret Chapman: in 175 receives Coal, is now recommended for an allowance of Bread

250. Mary Camp: about 3 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate], the Mother having been committed to Gaol for the span of two Calendar Months.

251. Mary Gray: No. 2 Grogg Lane east side of William St. west. Husband has been sick for the last six Months, an industrious Woman with a good reputation from the Neighbours, little work to do at present, has five Children, 2 boys 13 & 7, 3 girls 14, 5 and 2 years. Irish. R.C. recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup.

252. Susan Berns: 13 Maria Street, a Widow 73 years of age, has rooms upstairs her daughter 30 years of age lives with her and takes in sewing. Also 2 Grandchildren 11 and 9 years respectively, broke her arm two years ago and not able to work hard. ChofEngl. English. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

253. Ellen Stevens: rere of 28 Richmond Street. Widow. R.C. aged 60, lives with her Son in law, who has a Wife and four Children to provide for, Consequently cannot do much for applicant, they appear to be tidy and doing the best they can. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal for the season.

254. Mrs. Flint: 160 Emily Street. No such Number in the Street.

255. Joseph Thom: 77 Strachan Street, has a wife who is at present very ill principally from want of nourishment, there are 6 Children, the eldest a girl is 15, and there are two boys 12 and 5 years, they are all recovering the Measles, and are very weak. Visitor recommends Coal be given them and one Months supply of Bread, husband cannot go to work at present as he has to stay at home to nurse his Wife, to have 12 [pounds] of Bread a Week for a Month, and 600 [pounds] of Coal once.

256. Jane Humphrys: in a Lane between McMahan and Berkely St. near Sydenham St. Visitor recommends Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread.

257. Bridget Hays: (See Case 11) before any more relief is given, husband will have to see the Doctor. Doctor says he believes Hays is suffering from too much drink (instead of Ague,) which threatens to produce softening of the brain & paralysis although there is no important paralysis yet.

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258. Deserted Female Child in Case 843 in 1862 was sent this day to General Hospital on account of having small pox. Died in Hospital.

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Tuesday 10th February 1863.

Present Revd. Mr. Darling, Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. R. Cathcart

259. Ann Orr: No. 30 Melinda Street. Married. ChofEngl, aged 22. Husband 25, and Child aged 18 Months, this Familie arrived here from Ireland late in October last, he cannot get work at his trade, a Carpenter, appear to be respectable. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal for two Months. Husband to come and work.

260. Patrick Gallagher: 29 Stanley Street. 60 years of age. Seemingly a confirmed habitual drunkard. Wife blind, and an inmate of the House of Industry. All his Children gone away, and no wonder; small blame to them. He is a wretched object, and will show himself to morrow. Committee will please judge.

261. William Johnson: 83 Stanley Street. No such person there or thereabouts.

262. Catharine Sullivan: rear of 109 Victoria Street. 56 years of age. Widow many years. Daughter 31 Married in Toronto but with a house full of Children of her own, and cannot assist her Mother, a daughter 24 at home Tailoress, but out of work since before Christmas, Son 18 in Chicago, she wrote to him for assistance, but he replied that he could not get any employment, decent, Clean, steady looking body, delicate in health, recommended for fuel only.

263. Ellen Mead: 84 Stanley Street. No such person there.

264. Caroline Stokes: rear of 23 Maitland Street. See report of 1862. No Change since, Except that her daughter is returned from Hayti [Haiti], but in very poor health, under this view of her Case Visitor recommends Fuel only.

265. Ellen Leahy: rear of 74 Stanly St. was not at home, Visitor will call again.

266. Mary Coaly: 259 King Street east, husband a labourer, went off with a girl some 4 Months ago, supposed to be in Buffalo, 2 Children, girl 5, boy 4, just recovering from the Measles. Husband English. Protestant. Wife Irish. R.C. Keeps a small shop, but Visitor thinks whisky is the principal article "in Stock," does not like the Case, but for sake of Children recommends Coal.

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267. Application was made by the Ladies managing the Public Nursery for the admission of a Female Child about 4 Weeks old, which was left at the Door of Mrs. Stow 331 Yonge Street. It appears that no

trace of the parents has been found. Ordered that the Child be admitted, and then placed out to Wet Nurse. Was placed to nurse with Nioma Morse No. 97 Terauly Street [at] [dollars] 4 per Month. Fbr. 12th

268. Charles Gillespie: in Case 216, died this Morning, Fbr. 12th

Friday 13th February 1863

Present Revd. Mr. Darling, Mr. R. Cathcart and Mr. E. Hobson

269. Elizabeth McMullen: 23 Oxford Street. Says she has lost her husband in the last few weeks. Has four Children, 2 boys 10 & 6 years of age. The girls are twins 5 years of age. Her only means of living is nursing of a babe for which she receives [dollars] 4 per Month. Is an Irish Woman. R.C. Church. Recommended for bread and Coal. 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal.

270. Bridget Leary: rear of St. Patricks Market, told the Visitor she only required half price Coal, she will receive a Ticket for some coal from him.

271. John Allcock: 120 Herbert St., a very respectable old Man who is out of Employment, and who would be very thankful for a little Coal to help him through the Winter, has a Wife, and 3 Children at home, ages Boy 15 and 9, girl 6, a grown up Son, a young scape grace 20, has left home for some time and will not and cannot do anything for them.

272. Ellen Mead: 85 Stanley Street, a professional Beggar. Committee cannot give to.

273. Thomas Burns: 83 Stanley Street. See Case 64 and 84. Since that time he has gone off to the Country to acquaintance who will support him: No [now] that his Wife with two small Children is free from the incubus, she may Visitor thinks be assisted, as she seems a tidy personage, and would if she could procure Work do well. Therefore recommends for this Winter Bread and fuel.

274. Ellen Leahy: rear of 74 Stanley Street. Husband says he is tormented with Rheumatism and Ague, and can not earn much at his trade, Tailoring, Boy 11, Boy 9, girl 3. If our Doctor confirms his report of himself Visitor would recommend Bread and fuel, he will show himself to morrow. Did not make his appearance, Wife says he will not come.

275. William Dickinson: in Case 200, was taken out by his Mother.

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276. Thomas Nelligan: No. 10 Duchess Street, Irish, 25 years of age. R.C. Wife about 30, one Child 3 years old. Nelligan is a Carpenter cannot get work. Visitor recommends that he come to the House and work for a little Coal.

277. Mary Ann Richardson: Irish. R.C. 30 years of age, girl 5, boy 2 years old, husband left her 8 Weeks ago, she is going to put the Children to the Public Nursery and take Service. Visitor recommends her for Coal once, and bread & Soup for a little time, the Children have a cold at present, but as soon as they get better she will go to service, has no fear of getting on.

278. Mary Jennings: 39 Ontario Street. Irish. 31 years old, husband English 36, a Stone Cutter. ChofEngl. He is quite unfit for any work at present by a sore leg and lame back. Mr. Thom recommends Coal once, Bread & Soup for one Month, and he will visit again.

279. Ellen Johnston: North east Corner of Berkely & Duchess Street, up back stairs. Irish. ChofEngl. 60 years of age. Girl 25, Boy 20, a Brickmaker, the Woman support themselves by sewing. Visitor recommended that the Son come to the House and cut Wood for relief, but the old Woman said he had never done anything of the kind, and would not do it now. Was informed by Visitor that the House would not have anything for them otherwise.

280. Naomi Yates: 51 Parliament Street. She is 54 years, husband 55, he is a Shoemaker, 3 Children at home, one at Service, ages at home boy 15, girl 17, and girl 11. English. Methodist Church. Mr. Thom cannot recommend anything, but as it is in St. Lawrence Ward he recommends the Case to be referred to the Visitor of that Ward.

281. Mary Brian: Blairs Yard Nelson Street. Lives up Stairs, but was not at home when Visitor called, the Woman down Stairs gave a very good account of her, is not very strong, but orderly and industrious, goes out Washing only wants a little Coal, which Visitor recommends for once.

282. Charlotte Quinn: 38 years of age, Canadian, Chof Engl., came from Quebec last fall, 2 Children, girls 3 and 2 years of age. Husband 35, say they have no home, and no means to support themselves. If she and her Children could get Shelter for a short time, husband would go in the Country, try and get work, prepare a home and send for his family, allowed to stay in the Outbuilding for a time.

283. Owen Rielly: had leave to remain in Outbuilding for a time, but had to be turned out on account of drunken disorderly Conduct.

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284. Margaret Caverly: 40 years of age. Spinster. Irish. ChofEngl, was an Inmate in 1862. See Case 371, but being fond of the drop and a life of begging about from door to door, she left the House to be at her old trade. She is a wretched object nearly blind. Application was made on her behalf for readmission

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into the House a short time ago but was refused. See Case 149. Applies now again, Committee will give her another trial. To be admitted in the Outbuilding for a time, and if she behaves to be admitted in the House.

285. Henry Bosson: an Inmate 2 1/2 years old died this day Fbr. 14th. See Case 530 in 1861.

286. Joe and Thomas Gallagher: aged 7 and 4 years respectively, were sent for admission into the House by George Boomer Esqr., their parents having been committed to Gaol for disorderly Conduct. Fbr. 14th

287. Andrew aged 8 and Martha Ann aged 4 years (Colored) Children of Julia Robinson were sent for admittance by the Police Magistrate the Mother having been committed to Gaol for 3 Months. Fbr. 14th

288. John Brown: the Child of Ann Brown in Case 74 was given up to his Mother who has left the Hospital. Fbr. 16th.

289. Honora, Mary Jane and Mary Ann Charlton, aged about 7, 4 and 2 years old respectively, were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Parents having been sent to Gaol for disorderly conduct.

Tuesday 17th February 1863

Present Revd. S. Givens & Mr. E. Hobson

290. Frederica Cline: 99 Richmond Street east. 41 years of age, husband sick in bed, glands of Throat very much swollen. Tailor by Trade, but quite unable to work. Boy 17 at Service [dollars] 2 a Week [dollars] 1 of which he gives to his parents, the other [dollars] 1 being only enough to clothe himself decently. Girl 14 at Service in Quebec. Boy 6, girl 4, and if appearances are to be relied upon she must have another very soon. Decent people, German, and cannot speak much English. Visitor recommends Bread and fuel.

291. Eliza Gavin: 132 Richmond Street west, is getting some assistance at the House at present. She has no fuel, has two Children one an infant. Visitor recommends her an allowance of Coal for this Month and the next.

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292. James Corbett: 8 years of age. R.C. was sent by order of Police Magistrate, the Parents having been committed to Gaol for disorderly conduct. See Visitors report of Parents in Case 136.

293. Margaret Davis: having removed from St. Johns Ward into St. Davids Ward, Mr. Thom the Visitor recommends the same relief that she had before, and a grate for her Stove.

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294. Frank French: 36 Denisons Avenue, in bed with rheumatic gout very poor, in a very cold House, Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends Coal.

295. Bridget McMahon: 17 Elizabeth Street. Irish. R.C. Married. 30 years of age. 4 Children, boy 7, girl 5, boy 3, and boy 1 year of age, husband a labourer, but not able to work for some time past on account of a very bad foot, recommended for Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week for one Month.

296. Isabella Chidle [Chiddle]: 77 Elizabeth Street, from Scotland. Presbyterian Ch. 43 years of age, 6 Children, boy 13, boy 12, girl 10, boy 6, boy 3, and a baby (boy) 3 Weeks old. She appears a very industrious Woman, takes in washing. The husband is a Blacksmith, gets [dollars]10 a Month and Board, his Wages generally paid in Meat &c. in place of Money. Visitor recommends Soup for the family and Bread occasionally.

297. Norah Warren: in Case 871 in 1862, had permission to go to Church yesterday Morning being Ash Wednesday, came back in the evening in a helpless state of drunkenness, was placed in the Outbuilding to get sober, left this morning, feeling indignant at the treatment she received.

Friday 20th February 1863

Present Mr. E. Hobson

298. Grace Smith: 39 Nassau Street. This Case was reported before by the Revd. Mr. Carruthers, but owing to representations on the part of Revd. Mr. Broughall, no relief was given. The circumstances of the Case are now somewhat changed, Mrs. Smith is at present poorly off. Recommended that temporary relief in the shape of Coal and Bread be given her.

299. Robert Coulter: Hope Street is willing to work but unable to find employment, not a strong Man himself and his Wife is in bad health, the Family are very poorly off. Visitor recommends him for Work and any assistance that can be given by the House.

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300. Ann Robinson: King Street east 2nd house west of Parliment [Parliament] Street. Irish. ChofEngl. 28 years old, husband a barber, left her last August. 3 Children, boy 6, boy 5, and girl 2 years old, Visitor recommends Coal once and Bread for a Month.

301. Hannah Hawke: 18 Sydenham Street. English, 67 years of age. ChofEngl. very lame, she has a daughter 30 years of age who serves with Mrs. Ridout in Yorkville who pays her rent. Visitor

recommends Coal, and to be sent to her at once without appearing before the Board, as she is very lame.

302. Philip Newman: 49 years of age. Ireland, R.C. Blacksmith by trade, used to live in Yorkville where he was doing well, but took to drinking on account of which his Wife left him, says he has no home and no means, begs shelter in the Outbuilding for a few days, which is granted.

Tuesday 24th Fbr 1863.

Present The Revd. Mr. Barclay and Mr. Thos. Storm.

303. Elisa Gardiner: rere of 87 Richmond Street. Married, aged 30. Husband 37. Presbt Ch. Ireland. The husband is in the Country but sends her no assistance, have only one Child 3 1/2 years old, she is a healthy strong looking person. The Visitor recommends Coal once but only once.

304. Bridget McCarty: in rear of 23 Duchess Street. Irish. R.C. 30 years of age, two Children, a boy 10, girl 7 years, lives in the same room with Ann Richardson, she is at present home with a swollen foot. Visitor recommends Coal once, and 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week for one Month.

305. Mary Anderson: 71 Nelson Street up stairs, Widow, Scotland. Presbt. Ch. her husband was a Soldier, Visitor recommends Coal for once and 4 [pounds] of Bread for a Month.

306. Caroline Sanders: 54 {James/Jarvis} Street, English 32 years, husband 33, a Labourer can get no work, 4 Children, girls 9. 7. 4. and baby 10 Months. They are 6 Months in Toronto, came from London England, as they are very destitute Visitor recommends the husband a double quantity of Wood to cut for Bread Coal and Soup.

307. John Thorpe: alias Cooper an Inmate had leave to go out, when he came home in the evening he was drunk and behaved in a most outrageous manner, had to give him in Charge of a Constable who took him to the Station, Sentence 4 Months in Gaol.

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Friday 27th February 1863.

Present Mr. Thomas Storm.

308. Agnes Slavin: 18 Trinity Street, Husband Peter a Labourer aged 24. been out of Employment for some time, but now gets an occasional job. Wife aged 26, sews when she can find work, 5 years in Toronto; born in Whitby C.W. [Canada West] R.C. one Child 9 Months old, if allowed Coal, can manage without other assistance, which Visitor recommends.

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309. Sarah Jane Gustard: near St. Stephens Church. A professional Beggar, her husband is a young hearty Man well able to work. The two live with the old Man Gustard who does but little work, living by what is obtained by regular begging on the part of two young daughters. Visitor recommends that work be given to Gustard and his Son if they are only willing to take it.

310. Thomas Evans: 66 William Street. has a Wife and one Child, a girl 12 years old, live in a Couple of rooms up stairs, have no furniture, and are in a very bad state. The Man is in poor health and is subject to Epileptic fits, out of Employ since Xmas. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

311. Margaret Jane McLennan: 310 King Street east, boards with Mrs. Graham who has 5 Children who supports herself by sewing, McLennan was not at home when Visitor called.

312. Catharine Thompson: 61 George Street, No such Number could be found.

313. Sarah Coldread: 365 Adelaide Street west. Visitor recommends another supply of Coal and her bread Continued.

Tuesday 3rd March 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Thom, R. Woodsworth and R. Gilmor.

314. Mary Ann Morgan: in rear of 63 Duchess Street, Scotch, 44 years of age, husband Irish, Presbyterian's, 4 Children, Boy 15 works at the Tobacco factory, promised 1/ [shilling] 6 [pence] per hundred pounds for picking leaves. Boy 16, girl 6 years and boy 15 Months, the husband can get no work, they are in a very poor state. Visitor recommends relief if husband works for it.

315. Brien Connell: Irish. R.C. 50 years of age, Wife 50, a Boy 20. can get no work. The Visitor recommends them to be allowed to saw Wood for relief.

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316. Jane Cummings: 33 George Street, with P. Mahoney. This poor Woman is very sick: a Case for the Hospital, rather than for the House of Industry. Mrs. Mahony Keeps her for charity's sake, unless sent the [to] the Hospital Visitor does not know what can be done for Mrs. Cummings: She might be allowed some tea & Sugar, and a little Coal would not be unacceptable. To have 600 [pounds] Coal, 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week, 2 [pounds] Sugar, 1/2 [pounds] Tea, 4 [pounds] Oatmeal and 4 [pounds] of Rice.



317. Charlotte McLaughlan: 221 Centre Street in Case 2. Visitor recommends now an allowance of Coal, 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and a small ration of Tea Sugar & etc. on account of one of her little boys who cut himself severely with a Scythe. The husband is in Gaol for drunkenness.

318. Mary Butler: 64 years of age. Widow. Native of Scotland, Presbt. Ch. old and infirm, not able to earn her living on account of a severe fall which injured her Spine. No friends to provide for her, seems a very respectable old body, highly recommended by the Revd. Dr. Jennings for admission. admitted.

319. John Dowd: about 9 years of age, was sent here by order of Police - Magistrate to be admitted until he can be bound out in the Country, absconded the same day. March 5th.

Friday 6th March 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Thom. R. Woodsworth. R. Gilmore & E. Hobson.

320. Daniel Flanagan: 30 years of age, wife about the same. Irish. R.C. 6 Children, girl 11, boy 9, boy 8. boy 4. boy 3 years, and a baby 5 Months. has lived in Toronto since the Cholera, can get no work, Visitor recommends that he cut wood for relief.

321. Catharine Sheehan: 23 Duchess Street, R.C. 70 years of age, stops with her Son who sails in Summer, but has had no work for five Months, he is about 25 years of age, Visitor recommends Coal once.

322. Mary Carruthers: 5th door in a lane next Cartys on George Street. Irish. R.C. one Child 5 years old, her husband left her about 4 years ago. She then put out her Child to nurse and paid from [dollars] 3 to [dollars] 4 a Month for it, 3 Months ago she got her foot burnt consequently not able to stay in Service, had to take her Child home, scrubs and washes when she is able and can get it. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and an allowance of Coal and Soup.

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323. Benjamin Patterson: Colborne Street, Old Freeman Office. Printer, from Dublin, in 1833: resided in Toronto ever since, unable to work for some Months past from a pulmonary Complaint. Married. 1 Child aged 5 years in the Country with his Wifes friends. Wife has a Child of 12 Months to nurse at [dollars] 5 a Month which is their only support. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Coal, and 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and thinks an allowance of Tea and Sugar would be thankfully received.

324. Elizabeth Goodship: Sylvester's Lane rear of 401 King Street east. Visitor called at the place but could not find Mrs. Goodship.

325. Mary Mulvaney: 160 Queen Street west. Her husband is in the Hospital at present owing to inflammation of the Lungs, She has to depend on her own exertions for a livelihood, and earns only 10 d [pence] per day. She has 3 Children at home, a boy 13 years old who is with a butcher, one girl 9, and a Boy 6. Is very badly off having been sold out for rent in her last house on account of her husband being unable to work. English. Methodist. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

326. A Note from Mrs. Baldwin was read [read] by the Committee, in which application is made for the admission in House of Industry of Louisa Sharp aged 2 years, who was admitted in Public Nursery by the day, and has been left on their hands The Weekly Committee can not entertain the Case as similar ones have been before the General Board, who resolved that such Cases could not be taken in - or assisted by the House.

327. Ann Ottway: rere of 14 Agnes Street. Irish. R.C. Married, 28 years of age. boy 2 Months old living with her Sister also Married (two Sisters Married to two Brothers) she has two Children boy 2 and a boy 1 year old. The husbands have been out of Work for a long time, they are now in the States where they have been for the last five week's, they have got Work there and are expected to send Money to their families shortly. Visitor recommends Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

328. Timothy and Edward Farrell in Case 374 in 1862. The Mother Fanny Farrell took them out to day March 7th.

329. Sarah Murray: in Case 231, left the House, being well enough to take a place.

330. Ellen Marshall: rere of 24 ½1/2 Adelaide Street west, in addition of Coal and Bread, Visitor recommends ration of Tea, Sugar &etc.

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331. The four Children of Margaret O'Leary were sent here for admission by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] The Mother having been this day sent to Gaol for 3 Months. See Case 607 in 1862. They are again in a most filthy condition and have the itch.

Tuesday ~~Friday~~ 10th March 1863.

Present Revd. Thos. Carruthers & Mr. E. Hobson.

332. Elisa Farrabee: lives in a Cottage south west corner of Mr. Woodsworth's Lumber Yard. English. ChofEngl. 32 years of age, 2 Children, boy 6, girl 4 years of age, husband a Mechanical draughtsman, but finds no work in that line, obliged to work as a labourer. The Wife is a clean respectable Woman. Husband inclined to drink some times. Visitor recommends Coal as they require it very much.

333. Isabella Gray: 23 Frederick Street. Widow, 6 years in Toronto from Glasgow Scotland, husband was a Dry good Clerk. Takes in washing but evidently belongs to the class described as having been better off. well furnished room, portraits &c 2 Children, Elisa 8 years, at home, John 16, Clerk with Mr. Sheehan, at Port Sarnia. Presbyterian. Visitor recommends Coal which is all she asks.

334. Mary Ann McElroy: Palace St. 1st door east of Trinity St. Not in: Visitor saw the husband, a book dealer out of Employment since last September, when he arrived here with his family from Belfast, Ireland. 3 Children, girls aged 6, 3 years & 16 Months respectively. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal.

335. John Munroe: 45 years of age, Native of Scotland, Baptist Church. has had Shelter in the Outbuilding for some time, to be admitted in the House as he is a usefull Man, and will leave as soon as he can get Employment.

336. George Gibbs: See Case 1154 in 1862. To be admitted in the House for a time being useful in the Sick room.

337. Catharine Thompson: 81 George Street. Scotch, goes to no Church, has one Girl 6 years old - Isabella Anderson a big stout English Woman 52 years old who has several patches on her face, goes to no Church but says she is a good Christian, and a third Woman raving in something like drink who said she was the only respectable one of the three. They all stop together, and Visitor learned that they drink all the time, when they can get it. They are very dirty.

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338. James Wheeler: lives in the middle of a row of houses back from the Street east off 388 Queen St. east. English. has been in Toronto since October last, has been in Canada for 16 years, chiefly by Newmarket. ChofEngl. 47 years, Wife 31 years. 4 Children, girl 8, girl 5, Boy 3, and a baby 2 Months, Visitor recommends that he be allowed to cut Wood for relief.

339. Patrick Dowling: Power Street first gate way from King Street, Visitor found two Children at home toasting bread for their breakfast, of which there did not appear any lack. They said their Father was away out cutting wood, and their Mother was not in.

340. George Verrall: in Case 220 returned to the House on account of sickness, no other Complaints against him. March 11th.

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341. Joe and Thomas Gallagher: in Case 286, were taken out by their Father

342. Margaret Gallagher: (Blind) See Case 784 in 1862, her husband came to take her out, and she is willing to go with him, to take up their old habit of begging about from door to door.

343. Ann Burns: in Case 75, returned to day to the House from General Hospital.

Friday 13th March 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

344. Amy Odell: 57 Adelaide St. west. Widow aged 61. ChofEngl. has one daughter aged 20 but delicate in health. They cannot obtain employment at their Needle. Visitor recommends Bread and Coal for this Month.

345. Elizabeth Norton: rear of 19 Seaton Street in a Lane, Visitor made a good deal of enquiry but could not find the place.

346. Margaret Jane McLennan: in Case 311. recommended for Coal and to have 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

347. Joseph McClellan: in Case 912 in 1862. left this Morning for the Country

348. James Corbett: in Case 292 was taken out by his Mother.

349. Catharine Fogarty: in Case 761 in 1862, had leave to go out and to look for a place, came home drunk, refused admittance.

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Present Messrs. J. Tyner and E. Hobson.

350. John Ball: Lives in a small Shanty on Bathurst Street a short distance North of Bathurst St. opposite of Mr Gzowskie. Is himself a paralytic. his Wife has just been confined, & is in very delicate health. Has besides the infant, two girls 9 and 4 years of age respectively. From personal Knowledge, Visitor can say that they are badly off, though not giving to Complaining - English. ChofEngl. recommended for Coal Bread and Soup, and to have a ration of Tea Sugar etc.

351. Elizabeth Norton: in rear of 23 Seaton Street, first House in a Lane running east to McMahon Street English, a Widow 49 years of age, ChofEngl, two Children, a boy 11 and a boy 9 years, she says she expects the eldest to get a place soon, recommended for a little Coal.

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352. Christina McLaughlan: 43 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. Seeks admission for a few days in the Outbuilding to wash her Cloths, when she will endeavour to get a place. Permitted to do so.

353. The Child of Mary Quin: was sent for admission to House of Industry by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] on 10th of March, The Mother having been Committed to Gaol for four Months, owing to some disease about the Child it was refused admittance, and sent to General Hospital.

354. Rosanna Clark: 22 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. one Child with her Mary Jane 3 years old. She says her husband is a Tanner worked at St. Thomas, but left her, she is near her Confinement, came to Toronto to get into Lying-in Hospital, brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends a few days shelter, being against the rules to have Women in the family way in the House, the Committee will take her Child for a time, but she herself must sleep in Lying-in Hospital, might come and take her meals here as long as she is able to come.

355. Jane Brown: in Case 147. asked leave to go out and look for a place, she has not returned.

356. Ann Little: an Inmate had leave to go out for a few hours did not return until this afternoon 18th. allowed to stay in Outbuilding until Friday, when she can apply to Committee to see whether they will admit her in the House again. Committee recommend that she go to Service, being a able woman.

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Friday 20th March 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner and E. Hobson.

357. Daniel McDonnell: in McCurrys Lane between Parliment [Parliament] and Power Street, is 42 years of age, Mary his Wife is 37 years. Irish Presbyterian Church. Lately come to Canada, 1 Son 16 years old Lived with Mr. Simpson beside the Market for [dollars] 4 a Month, one Son 13. one Son 3 1/2, and one 11 Months, they have sold the most of their Cloths to Keep them living, they are people that would not apply if they could get anything to do, Visitor recommends them for Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread.

358. The Child of Mary Quinn in Case 353 was sent from Hospital for admission in House of Industry, being cured of the disease.

359. Patrick Sheridan: Irish. R.C. 61 years of age, half a Lunatic. was sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admission having been Charged with Vagrancy. To be allowed to stay in Outbuilding for a time.

360. Ann Chapman: 11 years of age R.C. and Bridget Moran 13 years of age, R.C. both girls were sent her by the Police Magistrate having been charged before him with being homeless Vagrants. Chapman's Mother is in the Bush, and Morans Mother in Gaol.

Tuesday 24th March 1863.

Present Mr. W.J. MacDonell.

361. Rose and Patrick Burns: aged 9 and 8 years respectively, they were sent here by the Police Magistrate, The Mother Johanna Burns, was this day (March 25 :) sent to Gaol for one Month.

362. William Childs: has been out of Employment for some time, and is very badly off. his Wife has been Confined a short time since and is still poorly, 4 young Children, Irish. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Childs to work for his relief, no work at present. Lives in Gowans Cottages, Agnes Street, Spadina Avenue.

363. Anthony Wilkinson: 22 William St. west. Cannot get Employment, his Wife was Confined on Sunday, and they are poorly off. he has received assistance during the Winter for Work. Visitor recommends that he receive Coal once more.

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Friday 27th March 1863.

Present Mr. W. J. MacDonell.

364. Lissie and Jacob Hedges: aged 10 and 7 years respectively, were sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Mother having been sent to Gaol on a Charge of Larceny. ChofEngl. The Mothers Name is Ann Porter, her second husbands Name.

365. Sarah Gillaghan: an Inmate left the Institution on her own account to live with some friends in the Country.

366. Wesley Collins: Colered without Legs, had Shelter in Outbuilding during the Winter Months, he left the Institution, it appears that he and the above Case will go in house keeping together.

Tuesday 31st March 1863

Present The Revd. Mr. Howard before E. Hobson. J. Doel. J. Tyner & J. Thom.

This being also a "Special Committee" to revise List of Inmates.

367. Catharine Sullivan: in Case 812 in 1862. to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued for one Month longer.

368. Mary Carruthers: to see the Doctor and if he considers her not able to work, she is to have 4 [pounds] of Bread for one Month
369. Sarah Gilmor: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued during the Summer Months.
370. Mary Rutherford: to be continued on List during Summer for 4 [pounds] of Bread.
371. Ellen Fitzpatrick: permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread
372. Jemima Clements: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
373. Jane Doughty: to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week allowed during the Summer Months.
374. Margaret Mulveney: 160 Queen St. west. to have 300 [pounds] of Coal.
375. Ellen Brown: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
376. Fanny Jordan: recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughall to be continued on List for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.
377. Margaret Gentle: Lane off Adelaide St. west of Yonge Street to have an allowance of 12 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
378. Elizabeth Cobb: rere of 116 Adelaide St. west. to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
379. Mary Boulger: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued - lives 132 Richmond St. west
380. Mary Sullivan: lives in same House as above, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months.

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March 31st 1863.

The Committee recommend that the following Inmates be discharged from the Institution within the next two Weeks, given them time to look out for Employment.

381. Charlotte Quinn: husband and two Children. Case 1050 in 1862.
382. Robert Parry: in Case 1153 in 1862. left gone to Hamilton
383. William White: in Case 717 in 1862. Was allowed to remain
384. Patrick Fleming: who has been in Outbuilding for last 18 Months.
385. Emma Burke: rere of 26 Christopher St Colered. Baptist Ch. Widow 42 years of age. 2 daughters 16 and 20, grandson 9 years of age her father who lives with her said to be a hundred and her Mother 68

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years of age, all in good health. A Sister is living with her 26 years of age, far gone in Consumption, confined to her bed. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, full allowance of Tea, Sugar & etc. also 600 [pounds] of Coal.

386. Jane Tremble: 122 Duke Street, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued for a fortnight longer.

387. Mary Barber: in Case 1096 in 1862. was to see the Doctor, who says that she has a slight attack of asthma apparently from the too free use of whiskey, does not find much the matter with her beside the above and excess volubility.

Friday April 4th 1863.

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

388. Ann Robinson: to have her allowance of 8 [pounds] of Bread continued for one Month longer.

389. Sarah Harris: in Case 1001 in 1862. Visitor strongly recommends that she be continued on the Bread List during the Summer Months.

390. Jane Bowes: 117 Duke Street. English. ChofEngl. Husband left her 11 Weeks ago, has not heard from him since - but has heard of a deaf Man having lost his Life by the Car's running over him near Hamilton to which place she supposed he was going, is afraid it is her husband as he did not used to stop so long away when he looked for work - was a Tailor by trade. She has 5 Children at home, a girl 14, a girl 18 Months, Boy's one 11, one 5, and one 3 years of age. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

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April 4th 1863.

391. Ellen McDonnell: rere of No. 10 Duchess Street. Irish 33 years of age. 3 Children, girl 5 years, a boy 3 years, and a boy 6 Months. Husband 40 years appears to be good for nothing but to assist in multiplying her Majestys Subjects. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

392. Charlotte Ann Hatton: in Case 644 in 1862 gone on trial previous of being bound. April 6th.

393. Lissie and Jacob Hedges in Case 364 were taking out by their Mother who is also the Mother of George Hedges in Case 215, whom she promises to take out as soon as convenient.

394. John Brass: an Inmate in Case 489 in 1861. died this Morning shortly after 12 OClock. April 7th

Tuesday 7th April 1863.

Present Messrs. J. D. Ridout and J. Thom.

395. Ann Spelling: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued during the Summer Months.

396. Mary Collins: to be continued on for her Weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread.

397. Sarah Johnson: (Colored) to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

398. Margaret Burns: who complains of severe pain at the elbow, was examined by our Doctor, who finds when she is not thinking of the arm that she can bear very rough handling without flinching - believes there is nothing wrong with the arm.

399. Mary Collins: 53 Dummer St. recommended for her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months.

400. Sophia Wilcox: to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

401. Margaret Hall: Bloor Street. recommended for bread during the Summer - she is in bad health and unable to do hard work.

402. Mary Ann Caulfield: to have 8 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months. she has 3 small Children and her husband is blind.

403. Bridget Driscoll: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread continued.

403 1/2. John Kelly: an Inmate, left the House on his own account. See Case - 488 in 1861.

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Friday 10th April 1863.

Present Revd. Mr. Broughall & Mr. J. Thom.

404. John Kelly: Judy's husband, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, during the Summer Months.

405. Sarah Rogers: Mother of the Children in Case 28 in 1861, made application for the two youngest Anne and Sarah intends taking them to Hamilton where she now resides with some of her friends, and as soon as she is able to provide a place for the eldest, will take her out also. believes the husband is in the States. Committee order that the two youngest Children be given up to her.

406. Ann Sawtell: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.

407. Bartholomew Morriety: in Case 618 in 1860 applied for admission, has been in the States and working about the Country, lost his hand in {Snarr's} Saw Mill some 9 years ago. He is a young Man, and

the Committee consider him well able to earn his living, if he would but try, might be allowed Shelter in the Outbuilding for a few days.

408. Mary Finlan: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

409. Ellen Hookaway: to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months.

410. Ellen Casey: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly on account of her sick Daughter.

411. Walter Power: to be continued on for 4 [pounds] of Bread the Summer.

412. Timothy Harrington: applied for admission, he is an old resident and has been an Inmate before - to be admitted.

413. Edward Herbert: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly for a Month.

414. Murtagh Kearney: 78 Berkely [Berkeley] St. to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week during the Summer.

415. Mary Rogers: 29 Regent St. to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week during the Summer.

416. Mary Jane Astley: to be continued on the List for 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week until Visitor puts a stop to it.

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April 10th 1863.

417. Mary Ann McKay: in Case 1040 in 1862. Doctor has examined her and believes that her health is sufficiently restored to enable her to go to service, he believes her health is now good.

418. Benjamin Patterson: recommended for an allowance of Bread being sick. Consumption.

Tuesday 14th April 1863.

Present Revd. Mr. Elliott. Mr. J. Thom and Mr. E. Hobson & Mr. J. Doel

419. Mary Ann Bennett: rear of 115 Nelson Street, Irish. ChofEngl. 59 years of age, lives in a small room and cooks at the stove of the people from whom she rents the room, used to go round with a basket selling Eggs and Butter, but she has nothing to start with now, and seems to be very destitute, Visitor leaves the Case to judgment of Committee.

420. Mary Murphy: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. R.C. says she is 61 years of age, looks about 50. has two boys one 13 and one 11 years of age, lives rent free, Committee will please judge for themselves.

421. Margaret Gartland: recommended to have an allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, having a bad arm and not able to work.

422. Mary Toomey: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly during the Summer.

423. Catharine Dempsey: to have a ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread Continued.

424. Bridget Mooran: in Case 360, gone out to take a place.

425. Rose and Patrick Burns, Children in Case 361 were taken out to day (April 15th) by their Father.

426. Jessey and George Poulson: in Case 1039 in 1862, were this day (April 16th) taken out by their Mother

Friday 17th April 1863.

Present Mr. J. Doel.

427. Julia Flanagan: Dummer St. recommended for an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week during the Summer Months.

428. Ann Chapman: in Case 360. gone to a place.

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April 17th 1863.

429. Bridget Clements: 123 Herbert St. a respectable looking woman but a very untidy and dirty House. 4 Children, ages girl 6, boy 4, girl 2, and boy 2 Months. Husband in Consumption and has been ill all the Winter, Visitor would recommend bread, and a suggestion to the Woman to Keep a more tidy House. Husband ChofEngl Wife R.C. allowed 8 [pounds] bread per week

430. Mary Scott: recommended by the Visitor to have her allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly as usual.

431. Elizabeth Long: Visitor recommends that her allowance of 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, be continued for a Month longer.

Tuesday 21st April 1863.

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Present Mr. T. P. Battersby & Mr. C. Robertson.

432. Hosiah Turner: (Colored) and Thomas Lando, both Inmates brought Whiskey into the House contrary to the rules, Committee deem it necessary to confine them to the House for a Month.

Friday 24th April 1863.

No Committee.

433. Mary Boulger: 132 Richmond St. west, Mr. Tyner recommends that 600 [pounds] of Coal be sent to her for the Summer season.

434. Peter Brennan: an Inmate 83 years of age, died this Morning (April 26th) at 10 OClock. See Case of admission 240 in 1857.

435. John Knill: 50 years of age. English. ChofEngl. has been in General Hospital but is turned out from ^there^ as his disease is past Cure, seeks admission into the House, not being able to work, and his Wife not being able to Keep him.

Tuesday 28th April 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Bugg and E. Hobson.

436. Rosanna Clark: in Case 354, came back to the House from Lying in Hospital with her two Children, The Committee order that Supt pay her fare as far as London, was sent April 29 : Fare [dollars] 3,37 [cents].

437. Margt Corcoran: to have 8 [pounds] of Bread and full ration of Sugar & Tea &etc.

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April 28th 1863.

438. Susanna Smith: from Beverly, single Woman, came to Toronto to get admission into Lying in Hospital, but not being near her time yet, could not be taken in there, seeks admission in House of Industry until her time comes. Committee cannot admit her, she might have her meals but no Lodging.

439. Abegail Hillis: 37 years of age, Irish. Presbt. Single Woman, from Oshawa, came to Toronto for admission in Hospital seems to have lost the use of one of her hands, refused admittance in Hospital not being a suitable Case, applied for admission in House of Industry. To see the Doctor whether she is a suitable Case for this Institution.

440. John Knill: in Case 43 to see the Doctor and if a suitable Case for House of Industry, to be admitted.

441. The above two Cases were examined by the Doctor who thinks they might be admitted into the House.

442. Felix Granahan: an old Man about 90 years of age, lately from Woodstock, was sent for admission into House of Industry by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. died in the Outbuilding April 30th. Native of Ireland.

Friday 1st May 1863

Present The Revd. Mr. Baldwin & Mr. J. Bugg

443. Sarah Hardiman: 46 James Street east, Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

444. Ann Richwood: rere of 99 Richmond St. east Married, 3 Children Irish R.C. Sickly. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

445. Elizabeth Kelly: 61 Richmond St. east, lost her husband a few weeks since, aged 30. Irish. R.C. has four Boys, one 15 at Service the others 8. 7 and 3 respectively, going to School. recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread a week for the present

446. Patrick Sheridan: in Case 359. died this Morning May 2nd.

447. The 3 Children Charlton: in Case 289, were taken out by the Mother last Wednesday April 29th.

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Tuesday 5th May 1863

Present The Revd. H.J. Grasett.

448. Esther Young: recently in the Service of Mr. Sheriff Jarvis, died on Sunday in the Lying-in Hospital having an infant Child (Male) - her husband a worthless character, having forsaken her before her death and there being no relations or friends of the diseased able or willing to provide for the Child, it is ordered to be received into the House of Industry. Both parents belong to the Church of England. Child a week old.

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449. Charles Dross: in Case 634, who was at Wet Nurse with Agnes Urquhart was ordered to be brought to the House, and the Child in above Case placed with her instead at [dollars] 4 a Month. Mrs. Urquhart is desirous of Keeping the Child Dross a little longer to see whether she can make some arrangement with its Mother to prevent it being sent back to House of Industry.

450. David Stuart: an Inmate went to General Hospital, with a view of getting a bad leg cured.

451. William Brown: an Inmate, is Blind, went to General Hospital to have his Eyes operated upon.

452. Patrick Lafferty: an Inmate 73 years of age, died this Morning, May 6th. See his admission in Case 448 in 1860.

Friday 8th May 1863.

No Committee present.

453. Charlotte Ann Hatton: in Case 392 returned to the House, did not give satisfaction.

454. A Male Child 7 Months old, was sent for admission by the Mayor, it was found deserted by its parents at the door of Mr. Elliott Corner of Victoria and Richmond Street. Named William Henry.

455. The Male Child at Wet Nurse with Ellen Scott was recalled to the House were it will be taken care of. See Case 486 in 1862. Mrs. Scott prefers Keeping it a little longer without payment as she and her husband have grown fond of it, having no Children of their own.

456. George Verral: in Case 340, gone on trial, and William Cowan: in Case 652 in 1862, is gone on trial also, previously of being bound.

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Tuesday May 12th 1863.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson.

457. Alexander Trimble: Irish ChofEngl. 70 years of age. Wife Jane 57. Trimble had his arm broken some time ago and therefore not able to work. No Children at home, and Son in the States. to have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

458. Received a Letter from James Landon complaining that his Apprentice "James Adair" had left him, that some Man had advised him to do so. Committee direct Supt. to write to Mr. Landon and to advise him to have the Boy brought before a Magistrate and punished and the Man who harboured him likewise.



459. Patrick Lindsay: an Inmate left the Institution on his own accord.

460. Thomas Butcher: an Inmate left the Institution, he has recovered his sight and will be able to earn his own living.

Friday 15th May 1863.

Present Messrs. R. Cathcart & E. Hobson

461. Daniel Madden: 58 years of age, Native of Ireland, R.C. (a Blind Vagrant) was brought here by the Police for admission into the House, has been begging about Toronto these last 14 Months. He is to be admitted on Condition that he will not be allowed to go out.

462. George Woods: Colored, has been an Inmate before, has been in General Hospital seeks admission in House again, to be admitted in Outbuilding, his leg being too offensive for him to be in the House.

463. Margaret Bradly: in Case 604 in 1860, died yesterday, May 14th.

Tuesday 19th May 1863.

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson.

464. Mary Ann Caulfield: to have 12 [pounds] of Bread a Week instead of 8 [pounds]

465. Mary Ingham: 46 years of age, Widow, English, No particular Church is in a weak state of health, seeks admission for a time, referr'd to Doctor, and if a fit Case, to be admitted

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May 19th 1863.

466. Andrew & Martha Robinson: in Case 287 were taken out by their Mother.

Friday 22nd May 1863.

Present The Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson

467. Mary Hughes: applied to have her ration of Bread continued. Committee cannot allow her any Bread during the Summer.

Tuesday 26th May 1863.

No Committee present.

468. Charles Dross: in Case 449 was brought by the Nurse Mrs. Urquhart back to the House, could make no arrangement with the Mother as she expected.

Friday 29th May 1863.

No Committee present.

469. Dr. Gardiner made application for the admission of 6 Patients from General Hospital, The Cases were referred by last Week's Committee to our Medical Officer for him to ascertain whether they were proper Cases for admission, by his report of them, it appears that there is no Convenience for three of them in this Institution as they would require constant attendance. The other three to be admitted they are as followe's -

470. Catharine Fitzpatrick: Spinster, Irish. R.C. 23 years of age, has been for the last 9 Months in Hospital, suffers severely with Rheumatism.

471. Eliza Burns: Widow, 48 years of age, Native of Ireland. R.C. has been 18 years in Toronto, seems she has been rather a hard Case, She has several large incurable Syphilitic sores or ulcers on various parts of the body, unable to do anything.

472. William Brown: in Case 451 who went to Hospital to have his Eyes operated upon, but it appears that nothing can be done for them, he was consequently discharged.

473. The above Cases to be admitted. June 1st.

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Tuesday June 1st 1863

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor & J. Thom.

474. Patrick Fleming: an Inmate left the Institution, intends going to the States to work.

Friday June 4th 1863.

Present Mr. J. Thom & Mr. R. Gilmor

475. Mary Ann Mc Kay: in Case 417, left on the 2nd of this Month for Quebec, from thence she will proceed to home to Scotland.

476. Mary Jane Peterson: 18 years of age; Canadian. Methodist Church. not Married, has a Child 3 weeks old, came from the Village of Wellesley, and was admitted in Lying in Hospital, where [where] she was confined, it appears there is sickness in that Institution, and the Inmates were obliged to leave. Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin strongly recommends that she be admitted in House of Industry for a few days, until she recovers from her confinement. Committee will allow her to stay a few days, and then to apply to the Mayor to see whether he can give a pass to send her home, and if not for Superintendent to pay her fare.

477. Mary Gallagher: says her husband is sick with the ague, has four Children wants relief, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread for this week.

478. Margaret O'Leary took her four Children out the Institution See Case 331.

Tuesday June 9th 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

479. Hugh Coyle: 26 years of age. Native of Ireland, R.C. Church two years in Toronto, seeks admission in House of Industry, has a running sore near his Spine, therefore not able to sit and work at his trade (Shoemaking) was refused admission in Hospital, To see our Doctor to see whether he is a fit Case for this House.

480 The following three Cases were brought by Stuart of General Hospital and deposited at the Gate of this Institution. Stuart said that he had orders from Mr. Gooderham one of the Hospital Trustees, to leave them here. (See Case 469)

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June 9th 1863.

481. James Dunbar: about 60 years of age, Native of Ireland ChofEngl, an old resident of Toronto, has been in Hospital since 4th of April last, he is a complete paralytic not able to help himself in the least.

482. John Barnfather: about 60 years of age, a helpless paralytic and Imbecile as well, he cannot give an account of himself his memory seems to have entirely failed him.

483. Sarah Rogers: 26 years of age, Canadian, Methodist Church, her father brought her from Newmarket to General Hospital 14th February last, where she has been until left here. She has a disease in one of her Knees, and being in a weak state of health, she is almost helpless.

484. The above Cases were taking in Outbuilding for the present until the Board deccide what is to be done with them.

485. John Aldridge: 73 years of age, English, Church of Engl. 12 years in Canada, he is Completely blind, has been for the last two years in General Hospital from whence he is now discharged, brought a Note from Dr. Gardiner recommending him for admission in House of Industry, The Mayor spoke also on his behalf. To be admitted

Friday 12th June 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

486. Richard Kennedy: 7 years of age, brought here by the Police, the Mother Ellen Kennedy having been sent to Gaol for one Month.

487. Mary Ingham: in Case 465, left the House, as she is able to take a situation.

Tuesday 16th June 1863.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Tyner

488. Agnes Parker: Widow, 43 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. says she is in bad health, not able to work, and no friends or means to subsist, seeks admission for a time until she gets strong. Brought a Note from the Revd. E. Baldwin Committee refer her Case to the Doctor.

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489. Elisa O'Regan: had relief the last two winters applied for relief during Summer, to have a loaf for to day, but nothing further can be granted at present.

490. Mary Spilling: 56 years of age, Widow, Irish, R.C. wishes for a loaf of Bread, which was given her.

491. Margaret Dean: a girl about 10 years of age was sent to the Institution by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been taking up as a Vagrant. As both her parents are living and reside on Richmond St. west - The Committee recommend that she be sent back to them for this once. Before she could be sent away, made her exit without leave.

492. David Stuart: in Case 450, returned to this Institution from General Hospital.

Friday 19th June 1863

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby and Mr J. Tyner.

493. Hosiah Turner: (Colored) in Case 432, left the House this Morning on his own account, without given Notice of his intention of doing so.

Tuesday 23rd June 1863

Present Mr. W.J. MacDonell.

494. John Irwin: in Case 218, left this Morning on his own account.

Friday 26th June 1863

Present Mr. W. J. MacDonell.

495. John Maulkinson: 35 years of age, Native of England. ChofEngl has been in the General Hospital with Small Pox, which left him in a feeble state of health, is asking permission to be admitted in the House for a time until he gets stronger, when he will go to work, has no means, and no friends, used to be employed in Mr. Griffiths Store on Yonge St. To be admitted.

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Tuesday 30th June 1863.

Present The Revd. Mr. Howard & Mr. E. Hobson.

496. Caroline Blakely: a Child brought up in the House (See Case 235 - in 1861.) gone on trial, and if found to give satisfaction, to be adopted by the party who has taken her.

497. John McIntire: 53 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. 5 years in Canada, has been living in Toronto, lived the last seven Months in Sydenham, where his Wife who is a drunkard (and has been for the last two years) left him, he came to Town with the intention of getting in to Hospital, having a Cancer inside of his lip which prevents him from working - Brought his 3 Children to the House, which he is willing to give up on the usual terms, Elizabeth aged 9, Ann Jane aged 6, and William aged 4 years, had a Note from the Mayor, who recommends their admission if not contrary to the rules of the Institution. Offered Shelter to McIntire and his Children until Friday when his Case can be brought before the Board, refused the offer but accepted of a loaf of Bread - will call on Friday.

498. Thomas Leonard: aged 3 years, was sent here by the Police - Magistrate the Mother having been committed to Gaol this Morning for 30 days. July 2nd.

Friday 3rd July 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

499. John Macdonald: aged 5 years, Mary aged 3 years, and Alexander aged 16 Months, were sent here by Police Magistrate for admittance The Father "John Macdonald" having been taken up on suspicion of theft, and the Mother is in Kingston.

500. Andrew Casgar: an Inmate 78 years of age, died this day at half past nine O'Clock P.M. See Case 56 in 1856.

Tuesday 7th July 1863.

Present Revd. Mr. Carruthers, Mr. J. Thom and Mr. E. Hobson.

501. The Mother of the 3 Children Macdonald in Case 499 brought a Note from Police Magistrate to the intend [intent] that the Children might be delivered up to her possession, July 8th

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Friday 10th July 1863.

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Present Mr. J. Thom.

502. Mary Campbell: 28 years of age, came from Brampton to Lying in Hospital, in Toronto - where she was confined on 10th of May last, seeks admission for herself and Child in the House. Her account of herself is somewhat similar to the one she gave in 1857 in Case 244. She then came from Oakville to Lying in Hospital, and was admitted here for some Months, and to get rid of her - Committee took her Child from her and placed it out to Nurse, it afterwards died - at that time she called herself Mary White, The Committee will not take her in the House. She is young and able to work, and has no claim on this Institution, allowed a Loaf of Bread.

503. Richard Kennedy: in Case 486 was taken out by his Mother

504. James Gorley: left the House on his own account.

505. John Barrett: an Inmate wishes to leave the House, might do so. July 13th.

506. Rachel aged 7 years, and Emma Maria aged 4 years, the Children of Mary Harrison were sent here by the Police Magistrate, their Mother having been committed to Gaol this Morning (July 13th) for two Months. For Keeping a disorderly House.

507. The Child in Case 358 was taken out by his Mother. Mary Quinn.

Tuesday 14th July 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Doel and E. Hobson.

508. A Child (Colored) about 2 years of age, was picked up deserted on the Streets by the Police and brought here. a Male Child.

Friday 17th July 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Doel and E. Hobson

509. John Mulvaney: 43 years of age. Married, a Tailor by trade, Native of England, No particular Church. Has been ill 7 Months (Consumption) and not able to support his familie. 3 Children at home, Boy 14, Girl 11, and Boy 7. Committee will allow 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

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510. It appears that the Colered Child in Case 508 belongs to the Boys - House, from which place he had strayed away, he was sent back to day accordingly.

511. The Male Foundling in Case 454, Named William Henry. died this day. July 20th.

Tuesday 21st July 1863.

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby.

512. Mary Hughes: made application for an allowance of Bread, to have a Loaf for to day.

513. Elizabeth Gaffrey: to have a Loaf of Bread for this Week.

514. James Barron: an Inmate had leave last Sunday to go to Church, he has not returned yet.

515. John Maulkinson: in Case 495, left the House with intention of going to work on a Railroad in Ohio.

516. The two Children Jane and Daniel Dunn in Case 194, were taken out of this Institution by their Mother, who says, that she is able to provide for them now, as her husband who has been ill for a long time, died a fortnight since.

517. Agnes Parker: in Case 488, got admission into General Hospital, she is in hopes they will there restore her to health.

Friday 24th July 1863.

Present Mr. T.P. Battersby.

518. William Mason: 74 years of age. Irish. Presbt. Church. was sent by Police Magistrate (July 22nd) for admission in this Institution, having been arrested for Vagrancy on the Public Streets. The Man is desirous of going back to Trafalgar to which place he belongs, having come to Toronto on a drunken spree. Committee will allow him to do so.

519. Ellen O'Brien: made application for admission into the House, she is to bring her Number, and then to be visited to see whether she is a proper Case for admission.

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520. Sarah Johnson: a Colored Woman who lives on King Street, east of Don Bridge South side, applied for a little Colored girl Mary Jane Smith about 8 years of age in Case 781 in 1862. Mrs. Johnson has no Children of her own, and intends if this girl behaves herself, to bring her up as if she was her own Child.

521. James Barron: in Case 514 to be admitted, on his promising not to do the like again, breaking through the rules, and getting drunk.

522. Ann Burns: an Inmate had leave to go to Church last Sunday (July 26th) Came home drunk in the Evening, and behaved in a most outrageous Manner, had to be placed in the Outbuilding, her Case was to be brought before the Committee to which she would not submit, but left the House.

523. William Brown: Colored about 20 years of age, subject to fits - in one of which he was picked up and brought here, it appears that he came from Port Hope to which place he belongs, he says his Mother told him to go to Toronto and to try and get into the Poor House there, he had shelter for a few days when he wished to go back where he came from.

Tuesday 28th July 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

524. Martha Kenney: 45 years of age, a Widow with two Children, a Boy 11 years old who is with her husbands friends, and a girl 7 years old at home with her, Mrs. Kenny has a bad foot, consequently not able to work much. Allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week for one Month.

525. Ann Phibbs: an Inmate, is getting troublesome, refusing to do light work which she is well able to do, and for taking upon herself to go out without leave, Committee confine her to House for one Month.

526. Thomas Landy: an Inmate to be confined to House one Month, for bringing in Whisky to the Women.

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Friday 31st July 1863.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Bugg.

527. Ann Lockhart: an Inmate is, and always was very unwilling to make herself useful. The Committee order, that she go to work and do what she is told to do about the House, if not to be dismissed from the Institution.

528. Thomas Leonard: in Case 498, was taken out by his Mother.

529. Rebecca Vigal: (Colored) Married. Lives at 80 Albert St. and Elizabeth St. She is desirous of taken Charlotte Hill (Colored) on trial, and if she suits, will Clothe and School her, and bring her up as a servant.

Tuesday 4th August 1863.

No Committee.

530. A female Child about 3 years old, was sent here for admission by the Police Magistrate having been found on the Street by the Police on 4th of August.

531. John Bentham: aged 3 years, was sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admission, the Parents having been both committed to Gaol in default of sureties to Keep the Peace. August 6th

532. John Knill: an Inmate in Case 440 died this day August 6th

Friday 7th August 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Grasett.

533. James Godley: 40 years of age, Painter by trade, lives at the South east Corner of Boulton and York St. Married. 3 Children, Girl 16 in the Country with a friend, Boy 13 in Service at [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month, Girl 6 years old at home. The Man seems in a weak state of health, recommended by Revd. Mr. Grasett for admission. To be admitted if Doctor considers him a fit Case for the House.

534. Ellen O'Brien: 45 years of age. Spinster. Irish. ChofEngl. says she is not able to support herself on account of ill health, lived by begging, seeks admission, to see Doctor if a fit Case.

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August 7th 1863.

535. James Blakely: 40 years of age, Native of Toronto, R.C. was paralyzed 7 years ago, when his familie left him and went to the States, he is a Shoemaker by trade, not able to do any work, recommended by Mr. Tyner for admission, To see the Doctor and if a fit Case to be admitted

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536 Mary Kelly: 52 years of age, Spinster. Irish. ChofEngl. Lived in Toronto for 25 years, not very strong at present seeks admission for a few Weeks, after which time she will be able to take a situation again. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughall, admitted for a time if Dr. thinks her a fit Case, and to make herself useful.

537. The stray'd Child in Case 530 was taken out by the Mother.

Tuesday 11th August 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Doel and E. Hobson.

538. Catharine Campbell: Canadian, County of Eldon, R.C. husband in the States, came to Toronto last June and went into House of Providence with her seven Children. She is blind, says she wishes to have a operation performed on her Eyes, and will consequently have to leave the House of Providence, wants the House to assist her to live out, advised to stay where she is until she can be admitted in General Hospital.

539. Catharine McNulty: and [an] old Woman would like to get to Niagara where she has friends. Advised to see the Mayor and get a pass from him to take her up. To have a Loaf of Bread.

540. Elizabeth Gibson: respectable industrious Widow, with two young Children, applied for relief, as she cannot procure Work sufficient to support herself and Children. Her Case is known to the Committee. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

541. Elizabeth Reading: has a Boy 2 years old a Nurse Child she received [dollars] 3 a Month for it. The Mother of the Child who was in Service with Mrs. Perkins, has left Town now, and not paid for the last 4 Months, Mrs. Reading wishes to Know what is to be done. Committee cannot interfere with the Case, as she made a private bargain, she will have to abide by it.

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August 11th 1863.

542. Elisa Cook: 38 years of age, English. ChofEng. Married. came from the States about 10 days ago to look after her husband (a Blacksmith by trade,) who came to Canada on account of the draft, she has two Children with her, Boy 9 and Girl 5 years of age. She is entirely destitute, seeks admission in the House for a time until she gets stronger not being able to do hard work just now. Admitted for a time on Condition she make herself general useful. Mrs. Cook had a daughter in General Hospital 16 years of age, who died there on 8th August.

543. Richard Grayden: an Inmate, left the Institution on his own account, intends going to work at his trade, tailoring.

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544. A Female Child about 3 years old (Colered) was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. for admittance, the Mother Mary Sullivan having been committed to Gaol this Morning (August 14th) two Months for being drunk and disorderly on the Streets. Mary Ann Johnston.

Friday 14th August 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

No Applicants

Tuesday 18th August 1863.

Present the Revd. S. Givins.

545. Thomas Tilt: aged 11 years, and Charles Tilt aged 8 years, (Brothers) were sent by Mr. Alderman Jarvis for admittance, they were arrested for Vagrancy. August 20th. absconded August 22nd.

Friday 21st August 1863.

No Committee present.

546. Mary Ann Murphy: aged 6 years and Margaret Jane Murphy aged 3 years, were sent here by Mr. Alderman Smith for admittance, the Mother having been sent to Gaol for two Months for disorderly Conduct on the Streets.

547. Rebecca Whitehouse: No. 105 Sumach St. four years from England, 50 years of age, very poorly with a sore breast, which has affected all her left side. Methodist Church. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week also a full ration of Tea Sugar, Rice & Oatmeal.

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548. Mary Brown: an Inmate left the House again in her usual way by getting over the Fence on the 19th of August.

549. The two Boys Named Tilt in Case 545, absconded August 22th by claimbing over the Fence. Gave Notice at No. 1 Police Station.

Tuesday 25th August 1863.

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Present Mr. Thomas Storm

550. A Boy 3 years old was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admittance, the Mother: Julia Bonner: having been committed to Gaol 60 Days for being drunk.

551. George Gordon: 60 years of age, Native of North Humberland [Northumberland] England, by occupation a School Master, has been living in Brockville, came to Toronto a few days ago, he was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admittance, having been arrested as a Vagrant. August 25th he Managed to run away before night.

552. Margaret Smith: about 7 years of age, was sent for admittance by the Police Magistrate, the Mother Mary Smith, has been this day (August 26 :) Committed to Gaol for 30 days.

553. Thomas H. McLaughlan aged 8 yr., Samuel aged 6 years and Charles aged 3 years, were sent by the Police Magistrate for admittance, their parents having been sent to Gaol as disorderly Characters. August 27th.

Friday August 28th 1863.

No Committee present.

554. Charles Tilt: in Case 545 was brought back to the House by a Man who found him in Victoria Street, Lane, a Waggon having ran over his foot.

555. Harriett aged 10 years, Belinda aged 7 years, and James Charles aged 3 years, were sent here for admission by the Police Magistrate their Mother Maria Edwards having this day been Committed to Gaol for five Months, for Keeping a disorderly House. August 31st.

556. Kate and Michael Ryan, were sent for admission by Police Magistrate the Mother Catharine Ryan, having been sent a Month to Gaol for being drunk and disorderly.

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Tuesday, September 1st. 1863.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

557. Timothy Harrington: 76 years of age, Irish. R.C. Married, but not living with his Wife, who is younger than himself and illtreats the old Man. He wishes for an allowance of Bread. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

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558. Abigail Hillis: in Case 439. left the Institution with intention to take a situation in the Country being more able to work. August 25th

559. Catharine Fitzpatrick: in Case 470, left the Institution on her own account. Sept. 2nd.

560. Philip Davis: in Case 682 in 1860, left the House, he intends going to London C.W. [Canada West] Sept. 2nd.

561. William Willis: about 3 years of age was brought yesterday Sept 2nd by the Police to be taken care of, his father having been committed to Gaol for three Months. Received a Note from Police Magistrate Sept. 3d. requesting that the Boy might be handed over to G.H. Wilson Esqr. who will place him in the "Boy's Home" - The Boy accordingly was given up to that Gentleman.

Friday September 4th 1863.

Present Messrs. R. Woodsworth & R. Gilmor

562. Mary Mahoney: who had relief last Winter for herself and Familie, is applying for some assistance now, she says her husband has gone in the States to look for Work, has sent her no Money yet, all her Children are away doing something except the three youngest who are with her still. Committee will allow 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

563. Bridget Kelly: in a Cottage back of Mr. Wickson's Stable on Clover Hill Road. 30 years of age, Married, Irish, R.C. 3 Children, Girl 6, Girl 5, and Girl 14 Months old. The husband has been ill for some time, and is now dying in Consumption The Case is well Known to Mr. R. Gilmor, who recommends them Committee will allow a full ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal & Rice and Visitor to enquire into the Case and report.

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564. Bridget McCarty: about 8 years of age, was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admittance, having been arrested for Vagrancy. The Child was given up to its Mother who called for it.

Tuesday 8th September 1863

Present Messrs. Revd. Thos. Carruthers & E. Hobson and E. H Rutherford Esqr.

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565. Elisa Cook: in Case 542 will have to leave this House before the Week is out, she is now strong and able to provide for herself if she feels industriously inclined.

566. James Clampet: about 10 years of age, was sent for admission by the Police Magistrate, his Parents having been committed to Gaol one Month for drunken and disorderly conduct.

567. Hugh Coyle: an Inmate See Case 479. died this Morning, of Spine disease Sept. 11th

Friday 11st Sept. 1863.

Present Revd. Mr. Carruthers & Mr. E. Hobson.

568. Abigail Hillis: in Case 558 returned to the House, says her hand is not strong enough to earn her living. Was admitted again

569. The Children Harris in Case 506 were taken out of this Institution Sept. 12th by their Mother.

570. John Bentham: in Case 531, was taken out by his Parents whose term in Gaol having expired. Sept. 14th

571. Female Child about 18 Months' old was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admittance, the Mother Jane Lee having been committed on the 12th Inst. for two Months to Gaol.

Tuesday 15th Sept 1863.

Present Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Mr. E. Hobson.

572. Committee order Superintendent to send Mrs. Cook and her two Children to Detroit and to pay her fare, which will amount to [dollars] 6. They Committee consider it the cheapest way of getting rid of her, she belongs to the States and has no claim on this Institution. See Case 542

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573. Mary Brown: who ran away (See Case 548) made her appearance to day with a Note from the Mayor who recommends her readmittance into the Institution. Admitted.

574. William Power: 64 years of age. Irish. R.C. last from Quebec, in which place he landed 3 years ago, and where he resided ever since, Came to Toronto last Wednesday to find a Cousin of his, but of whom

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it appears he can hear no tidings. He was recommended by Revd. Mr. Walsh Roman Catholic Priest to the Mayor for admission in House of Industry. The Mayor recommends the Case to the Committee. To be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a time, to give him a chance to look for Employment. left Sept. 21st was seen begging about the Streets.

575. Sarah Atree: about 38 years of age, from County of Sussex, England ChofEngl. Spinster. has been in Toronto from Childhood used to live in Service, is now in a very feeble state of health, (Consumption) has no friends, and no means of supporting herself, seeks admission. To see Doctor and if a fit Case to be admitted

576. Charlotte Parker: a old Colered Blind Woman, used to get relief in Winter, is now living at No. 26 Elizabeth St. The Visitor recommends her for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

577. John Barrett: in Case 505 was readmitted into the Institution on 8th Sept

578. Catharine Slattery: aged 5 years, was sent by the Police Magistrate for admission, her Mother Margaret Slattery having been committed 30 days to Gaol, for Keeping a disorderly House.

579. Honora Warren: was sent for admission by Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant. See Case 297. she left to look for her Cloth's did not return. Sept. 16th

Friday Sept 18th 1863.

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & E. Hobson.

580. John Nolan: 63 years of age, Irish. R.C. Wife about 35, in Gaol, his two Children in House of Providence, recommended for temporary admission by Mr. W.J. MacDonell. To be admitted if Doctor thinks him a suitable Case.

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581. Margaret Bambury: 16 years of age, Irish. Roman Catholic Church. and: Ellen Odea: 15 years of age Irish. R.C. Both Girls were sent out to Canada by the Union, on arriving in Toronto they were sent from the Emigrant Office to the General Hospital on account of bad Eyes, after remaining a Month, they were turned out from there, have no home, they say that the Priest sent them to House of Industry, until a place can be procured for them. Superintendent to make enquiries to see whether their statement is correct, and if the Doctor thinks them fit Cases, to be admitted for a time.

Tuesday 22 Sept 1863.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

582. James Godly: an Inmate (See Case 533) died this Morning of Consumption.

583. Jessy Mc Clean: the youngest Child of Cathr. McClean in (Case 1038 in 1862 died this Morning.

Friday 25th Sept 1863.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

584. Maria Lennon: Spinster, 40 years of age, Irish, R.C. is out of place, seeks assistance from the House. She is to bring her Number, and be visited. Lives at No. 40 Centre St.

585. Mary Daley: second door South of Doctor Ross, on Caroline St. Irish, R.C. 30 years of age. 3 Children, girl 10. boy 9 and girl 3 years of age. She makes her living chiefly by begging - She says her husband went away to the States six Months ago, when here, he used to gather rags. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

586. Sarah Latham: 40 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, just returned from Hayti [Haiti] where she has been 2 1/2 years. She say's has no friends, and lost her Clothing on the road, seeks admission in House of Industry for the Winter. To have a Loaf and be visited if she brings her Number.

587. Peter Murphy: 75 years of age, Irish, was a R.C. now ChofEngl. has been living near Streetsville, for many years in Canada, Came to Toronto for admission in House of Industry, It being against

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587. the rules admitting people from other Municipality's, the Committee therefore recommend that he receive a loaf of Bread and a Nights shelter, and for him to find his way back to Streetsville.

588. Margaret Smith: in Case 552 was taken out the Institution by her Mother, whose time in Gaol having expired.

589. The 3 Children Mc Laughlan in Case 553, were taken out by their Mother. Sept 26th

590. The Male Child of Esther Young in Case 448, died this day Sept. 27th. at the time of its death about 4 Months of age.

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591. Albert Polson: 2 years of age, was left with Norbert Giroux No. 28 Power St, about 9 Months ago, by the Mother Jessy Polson, who went with her four elder Children to join her husband at Cobourg, has not been heard of since, although frequently wrote too by Giroux, who has a familie of Children of his own and therefore not able to support this one any longer. Brought a Note from Secretary of Finance Committee requesting admission for Child in House of Industry. The Mother of the Child is the same Jessy Polson as in Case 426.

Tuesday 29th Sept 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

592. Sarah Coldread: applied for relief, the Committee order a Loaf for the present.

593. Agnes Parker: lives in rere of No. 99 Richmond St east. was formerly an Inmate of this Institution, in a bad state of health, seeks assistance. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and a single ration of Tea Sugar &etc. See Case 517.

594. Mary Daly: in Case 585, advised to give her Children up to the Sisters, and go herself into Service.

595. Mary Purcival: had relief during the Winter for several years, applies now for permanent relief, to have a Loaf for the present, but cannot be placed on permanent List at present.

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596. William Retye [Reetye]: an Inmate left the Institution this Morning with the intention of going to New York.

597. Ann Williams: a girl about 9 years of age, was sent by Revd. Mr. Givins to be admitted until Friday, The Girl says that she was deserted by her Parents, but on enquiry it was found that she had deserted from the House of Providence, was sent back to that Institution.

Friday Octbr 2nd 1863.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

598. Elisa Rutledge: a Case well Known to the Visitor. The husband has left, and left her and Children in great distress. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly for a Month.

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599. Peter Murphy: 75 years of age, Native of Ireland, R.C. Church. Came from the Township of Ops near Port Hope, seeks admission into House of Industry. Cannot be admitted, but Committee recommend that he be sent back, and his fare paid. Has no desire to go back at present, desires to be allowed to stay until Monday, when he will leave for Toronto Township where he has friends. See Case 587.

Tuesday Octbr. 7th 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson.

600. Bridget Kearney: Married. Irish. R.C. says her husband is gone to Ohio to work on the Railroad, has not heard from him for some time. To have a loaf for the present.

601. Mary Dunlop: 45 years of age. Married. from Ireland. Presbt. 3 Children, Girl 14, Boy 9, Girl 4 years of age. Husband also gone to the States to look for Work. wants relief, to have a Loaf for the present.

602. Ellen Casey: Widow, Irish, R.C. one Child Boy 5 years old, To have a Loaf of Bread.

603. William Hays: 35 years of age, Irish R.C. Married, girl 14, Boy 8. Boy 6. Boy 5, and Boy 4 years of age. Hays is almost an Imbecile, seeks admission into the House. to be admitted (See Case 257.)

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604. Sarah Rogers: in Case 483, was sent back to New Market [Newmarket] as ordered by Weekly Committee. Fare [dollars] 1.

605. James Clampet: in Case 566 was taken out by his Parents.

606. Margaret Banbury: and Ellen O'dea: in Case 581, left the House Octbr. 9th to take places in the Country.

Friday 9th Octbr 1863.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

607. William Topping: 50 years of age, English. ChofEngl. Has been residing in Townships' of Toronto and Whitby for about 15 - years. He seeks admission in House of Industry. To be admitted for a time, until he is able to travel, being in a weak state of health at present.

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608. Elizabeth Sibbard: 35 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl. Married. husband a Tailor, gone to the States to look for work, having lost his Employment on account of his Wifes illness, having been obliged to stay at home and attend to the Children During the time his Wife was in Hospital, she is now at home but has lost the use of her feet. 5 Children, girl 10, girl 9. girl 6. Girl 5, and Boy 2 years of age. To have 12 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

Tuesday October 13th 1863.

Present Messrs. J. Doel & E. Hobson.

609. Mary Barber: applied for relief, to have a Loaf of Bread for the present.

610. Amelia Delaney: has been a patient in the General Hospital with Jaundice is now recovered, but still in a weak state of health, has no friends, seeks admission in House of Industry, she is a Widow, 58 years of age, Native of England, ChofEngl. To be admitted for a time until she gets stronger, and to make herself usefull when able.

611. Maria Pierpoint: to have a double ration of Tea, Sugar &etc. also 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly for one Month, on account of her daughter being laid up with the small pox. Mr. Hamilton visited and recommends.

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612. Margaret Adams: an Inmate unwilling to work, and well able to do so. Committee order that Superintendant dismiss her from the House, if she in future refuses to do the work allotted to her.

613. Mary Ann Johnston the Colored Child in Case 544 was taken out by the Mother, who goes by the name of Maria Mullen.

614. Mary Slattery: not Catharine, in Case 578, was taken out of the Institution by the Mother Margaret Slattery. Octbr. 16/63.

Friday October 16th, 1863

Present Messrs. J. Doel and E. Hobson

615. Catharine Campbell: see Case 538, was left on the Street with 6 of her Children, brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending her Case to be enquired into, the ages of the Children are as follows Girl 14 in Service and with her (the Mother) Girl 12. Boy 10. Boy 8. Boy 7. Boy 4 and Girl 2 1/2 years of age. The Weekly Committee refer the Case to General Board. To be allowed to remain in Outbuilding until then.

616. Patrick Lindsay: 46 years of age. Irish. Presbt. Has been an Inmate several Winters running, manages to make his living out during the Summer Months. Made application for admission during the coming Winter. To be admitted on condition that he take charge of the sick in Outbuilding, as he is not past work and in good health.

617. James Ferguson: aged 6 years, and Patrick aged 3 years, where sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Father having been sent Gaol for 2 Months as a Vagrant Octbr. 17th

618. A Colored Child about 3 years of age, named James Howard was sent here by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a Vagrant. Octbr 17th

619. William Close: in Case 603, left the Institution on his own account, on the 17th October last.

Tuesday 20th October 1863

Present Messrs. C. Robertson & T.P. Battersby

620. John Beatty: an Inmate, made complaint against Donald Robertson another Inmate for striking him with a Broom. Committee gave Robinson a reprimand.

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October 19th 1863

621. Strayed Colored Boy was sent here by the Police Magistrate having been taken up as a Vagrant, the same as in Case 510, was therefore sent back to the Boys Home.

622. Albert Polson: see Case 591, was taken out by the Party that brought him here. The Mother having called at their House to take him away. October 20th.

623. Sarah Watson: See Case 655 in 1862. She was taken out by her Mother who lives in Richmond St. and the Father is at work for the Corporation. Octbr. 20th.

Friday 23rd October 1863

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Present Mr. T.P. Battersby

No applications

Tuesday 27th October 1863

Present Messrs. J. Bugg, E. Hobson and Revd. E. Baldwin

624. James Walton: states to the Board that his Wife died last Sunday Morning, that his two older Children are taken in the Boys Home, his two younger Children 5 years and 18 Months all are still in his hands, says he is not able to provide for them, wishes to place them in House of Industry. The Committee considers that he is the proper party to take care of them, being a strong able Man, he is well known to Committee.

625. George French: 60 years of age. Single. Irish. ChofEngl. a Labourer. Has been for 15 years in Toronto and Vicinity, is now inform not able to earn his living, seeks admission into the Institution. To be admitted subject to Doctors examination. Left before he was cleared to be taken into the House.

626. William Connell: 56 years of age. Married. Irish. R.C. 2 Children. Girl 4 and Boy 3 years of age. The Wife is about 30 years of age, says that her husband is almost helpless and requires constant attendance. As there are no nurses in the Institution, and none of the Inmates able to give him that attention which he in his helpless state requires, the Committee consider it best to give them relief outside, instead of admitting him into the Institution. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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627. John McIntire: 58 years of age. Native of North of Ireland. Ch. of. Engl. Married. 3 Children. Girl 8. Girl 6 and Boy 4 years of age. The Man is unable to work, having an incurable Cancer on his lip. Visitor reports that they are destitute of every Comfort and recommends all the House can afford to give. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread for the present. Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin will see that some thing is done for them in regard of bedding.

628. Mary Ann Thompson: 35 Duchess St. upstairs. She was not at home when the Visitor called, but the Neighbours say she is a poor unfortunate creature, married a heartless skamp of a boy, and that he has left her 4 Months ago, supposed he has gone to the States. She has nothing to support herself with. The people upstairs allow her to stop with them out of charity since she came out of Lying in Hospital. Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee to dispose of. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

629. William Topping: in Case 607 died this Morning. Octbr. 28th

630. Catharine Campbell: in Case 615, was sent back to the Township of Digby as ordered by the General Board. Superintendent of the Northern Board gave a free pass for her and seven Children to Bell Ewart. She has [dollars] 2 from the Institution to help her on her way.

Friday 30th October 1863

Present Mr. E. Hobson

631. Three Children, Elizabeth McClean, George a deserted Child, and Charles Draper, were sent to General Hospital with small Pox. Catharine McClean the Mother of Elizabeth went along with them, with a view of making herself usefull as Nurse during their illness.

632. Robert Perry: 65 years of age. Native of Ireland. Presbt. Church. Was sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been found destitute and in bad health on the Streets.

633. Ellen O'Brian: 44 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. She has been a Outdoor Pensioner for some years. It appears she has no home, having been turned out of doors by the party she lived with. She is extremely filthy. Was sent by the Mayor, to have her Case investigated by the Committee.

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634. Mary Sergant: 49 years of age. Spinster. Irish. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends a full ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal & etc. on account of her being severely ill.

Tuesday 3rd November 1863

Present The Revd. H.J. Grasett & Mr. J. Tyner

635. Martha Deakin: 33 years of age. Married. English. ChofEngl. 4 Children, girl 7, Boy 5, girl 2 and Boy 8 Months old. Arrived from England in June last. Husband a Blacksmith, went to the States 3 Months ago to look for Employment, not heard from him since. Committee recommend. 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and refer Case to Visitor.

636. Elisa Rutledge: See Case 598. Applied to the Board for means to pay for expenses to the State of Ohio, where he husband is at work. Committee have no funds at their command to pay travelling expenses with, but will assist her until her husband can send for her.

637. Robert Perry and Ellen O'Brien: Case 623 and 633, allowed to remain in the Outbuilding and to be cared for there.

638. Robert Perry in above Case died this day (Novbr. 3rd) about 1 OClock P.M.

639. John Chamberlain 80 years of age. (See his admittance in Case 238 in 1856) died this Morning at 1 OClock A.M.

640. Agnes Parker: in Case 593. She came to the House for readmission after the Committee had broke up and left. Allowed her to remain until Friday, when her Case can be brought before the Board. She is now in the last stage of Consumption not able to walk.

641. Ellen O'Brien: 44 years of age. See Case 635. Died this morning. Novbr. 5th.

642. Catharine McClean: and the 3 Children (in Case 631) who were sent to General Hospital, came back to this Institution today, Nobr. 5th. The Disease it appears was not the Smallpox, but some other eruption, called Chicken Pox.

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Friday 6th November 1863

No Committee present.

643. Margaret Wright: No. 46 Centre Street. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Spinster. 36 years of age, came from the States with her Brother, who is in Consumption, and a drunkard, he left her with his two Children, and went back to the States, sends her no money, she suspects that he spends all on drink. The Children are girls 4 and 5 years of age. Visitor was informed she is a well conducted industrious Woman. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

644. Sara Atree: in Case 575, died this day Novbr. 8th at half past five P.M. it appears that Atree was not her proper name but Sarah Fielder, a Name well known in the Police Court.

Tuesday 10th November 1863

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and R. Cathcart

645. James Nealey: 22 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Lame on one side. Has been an Inmate for several years during Winter Months, seeks admission for this Winter, the Mother who is not able to keep him will have to appear before the Board, who are of opinion that she ought to pay something to the House, to help to support her Son. To be admitted in the mean time.

646. Agnes Urquhart: is desirous of having a female Child 9 Months old, admitted into the Institution, it was left with her to Nurse, by a Girl who was confined at the Lying in Hospital, and went afterwards to Mrs. Southern at Yorkville, to live as Nurse, but cleared out from there and has not been heard from since. Committee cannot admit the Child, as the question about Children being so left has been often discussed, but in consideration of being a very industrious Woman, and a Widow with 5 young Children, they will give her assistance, to have 12 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and a half Ton of Coal now. See her Case in Minute 762 in 1862.

647. Mary Wilson: 34 years of age, English. ChofEngl. Spinster. But has a Child (girl) 4 years old, and is in the familiar way again, wants to give her Child up to the House, has been living in the Country back of Hamilton, came to Toronto 2 months ago. Committee consider she is quite able to provide for her child, advise that she place it out, and work for it.

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648. James Coulton: 31 years of age. Native of Yorkshire, England. ChofEngl. Labourer, about 10 years in Toronto, has not been able to earn his living for a long time. Lungs affected, was in Hospital 5 Months. Recommended by Mr. Homer Dixon, who has also paid for his Board outside for some time. Admitted, and to see the Doctor.

Friday 13th Novbr. 1863

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Cathcart

649. Elisa Nealey: the Mother of James in Case 645, says that she has no regular means, works mostly for her Board, therefore not able to pay anything for the support of her Son.

650. Sarah Ogden: 36 years of age, Married, no Children, husband in Gaol on suspicion of having enticed two Soldiers to desert, is a stranger in Toronto, has nothing to support herself with. Committee considers it would be best for her to come in the House for a time, until her husband's Case is settled, when she can either go with her husband or take a place.

Tuesday 17 Novbr. 1863

Present Revd. Mr. S. Givins & Mr. Gilmor

651. Sarah McDonnell: Spinster, 25 years of age, Irish, R.C. was formerly an Inmate of this Institution (See Case 460 in [1862]) Mr. R. Gilmor made application on her behalf for her readmission into the House. To be admitted, on the understanding that she make herself useful, and if ever she leaves again on her own account, not to be admitted again. Subject to Doctors Examination.

652. James Irwin: an Inmate left the House with the intention of going in the Country to look for work (he is blind)

Friday 20th Novbr. 1863

Present. Revd. Mr. S. Givins

653. Bridget Walker: No. 31 John St. says that Mary Barber an old out door Pensioner who lives with her, is very sick, and is desirous of being admitted in House of Industry. Doctor to visit, and if a suitable Case to be admitted.

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Novbr. 20th 1863

654. Mary Gallagher: No. 132 Richmond St. West, aged 50 years. Irish. R.C. Married, her husband she says is in Hamilton. She has been confined 2 days ago, besides the infant she has five more Children, Boy 7, boy 5, girl 3, and Boy 18 Months old. Only applied for assistance for one week. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week for two Weeks, and some rations of Sugar, Tea and Oatmeal, a few sticks of fire Wood if there is any. To have 2 [pounds] Sugar, 1/4 [pounds] Tea, and 4 [pounds] of Oatmeal.

655. Henry Gibson: a Man about 90 years of age, a resident, has been for some years past supported by his grandchildren. Mr. Coate of Wakefield & Coate applied on his behalf, having two of the old Mans granddaughters living with him as Servants. It appears old Gibson is very feebly and not able to get about, wish therefore to have him admitted in House of Industry. To be admitted. Irish Presbt. Church

656. Charles Drass: and George, a deserted Child. See Case 442, has to send them to General Hospital, as they broke out with small pox. No mistake this time.

657. A Male Child (Colored) about 7 Months old, was sent here about 11 OClock P.M. by the Mayor, having been found by the Police at the door of Dr. Campbell on Bay Street. In the Morning it was

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recognized by some of the Inmates as the Child of Mary Ann Ryan, who was lately a patient at the General Hospital. A Colered Man Named Lafferty in Tobicoke [Etobicoke] is supposed to be the Father of the Child. The girl Ryan having lived with him as Servant. Gave all the Information I could gather to the Police at No. 2 Station, who send [sent] Detective Cavanagh in search.

658. Henry Gibson: in Case 655 died this day (Novbr. 23) at half past four OClock P.M. of general debility

Tuesday 24th Novbr. 1863

Present Mr. E. Hobson

659. Margaret Eaton: made application for Coal. No Coal yet.

660. Mary Barber: in Case 653. Dr. Ogden called at the House, but she had left there on Saturday, and the people could not tell where she had gone.

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Novbr. 25th 1863

661. Mary Ann and Margaret Jane Murphy is Case 546, were taken out of the Institution on last Saturday by the Mother, were sent back by the Police Magistrate, the Mother having been sent to Gaol again for one Month, for being drunk.

662. David Stuart: an Inmate, had leave to go out has not returned. Came back Dec. 1st.

Friday. Novbr. 27th 1863

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Revd. Dr. Barclay

663. Catherine Potts: made application for relief. Committee consider it to be too early to put people in the permanent list.

664. Edward Burns: 69 years of age. Irish R.C. has been frequently in the House as an Inmate, seeks admission again. To be admitted on condition that he not be allowed if run about the Street begging.

665. John Irwin: 65 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. See Case 594. Made application for admission, when in the House before he behaved very bad to some of the sick of whom he had charge, and was always

unwilling to make himself the least useful. The Committee will therefore not admit him at present. But he may remain in the Outbuilding for a time, and if he behaves himself, might be admitted after a time.

666. Mary Boyle: No. 57 Bishop St. 34 years of age. Husband gone to the States, where is at work at [dollars] 1,25 [cents] per day, expects to get some Money from him about Christmas. Badly off at present. 7 Children, girl 12, boy 10, girl 8, boy 7, boy 5, Boy 3 and Boy 1 year old. Irish R.C. To be visited.

667. George one of the Children in Case 656, died to day at the General Hospital of Small Pox. See his admission in Case 486 in 18{illegible}

668. Agnes Parker: in Case 640 died this day (Novbr. 29th) of Consumption.

669. Rose Tracey: applied for relief. To have some Soup, and a Loaf of Bread for the present.

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Tuesday 1st December 1863

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor and R. Woodsworth

670. Margaret Cummerford: Aged 37. Native of Ireland and Member of English Church, in Toronto for the last 13 years, is suffering from Laryngeal Phthisis and being considered incurable is ^turned^ out of General Hospital, as she has no friends, and is not able to earn her Living, she wishes to become an Inmate in this Institution. Dr. Gardner who has known her for some time recommends her highly as a very respectable Woman and hopes she will be admitted. Admitted.

671. Ann Wilson: applied for relief, to call in about two Weeks time. She sells Apples & etc. about the Market and gets a living, having only herself and one Child.

672. Mary Shea: applied for relief, to bring her Number and to be assisted, and to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present.

673. James Murray: 27 Cedar [Cedar] Street, west off Dundas Street. To be visited and have a Loaf for the present and Soup next Thursday if he likes to call for it.

674. John Aldridge: in Case 485, had leave to go and visit his friends in the County. Returned this day, Debr. 2nd.

675. James and Patrick Ferguson: in Case 617 were given up to their Parents who brought a Note from Police Magistrate to that effect. Debr. 2nd.

676. James Irwin: in Case 652, returned this day (Debr 2nd) to the Institution not being able to procure Employment on account of his affliction (Blindness)

677. Caroline Ryan: an old Out door Pensioner for many years. 102 years of age, is getting very feeble, respectable Woman, applied for a ration of Sugar, Tea & etc.

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678. William Wilkinson: 171 Duke St. there is no such Number in Duke St. Visitor thinks the highest Number 111 or 113.

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Present Revd. Dr. Read & Mr. R. Gilmor

679. Alexander Beatty: No. 86 George St. Irish. ChofEngl. 63 years old, a delicate Man not fit for work, Wife about 55 nearly blind, a girl aged 12 years. They are clean and tidy, appear to be deserving of relief, and very poor. Visitor recommends them 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal when given out, and Soup.

680. Mary Shea: 21 Melinda St. (in Case 672) Married aged 40. Husband 48. 3 Children, boy 6, girl 4 and boy 1 year and 8 Months old. ChofEngl. and came lately from Halifax, Nova Scotia, being strangers they can not get Employment. Although our rules are against such Cases as this, still Visitor would recommend them for relief, as they are entirely destitute. 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Soup for present.

681. James Murray: (in Case 673) 27 Cedar [Cedar]Street. Has a Wife and four Children, girl 10 years, 2 Boys 8 & 9 respectively, and a girl 1 year, Arrived in Canada from Manchester (England) in August. Has been about 3 Weeks in Toronto, and is unable to get more than an occasional days Work. a weaver by trade. Hous [house] is very poor and without furniture. Family seem very badly off. ChofEngl. Recommended for fuel. Bread and soup. to have 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Soup.

682. Ellen Cradicott: to have Soup for the present. Cannot be placed on the Bread list for sometime to come.

683. Mary Daly: to have a loaf of Bread for the present and Soup if she likes to come for it.

684. May Gillan: to have 4 quarts of Soup for the present.

685. George Langley: aged 7 years, has been discharged from the Hospital as an incurable, disease in the hip joint. The Mother Mary Langley has also been in Hospital, but is now in Lying in Hospital where she was confined for another baby. Says her husband was killed by the fall of a Tree at Killross near Goderich, that the Farmers there have undertaken to bring her 3 oldest Children up amongst them, aged 12, 9 and 6 respectively, is promised a place for the Winter for herself and Baby if she can get the

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685. sick Boy from Hospital admitted in House of Industry. Admitted. Irish. Presbt. Church.

686. Margaret Hall: Native of Ireland, Member of English Church. Married, but deserted by her husband. Has been a resident for Many years, 44 years of age, in feeble health, and no home, the people with whom she lived turned her out of doors on account of her not being able to pay her rent. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall (Who knows her) for admission in House of Industry.

687. John Kelly: in Case 403 1/2 was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admission, having been arrested by the Police as a pauper. Aged 90. Shoemaker by trade. Native of England. Methodist Church.

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Present The Revd. Chas. Carruthers & E.H. Rutherford, Esqr.

688. Margaret Hall: in Case ^686^ to be admitted for the Winter.

689. John Kelly: in Case 687. To be admitted on condition that he has to make himself useful, and if ever he leaves the House again on his own account, not to be admitted again.

690. Ellen Courtney: Irish R.C. 50 years of age. Husband has left her, has one child, Boy 7 years of age. Lives at No. 12 Duchess Street, with old people who peddle fish. Visitor recommends a little Bread & Soup. To be allowed Soup now, and Bread in about 2 Weeks time.

691. William Turner: 136 Duke Street, up Stairs, East Corner of Berkely St. English. ChofEngl. 63 years of age. Wife 60. Appear very poor, and the Wife is not in very good health, but they appear clean and tidy, and Visitor considers them deserving of relief. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Soup daly [daily]. Coal when given out.

692. Ellen Cradicott in Case 682 made application again, the last decision cannot be altered.

693. Ann Ryan: 22 years of age, 3 Months from Ireland, has something the Matter with her Eye, seeks admission, allowed to go to the Sisters who have a place for such Girls until they go to Service.

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694. Sarah Smith: 28 years of age. English. ChofEngl. from Manchester where she worked in the Cotton Mills. Has been 3 Months out. No family. Says her husband came to Canada some time ago, sent for her to meet him at Toronto, when she arrived here he had gone, not heard from him since. Revd. Mr. Givins recommended her as a fit Case, thinks she is not strong, and rather weak minded. Weekly Committee will allow her to stay until this day week, when her Case is to be brought before the General Board.

695. Julia Monk: to have some Soup for herself and family.

696. Bridget McCarty: the same as in Case 564, was again sent to the Institution by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a Vagrant by the Police last night. Debr. 9th

697. Ann Pettit: Adelaide St. Visitor recommends the same allowance of Bread as last season also Soup and fuel when distributed. See her Case 241. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Soup.

698. Cathr. Sullivan: No. 97 Richmond St. east. 27 years of age. Widow. Irish. R.C. one Child 14 Months old. Visitor thinks her respectable and worth of relief. See her Case in 1862. 812.

699. Ann Campbell: same House as above. Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. No encumbrance, and no one to provide for but herself, seems respectable. Visitor leaves the Case to Committee.

700. Mary Fisher: Widow. American. Methodist Church. 33 years of age. Lives at 70 Richmond St. east, two Children. Boy 6, girl 7. Mrs. Fisher was run over by a horse, and severely injured which prevents her from going out earning her living, her Boy had his foot scalded. Visitor recommends her as one deserving of assistance. 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Soup.

701. Bridget McCarty: in Case 696, absconded by getting over the Fence the same day she was sent here.

702. ~~Ann~~ Ellen Gleason: Lane South of St. Georges Church. Is a Widow about 38 years of age. Has seven Children, 4 Boys aged 17, 13, 6, & 1 1/2 years respectively, and 3 girls 8 and Twins 4 years. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends fuel, Bread, & Soup. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Soup, fuel when given out.

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Present Messrs. E. H. Rutherford & E. Hobson

703. Mary Tracy: 485 Richmond St. west. A Widow about 30 years of age. Lives up stairs with a Mrs. Connell who has relief from the House already. Tracy has two Children, a boy 6 and a girl 8 years old. Obtains two days work in the Week, the only means of subsistence. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread & Soup. To have Soup now and Bread after Christmas.

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704. Ellen Siddons: 485 Richmond St. west. 50 years of age. Her husband is a Pensioner but unable to work. She herself has 3 or 4 days work in the week. Siddons appears to be the proprietor of the establishment, having Tracy & Connell upstairs tenants. The three families however use the same kitchen in common. Visitor leaves the Committee to grant whatever relief they think proper under the circumstances. Irish. R.C. Husband English. ChofEngl. Committee consider they ought to do without relief, the husband having a pension of 1/ [shilling] a day, and the Wife able to work.

705. Phoebe Burnett: rere of No. 5 Richmond St. w. Visitor called twice, but she was from home.

706. Ann Reardon: rere of 87 Richmond St. W. Irish. R.C. Married. Aged 29. Husband in Gaol. 4 Children, girl 10, boy 8, boy 5 and baby 4 Months. They have a wretched place, and want all that can be given them, and then (Visitor thinks) it is doubtfull if it will do them any permanent good. Leaves the Committee to judge this Case.

707. Ellen Mooney: 132 Richmond St. w. Her husband in the American Army, so says she. But has not heard, or received assistance from him. She is 26 years of age, has two Children, girl 7, boy 5, and near her Confinement with another. Visitor leaves the Committee to judge, has no great relish himself supporting the American Army in any way. Lives rent free. ChofEngl. Committee will allow Soup for the present.

708. Cathr. Sullivan: in case 698, to have Soup for the present.

709. Ann Nolan: Wife of John Nolan, to have Soup daly [daily], and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly on account of her husband's affliction.

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710. Ann Tyner: 87 McMahan St. English. Methodist. 39 years of age, she is in a very poor state of health. Husband 38 years, was Porter in Lyman's Store, about 8 weeks ago had a stroke of Paralysis, and is unfit for any work. 4 Children at home, the eldest a boy 12 years of age works in Lymans Store. Boy 10, boy 4 and girl 8 years of age. Mr. Thom would recommend 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and the Hon. Mr. Allan to visit after a while. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread & Soup.

711. Anne Chapman: about 12 years of age. Canadian. R.C. See Case 428. Was sent by Mr. Richard Gates who recommends her for admission. She came out of Gaol yesterday, her Mother and Sister are there now, her two Brothers are in the Penitentiary.

712. Margaret Smith: 96 Albert St. English. Methodist Church. 36 years of age, in very bad health. One daughter 11 years of age, husband left her 8 years ago, only heard from him once, since he left. Mrs. Smith is a very respectable Woman. To have full allowance of Tea, Sugar & etc. and 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

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713. Richard King: 113 Elizabeth St. See report of former years to, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread a week and Soup.

714. Mary Harris: 215 Elizabeth St. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Soup.

715. Elizabeth Neal: rere of 17 Agnes St. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Soup.

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Present, The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson

716. Ann Cooper: No. 30 Wellesley St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. 51 years of age, works at washing & sewing, says she is not in good health. 3 Children, boy 15, boy 17, girl 19, the eldest girl works at a Brush factory, and earns about [dollars] 2 a Week. The eldest Boy is out of Work. The youngest is at work but scarcely keeps himself. Visitor thinks they ought to support themselves. Appears a clean respectable Woman.

717. Elizabeth Goodship: 32 Edward St. English. ChofEngl. Widow 37 years of age. Daughter 20, says is in bad health, but has not that appearance. Visitor thinks that they should support themselves. Cannot recommend.

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718. Mary Burrill: 56 Edward Street. English. ChofEngl. Married. 29 years of age. 4 Children, boy 8, girl 7, girl 3 years of age and a Boy 5 Months old. Says her husband is in bad health, was out to work when the Visitor called, the House and Children are very dirty, have lived in Hamilton, Guelph, and Buffalo, has been in Toronto a few Weeks, appear to wander about from place to place. Might be allowed Soup.

719. Matilda Robinson: 96 Bishop St. Her husband is very old and infirm, quite unable to work. She has to support the family Four Children at home, 3 girls, 11, 9, 7 and 1 boy 5 years old. Another daughter in bad health aged 15 sometimes stays with her. Canadian. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

720. Sarah Harris: 131 Bishop St. Invalided by Rheumatism; her husband is a perfect paralytic, as is now apparently at the point of death. Keeps one poor Cow where yield is two pence worth of Milk per day besides a little for family use. Has two girls, one 15 who does the House work, and another 5 years old, and two boys 9 and 3 years respectively. The family are in a very wretched state. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup.

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721. Catharine Prince: lives in a small House in College Street. Her husband is in prison, and will be there until Spring. The five Children 3 boys 10, 9, 7 1/2 respectively and 2 girls 7 & 5 years. The mother has to support them entirely, which she tries to do by sewing. Is a sober industrious Woman. Recommended for fuel, Bread & Soup.

722. Mary Gray: Lane of William St. west (South side). Is a Widow (for the last 10 Months). Has 3 Children at home, a boy 7 years old, and 2 girls 5 & 3. Lives by washing, scrubbing & etc. Her house is small but tolerable neat & Comfortable. A Son 23 years old and a girl 15 are out at work and give her occasional assistance. Irish. R.C. Recommended for fuel, bread and Soup.

720. Jane Burns: Lane South of St. Georges Church. Is a Widow aged about 26. Has two Children, a boy 5 and a girl 3. Takes Lodging with a Mrs. Leary who has apparently a comfortable place. Used to have plenty of work, but is now unable to do much, owing to a sore leg. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread & Soup. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly & Coal when given out.

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724. Margaret Lennon: Top of Spadina Avenue opposite Judge Wilsons, is a Widow and lives with another Widow, Susan Woods, both being without Children. Lennon is unable to work & Woods though willing to do what she can, is not able to realize much, both quite and steady Women. Visitor recommends that relief be given to each – fuel, bread & Soup.

725. Elizabeth Donohoe: 96 Ontario St. west. Is a Widow with an infant in arms (a posthumous Child) on account of which she is unable to do much work. Has four other Children, 3 girls 10, 8 and 6 years respectively, and one Boy 4 years. Two other boys sell books on the Cars, but cannot realize much Money. Irish. R.S. Recommended for fuel, bread & Soup.

726. Sarah Wilks: a respectable Woman with five Children the oldest a Boy of 11 years. Her husband left her some Months ago for the States, and she has heard nothing of him since August. Revd. Mr. Ploughman recommends her for a little assistance in Coal and Bread to help her through the Winter.

727. Sarah Tomly: Widow aged 40. Irish. R.C. five Children. Girl 14 at Service, girl 10, boy 8, girl 6, and girl 4 at home. Lives on York St. in a Shanty next to the one at the Corner on Front St. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and Coal when given out.

728. Catharine Hunt: rere of 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. Widow aged 43. 3 Children, girl 7, two boys twins age 4. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, Soup daly [daily], and Coal at the proper time.

729. Sarah Johnson: Irish. ChofEngl. Married, husband entirely helpless. Four Children, girl 12, girl 10, boy 6 and a baby 22 Months. Visitor recommends all the Committee can afford to give them.

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730. Ann Mouldy: ChofEngl.I. Married. Lately from Belville, aged 30, husband 31, 3 Children, boy 8, girl 4, baby 19 Months, can't get work. She is a good Tailores, and the Man willing to work. Visitor recommends their Case to the Committee.

731. Elizabeth Crawford: No. 5 Richmond St. W. ChofEngl. Irish. Aged 60. Widow. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times, some Soup. gets bread.

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732. Ellen Gallagher: Irish. R.C. Widow. No. 311 Queen St. east. An old Pensioner in the House. Makes a little money by huckstering during the Summer Months, a decent contented little lady. She is willing to wait until Christmas week, when Visitor recommends her for a little Coal and a small allowance of Bread during January and February.

733. Ellen Kerr: rere of No. 8 Power St. Irish. R.S. Widow. An old pensioner also, but the very reverse of Mrs. Gallagher in disposition, being as peevish and discontented as the former is cheery and contented. There is no doubt however that she is in miserable health, and not being fit for service, except perhaps as a Charwoman occasionally and such needlework as she can do, being not easily obtained. Visitor thinks she ought to be allowed fuel at all events during the Winter Months. She is most in need of firing, but a little Bread say at Christmas and perhaps during January might be also allowed her.

734. Ann Cook: Next door to Parkinsons Waggon Shop on Duchess St. Husband and five Children. Boy 10, Boy 8, Boy 6, girl 4, and girl 5 Months. Husband works at the Wharves unloading vessels, is now laid up with a bruised hand, and cannot do anything at present. Visitor fears that the Whiskey Bottle has had a good deal to do with their poverty, but just at the moment there is no doubt that he could not make use of his hand, and with their large Familie, his being out of work even for a short time brings them all in to great trouble. Whatever relief given however should be temporary, and the Case referred to Visitor again.

735. Eliza Littledale: House in rear of Parkinsons, same as above. Irish. R.C. Husband away in the States, has two Children, boy 4, girl 2 and is expected to be confined almost immediately. Visitor thinks she might have a small allowance of Bread now, and have some Coal sent to her about the time she expects her confinement.

736. Nancy Mitchell: living at 122 Duke Street, a very decent respectable Woman, whose Case was reported upon for the last two Winters, is applying again for fuel for this Winter. Visitor would be glad if same could be sent to her, as soon as it is given out. She never applies until she is really in need.



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737. William Wilkinson: 117 Duke St. English. ChofEngl. Married. Only out from England some four or five Months, is a Mechanic from Manchester, worked in Hamiltons foundry when he first came out, is a nut and bolt maker, has not been able to obtain Employment for several Weeks, is willing to saw Wood or do anything for a living. Appears to be a decent respectable man. If any work could be given him at the House, he might be paid in Bread & Coal.

738. Bridget Eagan: Irish. R.C. No. 88 George St. Widow. 2 Children. Husband dead about 2 Months formerly lived in the Country at Ingersoll, near Woodstock. She was not in when Visitor called but learned the above from the Children who were at home, was out scrubbing or Washing. Visitor considers the Case as deserving of relief.

739. Ann Young: Lane in rere of 148 Richmond St. west. Aged 66. English. Widow. ChofEngl. Has five children, but only one at home, a Daughter 24 years of age, far gone in Consumption. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coall when given out, likewise an allowance of Sugar, Tea & etc. and Soup.

740. Elizabeth Godfrey: 12 years of age. Canadian. ChofEngl. she was sent by George Boomer, Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] It appears the girl came from Whitby to day (Debr 16th) where she had been in place and ran away. Says that her father is wandering about somewhere crazy, and her Mother left her. ChofEngl..

741. Mary Keating: 470 Queen St. west. Was out when Visitor called, but he learned from a Neighbour that she lives up stairs with some friends, her husband being in the States. She has two Children (boys) 5 & 3 years old. Lives by washing scrubbing & etc., but can get very little work else would not ask for relief. Irish R.C. Recommended for fuel Bread & Soup.

742. Bridget Leary: Lane South of Georges Church No. 22. The Woman with whom Jane Burns lives who was recommended to the Consideration of the House last Week. Her husband a Labourer out of Employment. Wife works at washing & etc., Has two boys, 8 & 4 years old and two girls, 5 years and two Months old. Not at home when Visitor called, but he cannot make out that she is a very great object of Charity. Left to the Consideration of the Weekly Committee.

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743. Mary Gormly: Lane off William St. Lives in a single room up stairs, a Widow 40 years old, afflicted with rheumatic pains, for last two years, and unable to support herself. Has two Boys 8 & 6 years of age. No relatives in this County to help her. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for fuel bread & Soup.

744. Elizabeth Hamill: 29 Nassau Street, a Widow 22 years of age. Supports herself by nursing, has two Children to nurse, for one of whom 3 years old she can get but little from the Father. The second Child she has not had for a Week. Of her own she has 4 Children, 2 girls 12 & 10 and 2 Boys 8 and 5 years. a sober quiet Woman. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup.

745. Mary Murray: No. 3 William St. west. Not at home when Visitor called. A widow about 40 years of age. Lodges with a Mrs. Hopkins, has no Children, lives partly by begging and partly by working. Not spoken highly of by Visitors informant. Irish R.C. Left to the Committee

746. Catharine Thompson: West Market Square. A Widow 45 years old. Has one girl 7 years old, supports herself by sewing. Generally has a good share of Employment, but hard to get along. A Nova Scotian. Presbyterian Church. Recommended for fuel.

747. Elizabeth Smith: 28 Frederick St. up Stairs, Widow 3 years. From Kings Co. Ireland, 8 years ago. 1 Child, girl 17 at Service. R.C. Wants Coal & Bread, which Visitor recommends at discretion of the Committee.

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Present, Revd. Mr. Ellerby, Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson

748. John Shaw: English. ChofEngl. Married. 52 years of age. No Children. Labourer but a very poor worker. Visitor was informed by Mr. Carroll where he had been working for a short time, that he was not able to do more than half the work other Men would do. His Wife canes Chairs, but has no work. Recommended for Soup until there is Wood to cut, when he might cut some.

749. Mary McLean: 8 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Widow 39 years of age, one Son in the American Army, but sends her no money. Says she goes out as Charwoman, when she can get work. But Visitor thinks she is like many others, would rather have no work. To have Coal after New Year with Hinchey in the next Case.

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750. Johanna Hinchey: No. 8 Terauly St. ~~Widow 57 years of age.~~ lives same room as McLean in Case 749. Irish. R.C. Married. 38 years of age. 1 girl 7 years of age. Charwoman, husband went to the States two years ago since which time she has not heard from him. this account the Visitor had from McClean. Thinks both Cases ought to support themselves, which they could easily do if they were industrious. Coal with Case in 749, and Soup.

751. Ann Spelling: 17 Elizabeth St. and Mary the Mother in Law 57 years of age. Ann the daughter in Law has four Children, boy 6, girl 8, girl 3 and girl 1 year old, husband went to the States some Months ago after selling a Coat entrusted to him to make, so he not likely to return very soon. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, Coal & Soup.

752. Mary Madigan: 16 Queen St. west ^R.C.^ See her report of last year. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week & Coal.

753. Mary McQuinn: 365 Adelaide St. w. a respectable Woman with two young Children, the eldest a Boy about 8. The husband is at present away from her seeking work, and is unable to assist her needs if at all. Wants Coal.

754. Rose Tracey: 487 Richmond St. west. Husband unable to do hard work owing to injured arm. They earn a little by rag picking. No Children, want Coal and Bread.

755. Bridget Connell: 485 Richmond St. west. Husband sick in bed, and has been ill for some Months. No Children. Miserable pair and the Woman looks as if she drank hard, want Bread & Coal.

756. Mary Daly: 485 Richmond St. west. Husband has been about in the States for the last 4 Months, gives nothing towards her support. 3 Children oldest 9 years old. Washes and does odd jobs. Wants Bread & Coal.

787. Sarah Coldread: 365 Adelaide St. west. Widow with no Children and no relations in Toronto, suffers from asthma and weak eyes, and is unable to do much work even if she could get it. Wants Bread & Coal.

758. Sarah Smith: in Case 694, allowed to go out and look for a place, and to leave the House on Wednesday next, for insubordination.

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759. Jane Curran: who lives in the same House as Coldread in Case 758. She is at present ill in bed, and is unable to apply for herself. She has been accustomed for some time to receive Coal and Bread from the House of Industry. No Children. Not able to do anything for her support.

760. Ann Sawtell: 37 Nassau St. an old Widow aged 72, lives alone, is now very infirm owing to a dislocated ancle [ankle] received seven Weeks ago. Recommended for Coal in adition [addition] to the Soup and Bread she already receives.

761. William Merritt: an old Man in bad health, unable to work much owing to a rupture received years ago. Has a Wife who is old and inform quite unable to do anything, but no Children. Lives now in Bathurst St. but intends removing in a few days to a small House off College St. immediately opposite Mr. G. A. Barbers one door West of St. Stephens Church, where he would wish the Coal sent, which Visitor recommends.

762. Sophie Wilcox: 249 Queen St. west, a very old woman who tries to support herself and husband by making Band Boxes, her husband being old and rheumatic, her Son's when in Employment help her a little altho [although] married themselves with families. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup.

763. Robert. J. Simpson: 10 years of age. Canadian. ChofEngl. says his father went to the States is a Cooper by trade, his mother died 5 Months ago, a Teamster brought the Boy from Berwick where his parents had been living. Was sent here by Police Magistrate, having been arrested by the Police as a Vagrant.

764. Sarah Latham: 38 years of age, says she is a Widow. Native of Ireland, says she belongs to Tobicoke [Etobicoke], seeks admission, to be allowed to remain in the Outbuilding for a few days.

765. Emma Williams (Colered): 16 years of age. From Yorkville, was brought here by Mr. McNab, County Attorney. He wishes her to be taken care of. She is one of the Witnesses in the trial of the supposed Murder of John Innocent or George of Yorkville.

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766. Elizabeth Sibbard [Sibbald]: in Case 608. She has two of her Children in the Public Nursery, girls aged 9 and 6. She is very badly off and Visitor recommends that she and her remaining 3 Children should be taken into the House, expects her husband back in a Month or so. Admitted.

767. Maria Pierpoint: Canadian, ChofEngl. Widow about two years, aged 40. Lives on Shuter St. opposite Butts Blacksmith Shop. A girl 15, 2 Boys 9 and 8 respectively. Looks clean and tidy. Recommended for Bread & Coal.

768. Bridget Flinn: aged 27 years. Irish. R.C. says her husband is away in the States, not seen him for 3 years. 3 girls aged 10, 8 & 5. Dirty and unthrifty looking. 33 Stanley St.

769. Bridget Mulloy: Irish. R.C. Husband dead 2 years. 3 Boys 11, 9 and 6 years respectively very different above Case. Visitor thinks Mrs. Mulloy industrious, and anxious to help herself and family.

770. Mary Wilson: 29 Stanley St. not known there, Visitor cannot find her.

771. Catharine Martin: No. 7 Wood St. Irish. R.C. Widow for 5 years. 3 daughters 20, 12 and 10 respectively. The oldest away from home. Husband dead since last Summer. Very wretched and dirty.

772. Mary Cooper: No. 98 Ann Street. Irish. R.C. Widow for 5 years. 2 girls 9 & 6. One boy 5 years. A very worth Woman, very clean everything about speaking care and frugality with the utmost industry.

773. Ann Carr: Church St. above Carlson. Irish. R.C. Widow. Aged 40. 5 Children, Boys 20, 17 and 12. Girls 16 & 14. This Woman has the right Leg cut off, and has to labour under the difficulty of Lameness, consequently not able to do anything but sew. Visitor recommends above seen case for Coal and Bread according to their number.

774. Ellen Kearns: 54 1/2 Richmond St. west. There is no such Number in said Street, and no such person about there.

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775. Mary Hull: 69 Boulton St. Married aged 62. Husband 67. No Children he does a little work at painting and paper hanging, cant get much to do. Visitor recommends Coal 5 times and 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week for the season & Soup.

776. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Spinster cant tell how old she is, say 60. Irish. R.C. has no person but herself. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal not more than 3 times during the season, and Soup.

777. Jane McIntee: 140 York St. ChofEngl. Widow. Aged 44. Has two Children, girl 12 and girl 7. Her foot is badly hurt, and cannot do much work, and not able to seek for it Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, Soup and Coal for the season.

778. Mary Boucher 132 Richmond St. west. Irish. R.C. Widow aged 94 years. She gets bread. I recommend Coal say 3 times for the season & Soup and a little Tea, Sugar & etc. as long as she is confined to her bed.

779. Mary Henry: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 42. Has no Children but she is always delicate in health. Recommended to 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal three times during the season.

780. Phoebe Burnett: rere of No. 5 Richmond St. Widow. ChofEngl. this person has no Claim on the Institution according to the rules has been only about 3 Months in this City. If the Committee could give her some fuel, she has no incumberance.

781. Mary Morris: 261 Richmond St. w. Widow aged 60. Irish. R.C. has no Children at home, no one to depend on for support. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal 3 times during the season.

782. Emma Winter: No. 97 Richmond St. west. Has been recommended highly by the Revd. Mr. Darling as a person worthy of being assisted. She is 35 years of age. Native of England. ChofEngl. Married has 3 Children, and near her confinement. Girl 9, girl 6 and boy 2 1/2. Deserted by her husband. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Coal & Soup for the season.

783. Elizabeth Langly: Married. Has 3 young Children, husband left for the States. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Ploughman.

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Present Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & E. Hobson

784. Mary Gillan: Husband a Labourer, 40 years old, has been sick five Weeks, 2 Children 4 & 8 years. Recommended.

785. Mary Coulter: and her husband, live at No. 80 Stanley St.

786. Bridget Hunt: Widow with 3 Children, girl 12, boy 5 & Boy 1, herself 35 years of age. Irish. R.C.

787. Ellen Fletcher: 73 Richmond St. an old Pensioner.

788. Catherine Allan: Widow with 2 Children Boy 7 and girl 4.

789. Ann Richmond: 99 Stanley St. 40 years of age, husband 70. 5 Children. Boy 12. Girl 10, girl 9. Boy 5 and boy 3. Irish. R.C.

790. Ann Dunn: Widow 40 years of age. Irish R.C. 3 Children, girl 10, girl 9 and Boy 7.

791. Cathr. Smith: Widow aged 35. Irish. R.C. one children 6 years old.

792. Mary Sullivan: aged 30. 4 Children. Girl 9. Boy 6. Boy 4. Baby 1 Week. Married. Irish. R.C. recommended. Husband drinks.

793. May Carroll: 77 Stanley St. Widow with 3 Children. Girl 6. Boy 3 and boy 17 Months. Irish. R.C.

794. Mary Croney [Cronin]: 77 Stanley St. Widow 40 years of age. 2 Children. Boy 16 and girl 12. Irish. R.C.

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795. Mary Leonard: Widow 3 Children, Boy 8. Boy 5 and boy 3 Months. Irish. ChofEngl.

796. Bridget O'Brien: aged 45. Husband went to the States four years ago, and Boy 9 years old. Irish. R.C.

797. Mary Ann Doyle: aged 34. No. 66 Stanley St. Husband went in the Country 5 Weeks ago. 3 Children. Boy 4. Girl 3 and one girl 14 Months. Irish. R.C.

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798. Sarah Linch: 91 Stanley St. Widow aged 40. 3 Children girl 9. Girl 6 and girl 4. Irish. R.C.

799. Margaret Sweeney: Widow aged 45. 70 Stanley St. one Boy 12 years old. Irish. R.C.

800. Mary Kerr: or Martha. 77 Stanley St. Widow aged 64. Irish. ChofEngl.

801. Margt. McCarty: 83 Stanley St. Widow aged 40. Irish. R.C. Susanna Martin the daughter of the above aged 20 years, with

802. a Baby 3 or 4 days old, husband went to the States about 7 Months ago. Irish R.C. Recommended.

803. Elizabeth Langley: in want of assistance, is the Mother of three young Children, husband left her for the States. See Case 783.

804. Margaret Fitzpatrick: Widow with four Children, a respectable hard working Woman, as has for some time been accustomed to receive assistance from the House. Revd. Mr. Ploughman has frequently assisted her and thinks her deserving. Wants Coal and Bread for the Winter.

805. Sophia Munroe: 71 Bishop St. a poor Widow 42 years of age. In bad health and unable to work. Without Children. When she is able she washes and scrubs for a living. Is a Woman of excellent Character. Nova Scotian. Methodist. Recommended for Coal.

806. Bridget Walker: 31 Grogg Lane (off John St.) has a sick husband who is bad with inflammation of the Stomach. One boy 3 years old. Occasionally get a days washing which must go towards rent. House very tidy & comfortable. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup. Also a small allowance of Tea, Sugar & etc.

807. Catharine Thompson: already recommended for Coal, says she cannot get work and is in very great need of Bread. Recommended.

808. Emma Beatty: No. 5 William St. west a widow. Husband just died has 2 Children, 1 girl 4 years and a baby 4 Months old. Cannot get work to do at present, used to sew for a living. Lives with another family in a cold uncomfortable House, having nothing but an open fire place at present. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup.

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809. Mary Gormly: No. 5 in a Lane off William St. west. Recommended for a grate her Stove being a very old one.

810. Ann Brown: Lane off William St. west No. 5. Lives with a friend, a Mrs. King, is a Widow but has no Children. Said by the Neighbours to be an honest distressed being, and unable to work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for fuel, bread & Soup.

811. Mary Dagalar: 31 William St. west. Is a Widow in bad health with Consumption, has two Children (boys) 10 & 4 years of age respectively, quite unable to work. Lives on the bounty of the Ladies of the St. Georges Parish. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup, and an allowance of Sugar, Tea & etc.

812. Elizabeth McMillan: 23 Oxford St. Is a Widow 42 years of age, has four Children of her own. Two Boys 10 & 9 years, and twin girls 6 years old. Also a Nurse Child one year old from whose parents she has not heard for some time. She has also another Nurse Child the main support of the family, nearly pays her rent by washing. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal, Bread and Soup.

813. Mary Sullivan: behind 473 Queen St. w. lives with Mary Keating who has been recommended to the Board. Has a disreputable husband and five Children, three Boys 6, 4 and 2, and two girls 7 and 1 years respectively, is a sober quite [quiet] Woman and begs for a living. Irish. R.C. recommended for fuel alternately with Mrs. Keating, and for Bread and Soup.

814. Bridget Clements: 138 Bishop St. husband in the States, is very badly off at present, living in a wretched Shanty, and able to get very little work to do, frequently not more than one day per Week, has four Children, 2 girls 7 years and 10 Months, and 2 Boys, 4 and 2 years. Irish R.C. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup.

815. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. is a Widow about 60 years of age, without Children, lives alone and tries to earn a living for herself the best way she can, not able to do hard work owing to a swollen knee. An Irish R.C. Recommended for Coal, Bread & Soup.

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816. Ann Donnelly: No. 1 Strachan St. No such number. Visitor could learn nothing about such a person being in the Neighbourhood.

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817. Ellen Kearns: 485 1/2 Richmond St. west. A Widow with one Child, a girl 7 years old. Has a Married daughter with her two Children living with her, and also another Woman with 3 Children, all huddled [huddled] together in a dirty hole. Visitor found her lying in a fearfully drunken state. Left to the consideration of the Weekly Committee.

818. Elizabeth Keely: 147 Vanauley St. an old Pensioner of the House. A delicate Woman obliged to support her family the best way she can owing to a drunken husband, has two little girls with her 8 & 6 years old, and a boy who earns at present [dollars] 1 1/4 a Week. Recommended for Coal, Bread and Soup.

819. Ann Quinn: 31 William ^West^ Street. A Widow without Children, a quite respectable old Woman 63 years of age, when well washes for a living, at present in feeble health. Irish. ChofEngl. This information obtained from a Neighbour in the same House (Mrs. Dagalar). Recommended for an allowance of Tea & Sugar as well as Coal and Bread.

820. Johanna Quigly: 60 Dummer St. a Widow with one girl aged 7, takes a room from a Mrs. Phealan who gives her a good Character, with difficulty obtains work to do. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal, Bread and Soup. To go to Service. 30 years of age.

821. Honora Connell: 391 King St. east, upstairs, husband gone to Michigan seeking work some 4 Months ago, expect he will soon send her assistance, 3 Children Mary 7, Michael 5, Catharine 2 1/2. 10 years in Toronto. From Ireland. R.C. Visitor recommends Coal once and 6 [pounds] Of Bread weekly, til [till] again visited.

822. Jane Fraser: 28 Frederick St. upstairs, Husband sells fruit. Visitor did not see him. Irish. ChofEngl. 8 years in Toronto, a respectable looking person able to work but can get no employment. Might be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

823. Honora Kearns: 28 Frederick St. upstairs. See report of previous years. Son better went to Cincinnati 4 Months ago not heard from since. Wants Coal. See Report of Visitor Debr. 22/63.

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824. Hannah Ellis: rere 80 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 55 years of age. One boy 13 has been working at a Tobacco factory but now out of work. She is not able to do much on account of bad legs. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal 3 times during the season.

825. Emma Burke: 26 Christopher St. Colered. Baptist. Widow 42 years of age, her Mother 70 and 3 Children one daughter dumb and a Boy 10 bad Eyes. A very steady industrious Woman, but not able to do much on account of bad legs. Visitor recommends Coal after New Year.

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826. Jane Hemming: rere of 80 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 57 years of age. Not in good health, works when she is able. Visitor thinks her a steady woman and recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal 3 times.

827. Sarah Robinson: 198 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Widow 62 years of age, appears a poor old Woman, has a bad hand. Not able to work. 2 daughters, one 20 at Service, the other 17 years of age works in a Tobacco factory at [dollars] 2 a Week. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread and Coal 3 times.

828. Eliza O'Regan: 90 Agnes St. Irish. R.C. Widow 58 years of age, looks much older, appears a very respectable old Lady. See Capt. Elmsley's report. Recommended 4 [pounds] of Bead weekly and Coal for the Season.

829. Mary Donohue: 39 Edward St. Irish. Methodist. Widow 72 years of age. 2 grandchildren girl 15 and boy 11 at home. She was an Inmate of the House of Industry some time ago. Has not right to have those Children at home with her, but still Visitor thinks something will have to be done for her, if she is allowed Coal, she will require a grate.

830. Mary Ann Boughton: 104 Agnes St. English. ChofEngl. a clean respectable Woman, in, in very bad health, quite unable to work. Lives with her daughter in Law, whose husband is in the States. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Tea, Sugar & etc. & Coal.

831. Elizabeth Cooper: rere of 92 Agnes St. Colered. Methodist 34 years of age. Widow. 4 Children, girl 16, girl 12, girl 6, boy 10. Lives in one small room, appear very clean and respectable. Visitor thinks they are able to provide for themselves, do washing when they get it.

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832. Julia Burton: 69 Louisa St. Irish. R.C. 33. Widow. 3 Children, boy 9, girl 11 and girl 8. Works at Shoebinding, but on account of Machine work she is not able to obtain a living. Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious Woman. Recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal for the season.

833. Bridget McCarty: is not known at 122 Elm St.

834. Elisa Forsight: 29 Centre St. Irish. Married. 30 years of age. 4 Children boy 12, boy 10, girl 7, girl 5. Eldest Boy at Work no wages. Husband a Labourer gone to the States 8 weeks ago, has not yet heard from him, appear badly in want of assistance. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal for one Month, when further enquiry can be made.

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835. Phoebe Gray: 74 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Widow 58 years of age. No Children to assist her, picks rags for a living, seems a steady industrious Woman. Visitor has known her for some years. Recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal 3 times for the season.

836. Jane Keely: 63 University St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 72 years of age. Lives with a Mrs. Kemp, whose husband is gone to the States. Mrs. Keely appears to be a clean industrious active Woman for her age. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and Coal with Mrs. Kemp.

837. Cathr. Kemp: 63 University St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 30 years of age, 3 Children, boy 3, boy 1 and baby 1 month. With above Case, everything about the House clean which satisfies Visitor that she is an industrious Woman. Husband has been in Toronto Police but was discharged some time ago, and not being able to attain work here, he went to the States. Has received no Money from him yet. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal with Mrs. Keely.

838. Samuel Hodge: Dr. Reese's Wharf foot of Simcoe St. English. 70. Wife 65. No Children. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Soup and Coal 3 times during the season.

839. Ann Kirk: 273 Queen St. w. upstairs. Widow. R.C. Irish. aged 52. No Children at home, one daughter aged 16 in Asylum. Recommended for Coal twice, and Soup. No Bread.

840. Mary ^Mc^Causeland: 29 Adelaide St. w. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 40. Four Children. Daughter 18 with a Child in her arms, says her husband is in the States. Daughter 17 works in a Factory [at] [dollars] 1,50 a Week. Boy 14 at Work at [dollars] 1,50 a Week. A Boy 12,

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840. in the Country with a Farmer, if anything is given to this family it should be to the daughter who has a Baby. The Committee will please judge this Case.

841. Elisa Gavin: 132 Richmond St. w. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow aged 32 has two Children, one at the "Orphans House", the other aged 13 Months at Home. Visitor thinks she ought to put the other Child out likewise and go to service, in the mean time to have 4 [pounds] of Bread, Coal twice & Soup.

842. Mary Murphy: 132 Richmond St. West. Widow, aged 60. Irish R.C. 2 boys aged 12 & 14, who ought to be out and at work, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week and Coal 3 times and Soup.

843. Mary McCarty: 134 Richmond St. w. aged 40. Widow. R.C. Irish one boy 6 years of age. Recommended for Soup and Coal 5 times during the season.

845. Mary Dean: in a lane west of York St. Married. R.C. Irish aged 50. Husband about 56. Six Children from thirteen downwards, all in filth and misery. Visitor supposes they have to be assisted.

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846. Ann Glynn: in above named Lane. Married. Aged 40. Irish. R.C. Husband 45. 3 Children, girl 17 in very bad health, boy 14 and girl 4. The Man has a sore hand which prevents him from doing any work. To have Coal, Bread, and Soup for the present, and Visitor will look after them again.

847. Bridget Mack: 34 Boulton St. Widow, aged 36. 3 Children boy 7, girl 9. She is a hearty person. Coal 3 times, Soup and 4 [pounds] of Bread.

848. Alice Torphy [Tharphy]: 132 Richmond St. w. Married. R.C. Irish. Aged 40. Says her husband is gone to the States, has two Children, girl 8, and girl 9. Live rent free. 4 [pounds] of Bread a week. Coal 3 times, and Soup.

849. Mary Pollard: in a lane nere of 263 Queen St. w. Widow. ChofEngl.I. Irish. Aged 59. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week, Soup and Coal 3 times.

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850. Julia Cummins: nere of 263 Queen St. w. Widow aged 48. Irish. R.C. one Son 19 years of age. Visitor thinks that this woman of 48, and her Son a young Man of 19 should do without charity.

851. Margt. Kennedy: 106 Richmond St. west, no such person there.

852. Ellen Lockhart: 65 Pine St. Widow. 3 Children. Boy 12, boy 9, girl 7. The eldest Boy is quite lame and crippled. Mrs. Lockhart scrubs, sews and Washes, when she can get it to do. Has been out of Work for some time, is very badly off for fuel.

853. Elisa Long: Husband away in the States. Living in the same House at present with above Case. Has one Child 8 years old. Is apparently in very bad health, and very delicate. If they continue to live together, they might have Coal turn about, and each of them a little bread.

854. Mary Wims: 71 Pine St. Widow. 3 Children, Boy 12, girl 9, girl 7, a very decent little lady, works when she can get it to do, but is not strong and with her family finds it very difficult to make both ends meet. Is very badly off just now for fuel. Visitor recommends Coal at once and bread for two Months.

855. Bridget Collins: 224 Corner of Queen and McMahon St. was out when Visitor called, but the Woman in the opposite room informed him, that she was a Widow with 3 Children, the youngest only 9 Months old. Visitor imagines her the same person he called upon last year, she was then living on McMahon St. See Case 1004 in 1862.

856. Ann Hart: 43 Duchess St. Widow, an old woman living with her Son and daughter in law, can keep his Wife and Children, but is not disposed to support his Mother in Law without some assistance. She is pass'd doing any work herself. The Committee will decide whether it would be better to allow a little relief during the Winter Months.

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857. Margaret Doyle: 87 North Park Street, not at home when called on.

858. Catharine Kane: rere of 301 Queen St. east. Widow, 2 Children, girl 13 and girl 11. The eldest was in Service but is out of place just now. An old Pensioner, sells fruit & etc. during the Summer, allways gets hard up in the Winter. Visitor recommends Coal four times.

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859. Bridget Hart: rere of 301 Queen St. east. Husband and four Children. The Husband has a bad leg, and is altogether in miserable health. Mrs. Hart has only just got over confinement, and although going out to work, is really hardly fit for it. They are in a miserable plyght [plight] for fuel, bedding and Cloths'. Visitor recommends them for Coal at once, if possible to be continued 3 times and bread for a Month.

860. Ann Wilson: 33 Duchess St. Widow. Another old Pensioner, has one Child, sells apples & etc. in the Summer. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of Bread for a Month.

861. Elizabeth Connell: 224 Queen St. east Corner of McMahon. Husband gone to the States. Has one Child 2 years old, says she can only get a days work every now and then, has no fuel, and no means of procuring any. Visitor thinks she might have Coal 3 times.

862. Mary Jennings: 224 Queen St. east. See Case 225 in 1863. Jennings has a certificate from Dr. Gardiner, stating that he is incapable of doing any work, and from his appearance Visitor is inclined to believe that his constitution is completely broken down, but fears he has help to bring himself into the State he is now in, by indulging in drink. His Wife Visitor has always considered to be a decent sober and industrious Woman, thinks it might be well to allow them some fuel at all events, as she is out of work. If the Case is referred to Visitor again before they get a second supply of Coal he would keep an Eye upon them and ascertain if possible, whether he is now perfectly steady.

863. Margaret O'Brien: and Ann Thompson: 12 Duchess Street. Two Widows, both old and incapable of doing very much for themselves. Sell fish in the Summer. Visitor recommends them for Coal turn about for the next two months, and a little bread.

864. Bridget Rogers: 332 King St. east. Widow. 3 Children at home, one girl gets work in the Tobacco factory. Reported upon for the last 2 years. A very decent Woman, and Visitor thinks some Coal would be well bestowed, and perhaps a little Bread also.

865. Julia Fitzgibbon: 10 Duchess St. was out when Visitor called, but one (Case 163 in 1860) Johanna McDowell lives with them, a single Woman old and in bad health, and apparently in need of assistance.



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866. Ann Farrell: 92 Duchess St. Not at home when Visitor called, but has reported upon the Case for the last two years, and does not see that there is any change in her circumstances now. She still has her sick Child with her, would recommend a little Coal during the Winter.

867. Mary Forster: rere of 94 Duchess St. Widow. A very decent respectable industrious Woman (See report for the last two years) Recommended for Coal and a little bread during the Winter.

868. Johanna O'Brien: 102 George St. Widow, reported upon for the last three years. No change except that her father a very able man who used to live with her is dead. She is a very respectable Woman, and Visitor recommends her for Coal and Bread for the next six weeks.

869. Elizabeth Buggy: 90 George St. Husband ill in bed. 3 Children, Boy 10, Boy 8, girl 6, girl 4. Seems a very respectable person, her husband has been ill for some time, and they are very badly off for fuel. Visitor recommends them for Coal now, and the Case might be referred to him again to ascertain if the husband is fit for Work. Allowance of Bread might be given for a fortnight.

870. Mary Heffernan: 82 George St. Widow, an industrious little Woman. See Case 725 in 1861. Recommended for Coal during January & February and a little Bread.

871. Cecily Conway: 75 Caroline St. Widow, another old case. Visitor has nothing to add to former reports (See Case 20 in 1862) her circumstances have not changed in any way. Recommended for Coal now and next Month.

872. Bertha Stinson: 122 Duchess St. (See Case 1058 in 1863[2]) Recommended for Coal four times.

873. Jane Bowes: 309 Queen St. east. Husband was such a confirmed drunkard that she left him, and lives as by herself. Has 5 Children at home, and two others have been provided for by the Boys Home. Mrs. Bowes seems a respectable Woman anxious to do what she can for her own support and that of her Children, but they are all young, and she cannot manage without assistance for the Winter. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

874. Elizabeth Cummings: 67 Pine St. Widow. A very decent industrious Woman. Recommended for Coal. See Case 238 in 1862.

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875. Ellen Ryan: rere of 3 King St. east. Husband has gone off to the States. 2 Children, the eldest a Cripple from some scrofulous affection of one leg, which must end soon (Visitor thinks) in the Childs death. Under the circumstances she is recommended for Coal and Bread during the severe Weather.

876. Ann Stergeon: 224 Queen St. east. Husband gone to the States. Has one Child, and is just now near her confinement. She is consequently incapable of doing anything for her own support just now. She is living in the same room with another family who are very poor themselves. But if she is allowed Coal and a little bread, they will keep her for the Winter, as at all events until after her confinement. Visitor therefore recommends for immediate assistance as she is really very badly off.

877. Margaret Harrington: 79 Duchess St. This Womans husband became insane a few Months ago, and is now in the Asylum. He was a Tailor by trade and while in health had a fare share of work, and he and his Wife were living comfortable enough. She has now no means of support and her Manner and appearance give one the idea that her own mind has been rather unsettled by her trouble. Visitor really thinks that she is a fit object of charity and would recommend her for assistance during the severe Weather.

878. Anne Lane: Queen St. east close to the corner of River St. in one of Depues Houses. Husband gone off to the States, leaving her with 3 Children to support, Boy 6, girl 2 1/2, boy 9 Months. Visitor would recommend Coal and a little bread.

839. Tremble: 122 Duke St. 2 Children. A very respectable deserving person. (See Case 893 in 1862). Recommended for Coal and Bread for 6 Weeks.

880. Bridget Driscoll: 224 Queen St. east. Widow. One of those old Women that manage to make out a living in Summer, but cannot get on without assistance in Winter. She is an old Pensioner. Visitor recommends Coal, or if possible a little Wood instead, as the poor old body has but a wretched little smoky stove, which nearly puts her eyes out as it is.

881. Alexander Beatty: Wife and one Child. Visitor has known him and given him employment at different times for some years, an industrious hard working Man, but now in feeble health. Therefore recommended for Coal, receives Bread.

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882. Ellen Casey: and Catharine Edwards: 21 Power St. Ellen Casey is a Widow with one Child a wretched miserable looking object. Her husband, when Visitor called there two years ago, was alive but an idiot and confined to his bed. He is since dead. Mrs. Casey now lives in the same wretched hovel with a Mrs. Edwards whom Visitor did not see, but was told that her husband was away in the States. Another

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Woman and her husband also with them. A wretched Lot, but there is no doubt about their being badly enough off and therefore

883. "Edward" and Casey" might have some Coal between them, and a little Bread, and the Case to be referred to Visitor again.

884. Margaret Leahey: Queen St. east. Husband and Wife lately lost all their Clothing, bedding & etc. by fire. Husband willing to saw Wood if he could get a little Bread and Coal in return.

885. Mary Edwards: who lived formerly on Ontario St. (See Case 829 in 1863[2]) and whose husband formerly a bailiff in the Sheriff's office died last year leaving her in great distress, has now moved to Richmond St., a little west of Nelson St. and is consequently out of St. Davids Ward. But as Hon. Mr. Allan knows her Case, he would recommend her for bread and Coal.

886. Ellen Brown: Widow. 75 Caroline St. an old feeble Woman. She has been receiving assistance from the House for three Winters. She is too feeble to go up to the House. Visitor would like her Coal sent to her.

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887. Margaret Greany: 71 Richmond St. east. Widow aged 32. Irish. R.C. 3 Children, Boy 10, Boy 8, and girl 4.

888. Ann Ryan: 99 Richmond St. east. Irish. R.C. aged 60.

889. Mary A. Edwards: Widow aged 30. 102 Richmond St. east. 2 Children. Girl 9 and Boy 4. Irish. R.C.

890. Mary McCabe: aged 35 years No. 80 Stanley St. Irish. R.C. one Child, a girl 5 years of age.

891. Julia Fraser: her husband went to the States about 4 Months ago. Irish. R.C. aged 29. 3 Children Boy 5, girl 4, boy 2. No. 53 Stanley St.

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892. Mary Pendergast: 53 Stanley St. sickly no friends. Age 40. Irish. R.C. Recommended to the favourable consideration of the Committee.

893. Ellen Healey: 93 Stanley St. aged 40. Husband went to the States two years ago. Irish. ChofEngl.I. four Children. Boy 8, Boy 6, Boy 4 and girl 2 years of age.

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894. Catharine Wilson: No. 3 Victoria St. Widow. English. English Church. Irish. Aged 45. 1 Child 12 a Boy, looks industrious and desirous to help herself. Has at present 3 Children to care for, for which she gets [dollars] 9 per month, but the Mother is about taking them away.

895. Elizabeth Black: Irish. Aged 62. Widow. No. 16 Victoria St. No family, peddler, but cannot do much at that now. ChofEngl.

896. Eliza Burns: aged. Not at home when Visitor called, a groud [grown] daughter who was, said she was 70 or over. Widow. Irish. R.C. 3 daughters away married and poor. Lives principally on Charity, house looks clean and comfortable.

897. Ann Camp: says she is a Widow, her husband killed in the war in the States, looks like a hard Character, aged 27. Irish. R.C. 2 girls 8 and 4. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

898. "Mary Wilson" and "Mary White" None of them in, but the place is one of the dirtiest, filthy, lowest drinking holes Visitor has seen in this City.

899. Ann Henderson: 15 Maria St. Widow. No Children, works when she can get it, just recovering from a sprained leg. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Bread Coal and Soup. Committee consider she ought to go to Service.

900. Ellen Burns: 110 Strachan St., a Widow, lives in a very cold House with a fire place but no Stove, only article of furniture two Chairs and a pallet of Straw on the floor, her "traps" being at Cobourg, apparently a bird of passage. Has 4 Children, 2 girls 15 & 5, the former of whom could easily get a place but has no Cloths to wear, and two Boys 9 and 2 years old. English. ChofEngl.

901. Ann Donnelly: 102 Strachan St. a Widow, has 2 Children, girl 8, boy 6, washes and sews. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal Bread & Soup.

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902. Mary Ann Bedford: 123 Herbert St. Husband left her four years ago. Has two Children, one 7. the other nearly 3. Washes and scrubs as she can get work. Pays a Dollar a Month for lodgings with a friend. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal, Bread and Soup.

903. Jane Smith: 29 Garrison St. Husband has left her, 3 very small Children, sews for a living, and can get but very little to do. Is therefore very poorly off. English. ChofEngl. (Information gained from a friend, she being out) Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup.

904. Mary Daley: 485 Richmond St. west. Left her house last night, a dissipated Lot, Visitor fears.

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905. Jane Pollard: rere of 60 Denison Avenue. An old Woman with a husband, and a girl 10 years old. They live with Pollard's Brother, taking a room from him, husband a Labourer having casual work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal, bread and Soup.

906. Mary Malone: 20 William St. west. a widow. Has a room from a friend, but no Stove as yet. Works and begs for a living. Being feeble is not able to do much. No Children. Recommended for Bread & Soup.

907. Julia Flanagan: (a Widow) 28 Dummer St. only work she is able to do is knitting socks. Has a daughter living with her who sews for a living. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal.

908. Margaret Courtney: behind 43 Esther St. Husband has a very sore arm. She washes and scrubs when able to get work. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended Coal for a Month, and Bread & Soup.

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910. Susan Burns: 13 Maria St. a Widow with 3 Grandchildren. 2 girls 10 & 7. and a boy 12. Their Mother is dead, and father in the States but has not sent any assistance for some time - apparently very respectable and unable to work owing to a broken arm. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal, Bread, and Soup.

911. Edward Fawcett: 42 High St. a tailor by trade - his Arm badly injured by Mal-practice - unable to work at his trade - and looking for something to do wich [which] will suit his condition of body - Has 8 Children, five Boys 13. 12. 10. 5. 4 years respectively and 3 girls 8. 6 and 14 Months. Sober respectable people. English. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal, Bread, Soup and a Grate.

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912. Margaret Slattery: 63 Esther St. Husband in the States. Has two Children a girl 6 and a boy 4. A sober industrious Woman according to her neighbours. Has a crooked arm and not able to work hard. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal Bread & Soup.

913. Mary Murray: No 7 William St. west. A Widow about 2 Weeks from the States, moving about from House to House.

914. Martha Deakin: about 5 Months from England - Behind No. 60 Dummer Street. Husband in the State. Has 4 Children, two Boys 5 years and 9 Months respectively & two girls 7 & 2 1/2 years respectively English. ChofEngl. Already in receipt of Bread, to have Coal also

915. Widow Kingham: 126 Venauly St. Lives alone, and unable to work for a living. Weak in both Mind and body. A little daughter at Service helps to pay her rent. Her main support (she thinks) is the raising of a very lean pig or two every year - assisted by some neighbours - Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal - unable to come for it or for bread.

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916. Mary Stewart: 156 Palace St. Corner of Parliament St. Widow, 10 years - from Ireland, R.C. 67 years of age - 29 years in Toronto. No Connections here. as "silly boy" in the Country. Recommended for Coal, and four [pounds] of Bread Weekly

917. Mary Harrison: rere of 133 Tecumseth St. A Widow with 3 Children, the eldest a boy 13. She has been suffering for some time from ill health and is unable to apply to the Board in person. If she could have Coal and Bread for the Winter, it would be a very great and much needed assistance to her. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal 3 times.

918. Mary Scott near the Asylum, has been getting bread, Mr. Tyner would recommend Coal for the Season, and Soup.

919. Ellen Cradicott: rere of 136 Richmond St. west. Irish. R.C. Husband Paralytic, not able to do anything. One Boy aged 11. Recommended for Coal 3 times, Soup, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

920. Bridget Kearney: 136 Richmond St. west, in the rear, Married. Irish. R.C. aged 27. Visitor did not see her husband. She says he has a sore hand and cannot work, 3 Children, girl 7. boy 4. and girl 2. Visitor recommends that Kearney see the Doctor, and if unable to work on account of his arm, as the Wife states, To be then relieved.

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921 Mary Short: 85 Richmond St. west, No such person to be found.

922. Catharine Boland: rere or 85 Richmond St. west. upstairs. Married. R.C. Irish. aged 40. Husband 45. Two Children, boy 10 and boy 7. Visitor did not see the Wife, saw husband. A wretched dirty place, fears the fruits of bad living, Man has sore Eyes, Recommended to see the Doctor, to see whether his Eyes will prevent his working, or if it is the effect of Whiskey.

923. Ellen Marshall: 49 Boulton St. R.C. Married. aged 50. Husband 68. Irish. No Children. Visitor recommends Soup, 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal 3 times during the Season.

924. Elisa Fern: rere of 51 Boulton St. not in when the Visitor called. Her Case is well known at the House, a Widow with 2 Children, girl 11 and Boy 6. Irish. ChofEngl. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal.

925. Ellen O'Rielly: 49 Boulton St. upstairs. Widow. R.C. Irish. has 4 Sons 13. 11. 9. and 8 respectively, one of these Boys has been to work until very recently, the Mother has a sore foot, or else she is a good ~~for~~ working Woman. The Boys are fine stout little fellows, but they cannot get much to do during the Winter, The Visitor therefore recommends them for Bread, Coal and Soup.

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926. Robert Potts: rere of 148 York St. aged 36. Blind, has a Wife and 4 Children girl 15. girl 12. boy 8 and girl 4. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Soup, and Coal for the season. Visitor thinks the Ladies that take an interest in this family ought to get places for the eldest girls.

927. Mary Kelly: rere of 17 Agnes St. Irish. R.C. Widow 50 years of age. No Children to assist her, not in good health, picks hair for a living, but no work at present, appears a steady industrious woman. recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and Coal turn about with Ann Neil.

928. Catharine Edwards: 17 Agnes St. Irish. Methodist Ch. Widow 45 years of age, 2 Children, boy 10 and girl 11. She appears in want. Says she works as Charwoman. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal twice during Winter.

929. Bridget McCarty: 121 Elm St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 63 years of age, one daughter aged 18 just recovered from Small pox, and not yet able to go to Service. The Visitor recommends relief for one Month, say Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

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930. Mary Mathews: 203 Centre St. Colored. Methodist Church. Widow 50 years of age Lives with a Married Daughter. Appears a strong healthy industrious woman, and Visitor thinks well able to work for her own living.

931. Margt. Black: 79 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Married 40 years of age. 3 Children. Boy 10, boy 4, boy 2 years of age. Says her husband went to the States last Summer, not heard from him since, sends her no money, The eldest Boy goes out begging. Visitor thinks they ought to be assisted.

932. Elizabeth Langley: 46 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 31 years of age, 3 Children, girl 12. girl 9. girl 3 years of age. Husband went to the States in July last, without papers and was taken as a Soldier, heard he had been shot - has sent her no money, a clean tidy Woman. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread and Coal.

933. Bridget Williams: 69 Louisa St. Not at home when Visitor called Visitor was told that she is Irish, a Widow 30 years of age, R.C. 2 Children boy 8. boy 6 years of age. At some time works at some time begs, and always in want.

934. Mary Green: 37 Elizabeth St. from Newfoundland, R.C. Widow. 57 years of age. Not at home when Visitor called, but the Landlady informed him that she is a very clean respectable Woman, goes out to Nurse or any other light work when she can get it. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

935. Ann Pellow: 8 Terauly St. English. ~~ChofEngl.~~ Methodist. Married, 28 years of age. One Boy 18 Months old. Not at home when Visitor called, was told that she was out looking for Work, her husband

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left her before her Son was born. Industrious, Works as a Charwoman, hard to obtain work this time of the year.

936. Frances Sargent: No. 8 James St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 51 years of age. 2 Children, boy 14 in Service. girl 18 has been in Service but obliged to return home on account of bad Eyes. Came from England in the Spring not being able to find work in Toronto as a ribbon Weaver, the husband went to New York and will send them money as soon as he can. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, and Coal.

937. Elizabeth Washington: is not known at 92 Agnes St.

938. Ann Miffin: was not at home when Visitor called.

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939. Julia Fitzgibbon: 10 Duchess St. Visitor recommends both Coal and Bread during the Winter Months.

940. Christina Whitehouse: 113 Duke St. Not at home when visitor called - if a pressing case he (Visitor) would recommend temporary relief, and will call again and report next Tuesday. On second Visit, Recommended for relief.

941. Margaret Sherlock: 33 Duchess St. Must have given a wrong direction as Visitor could find no such person there.

942. Mary Jennings: Widow, 8 Duchess St. only 2 Children at home, goes out to wash & scrub - has a very old bed ridden Woman living with her, one Ann Cusack, on her account Visitor would recommend Coal & Bread.

943. Elizabeth Meehan: 346 King St east. Husband has deserted her for many years. Mrs. Meehan was not at home when Visitor called, but saw the Children four of whom are at home. The eldest 18 is out at Service. The eldest girl at home is 16. The next 13. Two Boys 12 and 10. They appear to be a particularly nice respectable family. The two girls at home might be out at Service and doing for themselves. Recommended for Coal 3 times during the cold Weather.

944. Nancy Martin: lives up stairs in the same House as above Case but was not at home when Visitor called.

945. Bridget Hays: rere of 79 Pine St. an old Pensioner reported upon last year. Recommended for Coal 4 times.



946. Bridget Geroe: 71 Pine St. Living with her Sister Mrs. Wims who has been recommended for Coal. Recommended that Mrs. Geroe gets it turn about with her.

947. Catharine Johnson: and Mary Hays 128 Duke St. recommended for Coal turn about, and a little bread for a Month, will call next Week again and report more fully.

948. Johanna Ryan: 79 Caroline St. ^{37 Duchess}^ Coal for the next Month.

949. Ann Bayly: Widow. 81 George St. Reported upon last year. To have Coal for the Winter.

950. Mary Rogers: 72 McMahon St. an old Pensioner. Coal for the Winter.

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951. Mary Kelly: 81 George St. Recommended for Coal and a small allowance of Bread. Her husband is away in Detroit. She has 6 Children. Visitor will see her and report again next Month, before she gets the next allowance of Coal.

952. Sarah Smith: in Case 758, left the House, gone to a place.

953. Margaret O'Brien: 60 years of age, R.C. Irish, has been an out door Pensioner for many years. She was sent here this day (Oct. 26") by George Boomer Esqr. P. M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested by the Police for being drunk.

Tuesday 29th December 1863.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson. W. J. MacDonell & Revd. Mr. Howard

954. Elisa Lepsett: 74 Richmond St. east. came from Brockville in October last, her husband is sickly and, cannot get work. Irish. ChofEngl.

955. Margaret O'Malley: 70 Stanley St. 60 years of age. Husband went to the States in May last, has not received anything from him since, Irish R.C. Committee consider she ought to work,

956. Margaret McKees: 84 Stanley St. aged 65. Husband 64 sick in bed. Irish. R.C. Visitor has known them for years, and would recommend relief.

957. Rose Johnson: 31 South Park St. See report of previous years - Eldest daughter has lately got Employment at Mr. Goderham Visitor recommends that last Winters allowance be granted to her for the present season.

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958. Elizabeth Kelly: Irish, R.C. Widow of John Kelly formerly a Cabman, 3 Children, all Boys, 9. 8. and 6 years. Place looks as if she was doing her best to keep her family honestly, gets Bread from the House, recommended for Coal.

959. Catharine Dempsey: 17 Stanley St. Irish, aged 31. ChofEngl. Husband away these 4 years, 3 Children, girl 7. boy 5. girl 3. seems a sober industrious Woman. gets Bread, to have Coal also.

960. Catherine Brennan: 17 Ann St. No one knows her.

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961. Mary Collins: 51 Stanley St. aged nearly 80 years. Irish. R.C. Widow. lives with a family named Hartnell, the Wife of which says thy have enough to do for themselves. Recommended for an allowance of Bread.

962. Catharine Quinn: 49 Stanley St. aged 54. Widow, one Boy aged 16 but who was sick in the Sumer with ague, a hard looking place. Recommended some temporary relief only.

963. Julia McCarty: 49 Stanley St. Irish. R.C., aged 55. Widow. No family. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

964. Sarah Robinson: 28 William St. She is a Widow and has but one Child living, a daughter out at Service, who helps her as far as she can. She can do but very little to help herself. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

965. Grace Smith: 37 Nassau St. a Widow unable to get work at present, has two Children at home - a girl aged 11 years, and a boy 9 years of age. Recommended for a Months Coal.

966. Sarah McPhail: 33 Maple Lane, A Widow. Has 3 girls, one 14, quite an invalid, the other 2, 7 and 5 years, a Charwoman with very little work at present, quite, steady, respectable. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

967. Mary Daly: 136 Richmond St. w. Married. Husband in the States, these five Months back, a drinking Man aged 40. The Wife 30. R.C. 3 Children girl 9. boy 7. girl 3. Lives with another person in the same room, uses the same Stove and Coal in connexion she lives with.

968. Caroline Arnold: rere of 135 Centre St. English. Baptist Church. Widow 39 years of age, 4 Children, boy 14 works in Tobacco factory. girl 9. girl 4. girl 2 years of age, all at home. She is the Widow of the late Detective Arnold. Works at sewing or Charwoman. A Clean respectable industrious Woman. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal & Soup.

969. George Ladine: (Colored) 187 Centre St. Methodist. Married. 35 years of age. 5 Children, boy 9, girl 8, girl 4 years, and girl 18 Months, and baby 5 Months. Both Man and Wife in bad health. not able to work at present, attended by a Doctor whose certificate they will produce. Recommended to have relief for one Month.

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970. Jemima Cornell: rere of 164 1/2 Centre St. English. Baptist. ~~Widow~~. Married 46 years of age. 4 Children girls 17. 15. 12 and 7 years of age. The two eldest in Service, the one 12 has been in Service but is now at home in bad health, youngest at home also. A clean industrious Woman, Husband left her 4 years ago, and she hopes he will not return. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

971. Mary Mahoney: rere of 17 Centre St. not at home when Visitor call'd. A most dirty room with scarcely a stick of furniture, and a most confirmed drunkard, lives by begging, husband in the State and not likely to return to such a Woman, The only thing that could be done would be to take the Children

972. Agnes Cuthbert: is not known at 90 Agnes St.

973. Margaret Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. See former report. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread and Coal.

974. Rebecca Nelson: 33 Oxford St. a poor Widow who sews and washes for a living, but finds it difficult to get constant Employment. Has a married daughter (and small family) living with her, whose husband appears to be a worthless character. The House is very cold and uncomfortable, the only one that could be found when she was burned out a few Weeks since. Scotch. Presbt. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

975. Mary Wilkins: 22 William St. west, Says she only wants work from the "House" for her husband, which he obtained last year.

976. Mary Sullivan: rear of 126 Crookshank Lane, Case reported before. See Case 813.

977. Catharine Deary: 105 Strachan St. a Widow for 10 years past - Has two Children, one Boy 19 years of age, who has been sadly afflicted for the last four years with a running sore, and is a perfect Invalid - one girl 12 years old. Char-woman, with very little work in the Winter time. House clean and Comfortable Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

978. Mary Bennett: Widow, Blair's yard Nelson St. an old Woman in feeble health, suffering much from Rheumatism. She is getting Bread, Visitor recommends Coal also.

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979. James Tart: In a Cottage off Charles St. South side near the Cemetery. An elderly Man living alone. Wife and family supposed to be in Australia - His Sons went out there first - then he came out to this Country after some time they sent funds to bring out their father and mother, but the Letter from the Wife asking him to meet her at Liverpool miscarried and she sailed without him, Since then he has not been able to obtain sufficient means to get to them. Latterly his health has been bad, and he was laid up for several Weeks this autumn, which is the cause of his now applying for relief - He seems a sober respectable old Man. Visitor recommends Coal.

980. Agnes Urquhart: 144 Pine St Widow. Visitor thinks she said she had five Children, but the room was stiflingly hot, and two of the Children were ill with small pox, did not care to breathe the atmosphere of the room no more than he could help. Visitor thinks it a very fit Case for relief.

981. Bridget Hagan: in a lane between Seaton and McMahon St. Husband and seven Children, See report of 61 and 62. Old Pensioner. They seem to be going down Hill instead of improving. Visitor believes him to be a steady industrious Man, and on account of their large family would recommend them for relief during the severe Weather

982. Ann Lane: rere of 384 Queen St. east. Husband away in the States. Has 3 Children - 2 boys 6 & 4, little girl 11 Months. Is in great distress for want of both fuel and food. Recommended for Coal and Bread for one Month. When the Case might be again referred to Visitor.

983. James Connell: 76 North Park Street. Wife dead. 3 Children. Is in very bad health his lungs are seemingly affected, and he is evidently wholly unfit to do anything whatever towards earning a livelihood. Recommended for Coal during the Winter.

984. Murtagh Kearney: rere of 53 Duchess Street, an old Pensioner - getting Bread from the House, he is an old infirm half witted Creature His Wife is a good deal younger but not in very good health either. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

985. Mary Brien: Widow. Blairs yard Nelson St. 2 Children eldest 3. Reported upon in previous years. She says she is very badly off for fuel. Visitor thinks if Coal was given her 3 times on the outside it would be sufficient, as she is a stout able Woman.

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986. Margaret Woods: Widow, No Children. Blairs Yard Nelson St. A decent old Lady who earns a living in Summer by huckstering - but requires a little assistance occasionally in Winter. Recommended for Coal 3 or 4 times.

987. Anne Martin: Widow. 346 King St. east. one Child very young. Seems a very respectable young Woman and anxious to do what she can to support herself and Child. Recommended Coal 4 times

988. Elizabeth Newberry: living in the next room with Mrs. Martin - a very aged Woman - the Mother of Mrs. Meehan whose Case was reported upon last Week - She appears to be a very respectable old Woman, and is certainly too old to do anything for herself. She has a room and a little Stove of her own, and asks for a little Coal, to enable her to keep a fire there during the cold weather.

989. Catharine Maguire: Lane in rear of Cartys Soap factory, George St. This old Womans Case has been fully reported upon in Case 1148 in 186{illegible}. She was then living with her daughter and Son in Law, a hopeful character - Kicked his Wife, broke his Mother in laws hand, and burned the bed or something of that Kind last year, an then cleared out He is now back again and the happy family are all living in a miserable hole in Carty's Lane. The Mother in law now applies for a little Coal, in fact something that she might as an equivalent for the shelter she gets - She is an old Woman and past doing anything for herself. Recommended as an object of Charity.

990. John Paxton: 45 years of age, Canadian, R.C. Widower, has been 12 years in Toronto, one Son 14 years old in place with a Mr. Ward in this City. Paxton seems to be in a feeble state of health seeks admission into this Institution. admitted.

991. John Barrett: an Inmate, (See Case of admission 643 in 1862.) died this day (30th Decbr.) about 10 OClock A.M. aged 77 years.

992. George Watson: 15 years of age, English, born in London, says that he is an Orphan, was sent out by some Gentlemen to New York in the Ship Constantine, was sent from New York to Toronto by the Brittish Counsel, and has now been 14 days in Canada looking for a place, but could not succeed in getting one, Came to the House begging shelter. He is ragged and dirty perhaps part of his story might be true but not all.

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993. The Committee for accepting Tenders for the supply of Groceries Meat, Bread, and Milk for the ensuing year, Treasurer, Secretary and Mr. E. Hobson. Present The Chairman.

The following Tenders were opened.

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David Bee: Bread for the ensuing year at the rate of seven and a half cent per four pound loaf.

Francis Riddell: at the rate of 8 cents per four pound Loaf.

W & G. Coales: at the rate of seven and a quarter cent per four pound Loaf. - W & G. Coles Tender being the lowest was accepted.

The Bread Tender is for twelve Months, with the privilege that either party after the first three Months if not satisfied - by given a Weeks Notice within the Month, can throw up the Contract.

Mrs. Harper: Tender for Milk [at] 5 cents per quart.

H. Stones Tender for Milk [at] five cents per quart.

Mrs. Harper's Tender was accepted having supplied the Institution previous years to satisfaction.

Peter Huttys: Tender for soup Meat at the rate of one dollar and sixty cents per one hundred pound weight, as good in quality if not better then the meat supplied last year.

John Wicksons: Tender for soup Meat at the rate of two dollar and forty eight cents per hundred pound weight.

Mr. Huttys: Tender was accepted with the understanding that he supply according to his contract.

Dodgson Shield & Co. Tender for Groceries for the ensuing year was accepted, being the only Tender sent in for Groceries.

994. Catharine Crawford: 162 Agnes St. west. off Spadina Avenue. A Widow dependant on her Children for support. Has had two Sons very ill, one for the past two or three Months, the other for about three weeks. A sober respectable Woman. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal for a Month & Bread - also for Tea & Sugar.

995. Elisa Witts: was formerly in St. Davids Ward, see report in Case 1020 in 1862. Hon. Mr. Allan visited them and knows her Case.

996. Elizabeth How: No. 3 Crookshank St. Widow, English, aged 39. has 4 Children, boy 14, girl 11, girl 9 and boy 5 years of age Cleans Mr. Beattys New Church. Recommended for Bread & fuel.

997. Catharine Nugent: Widow, Irish, aged 68. Lives with her daughter also a Widow. ChofEngl. Recommended for Bread and Wood, as her Stove is useless for Coal.

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998. John Thomas: and Wife, 19 Shuter St. English ChofEngl. sick and poor. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

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999. Catharine Kennedy: 47 Boulton St. Visitor did not see her She being out working, but picked up her history down stairs (Mrs. Kennedy living up stairs,) She is a Married Woman aged 28. R.C. her husband in the American Service, has one little girl aged 3 1/2 years of age. Leaves the Case for Committee to decide.

1000. Margaret Kennedy: 136 Richmond St. west aged 55. ChofEngl has no family, lives in a room in Mrs. Fossetts House, says she washes for Mrs. Fossett, in that way pays the rent (one Dollar a Month) all about Fosset's front and rear, is rather a hard looking place, Committee must decide for themselves.

1001. Ellen Lennox: 15 Melinda St. Widow. R.C. aged 71. Has one daughter aged 19 but delicate, can't do more than provide for herself. Visitor recommends the old Widow, 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Soup, and Coal twice during the season.

1002. George Preston: 57 years of age, English. ChofEngl. A discharged Soldier, left the 30: Regiment in Bermuda before it went to the Crimea, has been ten years in Canada, has a sore leg at present, wants shelter until he can find a situation, says he has a Wife in Town working for her Board.

1003. Daniel Youthed: 34 years of age. English. ChofEngl. Single fell some time ago from a Ladder and injured his back, on account of which he is not able to do hard work. Seeks Shelter for a time until he can get some light Employment.

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Friday January 1st 1864.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson, W.J. MacDonell and J. Tyner.

1. Julia Fitzgibbon: visited some two years ago when she was living at 63 Ontario St. her husband had then left her to try and get work in Scarborough, and she got temporary relief then, - Since then the husband has gone on from bad to worse, a drunken worthless fellow, and he has now again left her and gone off to the States. She is now in a really very destitute condition, she has two young Children 6 & 2 years old, and has had little or no work for some time. Visitor recommends Bread - and Coal 3 times.

2. Honora Dorr: rere of 91 Nelson St. Muttons Yard. Widow. No Children, a miserable looking old Woman - She says that her health is so bad that she can do little or no work, she certainly looks wretched enough but - of this the Committee can judge - She is living however with: Catharine Ryan: a very decent old Woman, who has also living with her 4 young Children of a daughter now dead. The father has gone off to the Country in search of Work, and in the mean time Visitor thinks it would be well to allow Mrs. Ryan bread for a few Weeks, and Coal between her and Mrs. Dorr turn about.

3. Bridget Burns: Widow. 75 Caroline St. an old Pensioner. She has sprained her wrist badly - and Visitor would recommend her for Coal twice, and Bread for a few Weeks, when she might be able to work again.

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4. Jane Henderson: Widow, 75 Caroline St. and Child. Is living at present with old Mrs. Browne who has been reported upon, See Case 886 in 1863. Recommended for Bread as long as she is living with Mrs. Brown.

5. Bridget Hays: Lane in rear of Cartys Soap factory. George St. Husband and four Children 9. 7. 5 and 3. The husband is bed ridden, a most miserable object covered with sores, The Children Miserable dirty half starved little creatures - Living in the same House is a "Ellen Connell" a thriftless Character who has a miserable Cripple Son an idiot - altogether a more wretched party (Visitor thinks) could not be often seen. - Mrs. Hays looks as if she drank but thinks he may be wrong. Would recommend them for Coal, and Bread, and some Oatmeal to make some gruel for her unfortunate husband, it would be a great help. To have a ration of Oatmeal Rice Sugar & Tea.

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8. Honora Gillan: 87 Queen St. east. opposite Cooks Church, is not in St Davids Ward.

9. Mary Murphy: 113 Nelson St. A Widow Woman, No Children, but old, and not able to do much in Winter, To have Coal 3 times.

10. Ellen O'Brien: rere of 53 Duchess St. ^R.C.^ This Woman was not at home when Visitor called, but he learnt all the particulars of her story from the Children, of whom there are 6 altogether - 5 of her own, and one belonging to a relative - Her husband like so many others is away in the States, and she is left to shift for herself. Visitor thinks that some Coal during the cold Weather would be well bestowed, and perhaps a little bread.

11. Ellen Rutherford: 136 Richmond St. west, in the rere, No Church. 79 years of age, A Begger by profession, Visitor recommends Coal twice, and Soup, no Bread, She can get plenty bread at her trade.

12. Mary Campbell: 78 Richmond St. "Ellen Murphy" 76 Richmond St and Mary McLaughlan 88 Richmond St. Neither of these parties can be found at said Numbers.

13. Margaret Densmoore: 37 James St. Married, 30 years of age. 5 Children, girl 9 do [ditto] 4, boy 6 do [ditto] 3 and baby 4 Months old. Visitor was told that she is a steady industrious Woman, appears very poor, and much in want of assistance, husband gone to the States a week ago. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread a Week, with Coal & Soup.

14. Jane Tweedy: 28 James St. Scotch. Methodist Church. Spinster. 78 years of age, lives with her elder Sister who is also a Spinster, a very respectable pair who are much in want of fuel. Visitor recommends that 1200 [pounds] of be given them at once for the season.

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15. Mary Moffitt: 83 Albert St. Irish R.C. Married, 40 years of age 5 Children, Girl 15, girl 12, girl 10, boy 14, boy 8, all home, She sells in the Market, husband went to the States some time ago - Mrs. Moffitt has no less than 4 Children at home who ought to be in Service earning their own living. Visitor therefore cannot recommend her.

16. Julia Jones: 89 1/2 Sayer St. (Colered) Methodist. Widow, 45 years of age, 7 Children the five eldest are in Service, but do nothing for her, 2 youngest at home, girl 9 & 7 works as a Charwoman, Recommended for Bread Coal & Soup.

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17. Amy Handy: rere of 97 Sayer St. (Colered) Methodist. Widow, aged 70. a very decent respectable old Woman, lives with old Nancy Barker (Colered) Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread, and a little Wood turn about with Barker.

18. Ann Mullen: 92. Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married, 41 years of age, 3 Children, boy 10, boy 8, girl 6. Husband a Marble polisher, She says that her husband worked at Messrs. Yates' when that firm failed, and lost all his wages, he had better cut wood when we get it.

19. Ann Conners: 21 Centre St. Irish, R.C. Spinster, 65 years of age, a very decent old woman, washes a little, See former report. Recommended for Coal.

20. Charlotte Woolsey: 22 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. 72 years of age. 3 daughters married, do nothing for her. A very decent respectable Woman See former report, She is now very ill in bed, - Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, with Coal, a grate, Tea, Sugar & etc.

21. Mary Johnson: rear of 17 Agnes St. She was not in when the Visitor called, but from former reports, and her appearance now - ought to earn their own living, herself a strong woman, healthy husband, and daughter 14 years of age. Not recommended.

22. Mary Hudson: 12 Seaton St. North of Clover Hill. See former report. recommended for Coal and Bread.

23. Charlotte Rich: 41 Emma St. See former report, as then, the Visitor is still of opinion they ought to go to Service.

24. Mary Walsh: rere of 17 Edward St. See report of former years. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal.

25. Mary Row: rere of 121 South Park St. Last Shanty on left hand side. Miserable hole inhabited by herself and Children, See Case 23 in 1863. Things have not improved since then, the Case is now next door to utter destitution, Recommended for Coal 3 times, and 6 [pounds] of Bread.

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26. Mary Martin: 391 King Street east. Widow aged 57. 3 Children living, a Son in Cincinnati Married, a daughter near Hamilton Married, a daughter here Married and Mother of 13 Children 7 living. If Mrs. Martins other progeny are equally prolific with the body last mentioned, it will readily be seen they have not much to spare for their Mother. Recommended for Coal all she asks. Irish. R.C.

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27. Jane Burns: 391 King St. east. Husband went to Chicago to work in Rolling Mills there, sent her money once but has been sick since. Picks Hair for Jaques & Hay [at] 1 d [pence] a [pound] 5 Children. girl 17 at Service at Mrs. Clarks Boarding House at 12/ [shillings] 6 [pence] per Month. boy 15 & boy 13 both afflicted with spinal disease. girl 7 and girl 3. - Recommended for Coal and Bread according to the Number of Claimants.

28. Ann Franklin: 12 Dummer St. lives with her Sister Jane Cochlin, a Widow who has two Children, and who also wishes for assistance Ann has a girl 5 and a boy 7 years old, - Keeps a small Shop, which contains about [dollars] 5 worth of stock, do what work they can for a living, one Sister helping the other. Irish R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

29. Mary Green: 521 Queen St. west, could not be found.

30. Ellen Clune: 38 in the first Lane of Dummer St. to the west. a Widow has four Children, a girl 13 who keeps the House when the Mother is out working - and 3 Boys, the eldest of whom 14 years old is an errand boy, & the others 3 & 2 years - in bad health owing to hard work since her husband's death. Irish. R.C. To have Coal & Bread.

31. Elisa Death: 85 Lumley St. a Widow for last 9 years, aged 54. No Children. In bad health, lives with some friends who give her a room, Canadian. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal.

32. Mary Sullivan: No. 22. Lane between William and Dummer St. an infirm old Woman 67 years old, with a husband aged 71 who has heart disease & is very infirm. Has a daughter 20 years old, an invalid for last twelve Months. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal, Bread and Soup.

33. Bridget Kelly: a Widow living in the same House as above, has one girl 7 years, only able to sew for a living, and can get but little work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal alternately with Sullivan, & Bread and Soup.

34. Rachael Murphy: First House from West Lane between William and Dummer St. A poor old infirm Widow Woman (who ought to be in some infirmary) living with some friends unable to work. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup.

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35. Margaret Alexander: 167 Lumley St. husband a worthless fellow, gone to Kansas. Has a daughter at home 17 years old who expects a place in a few days, and two other girls 13 & 11 years old, a sober industrious respectable woman, of weak constitution - Irish ChofEngl. Bread Coal & Soup.

36. Mary OBrien: 7 William St. west - a widow - old and unable to work, depending on a daughter in Service for her rent - and a Son who is now out of Employment. Irish. R.C. Recommended for temporary assistance.

37. Catharine Thompson: No. 11 up stairs behind St Patricks Market a Widow - Has a daughter 22 Lying sick in bed of inflammation of the Lungs - and two others 12 and 10 years - works when she can get it - Has also a Son who is an errand boy - Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for temporary assistance.

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38. Elisa Gaffrey: aged 40. No 80 Stanley St. her husband went to the States in May last and not heard from him since, She has 3 Children, boy 6. girl 4 and girl 3 years of age. Irish. R.C.

39. Mary Boylan: Widow, aged 40 years, Irish, R.C. has no Children Committee think she ought to go to service and earn her own living.

40. Margaret Smith: Widow aged 43. 2 Children, boy 8 and boy 6. Scotch. Presbyterian Church.

41. Margaret Vielly: aged 39. Her husband left her 4 years ago, Two Children, one girl 12 years of age, the other 10. Irish. R.C. If Doctor says that the Children (who ought to be in places) are ill as the Mother states, she is to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Coal.

42. Catharine Carey: Widow; 44 years of age. No. 82 Stanley Street. No Children. Irish. R.C.

43. Mary Stuart: aged 42. Her husband unable to work. 5 Children. Boy 14, girl 12. girl 11. boy 7. boy 4, Presbyterian Church.

44. Mary Shannan: 48 Stanley St. Husband 55 years of age. 6 Children, Boy 14. girl 12. girl 9. girl 8. girl 7 and girl 4. Irish. R.C.

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45. Bridget Connally: aged 45. No. 82 Stanley St. 4 Children. Boy 14. girl 10. boy 9 and boy 2 years of age. Irish. R.C. says her husband not able to work. To see the Doctor.

46. Jane Hagan: aged 38 years. No. 79 Stanley St. Husband left her in May last. 3 Children, boy 9. boy 7. and boy 5. A strong able Woman, Committee cannot allow relief to Cases that are not willing to help themselves. dissipated.

47. Honora Burns: No. 79 Stanley St. aged 43. Her husband Lane and away in the Country. 2 Children, boy 8 and boy 3 years. Irish. R.C. refused relief husband being in the Country. She says that she will have relief in spite of the Board.

48. Margaret Neman: aged 32. No. 102 Richmond St. east. her husband left her 4 years ago. 3 Children, boy 11, girl 8. and boy 3 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church.

49. Ann Ryan: No. 99 Richmond St. east. Widow aged 60. Irish. R.C.

50. Patrick Ryan: aged 58. No. 99 Richmond St. east Sickly. Labourer. Irish. R.C.

51. Bridget Hennessy: 101 Richmond St. east. Widow aged 44 years. 2 Children, girl 13. boy 11. Irish. R.C.

52. Bridget Efferson: No. 3 Gerrard St. Widow Irish. R.C.

53. Margaret Whitelock: 3d door in a Lane York St. off Richmond St. Married. ChofEngl. Irish. aged 47. Husband away in the States. 2 Children, boy 13. girl 9. Boy gets some work at the Tobacco factory. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

54. Mary McLaughlin: 97 Richmond St. west, up stairs. Married. aged 48. Presbyterian, Visitor did not see her husband, she says he is old and cannot do much. 2 Boys at home, 12 & 10 years of age. She has two other Sons in the City one married, the other 19 some times at home, helps the family a good deal, Mrs. McLaughlan neighbours say, makes a good deal at Washing, but is very fond of the drop - Visitor leaves the Case to the Committee.

55. Emma Winters: in Case 782 in 1863, recommended for a grate.

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56. Jane Chambers: 37 Stanley St. Irish. Widow. ChofEngl. 3 Children. Boy 11 a Cripple, Boy 9 and girl 2. To have Bread and Coal.

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57. Ann McKay: 18 Stanley St. Husband laid up with Rheumatism these 9 Weeks, Wife a very sore finger disabling her to work. 2 Children, Boy 8, and girl 3. Man intemperate - Woman appears worthy. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread

58. Elizabeth Munday: 123 Tecumseth St. Husband had one of his feet smashed when at work on one of the wharves, and is unable to work during the cold Weather. Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children. girl 10. girl 8, and boy 2. To have Coal and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

59. Clarinda Warren: 70 Elizabeth St. (Colored) ChofEngl. Widow, 47 years of age. 4 Children. boy 15, boy 13, 2 girls 3 years of age. The Boy 13 is at ~~home~~ work at Richmond Hill, the others are at home. A Brother from the States lives with her. Visitor recommends Soup. and the young Man to cut Wood for relief.

60. Elenor Emmett: 137. Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 35 years of age. 5 Children, boy 8, boy 6, boy 3, boy 1, and girl 11 years of age, A very distressing Case, was well to do in England, came to Canada a few years ago, when her husband became a great drunkard, has now gone to the States and left her to provide for her large young family. Visitor recommends 12 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal.

61. Ellen Plunkett: 25 Elizabeth St. when Visitor called she was drunk in the Corner of the Cellar.

62. Jacob Taylor: rere of 238 Sayer St. was not at home when Visitor called, he lives with a white family (~~himself~~ (being Colored himself) who say they took pity on his helpless condition and allow him to sleep there. Visitor recommends that he be assisted.

63. Ann Duvall: Colored, rere of 26 Elizabeth St. Methodist. Widow 64 years of age, in bad health, lives with a Married daughter whose husband has left her with a baby, and does nothing for her. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal, with an order for a grate.

64. Mrs. Nilley: 50 George St. rere of Monkhouse Tavern, Widow, no Children, in very bad health, Has had a paralytic stroke

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65. which has partially disabled one side - She has endeavoured to support herself by Needlework, but has not had any employment for some time - She is destitute of almost everything fuel, food, and clothing, Visitor recommends Coal and Bread, wishes the Coal to be sent up to her at once as she is not able to come before the Board.

66. Sarah McQuiggan: one of two Sisters living in rere of 56 James St. They are old Pensioners, and have been reported upon for the last 3 years, Visitor recommends Coal twice, and a little Bread.

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67. Ann Preston: 228 King St. east. Husband and Wife. Husband a discharged Soldier, met with an accident to his foot for which he is now receiving out door treatment at the Hospital, They are apparently in very destitute circumstances at this moment being Strangers and without any one to lend them a helping hand. Visitor would recommend temporary assistance.

68 Mary Eagan: 54 James St. east an old Pensioner. supports herself by huckstering in Summer - but generally requires some assistance in the cold Winter Months Visitor recommends Coal 4 times.

69. Mary Bergan: 24 years of age, Irish, R.C. bad state of health. dissolute Character. She was sent here from Gaol with an order from Police Magistrate for admission. Allowed to remain in the Building for Casual Poor for a time.

70. Sarah McVey: seems to be half witted, was sent in a similar manner as above Case from Gaol for admission. Committee are of opinion that she might be admitted, not being in a sound state of mind to take care of herself. Irish. R.C. Left again.

71. Elizabeth Johnston: No. 1 Charles St. She has been for some years deserted by her husband, and has one little Girl partly paralyzed to support - She herself has been laid up for some weeks by rheumatism, and is at present quite unable to do anything for her support - When well she earns a little by washing and Charing - The Revd. Mr. Ploughman recommends Coal & Bread

72. Margaret O'Brien: in Case 953. left on her own accord last Monday the 4th January.

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Present Revd. Mr. Broughall and Messrs. J. Thom, E. Hobson and J. Tyner.

73. Mary Murphy: 25 Melinda St. Widow aged 38. an industrious person Irish. R.C has two Children. girl 12, boy 10, intends to put the girl to a trade after this years Schooling. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times and no Bread.

74. Ann Hudson: 144 1/2 York Street. Widow, ChofEngl. Irish. has 6 Children Son aged 22 but not at home, she expects some help from him soon, Girl 16 learning a trade boarding at home gets but [dollars] 1 per Week. Boy 14 at the Factory at present, cannot make much, boy 11, boy 10, and boy 7. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Coal 3 times.

75. Louisa McCarty: 131 Queen St. west. Deserted by her husband. R.C. From Lower Canada, not long in this City, has no Children, Visitor leaves the Case for the Committee to judge.

76. Margt. McDonnell: 131 Queen St. west. Lives with McCarty the above Case, who says that McDonnell is a Widow with one Child aged 13 Months. Irish R.C. aged 23. Another young Widow, and



another young Woman living there, the place altogether appears rather suspicious to Visitor, who leaves the Case to the Committee.

77. Mary Godley: rere of 51 Boulton St. Widow, ChofEngl. aged 41. Irish. two Children, girl 5, and boy 13 who work in a Tobacco Factory. Cannot earn much, does not want assistance long. She is very poor at present on account of the death of her husband a few Months ago. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal 3 times.

78. Mary Campbell: 78 Richmond St. west. No such Number.

79. Ellen O'Rielly: 49 Boulton St. Visitor wishes to bring this Case before the Committee, having been suspicious of her being a drinking person, he stepped in to see her, found her drunk in bed, and her unfortunate Children looking at her, some of them half naked.

80. Priscilla Ann Cook: 5 William Street west. a Widow 45 years of age. Has two Children, one at home a boy 7, now sick, and girl at Service 16 years old, who earns [dollars] 3 a Month. A decent Woman - tidy in her House, works for her living - suffers greatly from Rheumatism English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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81. Eli Hollinworth: Street off College Street immediately north of Mr. J.A. Barber - with his Wife and a girl 6 year old, lives with a Brother in Law who though poor himself, and with a large family has been Keeping the family for the last two Months, a Comb maker by trade, but last Summer worked at Labouring work, now out of employ entirely, a sober respectable Man according to his friends' account. His Wife subject to fits. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup for a Month. To saw Wood for relief.

82. Ann Dunlevie: 18 Stanley St. aged 36. Irish. ChofEngl. Husband aged 40 sick all Summer, No Children alive - Recommended for Bread and fuel.

83. Isabella Cope: 247 Yonge St. aged 50. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 2 Children, Boy 14 girl 9. Living with a family by the Name of Warren Colored people from the Southern States. left to the Consideration of Weekly Committee, would say fuel once.

84. Ann Mooney: 46 Ann St. aged 63. Irish. R.C. Cripple. and sickly since she was 11 years old. Never Married. Recommended for Fuel and Bread.

85. Ann Lloyd: rere 116 Adelaide St. west Receives Bread from the House, has been sick for some time. Visitor recommends that she receive 900 [pounds] of Coal for the season, and at once.

86. Ann Healey: Grogg Lane, Widow, No Children. pays [dollars] 2 a Month rent, and makes a little by buying and selling second hand Clothes. Wants Coal and Bread. Committee consider she is able to provide for herself

87. Mary Wilkinson: lives in same House as above, has 3 Children and husband in delicate health. Wants Coal and Bread.

88. Margaret Hopkins: 3 West William St. Has a husband lately came from the States, and 4 Children, the eldest 8 years old. rent of [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month, Husband to see the Doctor

89. Priscilla Ann Cook: No. 5 William St. Widow with one Child at home seems very poor - and wants Coal & Bread.

90. Mary Kenny: 36 Dummer St. husband a day labourer, very poor.

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91. James Hawley: 21 Dummer St. a Wife and seven Children, 4 of them at home - has got his hands very much frost bitten, and can do no work, wants bread and Coal.

92. Ellen Quinn: 36 Dummer St. a Widow in ill health No Children, recommended for Coal and Bread.

93. Thomas Armstrong: 35 Strachan St. Wife and seven Children at home. Husband able to work, but says he can get none. want assistance very much.

94. Cathr. Arthur: 479 Richmond St. west. Widow with 6 Children respectable looking. Husband was Drum Major of the 30th and was lately frozen to death. Wants Bread & Coal.

95. Elizabeth Scott: next door to above, has been a Widow for three years - has two Children at home the eldest 12 years old - earns her living as a Laundress. Wants Coal and Bread.

96. Johanna McEvoy: 63 Esther St. Has 5 Children at home. the eldest 8 years old. Husband lately gone to the States - rather a dirty looking Woman.

97. Mary Green: 521 Queen St. west. deserted by her husband has one Child at home. Coal and Bread. Committee consider she should earn her own living, being young and able.

98. Margaret McMann: same House as above, deserted by her husband, has 3 Children at home, Wants Coal and Bread.

99. John Corcoran: same House as above, 65 years old. can do but little work. To come and cut Wood for relief.

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100. Catharine Galvin: 26 Dummer St. Irish. R.C. Widow, with one Girl 11 years old. Supports herself by sewing. Coal & Bread.

101. Ann Ellingham: Husband broke his thigh about 3 Months ago and is unable to do any work, he is now in the Country with his Father, and has left her in Charge with his 3 Children, and with no means of support. Ann Ellingham is at present living with Mrs. McQuinn: in 365 Adelaide St. west. She wants both Coal and Bread.

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102. Ann Flood: 80 Portland St. with respect to this Woman whom the Visitor was unable to see yesterday, he has just discovered that she and the rest of the family were turned out of this House yesterday by their Landlord for drunkenness and misconduct of one of the Men.

103. Joanna Burns: 49 Princess St. This Case is in St. Davids Ward. She lives with Roach, a flour dealer. Husband went of to the States some 6 or 7 years ago, thinks he has enlisted. No Children. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

104. Cathr. Ellamonge: 50 Front St. See Case 126 in 1863. No great improvement since. Recommended for Coal twice and 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

105. Cathr. Mooney: 28 Frederick St. Widow, one Child a girl 18 at Service - Irish R Catholic. uses a Stove in Common with Honora Kearns and Elizabeth Smith, may therefore be allowed Coal alternately with them: also 4 [pounds] of Bread a Week.

106. Elisa Waters: 332 King St east, a single Woman in bad health - has very recently been under treatment at the Hospital for Erysipelas in the head - goes out to sew and wash, when she can get it to do. Has no friends or relatives here - used formerly to go out to service - but from being so constantly liable to attacks of Erysipelas has been obliged to give up Service. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

107. Sarah Hardiman: Widow, 46 James St. east. An old Pensioner. see former reports, there is nothing to add this year, except that from her age and increasing infirmities, she is certainly a most fit object for relief. Recommended for Coal during the Winter, receives Bread.

108. Cathr. Roach: 44 James St. east. Husband away in the States. went there last August, and she has never heard from him since - 3 young Children. They obtained relief from the House last winter, and they seem to have sunk lower than ever. They [the] House in which they are living is a miserable dirty hold. They have hardly a scrap of bedding, and Mrs. Roach is getting Medicine from the Hospital for some complaint which seems to have reduced her to skin & bones. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

109. Ellen Rowbottom: Blairs Yard Nelson St. was not at home.

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110. Mary Eagan: 54 James St. east. is very desirous of getting a little Wood instead of Coal, and says if she could get a quarter of a Cord she would be well contend with that for the Winter.

111. Mary Rice: Widow. Corner of Power and King St. east. a very decent little body - Received relief two years ago - does not apply so long as she can possibly do without it. Recommended for Coal.

112. Elizabeth Whealan: 102 George St. The Widow of a Soldier - a very old Woman - No Children in this Country, or friends or connexions. She is living with Mrs. Ryan a very decent little woman who is also getting relief from the House. Visitor recommends that Mrs. Whealan receive Coal now and a loaf of Bread Weekly - would afterwards propose, that the Coal be given alternately to her and Mrs. Ryan -

113. Mary Carroll: Blairs Yard Nelson St. Widow. No Children or friends here - a weak sickly Woman, had relief last year, and as far as Visitor can ascertain, believes her to be deserving of assistance - at all events during the severe Winter Months. Recommended for Coal and a small allowance of Bread.

114. Ellen Hookaway: 47 Sumach St. Widow, 3 Children. Reported upon last year - No Change - has received Coal once, recommended Coal 3 times more.

115. Ellen Lockhart: who formerly lived at 65 Pine St. has moved next door, and Visitor thinks she might have Coal 3 times.

116. Catharine Foley: rere of 82 Stanley St. Husband went to the States seven Months ago. 5 Children, girl 12, girl 8, girl 6, girl 4, girl 2. Irish. R.C. To have Soup, 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, & Coal.

117. Bridget Kett: 62 Stanley St. Widow, aged 63, Irish. R.C. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

118. Thomas Halloran: 64 Stanley St. Married, aged 55, 2 Children Boy 10, girl 2. Irish. R.C.

119. Mary Dunlop: 88 Stanley St. aged 46. Husband went to the States 6 Months ago. Irish, 3 Children, girl 13, boy 9, girl 4. Cooks Church.

120. Ellen Dowd: 95 Stanley St. Widow, 3 Children, (refused) See Case 67 in 1863.

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121. Bridget Whealan: 91 Stanley St. Widow aged 35 years. 3 Children, girl 6, Boy 4, girl 3. Irish. R.C.

122. Fanny McMullen: aged 30. 4 Children. Husband has been in gaol for 2 Months for illusing [ill using] her. Rere of 93 Stanley St.

123. Elisa Shea: No. 80 Stanley St. 30 years of age, 2 Children, one 2 years old the other 3 Weeks. Husband paralyzed, and has but one leg. Irish. R.C. Recommended for relief.

124. Cathr Sullivan: No. 97 Richmond St. Widow aged 26. one Child 15 Months old. Irish. R.C. Recommended.

125. Ann Malony: 97 Richmond St. east. Widow aged 41 years, has been in the Hospital 10 Weeks under the Care of Dr Aikins. Left the Hospital about 4 Weeks ago uncured, and is now unable to work. Irish. ChofEngl.

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Present Messrs. J. Doel and E. Hobson

126. Mary Letcher: rere of 34 Louisa St. German. ChofEngl. Widow, aged 30 one boy 6 years of age. She appears a clean industrious Woman, works at a Tobacco factory, wages [dollars] 2 per Week. To have 600 [pounds] of Coal for the [season]

127. Eliza West: rere of 18 Terauly St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 59 years of age. She is in bad health and has a broken arm. 2 Children. son 22 - daughter 20, both in New York. Visitor has Known her for some years, always found her steady and industrious.

128. Julia Linthurst: rere of 37 Centre St. Married 24 years of age. American, No Church, 2 Children, boys 2 & 3 years of age. appears clean and respectable. Husband a Labourer, not long from the States, he might be allowed to cut Wood for relief.

129. Cathr. Lucas: 195 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. 55 years of age, No Children, a very clean respectable Woman, but having a bad leg, and in general bad health, she is in want of Coal.

130. Ann Davis: 238 Sayer St. See former report. (Colored)

131. Mary Ryan: next door to Reids, Elizabeth St. not Known there.

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132. Mary Ann Henderson: 48 Queen St. a Widow 46 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. See former report. To have 600 [pounds] of Coal for the season.

133. Ann Scanlan: 191 Centre St. not Known there

134. Elisa Gardener: 144 York St. in the cellar. Widow - aged 37. Not particular about Church, she has one Child aged 3 years and 8 Months recommended for Coal 3 times, and Soup, no Bread.

135. Bridget Ward: 85 Richmond St. up Stairs, a filthy Place - with others living there like herself. This Woman was struck off last Winter for being drunk - Visitor thinks she might have a little assistance for two Months. Coal twice, 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Soup. Committee consider she is able to work, refused on account of her drunkenness.

136. Margaret Costello: 101 King St. west since November is a Merchants Store, this is the 3d [pence] time Visitor has been looking for her, once at 78 Richmond St. another time a little farther west, both Gentlemans Houses.

137. Elisa Lemmon: 85 Richmond St. west. This Woman has pass'd herself of as a Widow for the past 2 or 3 years, Visitor finds she has a husband, that in place of being dead he was away, and is now come back - but is of opinion that it is some worthless fellow she is living with, can therefore not recommend the Case for relief.

138. Margaret Stevens: rere of 28 Richmond St. west Widow, R.C. Irish aged 56, lives with her daughter who is Married, and has five Children herself to provide for, and what makes it worse the father of them has sprained his ancle [ankle], and can not work if he could get it to do. Recommended for Coal 3 times, 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Soup.

139. Ann Flood: 87 Richmond St. west. R.C. Irish. Married, aged 50. Husband 60. Son 24 away, Daughter 19 with one Child says the husband is in the States - Son 14. This is a horrible den of filth and dirt the place and the people, several families all in filth and rags seem to be living together. Visitor thinks that perhaps they may have a little assistance. Committee will not grant assistance. See Case 102.

140. Robert Ferguson: 38 Boulton St. Irish. ChofEngl. a Widower, aged 35. left with 6 Children, 4 Boys aged 12. 7. 5. 2. Two girls 9 & 8 years of age. Buried his Wife and one Child not long since. Tailor by trade, cannot make a living for so large a family this Winter without assistance - to have 12 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and 900 [pounds] of Coal sent all at once.

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141. Teresa Redmond: 46 McGill St. English. ChofEngl. aged 31. Husband a soldier in the 100th Regt, away at Gibraltar, a Child boy 3 years old, Visitor did not see her, an old Scotch Woman of 60 years, who

cares for her Child when Mrs. Redmond is away stated she was out working, They Mrs. Fairburn and Mrs. Redmond have a room from a familie Named Buchanan, a Shoemaker. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

142. Charlotte McLaughlan: 18 Stanley St. up stairs, aged 45. English husband 46 Irish and sick. ChofEngl. 5 Children at home. one Boy and two girls away doing for themselves, this family is in a miserable plight. he is a Tailor but has no work they say. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

143. Catharine Shanahan: 37 Stanley St. Not at home when Visitor called, but appearances were very much against the place, it is a miserable low drinking hole, and there were quite a Number of youngsters rather suspicious looking, - before relief is given Visitor would like to examine more closely

144. Blake: a family living at 18 Stanley St. consisting of husband and Wife, recommended for 300 [pounds] of Coal.

145. Jane Henderson: 110 Strachan St. Lives with Ellen Burns who receives relief from the House already, in a wretchedly cold and uncomfortable place, without furniture, a vagrant wandering about from Town to Country, a Widow 30 years of age - No Children - has no Clothes to look for a situation, else she would not ask for aid - English. ChofEngl. The Case left to the Committee.

146. Sarah Iredale: 123 Herbert St. Husband left her 8 Months ago - has not heard from him for seven Months. 2 Children, a girl 4 years old, a baby 7 Months - used to work for her living but now unable to obtain employment - apparently a decent Woman - Mary Ann Bedford who has assistance lives with her and uses her Stove, English. ChofEng. recommended for a little Coal and Bread.

147. Margaret Keating: 45 Oxford St. her husband a Labourer out of employ for the last two Months - a sober industrious Man according to his Wifes account, has 5 small Children, all at home. 4 boys 7, 6, 5 and 2 ½ years respectively and one girl 4. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread for a Month. To see the Doctor.

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148. Elisa Gradwall: 256 Queen St. west. a pensioner last year - Visitor has looked in to this Case and finds it to correspond with the account given before the Committee last Week.

149. ^Camilla^ Mrs. Childs: Visitor strongly recommends this Case to the favourable consideration of the Committee - Her husband is now suffering under a very severe attack of small pox which Visitor can certify from personal observation - He is a Bricklayer, and before his illness had but occasional Work - Mrs. C. used to wash and scrub to support the family, but is now unable of course to do anything - She is a respectable deserving Woman, 4 Children 3 girls 11, 3. and 1 year respectively and 1 Boy 8 all at home

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- Scotch. Chof Engl. Lives in the last House (to the west) on the North side of Oxford St. Visitor would be glad if some Coal could be sent, as she is unable to come down, also Bread with a little Tea & Sugar.

150. Mary Ann Beamish: rear of 18 South Park St. See former report. still works for Mrs. Lailey, but earns very little, times being dull, says she wants pretty much every thing - the room is rather airy, there being about as many broken panes of Glass as sound ones. She is very deaf - has 5 Children, from 12 past, downwards all at home. Recommended for Coal, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

151. Ann Kingston: 18 South Park St. Widow, husband was Killed by the recent explosion at Goderhams distillery, - Messrs. Gooderham allow her 20 / [shillings] a Week till 1st of April. Her age 36: been in Toronto since Childhood 7 Children. John 16 wants work, but can find none - Anne 14, Betsey 12, Sarah 10, Paul 9, Thomas John 6, Nathaniel 12 Months, all at home. ChofEngl. her time is fully occupied by this numerous family. Visitor recommends Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

152. Ann Horan: rear of Perkinsons Waggon Shop Duke St. Lives in the same House with Elisa Littledale, her husband like so many others has gone to the States, and she has heard nothing of him for Months. She has 3 young Children 8 - 6 and 4 - Recommended for a small allowance of Bread, and Coal turn about with Littledale.

153. Catharine Keating: 319 Queen St. east. This Woman and her her husband are both Visitor believes objects of Charity, They were reported upon last year. Their advanced age - and the state of their dwelling may be taken as the best evidence of their Wants. Recommended. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal.

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154. Bridget Purcell: rear of 126 Berkly St. This Woman was out when Visitor called, but the person with whom she lodged, said that Mrs. Purcells husband had deserted her for many years, that she had one Child, and supported herself by scrubbing washing & etc., but this work was very scarce now, and that she was in great distress in consequence. Recommended for Coal.

155. Mary Green: 90 George St. Visitor cannot report favourably upon Mrs. Greens Case until he has an opportunity of making further enquiries -

156. Mary Moons: 52 George St. a single Woman makes a living by Shoe binding - A very respectable hard working person, work is now very slack and she has no means of procuring fuel. Recommended for Coal 4 times bread if she asks for it.

157. Alice Flannagan: 10 Power St. 5 Children. Husband like so many others away in the States. So far as Visitor can judge he believes this Woman is really in great want. Recommended for Coal twice and Bread for one Month.

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158. George Watson: in Case 992 in 1863. engaged himself to William Hubbard of Oshawa, consequently left the House.

159. Thomas Sturgeon: James and Samuel were sent here by the Police Magistrate the Mother Margaret Sturgeon was sent to Gaol for Keeping a disorderly House. The Children are Colored, the Mother being a White Woman, and the father Black.

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160. Margt. Costello: 101 King St. west. Widow aged 34. R.C. Irish. has two daughters aged 11 and 10 years respectively, lives rent free for doing a little work for the Landlord. She is not in good health. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Coal 3 times and Soup.

161. Mary McCaulay: adjoining old North American Hotel upstairs in the rear. See former report, things have not improved with her since she was last visited, She is at present rent free to 1st May. but in a very dirty habitation, husband not able to work, but possible might cut Wood for the House if required. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal once.

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162. John Ladney: 563 King St. west, is very rheumatic, especially in his hands and is unable in consequence to do much work. Has a Wife and six Children, the eldest a boy 9 years old, Seem very poor and want assistance in Bread and fuel -

163. Patrick Monahan: 565 King St. west. wishes to get taken into the House altogether - He is an old Man of 60 with right arm completely disabled. has no Children dependent on him - his wife washes and seems a strong able bodied Woman, but says she is unable to get enough work to support them both. They have been in Toronto 4 years, and come originally from Ireland. Their Cottage looks clean and tidy. Committee consider there is no necessity for admitting him, but will assist him out.

164. Maria Leary: 125 Tecumseth St. a young girl 19 years of age - lost her parents at a very early age and has been 10 years in Toronto - has had her left arm and her hip broken, and is somewhat dwarfish in appearance - Has been trying to earn her board by her labour, but the people with whom she is now living, say that they are too poor to keep her longer without assistance. Recommended for admission, To be examined by Doctor and if a fit Case, to be admitted.

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165. Fanny Verrall: 7 Camden St. a respectable tidy Woman, & a clean House, Husband has deserted her, and left her with four Children, more or less dependent on her - She used to earn a living by selling Vegetables at St. Patricks Market, but is now suffering from slow rheumatism which keeps her from work. Her eldest daughter 30 years old, is subject to constant Epileptic fits - And at present they are all almost entirely dependent on a Son of 17 years of age. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread & Coal.

166. Jane Redditt: 125 Tecumseth St. has only herself to support, and is well able to work, but cannot get much to do, seems very poor. Recommended only Bread. Committee advise she goes to Service.

167. Charlotte McLaughlan: in Case 142 Recommended for a grate

168. Mary Blake: in Case 144. No. 18 Stanley St. Irish R.C. aged 25. husband aged 40, says he cannot get work, but is very anxious to do so, very poor, No children. Recommended for Coal & Bread. Committee order that he come and cut Wood for relief.

169. John McInerney: living with above Case, Native of Ireland R.C. Recommended for Bread.

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170. Jane Cavanagh: 11 Dummer St. Lives in a dirty uncomfortable place. The husband who is not very steady cannot get work, but is willing to do anything he can get, otherwise the Woman would not apply for aid - Has 4 Children, all at home, a boy 13 who helps to pay the rent, and 3 girls 11, 9, and 3 - Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal for one Month. To Cut Wood for relief.

171. Elisa Ward: 38 Dummer St. lives with a Mrs. Kearney - Is over 50 years old - has not heard from her husband who is in the States for over 2 years - No Children, is under the Doctors Care, Irish, R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

172. Mary Donohoe: First Lane off Dummer St. North of Queen St. a Widow 38 years of age with 3 Children, 2 boys one 8 1/2 other 7 and a girl 14 with fallen sickness. Visitor did not see the Children Lives in a cold uncomfortable House with but little furniture, only 5 weeks in Toronto from Lower Canada, in search (she says) of her Brother in Law. Irish. R.C. Left to the Committee.

173. Emma Roberts 30 Dummer St. Not at home when visitor called, (but he learned that she is a Widow. Has a boy and a girl) Takes a room from a Mrs. Cearney - husband in the States - has an infant 9 Weeks old - sews for a living, not able to work. Scotch. Presbt, Left to the Committee.

174. Mary Tracey: 521 Queen St. west. Not at home when Visitor called but he learned that she is a Widow, has a boy and girl - Living in the place only 8 days, up stairs in a dirty hole, with an old Man and his Son over Mrs. Greene who is receiving relief. Irish. R.C. left to Committee

175. Bridget McDonnell: next to 32 Dummer St. No such person to be found in the Neighbourhood.

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176. Alice Flannagan: 10 Power St. Husband away in the States has a large family of young Children, 5 at home. Recommended for Coal twice and Bread for a short time.

177. Sarah Cavanagh: 113 Nelson St was not at home when the Visitor called, same Person reported upon two years ago - then living at No. 10 Duchess St. Coal twice. 57 years of age. Widow. R.C. Irish.

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178. Margt. McGulpin: 113 Nelson St. Living with Mary Murphy - has one Child husband like so many others away in the States, She has two of her Children out in the Country were they were taken as a matter of Charity. She appears to be a very respectable person, and Visitor would recommend her for Coal turn about with Mrs. Murphy, and a small allowance of Bread Weekly.

179. Richard Grayden: a tailor by trade, but old and feeble, Married. R.C. Irish. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

180. Bridget Kane: 91 Ann Street. Her husband left her 4 years ago, She is 27 years of age. Irish. R.C. Has to support a young Brother, and her Mother who has been 3 years in the Lunatic Asylum, and is now almost blind, lives with her also depending upon her. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week and Coal for the season.

181. Margaret McKenna: 77 Stanley St. Visitor did not see her.

182. James Irwin: an Inmate, left the Institution on his own accord.

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183. Ellen Davis: 97 Boulton St. lives up stairs, has a husband who is a worthless fellow, does not live with him. ChofEngl. has two Children, girls, one 11, the other 9. Washes for a living when she can get it to do, aged 47. Recommended for Coal twice, and Bread 6 [pounds] per Week.

184. Elisa Wilson: 37 Queen St. west, She does not live there the place being a Butchers Shop.

185. Margaret Charlton: aged 27. Lives at No 92 Church St. 3 Children, girl 7, girl 5, and girl 3 years of age. Her husband a Tinsmith left for Montreal to seek Employment 6 Months ago, and she has not heard from him since. Irish. R.C. Recommended.

186. Margt Hopkins: Gerrard St. No 5. Visitor did not see her, she was from home.

187. Anastasia Hanton: 27 William St. E. A Widow 56. No Children. Supported by a few friends, Not able to work, owing to years, and illness. Coal & Bread Irish R.C.

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188. Mary Tyrrell: 22 William St. west. Husband in the States for the last 18 Months, has 3 Children all at home, 2 boys 10 & 2, and a girl {illegible}. Cannot get Employment out of doors, but sews for a living - Irish. R.C. Recommended for assistance for a Month.

189. Mary Gormly: 16 Esther St. could not be found.

190. Sarah Gustard: College St. near Mr. Barber a young Woman without Children, with a husband well and hearty, young and able to work, who spends his gains in drink. The Woman is a regular beggar See former report Case 309. 1863.

191. Ann Donnelly: 97 Bishop St. Has a husband who drinks what he earns and gives nothing to his Wife - She herself works a day or two in the Week which is all she has to support the family - Has 5 Children all at home - two boys 10 and 5 years old, and 3 girls 9, 3, 1 1/2. Very badly off apparently. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

192. Rebecca Miller: rere of 238 Sayer St. Irish, ChofEngl. Spinster. 57 years of age, last year she had relief from the House of Industry, when she stated she was a Servant out of place, this year she has the same story, stating she has been in Service during the Summer but out of place at present and wants some assistance, she is not a strong Woman. Visitor thinks the Case may be met, by allowing her 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for a short time.

193. Frances Hood: 23 Church St. See report Case 196 in 1863. Daughter still lives with her, no word of the Boy who ran away - thinks soon of going to Montreal, to look after another boy, apprenticed there to a Wheelwright - She may be allowed Coal once.

194. Susannah Easton: 77 McMahon St. husband absent in the States, has two Children a very decent respectable Woman. Case reported upon last year - Supports herself pretty well by washing through the Summer. Recommended for Coal twice.

195. Mary Wardrobe: 48 James St. east. Husband and four Children, husband works in the rolling Mills - has been ill and consequently out of Work for some time - He now gets 3 Nights during the Week at the Mills. They ask for Coal once and a little bread. Visitor recommends Coal now, and Bread for a Month.

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196. Catharine Johnson: rere of Perkinsons, Duke St. She and Mrs. Hay's were living together and Visitor recommended them for Coal "turn about", as soon as Mrs. Hayes got her Coal she moved to another House, taking the Coal with her, and Mrs. Johnson is now naturally desirous of having her turn. Visitor thinks that she ought to have it.

197. Mary Jennings: living at No. 14 Duchess St. has an old Woman Mrs. Cusack living with her, they have had Coal, but their Month is out and on the old Womans account who is now perfectly bedridden and cannot last Visitor thinks many Weeks, would recommend them for Coal once more.

198. Ellen Rowbottom: Blairs yard Nelson St. in Case 109. Visitor has seen her since, and now recommends her for Coal once and Bread for a Month.

199. Mary Ann McDonnell: aged 13, Irish. R.C. was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. for admission - Both her Parents having been sent to Gaol for two Months for Keeping a disorderly House on Dummer Street.

200. John Barnfather: an Inmate, a Paralytic and Imbecile, died January 19: at half past Eleven P.M. See Case 483 in 1863.

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201. Elizabeth Godfrey: in Case 740 in 1863. went to place with Mrs. James Dunn of 130 Peter Street, who promises to pay her according to her worth.

202. Rachel Finley: 88 Albert St. Irish, ChofEngl, Widow, 30 years of age, 2 Children, boy 13, works at a Tobacco factory at [dollars] 1 per Week. girl 11 years at home. Mrs. Finley has a Sister living with her, they both work at [Pant] making, earn from [dollars] 2 1/2 to [dollars] 3 a Week between them in Store pay, they appear clean and respectable.

203. Rose Clohasey: 79 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Married, 32 years of age, one Child a girl, aged 6. Says her husband was sick, and not able to work for 3 Months last Summer, and now has no work, Visitor recommends husband to cut Wood for relief.

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204. Mary Gormley: 63 Esther St. a Widow about 60 years of age. No Children has only been here about 2 Weeks, living with Mrs.. McEvoy, who has aid from the House and who Visitor fancies wishes to receive more through Mary Gormley. Appears to be an intemperate Woman- Irish. R.C. Left to the Committee.

205. Rachel Murphy: in a Lane off Dummer St. this is the Woman Dr. Fuller wished to have admitted into the House, but as she has a husband who is able to work, and who also gets a good pension. Committee consider she is not a Case to be admitted, but will/if Visitor recommends afford relief outside. Visitor called and says that he reported her Case some time ago, when she represented herself as being a Widow. See Case 34.

206. Mary Tremble: not at home when Visitor called.

207. Margaret McLellan: Duchess St. one of Walkers houses, could not find such a person.

208. Mary Mulvaney: Lane rear of 61 Duchess St. Widow. husband dead about 4 Months-living in one of the most wretched hovels Visitor has ever been in- fit only for a stable or pigs-stye! She has 5 Children altogether. but the two eldest have been living in the States for a long time, and she has now three at home. Boy 13, girl 11, boy 8. She appears to be destitute of almost everything. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

209. Sarah Coolehan: rere of 134 Beech St. Husband and one Child. The husband is now suffering under a severe affection of the Lungs, and has been forbidden by the Doctor to leave the House. He is a Carpenter by trade, and although only confined to the House for a fortnight has been ill since last Autumn. He appears to be a very decent respectable person, and is certainly in very great distress for want of both fuel and food. Recommended for coal and Bread, To have Sugar, Tea, etc.

210. John Mills: 226 Power St. Wife and two Children. A pedlar by trade- he is also a Cripple, and therefore unfit for Manual Labour, he says he is really in great distress for want of fuel. Recommended for Coal twice. he might have a little Bread if he asks for it- Visitor thinks he will hardly ask for it.

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211. Mary Summers: 252 King St. east. Visitor has been twice to this curious sort of den that this Woman lives in, but has never been able to find her at home.

212. Mary Courtney: 81 George St. and 'Mary Brothers' Living together- Mary Courtneys husband has been absent for some years and is now supposed to be dead- She has two Children.

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213. Mary Brothers: is an old Case, and a pretty hard one too she has been! She is now almost helpless having had both her feet frozen. Visitor recommends them for Coal turn about until the end of next Month, and a little bread.

214. Margaret McKenna: 77 Stanley St. Visitor did not see her.

215. Mary Ann Adams: 92 Church St. about 30 years of age. Single Woman. Irish. R.C. Recommended to go to Service by Committee.

216. Sarah Trigg: 101 Richmond St. east. 40 years of age, one Child 2 years old. Her husband left her about 3 years ago. ChofEngl.

217. Frederica Cline: 67 Richmond St. east. Cap Maker, cannot get work about 50 years of age. German. 2 Children, Boy 6, girl 4. Lutheran wishes to get Coal. Committee decide that the husband Cut Wood.

218. Catharine Cowan: 33 Stanley St. aged 40. Husband cannot get work. 2 Children, Boy 9, and boy 4. ChofEngl. Husband to Cut Wood.

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219. Jane Shipp: 616 Yonge Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 48 years of age. 7 Children, girl 18 at home in bad health, Girl 16 at Service at [dollars] 3 per Month, girl 6, girl 5 at home, Boy 14 in Service at [dollars] 4 per Month, boy 9 and boy 8 at home. Visitor was informed that she is a steady respectable industrious Woman, Came from the Country, consequently is only entitled to temporary relief, say 600 [pounds] of Coal once.

220. Ann Glynn: in lane west of York St. has been receiving assistance, her husband having a sore hand, it is yet too bad to work with. Visitor recommends relief for one Month longer. See Case 846 in 1863.

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221. Ellen Seddon: 485 Richmond St. west. aged 55. a Widow of very industrious habits- Visitor has known her for some years. She lost her husband about new years day during the severe cold. And is at present very badly off owing to scarcity of work- Irish. R.C. No Children- Recommended for Coal and Bread for one Month.

222. Mary Mahoney: Visitor could not find her, but will have another search for her.

223. Elizabeth Smith: 36 Parliament St. Out looking for work. - husband lying on bed, 3 Children pegged together on the floor in Corner of room- An old Man "Thomas Hain" lives with them and pays half rent- Husband says he is rheumatic, was formerly in Police force and also a night watchman- 1 Child at Service for her Clothes- at home Elizabeth say 12 years , Susan 8. John 6 (back broken) Mary Ann 3.- Husband 16 years here, originally from Ireland. ChofEngl. Visitor does not like the appearance of this Case; the family are undoubtedly in great destitution, but whether from their own fault, or other causes he cannot decide. They might be allowed temporary relief, say 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal once for one Month.

224. Catherine Johnston: Corner of Esther and Charles St. deserted by her husband, has one Child a girl slightly paralyzed to support, herself also in bad health, and has not been able to work for some time. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

225. Euphrasia Pillue: 194 Adelaide St. east. No such number, Street ends at 108-

226. Elizabeth Smith: 114 Nelson St. boards with Mrs. Hogg- is an old pensioner of the House- aged 74- 33 years in Toronto. Husband died in Duchess St. many years ago- has Children in Coast guard service- England- others married here in the Country. none able to assist her- herself past work- ChofEngl. well known to Revd. Mr. Baldwin. Recommended 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal once.

227. Bridget Collins: 224 Queen St. east. Hon G. W. Allan recommends Coal at half price.

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228. Mary O'Meally: 70 Stanley St. a boarder there- from bottles and glasses should think it a whiskey selling establishment- 53 years of age, husband went to the States 9 Months ago to work on a Railway- no word of him since- A Married daughter lives opposite, 3 other Children at Service in town for nothing but their clothes- Irish. R.C. one Stove common to all the Inmates. Might have Coal once and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

229. Mary Quigley: 134 Beech St. Widow- Husband died a few Weeks ago, has been formerly in the 69th Rgt. [Regiment] and in the Canadian Rifles. Mrs. Quigly has five Children, the youngest an infant only 15 Months old. She is in a most destitute condition and Visitor has advised her to apply to the Boys Home to see if they would take in two of her Children- though he fears from the crowded state of the Institution there is but little chance for her. In the mean time she is recommended for Coal and Bread.

230. Margaret Sherlock: rear of 53 Duchess St. Widow, Husband died 8 years ago and she has a Child in her arms of about 2 years old. Visitor thinks it would be well if she were to place the Child in the House of Providence and go out to service.

231. Mary McCarty: 301 Power St. No such Number in Power Street.

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232. Margaret McClellan: rear of 88 Duchess St. Widow. Mrs. McClellan has one Child a boy of 12 years old, she is laid up at present with a very bad foot partly brought on by frostbite while working out in a place in the Country in which she lived since about 2 Months ago. She has now been laid up for a fortnight- luckily for her she was taken in by the person with whom she is now living Mrs. Rennie who has been very kind to her- Visitor recommends Mrs. McClellan to be allowed Coal once, and Bread for a Month, The Case then might be referred again.

233. Mary Summers: 252 King St. east. Widow and two Children. was not at home when Visitor called, but came to see him since. appears a stout health Woman says she goes out to wash & scrub but get but little Employment, and is very badly off for fuel. They certainly live in a most wretched hovel. To have Coal once.

234. Charles Drass: in Case 656 in 1863, one of the Children sent to General Hospital with small pox, was taken in here again Jany. 11/64.

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235. Christina Whitehouse: 113 Duke Street, Visitor recommends that her husband be allowed to saw Wood for another allowance of Coal.

236. John Jennings: aged 15, and 'Cornelius Fox' aged 12, were sent here this evening for Shelter, by Sergeant Major Hastings, having been found wandering about the Streets by the Police. The Boys state that they were sent out to Canada, by way of New York in sailing Ship 'Guy Mannering' from Feltham reformatory near London England, and on their arrival at New York, a older Boy who came out with them from the same place sold their Clothes and enlisted in the Federal Army, Consequently these two Boys are destitute of Clothing, and not very Clean, having been 6 Weeks on their passage out in a crowded Ship.

237. Cornelius Fox in Case 236. Procured him a place with George Fletcher of Mono, a Farmer (Mulmer P.O. [Post Office]) who promises if the Boy behaves himself he shall be well taken care of, or if the Committee likes he will take him under Indenture. Jany. 27.

238. Thomas Butcher: formerly an Inmate, who left the House last Spring with the Intention of earning his living out, which he has been able to do until now, seeks readmission for the Winter, brought a Note from the Revd. Mr. Givins who knows him and recommends the Case. See 460 in 1863. 40 years of age.

Friday 29th January 1864

Present Rev. E. Baldwin and Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Bugg

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239. Margaret Gentle: 29 Adelaide St. west. Husband died last Summer has 4 Children. English. R.C. Visitor recommends Coal for the season, and 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, one of her Boys is rather delicate, for whom she will be allowed a little Meal & Rice.

240. Philip Reilly: 25 Bishop St. Not at home when Visitor called, did however see his Wife who was lying drunk on the bed, she has only lately come out of Gaol where she confined for some Weeks for drunkenness- Philip Reilly himself, however, is a decent and a hardworking Man and besides his drunken Wife, has two Children to support by his exertions. he is much to be pitied and is deserving of aid- Revd. Mr. Plowman would also add- that one of his grown up Daughters

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was for some Months a housemaid of his and reflected great credit upon her father for his good training. Irish. R.C. Church.

241. Joseph Foster: 49 Emma St. English. ChofEngl. Married, 31 years of age. one Child Boy 4 years of age, Wife and self both in bad health, he left the Hospital a short time ago, and as yet not able to do hard work- Visitor thinks it would be well to assist them for a short time.

242. Virginia Hall: (Colered) 180 Centre St. Baptist Church. Widow, aged 58. one daughter Married, not able to do anything for her Mother- works at Knitting but earns very little at that kind of work. She appears a clean industrious old Woman. Recommended for Coal twice.

243. Elisa Wilson: rear of 37 James St. Irish. ChofEngl. aged 53. 3 Children, boy 12, boy 10, girl 9 years of age all in the Country- She is not able to work on account of a very bad leg, it would be well she should see our Doctor, and if as bad as she states, Visitor would recommend Coal turn about with Mrs. Densmore, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

244. Mary Mahoney: behind 60 Dummer St. Has 7 Children, only 3 at home two boys 9 & 2 years old and 1 girl 7- Husband in States & has not been heard from for four Months. Spoken favourably of by neighbours. Irish, ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

245. Margaret Slattery: Removed from 63 Esther St. to 11 Dummer St. No Change in Circumstances of Case. Left to the Committee.

246. Mary Jennings: Corner of McMahon & Queen St. In reference to this Case already reported upon this year- Visitor is now satisfied that this Womans husband- although at one time he drank hard- is now a sober person- He is in wretched health owing in great measure to his former habits of his

intemperance- but she is a respectable hard working Woman. Visitor feels disposed to recommend them for Coal again.

247. Margaret McCrum: 115 Duchess St. Husband a sailor met with a bad accident and is now in Hospital at Chicago. She appears to be a very decent respectable person- has 3 young Children, and only asks for relief in the shape of fuel until her husband is sufficiently recovered to leave the Hospital and return to his work. Her Stove has some defects in it which will prevent its burning Coal, recommended for Wood if possible. She would be glad to earn any further assistance by knitting.

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248. William Burrett: Corner of Queen and Parliament St. An aged Man almost bed ridden, was formerly a working Jeweler. He met with an accident some time ago by which his feet were badly scalded. He says he has no friends or relations in the place and is apparently perfectly destitute. The people with whom he is living are extremely anxious to get rid of him, and he is no longer able to pay for his lodging, and the old Man himself is desirous of being admitted into the House. If there is room for him Visitor would consider it a very proper Case for admission.

249. Elizabeth Sibbard: in Case 766 in 1863. left the House with her 3 Children, says her husband has returned.

250. James Irwin: in Case 182, applied to the Committee for readmission into the House- To be admitted once more on condition, that he be confined to the House for two Months- and if ever again he leaves the House, or gets drunk as he has done, to be dismissed, and not to be admitted again.

251. Mathew Ward: an Inmate 82 years of age, died this day Feb. 1st. See his admission in Case 232 in 1863.

Tuesday 2nd February 1864.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson.

252. Mary McCarty: rear 77 Stanley St. stops with Mary Carroll who is already receiving relief from the House, husband went to the States. John aged 4 out on the Street. Honora 18 Months. Irish. R.C. Miserable hole. Might have Coal turn about with Mrs. Carroll and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

253. Fanny Brady: Church St. 2nd House North of Caroline St. some Mistake about the direction.

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254. Ann Cunnsworth: 60 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. 52 years of age. 2 Children, girl 15 in Service at [dollars] 2 per Month, girl 12 in the Country no wages- appears a clean respectable Woman the House is very clean, she wants Coal and will knit Socks for the price of the Coal.

255. Honora Connell: Visitor has not had time to call on her, but will do so by next Friday, but should she call, her former allowance might be continued.

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256. Mary Maffis: 203 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist Church, Widow, aged 50. lives with a Married daughter who has a large family, whose husband has been ill and not able to work for the last two Months, Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious Woman. To be allowed 4 [pounds] Bread, and Coal.

257. Cathr. Moore: 59 York St. (in a Shanty) Widow, R.C. Irish. aged 54. one Daughter aged 20. but has tender Eyes. The Widow is in bad health for some Weeks back. Recommended to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly for 6 Weeks and Coal once.

258. Julia Fitzgibbon: living at No. 10 Duchess St. has had Coal once- She is anxious to get it a second time- She says she can knit. Recommended that she be allowed a second supply of Coal and in return to knit 4 pair of Socks.

259. George Barrett: in Case 248 not William, To be admitted into the House, He has been 6 years in Toronto, Native of England. ChofEngl. 71 years of age.

260. Margt. Shearden: 30 years of age, one Child John, aged 10 Months-Irish. ChofEngl. says that her husband left her nearly two years ago, and has not heard from him since, she fell some days ago and sprain'd her wrist on account of which she is not able to earn her living, seeks admission, To be admitted for a time.

261. Emma Williams: (Colored) in Case 765 in 1863, was sent to Aurora 29th of January last, and fare 90c.? paid by the House.

262. Matthew Brown: aged about 10, and William Brown aged about 8 years, They were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested by the Police as Vagrants on the public Streets. They state having come from Milton for the purpose of begging in Town. Absconded again the same day Fbr. 4th.

Friday 5th February 1864.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson.

263. Fanny Brady: (in Case 253) Church St. 2nd Door North of Carlton St. Widow 2 years, 30 years of age. 3 Children, Philip 4. Annie 5. Edward 2 years and 6 Months, One room kept in tolerable order, only one bed for all the inmates, The Visitor recommends her for Coal once, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Irish. R.C.

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264. Emily Dunn rere of 44 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Widow, 26 years of age, on Child girl aged 5. Visitor was informed that she is a steady industrious Woman, goes out to wash and scrub when she can get it to do, but this time of the year it is scarce. Recommended for 300 [pounds] of Coal for once.

265. Rebecca Baker: rear of 97 Sayer St. (Colered) Methodist Church. Married 21 years of age, one Boy 18 Month old. Husband gone to the States some Months ago and is now in the Army, she appears a clean smart young Woman, and by her appearance seems to be industrious- Her Mother an old Woman who can do but little work, lives with her. Visitor recommends Coal once, and a little bread if required.

266. Honora Connell: 391 King St. east. Visitor recommends that her Coal and Bread allowance might be continued for another Month. She is daily expecting a remittance from her husband.

267. Mary McDade: second House in Lane opposite Turners Seed Store King St. east. Husband went to the Rolling Mill at Nilestown Ohio 5 Months ago. has heard from him since, but he sent her no assistance. 20 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Washes when she can find employment. 4 Children, Thomas 9. Henry 7. Margaret 5, Rebecca 2. Visitor recommends Coal once all she asks for at present.

268. Ellen Duggan: in Cellar of House adjoining old American- Hotel, Front St. Husband complains of weak sight and general inability to work- 4 Children, Henry 13, sells papers. Elizabeth 7. Fanny 5. and William 1 Month. North of Ireland, ChofEngl. This family is in great destitution, when Visitor called this Morning at 10 OClock, all, excepting the Boy Henry, were in bed, for want of a fire, they are well known at the House- and by their Neighbours are reported hard drinkers- Too much truth seems to be in the report- However that may be, there is no doubt of their being at present in a state of abject Misery, and requiring all that the Committee may be disposed to grant them.

269. Margaret Hanrahan: Corner of Hayden and Church St. Widow 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. 5 Children, the eldest at Service, the other four at home. Boy 15. Boy 9. Boy 6. and girl 8. Recommended for Coal.



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270. Mary Anderson: rere of 27 Duchess St. An old Widow Woman about 65 years of age- has a daughter Mrs. Jackson living with her- whose husband like so many others, has gone off to the States- and she has heard nothing of him for Months- She has two young Children. 8 years and 11 Months respectively- Mrs. Jackson goes out to wash and scrub, but cannot get work enough to support herself and her Mother and Children- Visitor recommends Coal twice and a little Bread if she asks for it. Coal, and 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

271. Ellen Simpson: 69 Pine St. Another deserted Wife- but in this Case according to her own account she suffers no great loss! she has two young Children- asks for a little Coal. Mrs. Simpson seems a very respectable person, and being a Scotchwoman, Visitor thinks she must be really in distress before she would beg! Recommended for Coal twice.

272. Ellen Clarke: 128 Duke St. This is one of those miserable Cases in which the Committee must really decide for themselves- The husband is a drunkard-abuses his Wife- and lets her and her Children famish while he indulges in his abominable Vice- The Neighbours assure Visitor that the Woman is anxious and willing to work, and to do what she can to support her unfortunate Children, who are almost perished at times with Cold and hunger.

Tuesday 9th February 1864

Present Rev. Mr. Grasett & Mr. A Hamilton.

273. Margaret Cronyn: 77 Stanley St. Widow 10 years, 2 Children William aged 14, Elizabeth 12. Irish. R.C. two small rooms. One Stove, no one living in the apartment with them. Coal once.

274. Catharine Armstrong: aged 50, Irish- ChofEngl. 6 Children- 3 away, 3 at home, 2 girls 10 & 6. one boy 14 years of age, lives with Mrs. Rogers, Pedlar who gives her, her room for some washing, recommended for Coal and Bread.

275. Margaret Summerville: 18 Adelaide St. east. Irish. ChofEngl. recommended for Coal and a grate.

276. Mary Kelly: No. 81 George St. Visitor thinks that under present Circumstances he would be disposed to recommend her for Coal once more.

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277. John Jennings: in Case 236, went to place with a Farmer Jesse Chapman of Scarborough, who promises to Clothe and School the Boy if he behaves, and stops with him. Fbr. 10th

278. Mary Tremble: 150 Seaton St. She and her husband support themselves and a family of 6 Children by huckstering. They manage to make a pretty good living in Summer, but do little in Winter, and are now very badly off for fuel, Visitor believes them to be really industrious hard working people. Recommended for Coal once.

279. Isabella Coope [Cope]: 247 Yonge St. recommended for Coal once More.

280. Julia Gleeson: 12 years of age, Canadian. R.C. was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] she being the girl upon whom a Rape has been committed.

281. David Stuart: an Inmate 78 years of age died at 4 OClock P.M.

282. Ann Chapman or Prattis in Case 711 in 1864. Left this Morning on her own account, gave information to the Police to recover the Clothes she had on belonging to the Institution, which were brought {illegible} and she was sent to Gaol for one Month. Fbr. 11th.

Friday 12th February 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Mr. J. Thom

283. John Bainborough: 64 years of age, Native of Lincolnshire, England Member of Methodist Church. 13 years in Toronto. in feeble health. has no means of support, and no friends to assist him, seeks admission into House of Industry. To be admitted.

284. Mrs. Ross: 40 Camden St. a very respectable looking person, with a husband and grandson, both well able to work- She requires no assistance from the House of Industry.

285. Elizabeth Hall: rear of 68 Elizabeth St. She was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed that she is a Married Woman with one Child, she has almost constant work, and her husband is in regular work at Mr. McGee Yonge St.

286. Ann Scanlan: is not known at 91 Centre St.

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287. Ann Rowlinson: 206 King St. east says that her husband is in bad health, and has been out of work for some time- It appears that they have only been Married four Months! and according to her own account, she has not made a very great hit of it! Visitor recommends husband to come up to the House, so that the Committee might judge whether he was too ill to saw some wood. To see the Doctor or to bring a certificate from the Doctor who attends him.

288. Bridget Kett: 62 Stanley St. 63 years of age, Widow, 2 years in Toronto, lives in same House with her Son Thomas Kett, upstairs, the Son seems to be as bad off as herself, he can get no work. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread, and Coal once. The Son to see the Doctor and if not able to work, to have relief.

289. Agnes Slavin: rear of 79 Magill St. Visitor called twice, and could not find her on either occasion.

290. Mary Spence: 80 Stanley St. up stairs (in the rear) Visitor called twice and could not find her.

291. Margaret Hunter: Little white cottage near the Malt Kiln, foot of Caroline and South side of Palace St. Husband went to the States last Summer, sent her Money once. 5 Children, Frederick 10 years sells papers- Sarah Jane 8- James 5- Mary 2- Anne 9 Months. Irish. ChofEngl. The Cottage is rather decent looking without, but very dirty within, and likely to give an unfavourable idea of Mr. Hunters housekeeping ability. Visitor recommends Coal once, and 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly for one Month.

292. Sarah Calahan: in Case 209. Recommended for Coal at once (although not do yet) on account of her husbands illness.

293. Mary Winslow: about 5 Months old, baptised in the Methodist Church was brought to the House this day, the same that Mrs. Ewart made an application of admission for. admitted, and sent to Wet Nurse with Cathr. Balfour.

294. Charlotte Hill: (Colored) an Inmate about 8 years of age, went on trial as Servant with Mary Ann Berry (Colored) who lives on the Kinston road about 1 1/4 Mile below the Don Bridge. Fbr. 13th

295. Ann Winston: rear of 84 Elizabeth St. Irish. Methodist Church. Married, aged 38. 1 Child, boy aged 2 years. Expects to be confined again in about 2 Months. Husband left her some Months ago and does Nothing for her support. appears a clean industrious Woman recommended for Coal and a Grate for which she must knit.

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296. Jemima Mitchell: No. 75 Adelaide St. west. Married. Aged 35. Husband 35. ChofEngl. from England. Has 4 Children, girl 12 and girl 10- girl 6, and boy 2 years of age, the youngest 3 at home, the boy is very

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sick, and the other two look delicate, the husband has been bad for some Months with Rheumatism, he has a situation if he could attend to it- did not apply for assistance until all their means were done. Visitor recommends Coal, a Grate, Soup and 12 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

297. Bridget Franklin: 12 Dummer St. an old Woman who does not know her age- has been in Town for only two Months, lives with Ann Franklin and Sister who receive assistance from the House. No Connexion of theirs- Lives by begging, as far as Visitor could ascertain from her. Irish. R.C. Asks for Bread, Left to the Committee.

Tuesday 16th March 1864

Present Revd. Mr. Darling.

298. Caroline Lane: 99 1/2 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist. Married 55 years of age, 2 Children , girl 5 and Boy 7. years of age, husband a labourer, but not able to work for the last five Weeks, on account of a severe Cold and Rheumatism, he is now better and thinks he will be again able to work in two weeks, they appear to be clean decent people, recommended for Coal once.

299. Ann Scanlan: 91 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 37 years of age, one daughter Married. Mrs. Scanlan works at washing and charing [charring] it would be far better for her to go to service. Visitor thinks such people ought not to be assisted by the House of Industry, he therefore cannot recommend her.

300. Sarah Colwell: 196 Mutual St. 40 years of age, 14 years in Toronto R.C. has a sisters Son living with her age 7. Visitor recommends Coal once.

301. Rachel Price: 45 Carlton St. Colored, 20 years of age. husband in the States, one Son Cornelius 1 year and 9 Months old. and a Baby one Month old, no means of livelihood, recommended for Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Sugar Tea etc. once.

302. Margaret Mc Kew: 84 Stanley St. in Case 956 in 1863, to have an allowance of Sugar Tea Oatmeal & Rice on account of her husbands illness.

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303. James Clampet: 10 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. Police Magistrate, the Mother having been sent to Gaol for one Month. The Father of the Boy having been there for the last two Months. Ran away the same day.

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No Committee.

304. Mary Lee: 215 University St. Newfoundland. ChofEngl. Married 29 years of age, 2 Children, boy 4 and girl 1 year of age. husband in the states Army, has not sent her any Money since last November. She appears a clean respectable Woman, Visitor thinks it would be well to allow her Coal once, and 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month, when he will again visit.

305. Jane Aimies: No. 51 Elm St. Married. 6 children, Boy 10, girl 8. girl 6, boy 4, boy 2, and boy 10 Weeks old. She is a most respectable Woman- they are in the greatest distress, on account of the husbands drunken habits, he is a Tailor by Trade and might have done well, if it had not been for that same. On account of the Wife and Children Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Soup- and Coal once. English. ChofEngl.

306. Matthew Rogers: 71 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. 40 years in Canada. Came lately from Prescott with the intention of getting work in Toronto, but was disappointed, Shoemaker by trade. No friends and no means to support himself at present- seeks admission into the House until the warm wether [weather] sets in, and promises to make himself useful in the mean time.

307. Elisa Fern: rere of 51 Boulton St. See Case 924 in 1863. She is suffering from Inflammation these two weeks back, in consequence of which and a very cold House her fuel is exhausted. Visitor therefore recommends an extra portion of Coal- also a ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal, and Rice.

308. John McConkey: 85 Richmond St. west. No such person there.

309. Margaret Killalay: 87 Richmond St. west. She is there sometimes. Visitor did not see her, but presumes that she is well known at the House as a worthless Character. She is the Wife of that poor Man Thomas Killaley who was an Inmate in House of Industry some time ago. Cannot recommend the Case.

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310. Jane Henderson: 75 Caroline St. See Case 5. Visitor thinks he has certainly been deceived in this Woman and cannot recommend her for further relief-

311. Johanna Burns: in Case 103, Visitor recommends that she receive Coal once more. She suffers dreadfully from Asthma and this Cold Weather is very hard upon her.

Tuesday 23rd February 1864

Present the Revd. Mr. Givins

312. Ann McNab: 88 George St. Irish. Presbt. 26 years of age. husband 35- was hurt last fall unloading Coal at the Wharf, while stooping a lump of Coal fell upon him, and he has been unfit for work since and has been troubled with spilling blood, they spent all the little Money they had, and are now in poverty. Visitor recommends Coal once and 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Soup.

313. Patrick Dowling: Corner of Queen and River Street. Irish. R.C. 35 years of age, Married. Wife a miserable looking Creature, can hardly speak wheezing [wheezing] with Cold or something else- two Children, girl 8, and boy 5 years old. Recommended to saw wood.

314. James Woodfall: a sick Negro. as he lives outside of the City limits, cannot be admitted- Might have a few nights Shelter in Outbuilding.

315. James Murray: to have his ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread continued for two Weeks longer, is in hopes of getting Employment.

316. Margaret Loft: 36 Stanley St. Visitor cannot find the Number or any person on Stanley Street of that name.

317. Mary Tyrrell: in Case 188. Visitor was told by several parties that she Keeps a disorderly House- of Course cannot recommend her. William St. west

318. Edward Maguire: Grand Trunk Hotel, Frederick Street first door from Palice [Palace] Street. Not in when Visitor called, but saw his Wife, whose Brother lives with them, 1 Child Mary 2 years old. Lived one year in Toronto, came from New York. Irish. R.C. Husband and Brother are Labourers out of Employment. Recommended for Coal once, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, to saw wood for it.

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319. Isabella McAdams: 27 1/2 South Park St. husband died on the Railroad Track 3 Weeks ago. 4 Children, Maria aged 12. John 9. William 4, and Matilda 1. in Toronto 6 years. North of Ireland. Wesleyan Methodist. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Coal once.

320. Margaret Murray: was taken out by her daughter who lives at St. Catharines, and who will provide for her.

321. Julia Gleason: in Case 280, absconded from the House with a Sister who came to see her. gave Notice at No. 2 Police Station.

Friday 26th February 1864.

Present Revd. Mr. Givin & Mr. J. Thom.

322. James McKenzie: opposite O'Deas Store Ontario St. west. has a Wife and one Boy 3 years old- apparently very destitute, his Wife having no clothing, & there being scarcely any furniture in the House Cannot get Employment. His wife says he is a very sober Man- a Scotch Episcopalian. Recommended for Coal Bread & Soup. Committee decided that he saw Wood for relief.

323. Fanny McMullen: made application for admittance of her three Children, girl 7, girl 5, and boy 3 years of age, says her husband spends most of his time in Gael, and she cannot provide for them. The Children can only be admitted on one condition, that is to be signed over to the House and be apprenticed out. R.C. See Case 122.

324. A Male Child about 6 Months old was sent here for admittance by the Finance Committee, having been for some Months at Nurse with Agnes Urquhart, at the expense of the City.

325. Niel Wilcox: 47 years of age, Canadian, lost one of legs- has been sailing on the lakes before he lost his Limb. has therefore no particular place of residence. Mr. Tyner recommends shelter in the Outbuilding for him for a few Weeks until the Weather gets warm- when probably he will find his way somewhere else.

326. Catharine Crawford: 162 Agnes St. west. Visitor recommends her for an additional grant of Tea Sugar etc. Her eldest Son has just recovered or barely and has gone above Hamilton looking for Work. The youngest is still in bed with fever, has had a relapse.

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Tuesday 1st March 1864

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay & Messrs. John Shea, T. Storm & E. Hobson.

327. Elisa West: 59 years of age, Widow, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. has a Son & Daughter in the States. She is without means of supporting herself, and destitute, seeks admission into the House admitted with the understanding that she make herself useful.



328. Elizabeth Smith, 36 Parliament St. See Case 223, Visitor thinks relief may be continued for another Month, husband still in bed with sore leg, been laid up now since his (Visitor) last call. Has no Doctor. it might be advisable to procure his admission to the Hospital.

329. Patrick Monahan: in Case 163. Irish. R.C. aged 60. Married has been turned out of doors by his Landlord, has no home, and no Means, Not able to work on account of Rheumatism, seeks admission- says his Wife lives with an old Neighbour and works for her living, but cannot do anything for him. admitted for a time

330. Thomas Ferreter: an Inmate (Blind) his Conduct is that of a Blackguard, makes use of vile Language to the annoyance of other Inmates who made Complaints at various times about him, he was brought before the Board to day, and after investigating his Case, the Committee decided, that if he does not behave better in future, for superintendent to call in the Police and have him sent to Gael for a time.

Friday 4th March 1864.

Present Messrs. Thomas Storm & J. Shea.

331. George Redwell: 418 King St. east. Canadian 41 years of age. ChofEngl. Wife 65 years. Redwell has been confined to his bed for the last two Weeks with a sore throat and pain in the Chest his head is much swollen and inflamed. Has had no Work for 4 Months- in the time of the very cold Weather he was hauling some Wood from Ashbridges Bay, and caught cold which has laid him up- said to be a very steady sober Man- Visitor recommends Coal.

332. Euphrasia Pillew: aged Widow, Canadian R.C. speaks French no English. No. 94 Adelaide St. east. To have Coal once & 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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333. Hannah Stamford: No. 104 Strachan St. is a Widow with two Children, Girl 10, and Boy 4 years of age, Lost her husband two Weeks ago, and is in very reduced circumstances. Visitor would recommend a little Coal if possible.

334. Sarah McDonnell: in Case 651 in 1863, left the House on her own account, intends going to Service. March 7th

335. Elisa West: in Case 327 had to leave to Church last Sunday, and has not returned since. March 8th

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Tuesday 8th March 1864.

Present Revd. Dr. Read and Messrs. R. Gilmor & R. Woodsworth

336. Elizabeth Taylor: 15 James St. east. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 28 years of age. 4 Children, 3 girls 7, 5, and 3 years of age. and a boy 20 Months old. Husband gone in the States to procure work, and as soon as he can will either send for his family to join him, or send Money to support them here. They are in great distress. Visitor would recommend coal once More and a little Bread.

337. Mary Gormley: Widow with two small Children, both of whom are at present disabled (one with a recently broken arm, the other with a frozen foot.) Receives 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, has Coal twice, recommended for Coal once more.

338. David Youthed: in Case 1003 in 1863. Left the House, thinks that he will get Employment to earn his living.

339. Ann Dunlevie: 18 Stanley St. See Case 82. She expects to be confined, Visitor recommends a ration of Oatmeal, Sugar, Tea etc.

340. James Coulton: in Case 648 in 1863, left the Institution (being now strong and in good health) with the Intention of sailing on the Lakes.

Friday 11th March 1864.

Present Mr. Robert Gilmor.

341. Bridget Clements: in Case 814 in 1863. Recommended for another Months Coal, as she is very badly off and has a helpless family.

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342. The Male Foundling (Colered) in Case 654 in 1863 was given to it's Mother Mary Ann Ryan who was taken up by the Police Magistrate to take her Child.

Tuesday 15th March 1864

Present Messrs. E. H. Rutherford. George Brooke & E. Hobson.

343. David Heaslip: Charles St. former of Laidlaws lane. Aged 48, has a Wife who works when she can get Employment and 5 Children, 4 Boys 15. 11. 8 & 7 years respectively and one girl 3 years old. Cannot get work-lives in a very dirty uncomfortable place which might be kept clean with a little care. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread. Committee order that he cut a cord of Wood for Bread. But cannot give Coal.

344. Robert McKee aged 7 years and Mary McKee aged 2 years, were sent by George Boomer Esqr. Police Magistrate for admittance, The Mother ~~then Mother~~ has been in Gael for some time, and the Father who is a Tailor by trade was committed to Gael this day for three Months.

345. Margt. McKennie 37 years of age, Married. No. 77 Stanley St. 3 Children, boy 8, boy 5 and boy 18 Months old. Irish. She brought a Note from Dr. Odea stating that her husband is down with the small pox, they consequently very badly off. To have Coal once, 8lbs of Bread per Week, and a ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal etc.

346. A Male Child about 2 Weeks old, which had been found deserted at the side Entrance of "Revere House" was sent here this Morning (March 7) at half past twelve OClock, by his Worship the Mayor, being too young to be brought up in the House, it was sent out to Nurse with Mrs. Thompson 102 Agnes St. [at] [dollars] 4 a Month.

Friday 18th ~~February~~ March 1864.

Present E. H. Rutherford Esqr. & George Brooke Esqr.

347. Margt Sheardon: in Case 260, is now able to work, but not willing to make herself in the slightest way useful, She is to leave the House, but may remain in the Outbuilding for a time.

348. Mary Clampett: 47 years of age. Irish. R.C. Made her living by begging, but her Boy who used to lead her about, has, with the Father gone to the States, she is perfectly blind & has No home having

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Only just came out of Gael, seeks admission into the House, to be admitted.

349. Mary Ann Ryan: in Case 342, begged shelter for a few days for herself and Child who is sick, the day after she took it away from the House, said the Major had sent her, She has been in the Outbuilding since. Committee will allow her to come into the House for a time if she will make herself useful, and Nurse her Child and when well to leave and take it with her. Irish. R.C. 23 years old.

Tuesday 22nd ~~February~~ March 1864.

Present The Revd. Mr. Ellerby & E. Hobson.

350. Matthew Rogers: in Case 306, left the Institution, with intention of looking for Employment.

351. May Yeo: 7 years of age, was sent her for admission by his Worship the Mayor, her Mother having left her destitute and upon the charity of a poor Family. who are unable longer to keep her. The Mother Mrs. Yeo is gone to Barrie to look after her husband and is expected to come back to the City when doubtless she will relieve the House of the Maintenance of her Child. March 23rd

Friday March 25th 1864.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

352. Ann Boylan: Made application for more Coal, Committee have no more Coal to give out. except in very extreme Cases.

353. Charles White an Imbecile was taken up as a Vagrant by the Police, and sent here by Mr. Boomer P.M. [Police Magistrate] against the Rule to admit such Cases.

Tuesday 29th March 1864.

Present Messrs J. W. McDonell & E. Hobson

354. Mary Toomey: 80 Stanley St. an old out door Pensioner, is not laid up with Rheumatism, Recommended by Visitor for a allowance of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal etc.

355. Mary Hughes: 84 Elizabeth St. applied for a ration of Bread during the Summer. had Bread allowed from Dr. Bovell, says it is stopped. To bring a Note to that Effect.

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356. Cathr. Potts: in Case 926 in 1863, made application to have her Bread Continued during the Summer Months, Committee cannot allow it, except in very extreme Cases.

The Select Committee for revising List of Outdoor pensioners met this day (March 29) at 4 OClock P.M.

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr. Chairman, E. Hobson ESqr. & J Thom Esqr.

357. Isabella Philips: to have 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly during Summer Months.

358. Mary Rutherford: permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

359. Ann Silver: to be continued on Summer List for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

360. Frances McConkey: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.

361. Ellen Sloan: to 4 [pounds] instead of 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

362. John McIntire: to be reduced to 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly during Summer.

363. Nancey Barker: (Colered) permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

364. Eliza Gunson: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread during Summer.

365. Mary Bonlyer: 4 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months.

366. Elizabeth Young: to be reduced to 6 [pounds] during Summer.

367. Sarah Anderson: to have her full ration of 12 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.

368. Ann Sawtell: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread allowed.

369. Mary Toomey: being sick, her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly to be allowed.

370. Timothy Harrington: 4 [pounds] Weekly during the Summer Months.

371. Jane Curran: to be allowed her Weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread.

372. Martha McConkey: to be allowed her full ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

373. Mary Ann Bell: permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

374. Jemima Clements: her ration of 8 [pounds] on account of her sick daughter.

375. Ann Spelling: permanent List for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

376. Bridget Driscoll" her ration of 2 [pounds] of Bread Weekly Continued.

377. Ann Cusack: 4lbs of Bread Weekly during Summer Months.

378. Mary Balfour: to be continued on List for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

379. Margaret Eaton: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Continued.

380. Jane Daughty: to have her full ration of 12 [pounds] of Bread allowed, Weekly.

381. Ellen Fletcher: old Pensioner permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

- 382. Mary Askins: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
- 383. Thomas Blaney: to be reduced to 4 [pounds] of Bread during Summer.
- 384. Ann Philips: old Pensioner permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.
- 385. Ellen Brown: the same as above.
- 386. Mary Collins: 4 [pounds] during Summer Months.
- 387. Murtagh Kearney: to be Continued during Summer Months for 4 [pounds] Bread.
- 388. Sarah Clements: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.
- 389. Caroline Ryan: 102 years of age old Pensioner, permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread.
- 390. Elizabeth Cobb: old Pensioner, permanent for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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- 391. Sarah Gilmor: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly Continued.
- 392. Mary McKeever: to have her Weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread during Summer.
- 393. Sarah Harris: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread until further order.
- 394. Sarah Hardiman: to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly during the Summer Months.
- 395. Mary Ann Boughton: to be allowed her Weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread.
- 396. Euphrasia Pellew: 4lbs of Bread during Summer Months.
- 397. Margaret Smith: to be reduced from 8 to 6 [pounds] of Bread during Summer.
- 398. Margaret Fitzpatrick: allowed 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer.
- 399. Mary Sergeant: to have an allowance of Bread during Summer.
- 400. Jane Tremble: to be continued on the List for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly
- 401. Agnes Urquhart: to be reduced from 12 [pounds] to 6 [pounds] of Bread during Summer.
- 402. The Colered Child in Case 349 died this day (March 31) at half past Six OClock A.M. of Inflammation of the Lungs.

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Present W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

403. Edward Fitzgerald: 66 years of age, Native of Ireland. R.C. Recommended for admission by the Hon Mr. Allan. Fitzgerald would rather be assisted out, as he can sleep in the House of his son, To be Allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

404. Margaret Quigly: in Case 229, to have an allowance of 6 [pounds] of Bread a Week continued on account of her helpless family.

405. Sarah Colehan: to have a ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.

406. Joanna Burns: to see the Doctor, To have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

407. Mary Edwards: a Widow, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly on account of her young helpless family.

408. Margaret Gartland: to have a ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly on account of her disabled hand.

409. Mary Hughes: in Case 355 to be allowed 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

410. Margaret McKew: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.

411. Bridget Hayes: 6 [pounds] of Bread up to 1st of May.

412. Mary Ann Caulfield: Husband to see the doctor. To have 8 [pounds] Weekly.

413. Mary Clendenning: 60 Ontario St. east, Irish Presbyterian, 33 years of age. husband about 46, in Consumption and has to be attended night and day. 2 Children Boys 6 & 3 years of age. Mrs. Clendenning is near her Confinement. They are in great need of assistance. Visitor would recommend 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Coal, and a ration of Tea, Sugar etc.

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414. Ann Loyd to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week Continued.

415. Mary Edmonds (Colered) Near Sprouts Brewery. Widow. Aged 38 years. 4 Children. Girl 16. Girl 12, boy 7 and boy 2. The girls are trying to get places as soon as they can. Mrs. Edmonds lost her husband only a few Months ago-has been tolerable Comfortable, being always provided for by her late husband who was a Blacksmith. Visitor recommends Bread, 8 [pounds] Weekly, for 6 Weeks.

416. Elizabeth Smith: 74 years of age, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

417. Elisa Winslow: to be continued for one Month longer for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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418. Cathr. Kemp: to have a ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread for one Month longer.

419. Sophia Wilcox: to be continued for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

420. Elisa Gradwell: to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for a Month longer.

421. John Allison: 53 years of age, a Native of England. ChofEngl. was an Inmate about 4 years ago, when he came in with frozen feet, and had one of his big Toes taken off, he now seeks admission again, he Toe having broke out afresh, promisses to make himself useful. To be admitted for a time.

422. William Charles: an Inmate (See Case 955 in 1862) The Weekly Committee order that he be dismissed from the House, on account of sticking a blind Man, and for his general backwardness when order to work.

423. James Irwin: an old offender, (See Case 250) for leaving the premises without leave, and coming home noisy drunk annoying to the Inmates was taken off by the Police and sent to Gael for a Month.

424. James Barron: an Inmate died this day (April 3) at 10 OClock A.M. See Case of admission 522 in 1829.

Friday 5th April 1864.

Present Mr. E Hobson.

425. Ellen O'Brien: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly Continued for one Month longer on account of her young family.

426. Margaret Galvin: to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly she will Knit for it.

427. Mary Madigan: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread during Summer.

428. Catherine Dempsey: applied for a continuance of her Bread ration. brought a Note from the Mayor. Will have to do without relief this Summer.

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429. Mary Finley: wishes to be continued on the Bread List during Summer. can not be granted.

430. Elisa Wheat: cannot have Bread during the Summer Season.

431. Elizabeth Crawford: to have her allowance of Bread one Month longer.

432. Elizabeth Long: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread continued, having a helpless young family to support.

433. Charlotte Parker: (Colered) to have her ration of 4 [pounds] of Bread Continued.

434. Mary Dagelor: her Weekly allowance of 8 [pounds] of Bread to be continued.

435. Mary Morrow: to be continued on List for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, she will Knit Socks for it.

436. Ellen Connell: to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months on account of her Cripple Son.

437. Cathr. Arthur: to have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly for one Month.

438. Mary Ann Kingwood: 25 years of age. Widow Irish. R.C. husband died 18 Months ago. Has two Children who were adopted from the Public Nursery. She is not able to work on account of Rheumatism in her hand has no means of supporting herself, seeks admission into the House for time. To be admitted, on condition that she make herself useful.

439. Elizabeth Johnson: Colered. 46 Edward St. to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread continued by Knitting for it.

440. Frances Sergeant: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread again on account of her Son being home with her sick.

Friday 8th April 1864.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

441. Elise O'Regan: 44 Ann St. to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week by Knitting for it.

442. Frances Sergeant: in Case 440 to have no more relief at present, as her Son is now in the General Hospital, and her daughter has a place at [dollars] 3 a Month if she likes to take it. April 11th.

443. Mary Leary: in Case 164. Left the House on her own account. April 11th.

Tuesday 12 April 1864.

Present the Revd. Mr. Broughall, Messrs E. Hobson & J. Thom

444. Jemima Clements in Case 374, is sick to have a Single ration of Tea Sugar & etc.

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445. Sarah McPhail: to have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month on account of her sick daughter at home.

446. Fanny Jordon: is willing to Knit Socks for her Bread during the Summer to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly if she does so.

447. Amelia Delaney: in Case 610 in 1863, left the House this day (April 14) to make her living out side.

Friday 15th April 1864.

Present The Revd. Mr. Broughall, Messrs E. Hobson & J. Thom

448. Mary Sullivan: No. 22 Lane between Dummer & William Streets-Visitor cannot recommend her for any further assistance from what he saw in the House and what he heard from the Neighbours.

449. Mary Scott: 13 Dummer St. Not at home when Visitor called, Saw her daughter who lives with her, but could not gather from her any very good reason why she should be continued, as she nurses every day and the daughter works out. Case referred to Mr. Tyner who first recommended her. Mr. Tyner recommd. 4 [pounds] of Bread

450. Bridget Clements: 138 Bishop St. Irish. R.C. husband in the States. 4 young Children. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly for one Month on account two of her Children being sick, which prevents her working for them.

451. Edward Fitzgerald in Case 403. Applied to the Board for permission to come into the House, allowed to do so.

452. Emma Mooney: Married, husband in the States, 3 Children, girl 7. Boy 4. Girl 1 Month. English. R.C. Made application for Money to take her up to London where she has friends. To apply to St. Georges Society.

453. Cathr. Dempsey: to have her ration of 6 [pounds] of Bread during the Summer Months.

454. Mary Scott: recommend to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly during the Summer Months.

Tuesday 19th April 1864.

Present Mr. J. Doel & E Hobson.

455. Jacob Taylor: Colored. Unable to work lives by begging, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly during the Summer.

456. Emma Mooney: in Case 452. She wants one Dollar to make up the amount of here fare to London C.W. [Canada West] Committee order that Superint. pay that much to her.

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April 20th 1864.

457. Ann McKee: took out her two Children, her term in Gael having expired. See their admission in Case 344.

458. The 3 Colored Children Named Sturgeon in Case 159 were taking out by the Father as the Mother is now home her term in Gael having expired.

Friday 22 April 1864

Present Messrs E. Hobson & J. Doel.

459. Mary O'Brian: No 7 William St. west. Scotch. Presbyterian, aged 31. Has been a Widow for the last four Weeks-has 3 Children, a girl 8, a boy 6, and a girl 18 Months old. Pays 2 Dollars a Month for rent, but intends removing shortly to a cheaper house-has 1 1/2 days work in a week. Sober respectable Woman. To have 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly, she will Knit Socks for it.

460. Elizabeth Burns: 42 Ann St. Irish R.C. Married, 36 years of age. 8 Children, boy 16, boy 14, boy 12, boy 10, girl 7, girl 6, girl 3 years, and a girl 5 Months old. Husband a gardener, now in the Hospital with broken ribs, is not expected to recover for some time. To be allowed 12 [pounds] of Bread weekly for one Month.

461. Mary Davidson: 77 Stanley St. Irish. English Church. Widow, 26 years of age, 2 Children, boy 5 years of age in 'Orphans Home' and a baby 3 Weeks old. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week for one Month.

462. Four Children named "Fisher" were sent by his Worship the Mayor, they are destitute, the Mother being dead, and the Father having run away, used to live at Weston. Elizabeth aged 9. Mary Ann aged 7. John aged 5, and William aged 3 years respectively. ChofEngl. two eldest born in England, two youngest in Canada.

463. James Woodfall: (Colored) in Case 314 left the premises with intention to go to work, having recovered from his sickness.

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464. Abigail Hillis: in Case 568 in 1863. Left the House on her own account. April 23rd.

465. Joseph Rose: (Colored) about 11 years of age, says he belongs to Hamilton from which place he lately came, was sent here by Mr. Alderman Vance, having been picked up by the Police as a Vagrant about the Town. Ran away.

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Tuesday 26th April 1864.

No Committee

466. Mary Jane Sterrett: of Toronto is desirous of giving her two eldest Children up to this Institution, and is willing to have them apprenticed out by the Trustees according to the rules and regulations of the House. Revd. Mr. Darling recommends that they be admitted. The Father having died the Mother is not able to support them. Matilda aged 8 years and Eliza Jane aged 6. Canadians. ChofEngl. Admitted. April 27th.

467. the Child in Case 324, was Baptized by the Revd. Mr. Carthwright and was Named William April 28th.

Friday 29th April 1864.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

468. Margaret Hall: in Case 686 in 1863. Died this day (April 30th) at half past Eleven O'Clock P.M. of Consumption.

469. William White: (in Case 383 in 1863) went to General Hospital in the beginning of April to have a operation performed on his Cheek, of which he died there on the 24th of April.

470. Sent Notice to Mr. W.J. MacDonell to find places for the following four Children belonging to the Roman Catholic Church. Catharine Ryan aged 9, Michael Ryan aged 6, Mary Ann Murphy aged 7, and Margaret Jane aged 4 years.

Tuesday 3rd May 1864.

No Committee

471. William Charles: in Case 422 left the House this day May 6th.

Friday 6th May 1864,

No Committee

Tuesday 10th May 1864.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

472. The Child Named William in Case 467 died this Morning Thursday May 12th

473. Mary Ann Bennett: Doctor examined her arm, thinks it might have been dislocated and replaced, but shows not much the matter with it now.

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Tuesday 10th May 1864

474. Jane Burns: 22 Renfrew St. in Case 27. Visitor recommends her for Bread by knitting socks.

Friday 13th May 1864

Present Revd. H. Grasett

475. Lorissa Murton: and her 5 children arrived this morning from Barrie (May 14th) were sent to the House by Mr. John Worthington for shelter until Monday when he will give them a passage in one of his Schooners to Cleveland where her husband is at work. On account of having the Outbuilding occupied Superintendent was obliged to send them to a Tavern and pay their expenses.

Tuesday 17th May 1864

No Committee

476. William Fox aged about 5 years, and Mary Jane aged about 3 years were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Parents having been sent to gaol for being disorderly and assaulting the Police in the Execution of their duty. The Father 4 months; the Mother 2 months.

477. John Gillan: No. 5 Richmond St. west. ChofEngl. Irish. Married, aged 40. Wife aged 40, two Children (girls) aged 9 & 5. This poor man is far gone in Dropsy, has been tapped once. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly and a full ration of sugar, tea, &etc.

478. Robert J. Simpson: in Case 763 gone on trial with Angus Gunn of Sydenham, previous of being apprenticed. May 20th.

Friday 20th May 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson

479. The four children in Case 470 were taking out of the Institution by Mr. MacDonell. May 21st.

480. George Hedges in Case 215 in 1863. left the House to go to Scarborough to his Uncle as ordered by General Board.

Tuesday 24th May 1864

No Committee

No Applicants

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481. Mary Ann Ryan: in Case 349 and Mary Ann Ringwood in Case 430 had leave to go out on Queens Birthday, and did not return.

482. Mary Ann Gorman: about 7 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer P. M. {Police Magistrate} having been arrested as a Vagrant. Found out that her mother lived near the Rolling Mills, sent one of the men to take the child back to its mother. May 26th.

Friday 27 May 1864

No Committee

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483. Susan Good: 41 Elizabeth St. Denisons Avenue. Came to Toronto a few weeks ago looking for a very dissipated husband who is now in prison in the {horrors'}. She has five Children the eldest a boy 17 years a cripple perfectly helpless, the youngest 4 months old. On account of these she is almost tied to the house so that she cannot go out working. Recommended for any assistance which can be given just now.

484. James Irwin: an Inmate went out without leave, and was some time after that picked up drunk at the Gate by the Police and sent to Gaol for one month.

485. Elizabeth Reading: made application for admission of a Boy 4 years of age who was left with her by his Mother from whom she received payment for the support of the Child for some Months, But having left Town she has not received anything for the last 13 months, has 3 Children of her own to support. Says that the child's grand-parents named Packenham live on Brock St. Pretty well of [off].

Tuesday 31st May 1864

Present Mr. Thomas Storm

486. The above Case was brought before the Committee who advised the parties to try to make some arrangement for the Packenham's to take the Child.

Friday 3rd June 1864

Present Messrs. John Shea, E. Hobson & Thos. Storm.

487. Adah Vickers: says that she was sent up by the Mayor to have her case enquired into. Says she came last from Stoville [Stouffville], seams [seems] to be deranged in her mind cannot give a correct account of herself. Mr. Shae will make some enquirys about her, in the meantime she may stay here for a few days in the Outbuilding. Husband a Farmer lives in Pickering. 6th Conc. Bangor P.O. [Post Office].

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June 3rd 1864

488. William Brown: an Inmate Blind, wishes to get into the General Hospital, as Dr. Aikins tells him that most likely sight might be restored to one of his Eyes. Arrangement will be made to get him admitted there. Was sent to Hospital June 6th.

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Tuesday 7th June 1864

Present Mr. R. Woodsworth

No Applicants

Friday 10th June 1864

Present Mr. R. Gilmor

489. Margaret Gale: 140 Berkley St. Mr. Thom visited. The old woman made application for admission, but it appears now that the daughter will endeavour to keep her for the present.

490. Cathr. Jane Malady: 9 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer Esq. P.M. s[Police Magistrate] he having no friends in the City.

491. Thomas Ferreter: an Inmate (blind) was taken before George Boomer Esq. Police Magistrate for Insubordination, was sentenced to one Months imprisonment in Gael. June 13th.

Tuesday 14th June 1864

No Committee

492. John Kinch: in Case 490 in 1861 left the Institution on his own accord.

493. Ann Flavan: 31 years of age, one Child a Boy 11 months old, came from Quebec to look for her husband in Toronto but found that he had gone into the States and enlisted in the Northern Army. She seems destitute and is nearly blind, seeks admission into the House. ChofEngl.

494. Mary Clendennin : 60 Ontario St. east, Visitor recommends a ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal and Rice as she has been lately confined and the husband is in bad health. They are in receipt of 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

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Friday 17th June 1864

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

495. John Linton: an Inmate died at 5 O'clock P.M. June 18th. See his admission in Case 363 in 1860. aged 64.

496. Bridget and Mary Kemp: aged about 5 and 3 years respectively were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] Their mother having been sent to Gael for two months for being drunk on the Public Streets. June 20th.

497. Adah Vickers: in Case 487 her husband who lives in Pickering was wrote to, he came to Toronto to fetch her away but she would not go with him, she was therefore turned out from here. husband a respectable farmer.

Tuesday 21st June 1864

Present the Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Mr. E. Hobson

498. Dr. Hampton of the General Hospital made application for the admission of a man named Aron Reddie now in this Institution and pronounced incurable by the Doctors. Supt. to ascertain of the Hospital Physician if Reddie is a Citizen of Toronto. If so, our Dr. to see if he is a proper Case for the House of Industry. The case was admitted by the General Board in the afternoon of 21st June. Reddie left before night on his own account.

Friday 24th June 1864

Present Mr. Hobson

499. Ann Philips: No. 12 Isabella Street. A widow 30 years of age. Irish, ChofEngl. 3 children, Boy 8, girl 6 and Boy 3 1/2. Recommended for Knitting so that she might receive relief next Winter.

499 1/2. Ann Flavan in Case 493 left the place without leave stayed away for 3 days and came back for admittance, allowed her to stay in Outbuilding until next Tuesday when she can apply to Weekly Committee for readmission June 25th.

500. John Bainborough in Case 283 left the Institution on his own account being now quite well and strong and able to earn his own living.

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501. Alexander Beatty: 86 George St. Irish 63 years of age. Wife over 50 years, she is blind of one eye and sees but poorly with the other. One girl 13 years of age at home. Beatty is in poor health, they are clean and tidy people. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

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Tuesday 28th June 1864

Present Mr. W. J. MacDonell

502. Mary Ann Bennett: applied again for relief. See her Case 473. To have a loaf of Bread.

503. John McNamara: has been working about the Country. Was lately in the House of Providence from which place he was dismissed, has weak Eyes, seeks admission, he is to see the Doctor today at 3 O'clock and call upon the Committee next Friday.

504. Ann Flavan: in Case 499 1/2 to be admitted in to the House again with the understanding that she make herself useful and submit to the rules of the Institution.

505. Sophia Wilcox: recommended for an allowance of Tea, Sugar for her sick husband who is 73 years of age.

Friday 1st July 1864

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

506. Mary Jane Starrett: in Case 466 brought the youngest child Henrietta to be apprenticed out by the Trustees of the House according to regulations aged 1 yr. & 8 Mths.

Tuesday 5th July 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson

507. Alexander Beatty: in Case 501 to have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly instead of 4 [pounds] on recommendation of Mrs. E. Baldwin.

508. George Woods: in Case 536 in 1859, died last night of general debility aged 86 years. Colored.

509. Elizabeth Donohoe: 96 Ontario St. west. See Case 725 in 1863. Visitor recommends that she be allowed to knit Socks for the House, has been sick, not able to get to work. Badly off, has seven young children at home.

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Friday 8th July 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson

510. Ann Flavan in Case 499 ½ was brought before the Committee for insubordination, after investigating the case, Committee ordered that she be dismissed from the House.

511. Mary Graham: Corner of Caroline & Drake Street. 6 children, 3 at home girl 14, Boy 8, Boy 6, her husband has left to go in search of work as he told her same short time ago, and she is left with the three children at home to support herself and them, is apparently in delicate health, and Visitor thinks it just one of these cases in which relief for a few weeks would be bestowed, will make some further enquiries about her husbands connections and will report again. 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

512. William, Anne and Margaret Cearnay. [Kearney]: (See Case 691 in 1862), were sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] Their mother having been arrested for Vagrancy and she having no place to put her Children until she procures work.

Tuesday 12th July 1864

Present Revd. Mr. Broughall and Mr. J. Thom

513. Catharine Dalton: 23 years of age. Irish, ChofEngl. Recommended for a few days shelter by Mr. Grasett. Dalton seemed to be very unwell the worse for Liquor when she came here last Saturday. Allowed to remain in the Outbuilding.

514. The child Henrietta Sterrett: in Case 506 is gone on trial previous of being adopted.

Friday 15th July 1864

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

515. John Allison: in Case 421 died this day July 16th.

516. Mary Brown in Case 573 in 1863 absconded again in her usual way of climbing over the Fence. July 18th.

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Tuesday 19th July 1864

Present Mr. J. Doel.

517. Ann Pannell an Inmate asked permission for leave to go out one day in each Week as she is allowed to spend all her Sundays out at Yorkville. The Committee cannot see the necessity for her to have another day in the middle of the Week, as other Inmates would expect the same privilege which would greatly interfere with the internal working arrangement of the House.

518. William Mitchell: 2 years of age was sent here by the Police Magistrate the father having left the country and the mother is in Gael. ChofEngl.

Friday 22nd July 1864

Present Mr. J. Doel.

No Applicants

Tuesday 26th July 1864

Present Charles Robertson Esqr.

519. Honora Gillan: to have an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly on account of her sick husband.

520. Robert King: who three years ago was discharged from this Institution for insubordination, made application for admission again. The Committee considers "King" a Man able to work for his living.

521. Charlotte Dalton: 19 years of age, says she left the General Hospital this morning where she has been under the care of Dr. Odder for the last six months, belongs to Napanee near Kingston, the Reeve of which place sent her to Toronto Hospital. Brought a note from the Revd. Dr. Green who recommends her for Comfortable Lodgings until tomorrow. Presbt.

522. Margaret Stuart: 16 Centre Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, aged 24. Came from Ireland 5 months ago, is in a bad state of health, intends to return as soon as she is able to travel, having had an order sent her from Ireland for herself and husband. Husband a Shoemaker by trade but not able to work on account of constant attendance on his Wife. To have a full allowance of rations. Recommended by Ward Visitor.

523. Charlotte Dalton: in Case 521 wished to go back to the General Hospital.

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July 27th 1864

524. Richard Mahony: about 2 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] The parents having been sent to Gael for a Month for being drunk and disorderly.

525. Thomas Leonard: about 6 years of age, was sent to this Institute by his Worship the Mayor, the Mother having been sent to Gael.

526. Elisa Dawson: 18 years of age, says she came up from the Lower Province with a view of getting into the General Hospital. Was recommended for a few days shelter by the Revd. Mr. Carruthers.

527. Richard Mahoney: in Case 524 was taken out by his parents the Magistrate having commuted his sentence, having promised to leave Toronto and go to Georgetown.

528. Margaret Caverly: in Case 284 in 1863 was taken out of the Institution by her Brother who lives in Rochester, and who is able to provide for her.

Friday 28th July 1864

Present Revd. Dr. Green

529. Susanna Lawson: 18 Stanley St. Widow 36 years of age. 4 children, 3 at home, girls 11, 8 and 6 years old respectively. English. Methodist church, is at present out of employment. Committee recommend 8 [pounds] of Bread for a short time until she gets work.

530. Robert Evans: 53 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Has resided in Toronto for many years. Carpenter by trade, he was lately in Hospital, seems in a weakly state of health, seeks admission for a time, being entirely destitute. To be admitted for a time.

Tuesday 2nd August 1864

Present Mr. J. Bugg

531. William Jones: 24 years of age, Native of Wales, ChofEngl. A School Master, came out last March, has been looking for a situation in New York and different places. Came to Toronto 3 Weeks ago, cannot get employment as a Teacher, has sent home for a remittance of Money to pay his fare back, wishes to be admitted in the mean time, having no means to live on. Committee recommend that he look for Employment, and that

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he might occasionally have his meals here and likewise a nights lodging.

532. Mary Coleman: Widow, 35 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Has lived in Oshawa for the last two years, came to Toronto 3 weeks ago with her son (9 years of age) for medical treatment. She wishes to go back to Oshawa but has no money to pay her fare, says Mrs. Cathcart knows her, Committee order that she bring a note from that Lady and if it confirms her statement, Supt. to pay her fare.

533. Bridget Barrett: Made application for the admission of her daughter who is crippled in one hand, and a bad Character. Committee cannot do anything at present for them.

534. Margt. Hall: 19 Melinda St. Widow aged 35. ChofEngl. Has 3 Children with her and two at home in Ireland. The eldest with her is 7 years, and the next two years old very sick, and a baby 3 days old. Husband was killed by the fall of a Tree in rear of "Port Hope" not long since. She was confined last Sunday and is trying to be about to nurse the sick Child, in place of being nursed herself. Came up here in search of her Brother in Law, but did not find him. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per week, and a full allowance of groceries for one Month or until further notice.

535. Mary Coleman: in Case 532 brought a satisfactory note from Mrs. Cathcart, paid her fare as ordered by Committee for herself and Child to Oshawa [dollars] 1, 73 [cents]. August 4th

Friday August 5/64

No Committee present.

No Applicants

536. Elizabeth Fisher: in Case 462 gone to a place as Nurse Girl.

537. Sent notice to the Revd. H.J. Grasett of the following 6 children belonging to the Church of England being now in the House of Industry. Four named Fisher, Elizabeth aged 8, Mary Ann aged 7, John aged 5, and William aged 3 years respectively. Two named Sterrett, Matilda aged 8, and Elisa Jane aged 6 years.

538. John Paxton: in Case 990 in 1863 left the Institution on his own accord.

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Tuesday 9th August 1864

Present the Revd. H.J. Grasett & Mr. Alex'r Hamilton

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539. Ann Rennells: 30 years of age, Irish, ChofEngl is desirous of giving two of her Children by a former husband (named Philips) up to the House and to be apprenticed out according to the rules of the Institution, says her present husband abuses them. Joseph James aged 9 and Margaret Ann aged 6 years. Brought a Note from the Revd. Mr. Givens who recommends the case. admitted.

540. A female Child 8 years of age, Orphan, entirely helpless, having no use of its limbs, was visited by Mr. Hamilton to see whether it could be taking into House of Industry, referred to General Board. Martin.

541. Edith Webb: (colored) made application for a loaf of Bread weekly. to be visited.

Friday 12th August 1864

Present The Revd. Mr. Grasett

542. Edith Webb: Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly. See Case 541.

543. Mary Edwards: (colored) Ontario St. recommended to knit Socks.

Tuesday 16th August 1864

Present Revd. Mr. Givens

544. Elizabeth Gibson: 46 Camden Street, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

545. David Livingstone: 66 years of age, Native of Scotland. Presbt. Church is paralyzed on one side, seeks admission into this Institution, lives at present with a Son who is a Bricklayer living on Dummer St. He is to bring his Number so that Visitor can call and make enquiries.

546. John Paxton: in Case 538, made his appearance again for readmission. to be admitted.

547. James J. Knight: 410 Queen St. west. Wife and 6 children, Boy 14, girl 11, Boy 9, Boy 8, girl 6, and girl 4. They are in the greatest distress in consequence of the illness of the husband who is said to be suffering severely from inflammation on the lungs, and insufficient nourishment. Visitor recommends Bread Weekly and a double ration of Tea, Sugar & etc.

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Tuesday 16th August 1864

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548. The children "Philips" in Case 539 were taken out by the parents with consent of Weekly Committee. Parents say they can support them and are willing to do so.

Friday 19th Novbr 1864

No Committee Present

549. The children "Kemp" in Case 496 were taken out by their mother Ann Kemp, her term in Gaol having expired.

550. "James Darragh" 10 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a vagrant on the Public Streets. The boy states that he came from Seymour Lower Canada, says he is an Orphan his mother died of inflammation on the lungs, and his father was drowned at the rapids with 18 others the raft on which they were having struck the Boom. ChofEngl.

551. Margaret Sherlock: about 3 years of age was sent here by the Police Magistrate, the mother having been sent to Gaol for being drunk.

552. Mary Yeo: in Case 351, died this day August 20th of Water on the Brain.

553. Edward Fitzgerald about 9 years of age, has been in Hospital for the last two years with a hip disease. He is now quite recovered with the exception of a little lameness. Dr. Hampton of the General Hospital made application for his admission, and our House Doctor has examined the case and considers it a proper one for admission. The Boy's mother Jane Chambers well known to the House of Industry is at present a patient in Hospital.

554. Alexander Whetered: 63 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Has been 3 years in Canada, in feeble health, no friends excepting a Sister who lives somewhere on the River St. Clair, seeks admission for a time until he gets stronger, when he will try to get to his Sisters.

555. John Parrett : 63 Louisa St. Married, 79 years of age, wife 69. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for an allowance of 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly. Primitive Methodist not Church of England.

556. John Aldridge: in Case 485 in 1863 asked leave to see his friends in the Country.

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Tuesday 23rd August 1864

Present Revd. Saltern Givens

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557. James Darragh: in Case 550 ran away from the Institution August 23.

558. John Hargrave: 52 years of age, English. ChofEngl. 9 months in Canada. Came up from Montreal a few days since, is foot sore, and has no means of supporting himself. Painter by trade. Wife died 6 month ago in the Lower Province, his two children (boys) are placed out with Farmers. Say's the Mayor sent him for a few days shelter in "House of Industry" until he gets better. Left August 29th.

559. Bridget Dowd: about 8 years of age was sent by the Police Magistrate. The mother Ellen Dowd having been sent to Gaol. August 25th.

Friday 26th August 1864

Present Hon. R. Spence & E. Hobson

560. Sarah Lodge: 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. A dissipated wretched woman, seeks admission for a time being in a bad state of health brought on by lying out at night's. Allowed to remain in the Outbuilding.

561. Margt. Caverly: in Case 528, brought a Note from Mrs. Capt. Strachan for her readmission. The Brother of Caverly left the States to escape the draft and his wife is not able to provide for her.

562. George King: 70 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. Has been living near Norval in the Township of Esquesing for the last 20 years, was sent to Toronto to get into the Poor House. Recommended by Mr. Hamilton for a few days shelter, who will likewise write to his friends.

563. Thomas Finn: 64 years of age, Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic Church. A cripple, lost the use of his limbs up to his hips. He was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a vagrant.

564. William Lowry: 79 years of age, Irish, Presbt. Came last Saturday from the Lower Province, has been living there for the last four years was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admittance, having been arrested as a vagrant on the Public Streets of this City. Lowry is desirous of going to New London having friends there who he thinks will support him. August 29/64.

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565. James M. Read: lately from the State of Ohio, Native of Ireland. Wife and four children, was turned out of his Lodgings on account of not having means to pay for it. Came here for a nights lodging for himself and family, says that he engaged with a farmer who will come with his Team tomorrow to take

him and family out. They seem very decent respectable people, having the itch in the Outbuilding. Paid his lodging out. 75 [cents].

Tuesday August 30th 1864

Present John Shae Esqr.

566. Sarah Lodge: in Case 560 left again, she would like to come here and lodge for the night and be drinking about Town during the day.

567. George Longhry: in Case 685 in 1863 died this day (August 31st) aged seven years.

568. The children "Fox" in Case 476 were taken out by the mother. The father will come out of Gaol in a weeks' time. Sept. {blank}

569. Thomas Finn: in Case 563, died at 11 OClock A.M.

Friday 2nd September 1864

Present Mr. Thomas Storm

570. "Angelina Abrahams" in Case 529 in 1860. died this day (Sept. 2nd) Abscess on the Brain.

571. Patsy Bonner: about 5 years of age was sent here from the Police Court, the Mother Julia Bonner having been committed to Gael for two months. Sept 3/64.

Tuesday 6th Septbr 1864

Present Revd. Dr. Read & R. Gilmor Esqr.

572. William Lowry: in Case 564 Committee consider it best to send him up to London.

573. George King: in Case 562 to be sent back to Norval having no claim on this Charity. Was sent Sept 9th. Paid his fare 90 [cents] and allowed 40 [cents] to travel with.

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September 6th 1864

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574. Mrs. Ewart: made application for the admission of Cathr. Campbell. See Case 630 in 1863. The case referred to General Board.

575. Donald Robinson: an Inmate left the Institution on his own account.

576. Caroline Saunders: English. Married, 4 children, to have Bread for a fortnight, expects some money from her husband who is up in Chicago at work.

577. Mary Gormley: to have Bread by knitting for it.

578. John McIntire: to have 600 [pounds] of Soft Coal allowed on account of his illness, his wife is now in Gael. Sept 7th.

579. Sarah McDonnell: in Case 334 is desirous of becoming an Inmate again having left her place of Service. To be admitted.

Friday Septbr 9th 1864

Present Mr. Robert Gilmor

580. The Matron of Magdalen Asylum made application for the admission of two Colored Children named Williams, Mary aged 11, and Lizzie aged 6 years, now Inmates of that Institution. In February last, Mrs. {Hume} Blake made application for the same children. It was then decided by the General Board, that as the Children were not living within the City bounds, Mrs. Blake to be informed that application ought to be made to the York Township Council for their provision.

581. John Kelly: Blind, lives on Reeses Wharf. Irish, R.C. his wife Judy died in February last, has one little girl 8 years of age who leads him about, seeks assistance, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

582. Harriett Hawkins: back of No. 10 Edward St. to have a loaf for the present and to be visited.

583. Mary Winslow: in Case 293 was taken into the House, being now about 13 months old.

584. William Brown: Blind, was formerly an Inmate has lately rambled about the Country, was brought by the Revd. Mr. Plowman for admission.

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Tuesday 13th Septbr. 1864

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

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585. Donald Robinson: in Case 575 made application for readmission into the House, Committee consider he is able to work for his own living and will therefore not admit him.

586. William Brown: in Case 584. his Case to be brought before the General Board. to be allowed to remain in the Building for casual poor until then.

587. John Murray: 78 years of age, Native of Ireland. R.C. Has been living in the Township of Sydenham 9 Miles from Owen Sound for a number of years, a Son of his lives there also. Came to Toronto two months ago with the intention of getting into the Poor House. Was advised by Committee to get back to Sydenham having a Claim there to be supported by his own Municipality.

588. David Livingston: in Case 545 to be admitted into the House.

Friday 16 Sept. 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson

588. The above Case "David Livingston" was admitted this day Friday.

589. Margt. Cummerford: died Sept 19th at the age of 38 years of Consumption. See her Case of admission 670 in 1863.

Tuesday 20th Septbr 1864

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner

590. Mary Morris: 75 Caroline St. to be visited.

591. Philip Davis: 37 years of age, Native of England. ChofEngl. Nearly blind, was formerly an Inmate, see Case 560 in 1863. Seeks admission again. Admitted on Condition that he keep away from the females and otherwise make himself general useful.

592. Patrick Lindsay: in Case 616 in 1862 died this day September 20th at half past 8 OClock P.P. 67 years of age.

593. Paid fare back to Belleville for two Colered Children sent from there (Belleville) as ordered by General Board. One and a half fare [dollars] 3,75. Sept. 21st.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Gilmor

594. Revd. Mr. Rechenburg: made application for the admission of three young Children belonging to a German Family, the Mother being in the General Hospital, the Father is a drunkard. It appears they are originally from Watertown, have only been in Toronto a short time. Advised to make application to the Reeve of Watertown.

595. William Lowry: in Case 572 to be admitted for a time, being at present in a weakly state of health.

596. Mary Gormley: 46 years of age. Widow. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Has one Child a Boy 6 years of age with her, the rest in "Orphans House". She is bad with Rheumatism and therefore not able to earn her living out. Seeks admission with her boy whom she is willing to give up to the House. To be admitted with the understanding that she make herself general useful during her stay in the House.

597. Richard Storey: 20 years in Toronto, all that time in the Ward of St. John. 61 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Not able to earn his living, and no friends to support him, seeks admission. admitted as he promises to make himself useful about the premises.

598. James Gorley: 71 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Has been an Inmate at various times, he now seeks admission again, promises to make himself useful. To be admitted.

599. Martha A. Beatty: 63 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. Has been an outdoor Pensioner for years. Seek's admission, having no home, and no friends to support her. Admitted.

600. Cathr. Campbell: (blind) in Case 574 was admitted by the General Board on Tuesday last. But she refused to come.

601. Ann Philips: and aged out door Pensioner, 85 years of age. Native of Wales, Member of the English Church. Widow. Mrs. Philips is getting now very infirm and not able to take care of herself. Application was made for her admission into House of Industry. To be admitted.

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602. Charles Tilt: 12 years of age, was sent by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admission, having been arrested as a vagrant on the Public Streets of this City. Ran away.

Tuesday 27th Septbr. 1864

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

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603. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. A widow upwards of 60. Lives alone in a single room up Stairs. Just out of the General Hospital and is still suffering from an affection of the throat, says she has a needle in her knee, and being quite feebly is unable to do much work. Is willing to knit, but owing to her peculiar circumstances the Visitor would recommend the Committee not be too rigid with her. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly. Irish. R.C.

604. Mary Lithernew: an Inmate, 78 years of age died this day (Sept. 27th) at 11 O'clock A.M. See her case of admission 621 in 1862.

Friday 30th Septbr 1864

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

No Applications

Tuesday 4th October 1864

Present The Revd. Mr. Williams & E Hodson Esqr. & Rice Lewis Esqr.

605. William Bell: Native of Scotland, 64 years of age. Presbyterian Church. No family, never was married. Has been in Toronto 16 years. Not able to provide for himself. No relations or friends in this country. Seeks admission into the House. To be admitted.

606. Janet Ailes: rear of 41 Elizabeth St. Widow. Scotch. Presbt. 46 years of age. 4 children, Boy 16 at Jaques & Hay's. Boy 14 apprenticed from "House of Industry". Boy 12 out for his Board. Girl 10 adopted. Mrs. Ailes has been laid up for the last two months with Rheumatism, she is industrious and goes out washing when well. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly for a time.

607. Martha Ann Beatty: in Case 599 left on her own account.

608. Mary Balfour: an old out door Pensioner, to have 300 [pounds] Coal on account of her being ill at the present.

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Friday October 7th 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Williams

609. James Irwin: who has been an Inmate at different times, made application for readmission, on account of his drunken propensity when last an Inmate, the Weekly Committee will not admit him but refer his Case to the General Board.

610. Joanna Quigly: made application for relief, she is to bring her Number, when she will be visited.

611. Susan Goad: in Case 483. To have her ration of 8 [pounds] of Bread taken off as both her husband and self are strong hearty people able to earn their living, and the former is also receiving a pension.

Tuesday Octbr 11th 1864

Present Revd. Mr. Broughall & J. Thom Esqr.

No Applications

Friday Octbr 14th 1864

Present Mr. J. Thom

612. Hannah Stewart: (head of Hope Street, near Mr. Wm. Curdys) her husband has been in the Asylum for four years. Has 3 Children living, a boy 10 years of age, and two girls 13 & 7 years respectively, the former of whom is looking for a place. Is not able to obtain employment at present, and is anxious to get some Knitting from the House to enable her to live. A sober industrious woman. Irish. ChofEngl. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly for which she will knit socks.

613. Jane Clark: in Case 615 in 1862 is gone on trial previous of being apprenticed with Richard Pim.

614. Clara Slain: No. 68 1/2 Elizabeth Street. Native of England. ChofEngl. Married. 34 years of age. 6 children, boy 13 earns one Dollar weekly at Chairmaking. Boy 9, girl 7, girl 5, girl 4, and girl seven Weeks old all at home. Husband not able to work on account of a broken hip. To have 12 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

615. Mary Ann Johnston: Colored, about 7 years of age, was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] the mother (Maria Mullen

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White Woman) having been arrested and sent to Gael for one month for vagrancy on the Public Streets in Toronto Octbr 17th.

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616. Mary Hurly: rear of Clover Hill, Irish, R.C. Widow, 88 years of age. No one to do anything for her. A very industrious Woman. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal when given out.

Tuesday 18th October 1864

Present Messrs. J. Doel & E. Hobson

617. Mary Ann Joslin: 438 King Street east. English, ChofEngl. 35 years of age (Husband in Consumption) four children, 3 boys ages 9 and 7 years and one four Weeks old, a girl 4 years. Mrs. Joslin washes when she can get it to do. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and an allowance of Tea, Sugar, Rice and Oatmeal.

618. Emma Williams : Colored. 16 years of age, from Aurora, seeks admission into the House. See Case 261. Committee consider she has no Claim on this charity and therefore advise that she go to the Reeve of her own place of residence for support.

619. James Irwin: in Case 609 was admitted by the General Board with the understanding, if he misbehaves himself again, to be dismissed from the Institution.

Friday 21st October 1864

Present Messrs. J. Doel & E. Hobson

620. Sarah Ann Colehan [Coolehan]: Widow and one child. Mrs. Colehan has got a situation since she applied to the House and now very properly declines to receive any assistance.

621. John Taylor: 94 years of age. Native of Kent (England) says he is a Sailor and served 17 years in the British Navy, was in the 74 Gun Ship Northumberland under Admiral Cockburn, also at the fight in Trafalgar Bay. He was sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been taken up as a Vagrant. Taylor says he has no settled home. Octbr 22nd.

622. William Wade and Inmate, 9 years of age: gone on trial (Octbr 24) previous of being bound.

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Tuesday 25th October 1864

Present The Revd. Dr. Green

623. John Taylor: in Case 621, to be admitted for the present.

624. Mary Brammell: 58 years of age. Widow. English, Protestant, says she is destitute of a home, has no friends, or means to support herself, afflicted with Rheumatism, seeks admission into the House. To be admitted with the understanding that she make herself general usefull.

625. John McIntire: in Case 578 to have another 600 [pounds] of Coal.

626. Archibald McKinny: (in Case 822 in 1862) died this day Octbr 27 aged 76 years.

627. A Boy about 10 years of age was brought here from No. 2 Police Station, but run away again almost directly.

Friday 28th October 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson

628. John Teeffe: about 3 years of age, was sent here for admittance by George Boomer Esqr, the Mother of the child having been committed to Gael for one Month for being drunk and disorderly.

629. John Shaw: 52 years of age, Native of the Isle of Guernsey. ChofEngl. 33 years in Toronto. Married. No children. The Wife is blind and lives with a brother of hers. Shaw is greatly afflicted with Rheumatism and not able to earn a living for himself, and no friends willing to assist him. Seeks admission into the House. To see the Doctor and if a fit case, to be admitted. Promises to make himself general useful as far as he is able.

Tuesday 1st November 1864

Present Revd. E. Baldwin

630. Jane McDonnell: 73 Richmond St. East. 45 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Husband left for the States twelve months ago. Has one Son 22 years of age a printer by trade who has been ill and unable to work for the last seven weeks. Mrs. McDonnell herself is also in a weak state

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of health, not able to earn sufficient to support herself and Son. to have 4 [pounds] of Bread for the present until Visitor can report upon her case.

631. Dougal Lamont: 34 years of age, Scotch. Presbyterian Church. 14 years in Toronto, seems to be far gone in Consumption. Brought a recommendation from Dr. Nichol to the Mayor as a proper case for admission in General Hospital. Revd. Mr. Baldwin will see Revd. Dr. Barclay to ascertain whether that gentleman will accede to pay for Lamont in Hospital until he can be placed on the free list. In the mean time he is to be accommodated here as he seems destitute of a home.

632. Mary Gallagher: 439 King St. East. See report of January 3rd 1863. Unchanged in most respects, but must now note the arrival of another Child, and absence of the husband who has gone to the States. Mrs. G. wants Tea & Sugar but must be satisfied with what she now gets. Visitor recommends Bread for the family, which consists of 5 small children. It appears a doubtful case. Mrs. G. is everything but tidy in her domestic arrangements and evidently belongs to the class commonly called shiftless. Irish. Roman Catholic Church.

633. Thomas Hawkins: English. ChofEngl. Married, 44 years of age. 2 children Girl 10, Boy 6 years of age, both at home. Wife a Charwoman. Hawkins appears very ill. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

634. Jane Fleetwood: an Inmate, was sent this day (November 2nd) to the Lunatic Asylum. She was admitted on the 30th October 1860. She was in a unsound mind at that time but has of late become unmanageable. See her Case of admission 684 in 1860.

635. Mary Sergeant: 232 Elizabeth Street. See Case 399. Recommended for a ration of Rice, Sugar & Tea.

Friday 4th November 1864

Present Revd. Mr. E. Baldwin

636. Mary Barclay: 22 years of age. Canadian, was born in Williamsburg, seems to be a respectable girl but not able to go to Service on account of deformity in her lower limbs, which were burnt when a Child. She is seeking admission for a time, willing to make herself useful as far as she is able. ChofEngl.

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637. Margaret Douglas: 228 Queen St. west. A widow without children aged 60. Hires a room up Stairs for which she pays a Dollar a Month. Supports herself by washing and scrubbing, but is unfit for much hard work owing to Rheumatism on account of which she was obliged to leave service that she had

catered after her husband's death. Irish. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends help from the House. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

Tuesday 8th November 1864

Present Mr. E. Hobson

638. Robert Evans: in Case 530, had leave on last Thursday to go out, has not returned since.

639. William Mason: aged 75 years. Native of Ireland. Presbt. Church. Has lived for the last twenty years in the Township of Trafalgar amongst his friends, came to Toronto a few days ago and was arrested by the Police as a vagrant on the Public Streets of this city. He was sent to this Institution for admission by G. Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate]

640. Elizabeth McDonnell: rear of 201 Centre St. Married. 4 children all sick with intermitting fever. 10 weeks out from Ireland. Methodist Church. Visitor recommends a ration of Tea, Sugar, Rice and Oatmeal, and some Bread for the present.

Friday 11th November 1864

Present Revd. Mr. Grasett

641. John Paxton Canadian, an Inmate died this day at one OClock P.M. Debility, aged 46. See his Case of admission 990 in 1863.

642. Ann Tooley: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 70 years, an old Pensioner of the House. She has lost her health of late and can do nothing to support herself. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread per week.

643. Mary Campbell: 223 Queen St. west. Visitor cannot find her, there being no such number.

644. Mary Barclay: in Case 636, went this morning (November 12th) to the General Hospital.

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November 13th 1864

645. Mary Gormley: in Case 596 left the House on her own account and took her bag with her.



646. Margaret White: 61 years of age. Irish. R.C. was sent here for admission by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] She having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of this City.

Tuesday 15th November 1864

Present Revd. W. S. Darling

647. Susan Murray: about 30 years of age seeks admission into the House, by her behaviour she seems to be a fit Case for the Lunatic Asylum. Committee advise that she go back to her friends.

648. Nancy Wright: lives at 41 Caroline St. Says that a French Canadian familie came to reside in one of her houses about 6 months ago. They have 6 children, 3 weeks ago the Parents went to the Lower Province and left the Children deserted in the empty House without any provision for their support. If the 3 youngest children aged 7, 6 and 5 years respectively could be admitted, the 3 eldest would go to Service. The 3 youngest to be admitted. They belong to the Roman Catholic Church. The usual notice to be sent to Mr. W.J. MacDonell. The name is Amor.

649. Nathan Jackson: Canadian, was born back of Belville on the Lake-shore, where he has been living ever since. 58 years of age. He was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admittance, having been arrested as a Vagrant on the public streets of this city. Admitted in the Outbuilding, until arrangement can be made of sending him back to Belville.

650. Alexander Beatty: 64 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. An old outdoor Pensioner in feeble health. Recommended for admission. To be admitted.

651. The Visitor recommends temporary relief to Ellen Hookaway and Howard Connell as he has not been able to visit, but hopes to be able to do so without fail to Morrow.

652. Franklin White: 52 George St. lately from the States, has a mother to support, is anxious to obtain employment.

653. Frances Knight: husband bad with Rheumatism, 6 children. Revd. Mr. Broughell recommends the case to Committee. Bread 8 [pounds].

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November 18th 1864

654. John Fisher: aged 5 years died this day. He is Brother to Emma, Mary Ann, and William. See Case 462.

Friday 18th Novbr 1864

Present Revd. Mr. Darling

655. Samuel Wedge: Reeses Wharf, one of our old Pensioners aged 70. Wife aged 65. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

656. Sayers Mrs.: 137 Adelaide St. west. She was turned out of Hospital as an incurable, has the Erysipelas very bad, got into where she is for a night as Charity, is there now for a Week. They do not know what to do with her, neither does the Visitor. Has no friends in Toronto.

657. Jane Clark: 140 York Street. Visitor will see further about this Case. called herself Ford and said she was acting for Jane Clark.

658. Elizabeth Sibberd: 92 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, age 36. 4 children, Girl 12, Girl 10, boy 7 and boy 3 years of age, all at home. Husband went to the States 3 months ago, and enlisted in the American Army, she says has had not letter or Money from him, but was informed that he was killed. Visitor is afraid she is not a temperate Woman, but something must be done for the present, say 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

659. Wilson Mrs.: Is not known in Ezar Street.

660. Sarah Robinson: 23 Elizabeth Street, may do without assistance.

661. Ellen Cradicott: is not known at 82 Elizabeth St.

662. Ann Martin: has left 81 Agnes Street.

663. Soup Committee:

Met at 9 1/2 A.M. this (Friday) Morning. Novbr 18/64

Present, Messrs. Hobson, Tyner, MacDonell, Gilmor, Shaw & Rutherford

Mr. Rutherford moved, Seconded by Mr. MacDonell that E. Hobson Esqr. be Chairman of the Soup Committee. Carried.

Mr. Hobson explained the plan for distributing & selling Tickets for Soup. Numbered & signed by Supt.

Mr. Hobson's plan was adopted.

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Present Hon. Mr. Spence & Revd. S. Givins

664. Honora Connell: 140 or 104 Pine Street. Native of Ireland. R.C. Husband go to the States and enlisted in the Federal Army. 3 children, Girl 8 years, Boy 6, Girl 3. Mrs. Connell is a stout healthy woman able and willing to work when she can get it to do. With her 3 Children however it is not easy to get through the Winter without some assistance, and Visitor thinks she might be allowed Bread for 3 months. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly. Irish. R.C.

665. Ellen Hookaway: 338 Queen St. east. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 3 children, Twins Boy and Girl 6 year old. Girl 2 years old. A very decent little woman, whom Visitor would recommend for an allowance of Bread during the Winter, and Coal as soon as it is given out.

666. Jane Armstrong: 63 Ontario St. East. Husband gone to the States, one Child 2 years old, a wretched little object from inflammation of the Eyes. Mrs. Armstrong tries to earn a living with her Needle but work is slack just now, and she is much in need of a little assistance. Visitor recommends Bread for a couple of months. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly. Irish. ChofEngl.

667. Ellen Littledale: 111 Duke Street. Native of Ireland. R.C. Widow. 3 children 5, 3, and 1 year respectively. Visitor believes Mr. Littledale to be an industrious hard working Woman and deserving of relief. She obtained assistance last year from the House, her husband was at that {blank} in the States, he returned home in bad health, and died about 8 or 9 Months ago. She goes out to wash and scrub, but her baby is of course a great drag upon her. Recommended for Bread during the Winter, and a little Coal when it is given out. 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

668. Ann Martin: rear of 87 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 23 years of age. 2 children, boy 2 and girl 1 year old, lived in Toronto 3 years. Husband a Labourer went to the States 7 months ago, and has received neither Money or Letter from him since. House, Children, and herself are all very dirty, she goes out to work when she can get it. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present.

669. Mary Percival : 16 Front Street (Boards with her daughter) with another Woman, Mother all and decrepit, daughter an invalid, An old Pensioner of the House. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

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670. Jane Clarke: 140 York Street. Says she's deserted by her husband. Has one Child 6 months old, lives with a person of the Name of Ford. Fourteen days in Toronto. Visitor does not know how she lives. As an apology for a Bed she lies on a few old rags, seems rather a delicate person. Visitor leaves the Committee to do wat [what] they can for her. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Allowed to stay in the Outbuilding until Friday.

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Present The Revd. S. Givins & Hon. R. Spence & Mr. E. Hobson

671. John McIntire: to have another allowance of 600 [pounds] of Coal.

672. Timothy Harrington: an old Man who has been in the House before, was recommended by Hon. G. W. Allan for readmission, as he is more quite childish, and not able to take care of himself. 78 years of age. Married. Wife and two Children in Toronto. Irish. R. C. To be admitted.

673. Mary Rogers: 190 Jarvis Street. 40 years of age, nearly blind, has one boy 11 years old, appears to have not means to support herself. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly for the present.

674. Elizabeth Kelly: 113 Duke Street. Native of Ireland. Widow. R.C. 3 children boys 11, 9, 7. Supports herself by sewing and going out to work at peoples Houses. Seems to be a decent industrious Woman, anxious to support herself and Children. Visitor recommends relief for the Season.

675. Honora Warren: formerly an Inmate (See Case 579 in 1863.) Widow, 67 years of age, Native of Ireland. R.C. begs to be admitted again. Committee will admit her for a time, on condition that she make herself general usefull. Doctor to see her at 3 OClock.

676. Mary Lee: Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Says she is 20 years of age. Seems to be out of her mind. To bring her Number and be visited.

677. Mary Cavanagh: 84 Elizabeth Street. Irish. R.C. 9 Months from Peterborough, has two young Children, says one of them is sick with the Chicken pok [pox]. Husband somewhere on the Lake. Committee consider she should go back to Peterborough, to have some Bread in the meantime while her child is sick.

678. Ellen Hookaway: in Case 665. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

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679. Robert Mitchell: 71 years of age. Irish. Presbt. Has been living in the City for 15 years. Seeks admission into the House for a time, as he is not able to support himself just now. Seems a respectable old Man. Admitted, with the understanding that he make himself useful.

680. John Purchase: 59 years of age. English, Ch of Engl. 30 years in York Township, his family all grown up doing for themselves, he seeks admission here, advised to go back to his own Municipality, as he has no claim on this Institution.

681. Jane Gilbert: 54 years of age, a Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. Has been one week in Toronto, used to live in York Township. Says she came to Town on account of not being well, seeks assistance from the House. To have a casual Loaf of Bread.

682. Edward Byrnes: 70 years of age, died this morning (Novbr 26th) about 2 OClock, of general Debility. See Case of admission 664 in 1863.

683. John Teeffe: in Case 628 was taken out by his mother.

684. A Child about 7 or 8 years of age, was left deserted on Edward Street by it's mother. It was taken to the Mayor, who ordered it's admission into this Institution if consistent with the rules. It was recognised in the House as Jessie Thompson, the Child of Cathr. Thompson, who received Outdoor relief last Winter. See Case 754 in 1863. (Novbr 28th)

Tuesday 29th November 1864

Present. Mr. John Shea & Revd. Dr. Barclay

685. Mary Gifford: second House west of Louisa Street School. Native of Scotland. Presbt. Church. Married. 33 years of age. 3 children, Boy 9, Boy 7, and Girl 5 years of age. Husband a Cabinet Maker, a great drunkard, left her 5 weeks ago. She was informed that he went to the States. Mrs. Gifford appears a clean respectable Woman. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per week and Coal when given out.

686. Margaret Flinn: rear of 38 Centre Street. Irish. R.C. Married. aged 30. One daughter 4 years of age in bad health. Husband left her 4 years ago, not heard from him since he left. Visitor was informed that she is a steady industrious Woman, but not able to do much work on account of the sick child. 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

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687. Mary Ann Newall: 190 Elizabeth St. Canadian. ChofEngl. Married. 22 years of age. One Child (a Girl) 12 months old. Husband left her 16 months ago, and does nothing for her. She appears to be a steady Woman, goes to work Charing. Visitor thinks she out to do without assistance for the present. It would be better for her if she placed her Child out to nurse and went to service.

688. Andrew McRoberts: 50 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. From Township of London, has been begging about the Country of late, says that he sprained his ancle [ankle], begs for a few days Shelter and leave to see the Doctor. Allowed to stay in Outbuilding for a few days.

689. James Irwin: an Inmate had leave to go out, he has not returned yet, having been two days absent. Novbr 30th.

690. Jane McIntee: 140 York street. ChofEngl. aged 40. Irish. Has two daughters aged 11 and 9 years respectively, has no work. Visitor recommends knitting for Bread.

691. Mary Baldwin: (American) Widow of Col. Baldwin, late of the Gore of Toronto, Roman Catholic, about 55 years of age, lives with her daughter Mr. Knight, whose husband was sometime ago, Station Master at Weston on the Grand Trunk, but lost his situation through intemperance. Mrs. Knight was not at home when Visitor called, but Mrs. Baldwin pointed to 3 Children, two girls 1, 2 years, 1, 3 1/2 years, and a boy 5 years, all helpless. States Mrs. Elmsley and Mrs. Taylor, give Flour and some groceries, but they want Wood. Visitor recommends Wood. Live on a Lane running East & West between Alexander and Maitland Street, the further House East.

692. Mary Finlan: 51 Stanley Street does not know her age, must be 55 or 60, one Child (a girl) between 11 & 12. Husband a tailor but intemperate, now in Gaol for drunkenness. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread & Coal.

693. Bridget Barrett: 51 Stanley Street. Irish. Roman Catholic. Widow. One daughter about 21 years of age, subject to epileptic fits and helpless. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

694. Julia Hammond: 51 Stanley St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 2 grand daughters 11 and 15 years of age, all helpless. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

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695. Elizabeth Burns: 18 Stanley Street. Irish. Roman Catholic. About 60 years of age, alone except a grand daughter about 10 years old. Lives entirely on Charity, helped regularly by Mrs. Homer Dixon, Lady Macaulay & Dr. Adams of Bay Street and others. Recommended for Bread & Coal.

696. Mary Frances Thompson: Colored. 15 years of age, says she came from Barrie two weeks ago with the intention of looking for a place, says her parents reside in Barrie. Came for Shelter in Outbuilding for a few days.

697. Margaret White: in Case 646 left the Institution on her own account.

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Friday 2nd December 1864

Present Mr. J. Tyner

698. Mary Daley: Charles St. off Laidleys Lane. Married, but her husband has gone to the States these two years. Aged 30. Has 3 Children, a Boy 8 years, and two Girls 10 & 3 years respectively. Her occupation is Char work having one or two days work in the Week. Irish. R.C. Drinks but not heavily. wants bread and Coal. Visitor obtained the information from a neighbour as Mrs. D. was not at home.

699. Ellen Hartyhorn: Eden Street, off Bathurst Street. aged 21. Her husband is a Cripple, quite unable to work. Has one Child a girl 5 years old, occupation plain sewing, of which she can get scarcely anything to do. A native of the United States. Is Colored. Baptist. Recommended warmly for any assistance the House can give.

700. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope Street. aged about 45. Married, but her husband has been in the States since July last. Has no children living, not able to work owing to sickness of serious kind. A Native of Ireland, and a Roman Catholic. Said to be a decent respectable Woman. Recommended for Bread and Coal at the proper time.

701. Sarah Tomlie: in a Shanty on York St. near Front Street. Widow. Aged 41. R.C. Irish. 5 Children, one about 14 years of age, at Service, four at home, Girl 11, Girl 7, Girl 6, and Boy 9. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per week, but not yet, say about the middle of December and Coal about 3 times during the season, and Soup.

702. Mary Finlan: in Case 692 to have her Name put on the List about Christmas.

703. Johanna Lynch: in Case 700 to be placed on the List about Christmas.

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704. Sarah Johnson: 121 1/2 Adelaide Street west. Married. Husband in bad health. Has 5 Children, all at home and as usual, dirty, filthy and shiftless. Family is known at the House of Industry. Johnson is now able to gather rags. The eldest girl 13 ought to be in Service. Recommended to be placed on the relief List about Christmas.

705. Elenor Peters: in a Lane west off York St. Entrance on Richmond St. upstairs. Widow aged 46. 3 Children, 2 girls one 6, one 4 1/2, and a boy 3 years old. She was out when Visitor called, but found her place tidy and the Children clean. The Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal before Christmas, as she is badly off.

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706. Jane Dyer: 116 Boulton St. Married. Deserted by her husband. This certainly is a distressing case, she is a poor delicate Woman with 3 children, the eldest a sweet nice looking girl of sixteen could do well at Service, but cannot leave home on account of the mother's bad state of health. Mrs. Dyer is altogether unfit for anything excepting being nursed, has also a girl 8 years, and a baby 10 months old. Visitor recommends the Case to the Committee as one deserving assistance. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly. A ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal & Rice now and Coal and Soup when that is given out.

707. Catharine Hunt: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. West. Widow. R.C. one of our old Pensioners, Visitor recommends that she be allowed to knit for the present. She has 3 children, will want as usual when the time comes, Bread, Fuel & Soup.

708. Faustina Robinson: Colored. Says her husband is away from her. Pays 3d [pence] per night to Sarah Johnson in Case 704 to be permitted lying down on that persons dirty floor. Her little Boy sells papers. Visitor has not a good opinion of her and cannot recommend.

709. Jane Gilbert: in Case 681, recommended to go back to her own Township, has no claim on this Charity.

Tuesday 6th December 1864

Present Revd. Dr. Read, Hon. R. Spence, Messrs. R. Gilmor, E. Hobson & R. Woodsworth.

710. Mary Daley: in Case 698 to apply about New Year.

711. Ann Flavan: in Case 510 made application for readmission. Committee will not admit her on account of her bad behaviour when in before.

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712. Janet Ailes: in Case 606, wishes to place her son James aged 10 last October in the Institution, and to be apprenticed from it according to the By-Laws of the Institution. Committee granted her request, Mrs. Ailes intends going to Service herself. Admitted Debr. 8th.

713. Johanna Lynch: in Case 700, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly for the present, and Coal after New Year.

714. William Dalton: 53 years of age, Irish. Roman Catholic Church, had his leg broken some time ago on the Grand Trunk at Scarborough says he has no friend, but a daughter who is at Service. Seeks admission

into House of Industry, his leg is now in such a state, as to incapacitate him for work. The Committee refer him to the Doctor, who will have to report upon his Case by next Friday.

715. William Graham: from Kingston says has friends in Hamilton where he intends to go as soon as possible. Committee advised him to do so.

716. Arabella McLee: rear of 102 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 48 years of age, 6 Children, 3 married, one Son single in Montreal who pay's her rent. A daughter 12 years of age in Service at [dollars] 1 1/2 a month. A daughter 10 years of age at home goes to school, she ought to be in Service. Mrs. McLee works at Tailoring when she can get work, which she says is very scarce and small pay. She can knit, which Visitor recommends her to do for the House, and her to get Bread for it. Visitor does not feel satisfied about the Case.

717. Catharine Deary: 103 Strachan St. A widow with two Children, a Son and daughter, both grown up; the son is a invalid and imbecile, the daughter is strong and well able to work, but is kept home by the Mother to help her in taking care of the Son. The mother goes out washing and scrubbing when she can get work. She keeps Lodgers also in her House.

718. Ann Donnelly: a Woman with five young Children, lodging with the above. Her husband left her about 3 Months ago, and she has heard that he has since died. She was out when Visitor called but he would say, from what her heard and saw that she stands in need of assistance.

719. Elizabeth Balsam: No. 12 Victoria Street. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly and a full ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal and Rice also a Coal Grate. Visitor will report more fully on her Case in a day or two.

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720. Robert Donaldson: 62 years of age. Born in London, England, raised in Ireland, County Torane {Tyrone?}. ChofEngl. Was in the Army 14 years and nine months, when his father bought him off, has therefore no pension to receive. Came to Canada in 1829. Wife and some of the Children died, others are away, has no settled home of late years, seeks admission for a time, is willing to make himself general useful.

Friday, 9th Decbr. 1864

Present: Revd. Dr. Read, Messrs. R. Gilmore, E. Hobson, W.J. MacDonell, J. Thom and J. Tyner.

721. The Committee on Soup Kitchen. After some discussion resolved that on and after Monday the 19th inst., Soup and Bread will be distributed at the new Soup Kitchen, daily. (Sundays excepted) to all applicants who may be furnished with Tickets. Tickets entitling the bearer to half pound bread and a Basin of Soup may be obtained in parcels of 25, at 50 [cents] per parcel from the Superintendent.

The above to be advertised in Globe and Leader tomorrow Debr. 10, Wednesday, Decbr. 14th and Saturday 17th Dcbr.

722. Job Davis: English. ChofEngl. Wife and four Children, 7. 5. 3 and Baby 11 Months. Davis formerly lived in Darlington, is a painter by trade, but is unable to get any work whatever, having (so he says) applied to all in the businesses in the City, is willing to do work of any kind. They are living at No. 60 McMahon St. With Mrs. Davis's brother, a labouring man with his Wife and Children equally badly off. It appears to Visitor a Case for relief, as they are certainly utterly destitute at present of fuel or food. There is some little painting and glasing [glazing] to do about the Institution which Davis may do, and for which the Committee will give some relief in Bread, etc.

723. William Turner: 79 Caroline St. Turner and his Wife are a very respectable old couple, whose Case has been reported upon in previous years. He can do but little work now, and indeed has scarcely been able to obtain any this Summer. Visitor recommends a small allowance of Bread now, and Case as soon as given out, and continued through the Winter.

724. George Marsh: 60. English. 10 years in Canada, has been living on Yonge St. And for the last two years in Yorkville, seeks admission into House of Industry. To bring a few Lines from Revd. Mr. Givins. ChofEngl. Admitted.

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725. Ellen Hartzhorn [Hartshorn]: in Case 699, to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present, and to bring a Doctor's Certificate as to regard of her husband's health.

726. Catharine Deary: to have 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present, and Doctor to call and report upon the state of her Son's health. See Case 717.

727. Ann Donnelly: in Case 718, to have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

728. Julia Flannagan: 30 Dummer St. A Widow 60 years old, and has two grown up daughters, one in Service at [dollars] 3 a month, the other out of work and living with her. Can knit well, and pays [dollars] 1 a month rent. She seems a respectable woman. She is to knit for relief, and have 4 [pounds] of Bread.

729. Mary Short: 26 Dummer St. Lane. A Widow aged about 60, is a cripple both in hands and feet, she seems wretchedly poor, and can pay no rent to the man who has given her shelter. She has one imbecile

daughter aged 15 who can do nothing towards her support. She also has two Sons but does not know what has become of them. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

730. Elizabeth Long: 27 Dummer St. Lane. A Widow aged 46, has been ill with Rheumatism all Winter, and able to do but very little work. She has one grown up daughter at home to attend on her, who can knit as well. She pays [dollars] 2 a month rent. To knit for relief.

731. Ann Doyle: 79 Caroline St. Widow. R.C. 3 Children. 10. 8. and 4. In poor health. Came here from the States in September, has been assisted for some time by a Brother in Law living on Oak St., but he has a large family of his own, and can do nothing more for her. Visitor recommends a little Bread for 3 Weeks, and Coal for the same period. They are in a wretched cold garrett. The Children were all in bed, as the only means of keeping themselves warm. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread for the present.

732. Edward O'Brien: aged about 10 years, and Patrick Kavanagh aged about 7 years were sent here by George Boomer, Esqr., Police Magistrate, they having been arrested as Vagrants on the Public Streets.

733. Elizabeth Fisher: in Case 536, returned to the House. There is no complaint against her, being not strong enough to do the work, the party with whom she was, will hire a older girl for the Winter.

734. John Irvin: an Inmate 65 years of age, died this day (Feb. 9) at 10 o'Clock P.M. See Case of admission 218 in 1863.

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735. Elizabeth Fisher: in Case 733 went to place again, with Mrs. Humphrys on Church Street.

736. Mrs. Ladine: 29 Emma St. Colored. Methodist Church. Married, aged 28, one daughter 9 years of age. She is in a bad state of health, not able to do hard work, husband left for the States has not heard from him. Visitor was informed she is a steady industrious woman. Recommended for Coal, requires no bread as friends assist her.

737. Elizabeth Balsam: in Case 719. English. ChofEngl. Widow. Aged 29. 4 Children, girl 7, boy 5, girl 2, and infant a week old. Visitor was informed that she is a very respectable industrious woman, her late husband was a Tailor, but unfortunately for his family he was not a steady man. Visitor recommends Coal 1500 [pounds]

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Present: E. Hobson and E.H. Rutherford, Esqr.

738. Rachael Borland: 236 Terauly St. Canadian, Methodist Church. Married, 41 years of age. 4 Children, girl 11, girl 7, girl 4 years of age, and baby 8 Months. Husband a great drunkard, left her some time ago,

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does nothing for his family. Mrs. Borland is a very respectable industrious Woman, works at fine sewing for a living. She is not able to burn Coal on account of her work. Visitor would therefore recommend the value of it in flour.

739. Clarinda Warren: 132 1/2 Sayer St. (Colored) Methodist Church. A Widow 47 years of age. 4 Children, 2 in the States do nothing for her, 2 girls at home aged 4 and 5 years respectively. Visitor thinks she is a steady industrious Charwoman, but has little work. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, with Coal and Soup.

740. Rebecca Dorsey: rere of 101 Elm St. Colored, Methodist Church. Married, 28 years of age. Has one Boy 2 years of age, and again near her confinement. They came from St. Catharines 4 Months ago, where they had been living for some years. Visitor advises that they go back as they have no claim on this Charity. A Loaf for the present.

741. Jane Cochrane: rere of 190 Centre St. Irish. Presbyterian Church. A Widow, 50 years of age, says has lived in Toronto for some years, and is now ill with ague. Visitor finds an enquiry that she is well provided for, and can do without the assistance of House of Industry.

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742. Alice Murray: 102 Sayer St. See former report, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal, and to knit for it. She refused to do knitting. was therefore refused relief.

743. Ellen Cradicotte: rere 70 Elizabeth St. See former report. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

744. Emma Handy: at Nancy Backers Sayer St. Reported upon last year, to have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

745. Ann Winecup: 15 Eden St. A Widow aged about 55, can do very little work in consequence of a cancer in one of her breasts. Has children who are slaves in the Southern States. She pays a [dollars] 1.50 a Month, and keeps herself tolerable neat.

746. Alice Falton: 23 Boulton Lane. Age 30, her husband went away a fortnight ago to look for work. She has two Children, aged 3 years and 10 months respectively. Pays [dollars] 2.50 a month rent and can knit a little. Dirty House. R.R. Irish. Can do nothing for her.

747. Ann Donnelly: lives with the above and pays [dollars] 1 a Month, is a widow about 40, and has two Children, aged respectively 10 and 7. Can knit, was out working when Visitor called at a place where she gets work regularly once a fortnight. Can do nothing for her.

748. Anastatia Hinton: 51 Maple Lane, a Widow aged 50, has one Son who has run off to the States and contributes nothing to her support, is able to work and does work when she can get it. Seems at present

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pretty comfortably off, but says she cannot get through the Winter without help. Respectable looking and neat. Irish. R.C.

749. Elizabeth Keeley: 167 Vanauley St. A very respectable and tidy looking Woman. Her husband abandoned her some years ago. Has four Children; the oldest a daughter aged 20 who sews and gets a tolerable share of work, the second Child is a boy who earns [dollars] 1.50 a Week, and the other two are too young to work. She pays [dollars] 3 a Month rent, and seems at present pretty comfortable off; but wants Coal. English. ChofEngl.

750-. Margt. Wells: 87 Richmond St. Widow. R.C. Ireland, aged about 60. Has one daughter 12 out for her board, cannot help her Mother. Visitor recommends her assistance. She is willing to knit. To have relief as recommended for which she will knit.

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751. Mary O'Neil: 139 Queen St. West. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 37. Has one daughter aged 8 years. A smart tidy person, says she cannot get much to do. Visitor recommends Coal at the proper time, and Soup, might knit for bread. To have Coal twice and to Knit for Bread.

752. Bridget Murphy: 87 Richmond St. West, in the rere upstairs. Widow has four Children, girl 4 and girl 2 years of age, boy 8 and boy 6. Irish. R.C. aged 38. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal every 6 Weeks, as she lives with other parties who have only one Stove amongst them. To have relief as recommended.

753. Margt. McCarty: in the same apartments as above. Widow, aged 40, has one boy aged 8 years. Visitor thinks she may knit for a little fuel, but leaves the Case for the Committee to decide. Says cannot knit, thinks is able to provide for herself. No relief.

754. Ann Ryan: 153 Queen St. West. Widow. R.C. from Ireland. Aged 70. Has no family. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Soup and coal twice. She will knit for it. If she knits well to have Coal 4 times.

755. Jane Mowett: 51 Boulton St. Widow, aged 44. Has no family. Irish. R.C. Lives with other parties at the same house. Visitor recommends nothing, unless she knits for a little Coal.

756. Ann Wilson: rere of 43 Duchess St. Widow. R.C. Irish. One Child. An old Pensioner. See report of last year, and previous ones. Visitor recommends her for Coal when it is given out, to have it 3 times during the Winter, and Bread for a couple of Months, beginning at Christmas.

757. Ann Horan: 111 Duke St. R.C. Husband deserted her. 3 Children 9, 6, and 3 years old. A respectable industrious Woman. Visitor recommends bread for two months and Coal 3 times. Relief as recommended.

758. Margaret Oatly: rere of 53 Duchess St. One Child a girl 7 years old. Husband quite blind, and unable to do any work. Recommended for Coal and Bread about Christmas.

759. Cathr. Lucas: in Case 129, to have a full ration, and 600 [pounds] Coal.

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760. Jane Tremble: rere of 122 Duke St. A very decent respectable little Woman, whose case has been reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal during the Winter.

761. Hanna Boyle: 109 Nelson St. A Widow Woman with one grandchild living with her. A decent old lady. Recommended for Coal 3 times during the Winter, and Bread for 6 Weeks.

762. Sarah Turner: Lane next to 24 Sydenham St. Another deserted Wife! 2 Children, Boy 13, Girl 5. Is really very badly off for want of fuel. Appears to be a very respectable woman. Visitor would recommend her for Coal as soon as she can possible get it, and bread for a month.

763. Catharine Dentz: Living in the same House. Husband a German. 2 Children, one an infant in the Cradle. They are half starved with cold. The husband is a Cobbler by trade, but can get little or nothing to do at present. They are really in great distress. Visitor recommends Coal as soon as they can get it.

764. Amelia Delany: 60 years of age. Ch of Engl. English. Widow. Was an Inmate last Winter, but went out in the Spring with intent to earn her living. She is now seeking admission again. Admitted.

765. Joseph Bevan: 24 years of age. English. ~~Ch of Engl.~~ Methodist Church. 7 years from England, has been in the States for the last two years. Says, has palpitation of the heart, and is slightly paralysed in the right arm, not able to take a situation on account of not being strong. Seeks admission. To see the Doctor.

766. Matthew Boland: says is Wife is dead. Irish. M.C. Has one child, a boy, whom he desires to give up to the Institution as he cannot support himself and Child. Advised to get his boy into House of Providence.

767. Maria Fisher: 51 years of age. English. Ch of Eng. Lived 12 years in Toronto then emigrated with her husband (a Colered man) to Hayti [Haiti] and Jamaica. Husband went out of his mind, and she came back to Toronto last October, is in a delicate state of health, having had the Yellow Fever. Has no means and not able to earn her living, seeks admission. Admitted if Doctor thinks has a proper Case.

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768. Mary Ann Bell: to have 300 [pounds] Coal.

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769. Sarah Robinson: A Widow 63 years of age. English. ChofEngl. Has two grown up daughters who appear to be not very steady. The old Woman seems rather feeble, has no home, seeks admission in here. Admitted.

770. Ann Ryan: 23 years of age, Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. She came from Ireland about 12 Months ago, lived with Mrs. Day on Elizabeth St. but they went to the States, and she is out of place now, came here for Shelter in the Outbuilding, seems to be a decent Girl, but not strong in her health, and rather bad Eyesight. Begs hard for admittance into the Institution for a time.

771. Ann Pettit: 34 years of age, married, but deserted by her husband who is a drunken dissipated man. English. ChofEngl. 4 Children, Girls 13, 9, 6 and 4 years respectively. Mrs. Pettit is one of our old Pensions during the Winter Months. A very respectable industrious woman. Visitor recommends the same relief as last year. Coal 1200 [pounds], Bread 8 [pounds] Weekly.

772. Ann Sawtell: in Case 368. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall for the usual allowance of Winter firing.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson, E.H. Rutherford and J. Tyner

773. Sophia Wilcox: rere of 12 Terauly St. Canadian. Presb. Church. Married. 73 years of age. Husband a Carpenter, but not able to work on account of age and Rheumatism. They appear to be a very decent old couple. Visitor recommends them for Coal and Bread.

774. Sarah Freeman: rere 115 University St. Irish. Ch of Engl. 46 years of age. Married, husband left her 6 years ago. 3 children, Son 22 at work at 50 {blank} per day, daughter 20 learning to cane Chairs no wages. She ought to be in Service. Son 13 idiotic goes begging. Mrs. Lisa steady woman, has no work at present, she is not very bright. The Committee will judge for themselves.

775. Elisa McDonnell: rear of 201 Centre St. Scotch, Methodist Church. 39 years of age arrived from Scotland a few months ago. 4 Children, boy 12, boy 10, boy 7, and girl 5 years of age. Husband a weaver has no work at present. Visitor recommends to assist them for one Month with Coal and Bread. See Case 640.

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776. Margt. McLean: 8 Terauly St. See report of last year. Her Son is dead, she lives by begging. Refused admittance into the House.

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777. Catharine Tomlie: rere of 80 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 30 years of age. 2 Children, boy 1 and girl 6 years of age. Visitor was informed by a respectable neighbour, that Mrs. Tomlie is a steady industrious Charwoman, but cannot get work to do. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

778. Catharine Potts: rere of 115 University St. English. ChofEngl. 39 years of age, 4 Children, girl 15, girl 12, girl 5 and boy 8 years of age. All at home, Mrs. Potts and husband buy rags and peddle Crockery, at which business Visitor believes they are saving money, and are able to do without assistance, or else they would send the girls to Service. Cannot recommend their Case. Committee consider they should do without assistance.

779. Mary Jane Campbell: rere of 115 Terauly St. Canadian. Congregationist. Married. 35 years of age. 3 Children, girl 14 in Service, boy 10 and boy 4 at home. She appears a clean respectable woman, husband very ill, has been confined to his bed for some months past. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per week, 600 [pounds] of Coal per month with Tea, Sugar, etc.

780. Ellen Nolan: in a lane in rere of Mr. R. Gilmor, Bay St. Widow, Irish. R.C. aged 57. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal twice during the Winter.

781. Elisa Gardiner: rere of 149 York St. Irish. Widow. R.C. aged 37 and Child aged 5 years, in the same room also is a Woman by the Name of Cathr. Cox deserted by her husband, aged 27 years, has one Child aged 18 Months. Visitor recommends Coal twice between the, no Bread.

782. Margt. Silvers: 47 Boulton St. Married. Husband away, 3 Children girl 8, girl 2 1/2, and boy 6 years old, herself being White, husband Black. Very poor. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread per Week, Coal 3 times, and Soup.

783. Ann Glynn: Lane of corner of York and Richmond St. called Watkins Lane. R.C. Irish. Widow, aged 45. 3 Children, 2 at home, boy 12 and girl 4. Boy works at Tobacco factory but not just now as they are short of work. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly for one Month, and Coal 3 times during the Winter Months, and Soup.

784. Mary Kirk: in the above Lane, first House upstairs. Married, aged 30. Husband aged 50. Irish. R.C. 4 Children, girl 8, girl 6, girl 4, and boy 15 months. The husband is hardly fit to make them a living, having been sick part of the Summer. Recommended for Coal and Soup. Visitor offered husband work but did not come. No relief.

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785. Ellen Kearns: In the same Lane as above. Widow, aged 46. ChofEngl. Her husband was a R.C. Has two Children, girl 9, boy 5. She is rather helpless. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, Coal for the season and Soup.

786. Ann Kirk: 273 Queen St. west. One of our old pensioners, has no one but herself. Recommended for coal twice, and Soup, no Bread.

787. Fanny Gordon: 29 years of age, Canadian, ChofEngl. Says that her Father who is a Market Gardener in Toronto, turned her out of doors . her mother having died about 6 years ago, Kept House for her Father for 5 years, until he was married again about 12 months ago. Has since been in several places, and for the last 3 Weeks in the "Magdalen Homes". Hon. R. Spence made application in her behalf, for admittance into this Institution, as a more proper place for her to get sent out to Service. Admitted for a time.

788. Jane Gilmor: 20 years of age. Came to Toronto last June, from Ireland, says her husband left her a Week after her arrival in this City. Was confined in Lying in Hospital 6 Weeks ago, seeks admission for herself and Child. Presbt. Church. Admitted for a time.

789. Mary Coulter: No. 80 Stanley St. Old pensioner. No Children. 25 years in Toronto, husband bedridden. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

790. Ellen Daley: 102 Richmond St. East. Husband a Tailor, ran away last Saturday, has not heard from him since, giving to drinking lately, from Baltimore, but originally from Ireland. 5 Children, 4 girls, one Boy, eldest girl 14 years, wants a place. Seems a deserving Case. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal. R.C.

791. Bridget Halloran: 64 Stanley St., upstairs. Husband incapable of work. 1 Child boy 11 years. Recommended 4 [pounds] of Bread, and coal once when given out.

792. William Graham: 84 Stanley St. upstairs, single man lives alone. Give him a loaf when he calls.

793. Mary Becker: 76 Stanley St. Not to be found.

794. Ann Dunn: 83 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.

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795. Bridget Eagan: rere 93 Stanley St. Old Pensioner, Widow, 5 Children. Visitor does not like the look of this place, too many young persons about the House. She says they are Visitors from the Country.

796. Catharine Casey: 83 Stanley St. 44 years old, 12 years in Toronto. No family. Visitor recommends a loaf of bread.

797. Margaret Kelly: rere of 84 Stanley St. 2 Children. Widow, Out Washing when Visitor called.

798. Mary Brothers: Lives with above Margt. Kelly. Old pensioner. Kelly recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread and Mary Brothers 4 [pounds] Coal when given out, between them.

799. Bridget O'Brien: 77 Stanley St. Not known there.

800. Charlotte McLaughlan: 18 Stanley St. Husband away, English. Was once a Methodist. Looks bloated either with drink or disease. Recommended for Coal and Bread. To have relief for one Month.

801. Bridget Mulloy: 18 Stanley St. 34 years old. Widow. Irish. R.C. 3 Boys 12, 10 and 6 years old. Recommended for Coal and Bread. Children too old to be at home, no relief.

802. Bridget McCan: (lives with Mrs. Dalton) 10 Stanley St. 66 years old, never married. Irish. R.C. To knit for relief.

803. Margt. Patterson: 22 Stanley St. Husband left her. 20 years old. 1 child less than a year old, sore eyes. Malone, her father, lives with her. Very bad with asthma, a Carpenter, but unable to do anything now. Irish. R.C. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal for the present.

804. Jane Bowes: 44 Stanley St. 8 Children, 6 at home. Widow, English, 30 years old, very worthy and apparently doing all she possible can to support herself and family. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

805. Ann Malony: Same house as above, aged 49. Widow. Scotch. ChofEngl. 2 Boys 11 and 13. Recommended for Coal and Bread. Against the rules of the Institution to relieve this Case. The boys being able to work.

806. Isabella Anderson: rere of Victoria St. Widow, English, ChofEngl. Has 5 Children all away, looks poor, 55 years of age. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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807. Elisa Black: 16 Victoria St. Aged 62. Widow. Helpless. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for coal and Bread.

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808. Cathr. Sullivan: 25. Widow. Irish. R.C. 1 Child 2 years old. Recommended for coal and Bread. 20 Victoria Street.

809. Bridget Ketts: 33 Shuter St. Over 60. Widow. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

810. Cathr. Nugent: 17 Shuter St. Widow. Seems very old. A decent Woman. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

811. Mary Ann Fisher: 12 Queen St. Widow, 35 years of age. Methodist. 2 children. To have 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly and coal 3 times.

812. Elizabeth Clark: Lives in the same house as above, Widow, 56 years. English. Methodist. They are both very worthy of relief. To have Coal 3 times.

813. Elisa McCaul: rere of 21 Queen St. East. Widow, 33 years of age, 1 Child. R.C. Irish, very poor. Lives with a family called Edmonds, all require assistance. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for both Edmonds and McCaul.

814. Ann Boylan: 25 Richmond St. E. Not at home when Visitor called. Daughter says she is a Widow, Irish. Ch of Engl. 2 daughters. Coal and Bread.

815. Mary Fox: 70 Queen St. east. Place looked bad, Visitor thinks she was the worse of liquor, Irish. Ch of Engl. No relief well able to earn her own living.

816. Elisa Burns: 18 Stanley St. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

817. Mary Finnigan: 40 Elizabeth St. West. Widow, aged about 26 with one Child fourteen months old, who is not yet weaned and consequently hinders her from doing much work. Is to pay 1/2 Dollar a month for Lodging. She was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed that she could knit. Irish. R.C.

818. John Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. Age 63. Was till lately one of the City Sweeps, is now out of work and ill. Wife able to work but says she can get nothing to do, she seemed to be a drunkard. There is a grown up daughter at home, who has lately been ill and is now doing nothing. They pay [dollars] 3 a month, rent. And have room for

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two Lodgers. The husband used to be a drunkard, but has lately been much better in that respect. Irish. R.C.

819. Elisa Calahan: 173 Tecumseth St. A wretched Woman. Living in a wretched hut. She is about 60 years old, and has a husband and 3 Sons, who are blacksmiths, living in the States, and the Sons, Visitor

heard, are doing well. They have given up supporting her or sending her any money, because of her drunken habits. A grandson about 14 years old, who is parilyzed in his right hand and foot, lives with her, and she says, she gets nothing for his support. This Boy certainly wants assistance; she also can get no work, pays no rent for her hut. Committee consider she ought to support herself.

820. Elisa Death: 85 Tecumseth Lumley St. A Widow, aged about 45, she has one Son aged 15 who used to earn [dollars] 4 a Month, but is now out of work. She was out when Visitor called, but received a good character of her from her Landlord, who seems a very respectable man. She is able and willing to work when she can get employment. Pays [dollars] 1 a Month rent. Irish. ChofEngl.

821. Jane Redditt: William St. west west. Aged 38, Does washing and scrubbing when she can get it to do. Husband aged 68 is out of work and suffering from a disease which prevents him from doing heavy work, could saw wood but has no saw, and no money to buy one. Pays [dollars] 1.75 a Month rent. Respectable and clean. ChofEngl.

822. Hannah Stanford: 104 Strachan St. A respectable Widow with two young Children at home, and two others who earn only [dollars] 5 a Month between them. She washes and scrubs when she can get the work; but is at present very badly off. She cannot knit, wants both bread and Coal. Irish. ChofEngl. To have 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal 3 times.

823. William Irwin: Clinton St. Aged about 50, is lame and does no work. Has a wife who also is out of work at present and who drinks much. The husband was out when Visitor called, but heard that Irwin also is much addicted to drink. There are 3 Sons in the States who contribute nothing to their support. Their house is dirty and very miserable and they pay no rent for it. Their only furniture is a stove, a table and chairs and a small heap of rags for bed.

824. Hannah Asher: 23 Oxford Street, wrong address, not known there or in any of the Houses near.

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825. Julia Burton: 27 Renfrew St. A Widow aged about 50. Was out when Visitor called. Has 3 Children, the eldest a daughter aged 12. Has no work at present, but is a boot binder by trade. Pays a [dollars] 1 a Month rent.

826. Mary Pollard: No. 7 Renfrew St. Widow aged about 55. Has no Children at home, and receives no support from them. Goes out to work when she can, but suffers much from Rheumatism, seems tolerable respectable and tidy. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a month rent and wants fuel and bread. ChofEngl. Irish.

827. Mary O'Brien: lives in same House as above. Is a widow aged about 60. Has one daughter who earns about [dollars] 5 a Month, and pays her rent for her. She has also a little grand-daughter living

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with her for whom she receives no pay. She cannot Knit, and can do but very little work. Roman Catholic. Irish.

828. Bridget Wheeler: lives in the same house as the above two. Age 26. Her husband is a soldier in the Military train, and is gone to England, whither she has not funds enough to follow him. She has one Child aged 10 Months which she has not yet weaned and which consequently keeps her from going to work. She pays [dollars] 1 rent, has no Stove in her room. Irish. ChofEngl.

829. Mary Dagebor: 31 Renfrew St. A Widow aged 35. Has two Children, the eldest a boy aged 11. Is confined to her bed by illness, brought on, as she says by want. Seems a respectable sort of woman and keeps her room clean. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a month for rent. Irish. ChofEngl.

830. Sarah Bloomer: 25 William St. A Widow aged 62, with no Children at home. Has a daughter out at Service and keeps a child of hers for which she receives [dollars] 4 a month. Cannot do hard work through Rheumatism, but can knit and sew. Pays [dollars] 2 a Month rent, and is tidy and respectable. Irish. ChofEngl.

831. Jane Curran: 100 Portland St. Widow aged about 55. Has no Children. Is unable to do any hard work, but can Knit and sew. Has suffered much lately from Illness. At present she pays [dollars] 2 a month rent; [dollars] 1 of which is paid by the congregation of St. John's. Is very tidy and respectable. Wants fuel and Bread. Irish. ChofEngl.

832. Margaret Fitzpatrick: Corner of Portland and Adelaide St. Widow with 4 daughters, the eldest of whom is in Service and earns [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month, the other 3 at home, are aged 12, 8 and 6 respectively. She is a steady and hard working woman, and gets [dollars] 1 a month from the Congregation of St. John's. Her rent is [dollars] 2 a Month. Needs Bread and fuel. Irish. ChofEngl.

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833. Ellen McDonnell: 102 George St. This Case, Visitor has reported upon for the last two years. The husband has been a confirmed invalid for more than that length of time. This Summer he was able to go about a little, and do a little peddling, now he is laid up again. The wife is an exceedingly hard working industrious woman. They have a very large family, and can safely be recommended for an allowance of Coal as soon as given out, and Bread for 3 Months. Irish. Roman Catholic.

834. Johanna O'Brien: 102 George St. A very decent industrious little Woman. See report of previous years. Visitor recommends her for Coal when it is given out, and Bread for two months. The Coal for 3 Months.

835. Mary Hephron: 82 George St. Another old Case. An industrious Woman, does not ask until she is really in need. Her eldest Boy has been getting work at the Tobacco factory for some time, but is out of



employment now, and will not be taken back until after the New year. Visitor recommends her Coal as soon as it is given out, and to have it 4 times.

836. Mary Murphy: rere of 23 Duchess St. An old Widow woman, she goes about selling fish in Summer, but like most others of her class is unable to support herself without assistance during Winter. Visitor would recommend her for fuel, say 3 times, and Bread for a few Weeks.

837. Mary Anderson: Lives in the same House as above. Native of Scotland. Received some relief from the House last year. Visitor would be disposed to recommend for Coat at Christmas, but will make further enquiries before she receives any further assistance, and will report upon her Case again. In the meantime she might have the Coal once.

838. Johanna McDonnell: 10 Duchess St. A single Woman in very bad health. Visitor thinks the constitutions of the family must be very bad as she is a sister of the McDonnell, the almost bedridden husband of Ellen McDonnell on George St. Visitor believes this woman quite incapable of supporting herself through the winter, and would therefore recommend her for Coal for 3 months, and a little bread for the next two months.

839. Johanna Ryan: 27 Duchess St. See report of previous years. Recommended for Coal at Christmas, and twice afterwards. Bread for 3 weeks only, if she applies for it again afterwards. Her Case to be referred to Visitor again.

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840. Catharine Mack: 111 Duchess St. Widow and one Child, a grandchild living with. Supports herself by scrubbing, washing, etc., is an industrious Woman but requires temporary relief. Visitor recommends Coal as soon as given out, 3 times during Winter, bread for one Month, should she ask for more. The Case to be referred again.

841. Barbara Rynolds: 113 Duchess St. Husband deserted her some years ago, went off to California. Has two Children, six and two years old respectively. Mrs. Rynolds goes out to sew, wash and scrub and does everything she can to support herself and Children. Would go out to service, if she could get her youngest Child into any of the charitable institutions. Visitor recommends her for Coal, and a little bread for two months. The Case then to be referred again.

842. Mary Wyms: 71 Pine St. An old pensioner living in a dirty untidy house on Pine St. Visitor has no very high opinion of her, but she is very badly off for fuel, and at this time of the year, can get little or no work to do. Visitor therefore recommend her for Coal 3 times.

843. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. and Cicely Conway. Same number. Both Cases reported upon in previous years. Visitor recommends Mrs. Burns for Coal at Christmas, and a loaf of Bread for a month, but no longer.

844. Cicely Conway: Bread for the Winter and Coal as soon as it is given out. She is very badly off for fuel. Both of them to have the Coal continued through the Winter.

845. Nancy Mitchell: 122 Duke St. An exceedingly respectable deserving person, whose Case has been reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal during the Winter, and would be glad if she could have some at once. Bread for the Winter also recommended.

846. Ellen Gallagher: 311 Queen St. East. See reports of previous years. Visitor recommends Coal again this year, and a small allowance of bread for a couple of months.

847. John Beatty: in Case 606 in 1862, was taken out of this Institution (this day Debr. 17) by his daughter who lives on Spadina Avenue. Beatty was willing to go with her.

848. Ann Dunlevie: 18 Stanley St. Her husband able to work, but says he cannot get anything to do. No Children. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal once. Committee consider both parties able to work. No Relief.

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Present: Mr. E. Tyner and Mr. E. Hobson

849. Catharine Martin: 7 Wood St. Widow about 45. Irish. R.C. 3 Children, girl 10, girl 12 and a Boy off to the States. Very poor and dirty. Recommended for Coal.

850. Charlotte Quinn: 40 years of age. Married, Irish. R.C. Very dirty, both husband and Wife are strong and able to work, are recommended to be industrious and keep themselves clean. No relief.

851. Ann Lloyd: rere of 116 Adelaide St. west. One of our old pensioners. Visitor recommends that she receive her Winter's Coal at once, 900 [pounds]

852. Mary Sullivan: 151 Peter St. aged 69. Husband 70 and very feeble. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends them for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Coal twice during the Winter and Soup.

853. Bridget Kelly: Lives in the same apartments as above, Widow. R.C. aged 45. Two Children, girl 10 and boy 8. The Boy is delicate. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Coal twice. She uses the same Stove as above.

854. William Moore: Corner of Simco [Simcoe] and Front St. in a Shanty. Married. 3 Children at home. Girl 10, 12 and 8 respectively. The Case is well known to the House. Recommended as in former years.

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855. Ann Davis: 59 York St. The place was shut, Visitor could not get in.

856. Alice Torphy: 132 Richmond St. Deserted by her husband, aged 40. R.C. Irish. 2 Children, aged 9 and 2 years respectively. Lives rent free. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly. Coal Twice, and soup.

857: Mary Henry: 132 Richmond St. W. Widow aged 45. R.C. Irish. Has no family. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Coal twice.

858. Elisa Gavin: 132 Richmond St. W. Ch of Engl. Widow. Irish, aged 32, has two Children, boys 6 and 2 years old respectively. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. Coal twice, and Soup.

859. Mary Murphy: 132 Richmond St. West. R.C. Widow. Irish. Aged 62. Very poor indeed, but against the rules to help her, she having two sons at home, one 15, the other 13. Case left to the Committee. No relief.

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860. Catharine Thompson: 138 York St. Visitor recommends her nothing, thinks the less he says about her the better for herself.

861. Mary Ann McCausland: 29 Adelaide St. West. Widow aged 48. Ch of Engl. Four Children at home. Girl 20, Girl 18, Boy 15, Boy 12. The Visitor leaves this Case to the Committee. No relief, all able to earn their own living.

862. Dorothea Frances: 226 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist. Married. 45 years of age. One daughter 3 1/2 years old. Mrs. Francis appears to be a clean industrious Woman, goes out to wash or any other house work. Apartments very clean and comfortable. Husband paralyzed. Recommended for coal 3 times.

863. Susan Good: Not known at 23 Sayer St.

864. Mary Ann McNamara: Is not known in the basement of 44 Louisa St.

865. Jane Fleming: 210 Terauly St. See report of former years.

866. Ann Ellis: Rear of 80 Sayer St. Irish. Ch f ngl. Widow. 56 years of age. Boy at home 14 years of age, no Work. Visitor was informed that Mrs. E. Is a steady charwoman. House and person dirty.

867. Alice Allen: 230 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist Church. Spinster 64 years of age, not in good health, appears a clean tidy woman, deals in Medical herbs. Recommended for Coal twice.

868. Sarah Grames: 42 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married, 40 years of age. 2 Children, boy 10, and girl 4 years of age. Husband a weaver, arrived about 2 months ago from Belfast, and not yet met with any employment. Visitor recommends Coal once, and Soup for a Month.

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869. Sarah Jones: rere of 92 1/2 Queen St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 60 years of age, one daughter aged 13 works at a Tobacco factory [at] [dollars] 1 1/2 a Week. She appears a tidy woman. Recommended for Coal twice and if she Knits to be allowed Bread.

870. Mary Ann Caulfield: 484 King St. west. Her husband is so far blind as to be unable to work. 3 young Children. Receives Bread from the House, Recommended for Coal.

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871. Mary Black: 213 Bishop St. A very neat and respectable looking House, aged about 70. Her husband is 72 and almost past work. They have no Children. The Wife can sew a little, and is assisted by Revd. Mr. Grasett whose Church she attends. They pay [dollars] 2 a Month for House and Garden. She has room for Lodgers but refuses to take any. Recommended for coal. To have 900 [pounds] Coal.

872. Ann Franklin: 54 Dummer St. Not at home when visitor called, but heard from the Landlady (whom he knows to be a respectable person) that she is a decent and hard working woman. She has two Children aged 7 and 6 years respectively, who attend St. Patricks School. The father had another Wife living when he married the Mother, and they have now been supported for some years, and she gets no help from him. She is at present out of work and in great distress; but pays her [dollars] 1 1/4 a month for rent pretty regularly. Irish. R.C. To have Coal twice during the Winter and Bread, 6 [pounds] Weekly.

873. Jane Cochlin: 12 Dummer St. Widow, aged 26 with 2 Children, 6 years and 4 years old respectively, she can Knit and sew. Pays 3 dollars a Month rent and has plenty of room for Lodgers. An untidy looking Woman, but her house was moderately clean. Says she can get no work. Neighbours gave her a good Character. Coal 3 times and Bread 6 [pounds] Weekly.

874. Elisa Spears: rere of 30 Dummer St. Aged 30. Husband at present out of Work, and has inflammation in the Eyes, but he was out when Visitor called. She has one little baby and is Wetrnursing another for which she gets [dollars] 4 a Month. A respectable and neat looking Woman. Pays a [dollars] 1 1/2 a month for rent, and only wants temporary assistance. ChofEngl.

875. Rebecca Nelson: 26 St. Andrews St. Widow, aged 53. Has one daughter, married, with whom she lives paying no fixed rent. Can do no hard work. Suffers from Liver complaints, a respectable and tidy looking woman. Wants bread and fuel. Presbyterian but gets no pecuniary assistance from her Church. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and coal twice.

876. Mary Constantine: 25 William St. West. Age 40. Has a husband aged 49 who is a tailor and earns a little by "slop work". He is home and appears to be a respectable man. This room however was very untidy and dirty. They have 4 Children, the eldest a Son aged 9. They seem to be very poor, and pay

[dollars] 2 a Month rent. So far as Visitor could learn they don't drink. On account of her violent temper and general bad behavior to Committee she was refused assistance.

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877. Mary Gray: 5 William St. Lane. A Widow aged 40, Has 5 Children. The eldest a girl, aged 16, who has just gone into Service and earns [dollars] 2 1/2 a month. The next Child is a boy of 15 who earns [dollars] 3 a month. The other 3 Children are too young to work. She suffers much from diseased Eyes, but is able to knit, and tries apparently to gain a livelihood. Is a decent and respectable Woman. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month rent. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

878. Ellen Clune: 38 Dummer St. Lane. No at home when visitor called. Is a Widow with 3 Children, the eldest a daughter aged 12. Goes out washing and scrubbing and earns about [dollars] 1 a week. Pays [dollars] 2 a Month rent. Keeps a clean and tidy looking House. Wants fuel.

879. Ann Powell: 125 Tecumseth St. Aged 53, able to work. Has two Children in a Nunnery in Montreal, and no legitimate husband. She says however that she was married to a man whom she afterwards found out to be married to another. She is almost a stranger in Toronto, and has only been 2 years in Canada. She is willing to do anything she says, to earn a livelihood. Visitor cannot however, recommend her very strongly. She asks for Bread. Allowed nothing.

880. Mary Ann Bedford: Opposite St. Stephens Church. No one of that name living anywhere near the Church. Heard that a Woman named Bedford lived in Crookshank's Lane and kept a house of ill fame. Possible, however, it is not the same person, as referring to an old report book of Mr. Kennedy's time, visitor finds the following "Mary Ann Bedford: 2 Charles St. Deserted by her husband. Has 2 Children, boy 5 years and one infant 8 months: Has a little shop and pays [dollars] 2 a Month rent. A very respectable kind of woman and tries to get along. Ch. Of Engl."

881. Sarah McPhail: 53 Maple Lane. A Widow aged 48, with 3 Children, the eldest a daughter aged 15 who is almost imbecile. The other 2 Children are aged 8 and 7 respectively. A respectable sort of woman, and tries to get on. Receives [dollars] 1/4 a month from Dr. Fuller, and gets a pension of [dollars] 20 a year from the Quebec Military Asylum. Asks for Coal and Bread.

882. Ann Daley: 39 Dennisons Avenue. Aged 24. Her husband went to the States 10 months ago, and she has received no money from him since. Has one baby 7 months old, and cannot get but very little work on account of the Child. Pays [dollars] 1/2 a Month for Rent. Irish. ChofEngl. Seems very badly off. To have Coal 3 times, and Bread 4 [pounds] Weekly.

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883. Frances Knell: 222 Queen St. West. A Widow aged 57. Was out when Visitor called. She has one daughter aged 16 who earns [dollars] 1 1/2 a week. The Mother earns a little but has a cancer in her side which prevents her doing hard work. She pays [dollars] 2 a Month for rent, and keeps her room very neat and clean. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal 4 times.

884. Julia McParlin: 365 Adelaide St. West. A stout but unhealthy looking woman aged 37. Her husband is a pensioner, age 52, who receives 25 [cents] a day pension and is well able to work but says he cannot get it to do. They have no Children, and tolerable neat and tidy. Pay [dollars] 1 1/4 a Month rent. ChofEngl.

885. Elise Adams: 14 Camden St. A very respectable and tidy Woman, aged 45. Her husband has gone away to seek employment and is at present unable to send her any money. She has 5 Children at home who are too small to work, and one, a boy, who is apprenticed in Toronto. She has tried hard to do without assistance, but is unable to get on without it. Recommended for Coal and Bread. English. ChofEngl.

886. Catharine Johnston: a Widow aged about 40. With one Child, a girl aged 7, who is partially paralyzed in her right hand and too young to work. The Woman herself has been ill for some time past and is unable now to make personal application at the House from which she has for some years been accustomed to receive assistance. A very clean, neat and respectable Woman, and much in need of assistance. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

887. John Ball: lives in a small Shanty opposite Mr. Gzowski's in Bathurst St. Is paralyzed and lame, and consequently able to do but very little work. Has a Wife and 3 children, the eldest 9 years old. Keeps a Case and pays no rent.

888. Bridget McLarkey: 113 Nelson St. Muttons Yard. A very decent little Woman, unmarried, works at the Tobacco factory, but has been put upon half time lately. Is very badly off for fuel. Visitor recommends her strongly for Coal at once. Small allowance of Bread. Coal twice during Winter.

889. Sarah McQuiggan: 26 James St. This Woman and her Sister are old Pensioners, and have been reported upon in previous years. Visitor recommends Coal for the Winter. They have living with them at present Johanna Shery, a single Woman who says she cannot obtain a place out at service, and has been reduced to great distress, in consequence she is very anxious to get some knitting to do. Visitor would recommend her for a little bread, until she gets a place.

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890. Mary Jennings: Lane next Carty's 4 doors from George St. Widow. Scrubs and washes. Appears to be an industrious person and deserving of assistance. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times, and Bread for one Month. One Child 7 years of age.

891. Mary Ann Bagly: 74 McMahon St. Was out when visitor called, but obtained all necessary information from her Neighbours. Her husband is a Shoemaker. He went off to the States in search of employment six weeks ago, and she has not heard from him since. She has 3 children at home. The eldest a very nice looking little girl, a cripple on crutches. There is one Child in Hospital with a diseased hip. Mrs. Bagly herself is in the family way. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and Bread for a Month, when he will visit again.

892. Bridget Collins: 224 Corner of Queen and McMahon St. A very respectable industrious Woman. Case report upon last year. Visitor recommends Coal twice and bread for two months.

893. Mary Summers: rere of 63 Duchess St. Widow, 2 Children. Eldest 18, second 10. A decent respectable Woman, her Case was reported upon last year. Recommended Coal and Bread for 3 Months.

894. Ellen Thompson: 12 Duchess St. Reported upon last year. Widow. No Children. Recommended for Coal and Bread for 3Months.

895. Margaret O'Brien: 10 Duchess St. An old Woman. Widow. Received assistance last year. Can do very little for herself, and in Winter depends entirely upon Charity. Recommended for Coal and Bread during the Winter Months.

896. Honora Asher: Next to 33 Oxford Street. Her husband left her about 3 Months ago. Is near her confinement and very badly off. Has 2 Children, both girls 6 & 4 years respectively. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread. o Engl. Not married, has a child (a girl) 4 weeks old. Lived in the Township of York, came to Toronto 6 Weeks ago to be confined in Lying in Hospital, was recommended by Mr. McNab, County Attorney, as a proper person for admission in this institution. The Committee consider she is not a proper person for admission, having no Claim. Allowed to remain a few days in Building for Casual poor.

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Present: Revd. Mr. Ellerby, Mr. J. Tyner and Mr. E Hobson

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898. Elizabeth Donohoe: in Case 509. Revd. Mr. Broughall in whose Ward she lives, recommends her for Coal. The Committee will allow Coal 4 times during the season, and 12 [pounds] of Bread during the Winter Months.

899. Susan Wood: Nearly opposite Mr. Justice A. Wilson, Spadina Avenue, Widow 64 years of age. Colored. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends her for her usual allowance of relief during the Winter. To have coal twice, and Bread 4 [pounds] Weekly.

900. Johanna Burns: 41 Pine Corner of Duke St. Married. 41 years of age. Irish. R.C. Husband in Hospital. Visitor recommend Coal, Bread and Soup. She is in a most destitute state for want of fuel.

901. Maria Beckett: by Stanley St. There is something the Visitor does not understand about this woman. He doubts if it is a deserving Case. No relief.

902. Sarah Lynch: 91 Stanley St. Old pensioner, 3 girls, eldest 9 years of age, Widow. R.C. Irish. Recommended for last year's allowance.

903. Elisa Shea: 93 Stanley St. upstairs in rear, husband lost one leg, has two small Children, wife appears occasionally at the Police Court. Just released from 14 days in Limbo, for the sake of husband and Children, Visitor recommends relief.

904. Susan Martin: 83 Stanley St. and Mary McCabe 81 Stanley St. These parties are about changing their quarters, to be visited again when settled. Visitor considers both doubtful cases.

905. Michael Shannon: rear of 84 Stanley St. Old Pensioner, froze his leg last Winter, 4 Children. Visitor recommends last Winter's allowance.

906. Mary McKew: rere of 84 Stanley St. with her husband Patrick, no Children. Last Winter's allowance recommended.

907. Mary Carroll: 77 Stanley St. Old Pensioner. Last Winter's allowance.

908. Elisa Witts: 86 Adelaide St. East. Not at home.

909. John Stack: Lane next 108 Adelaide St. Labourer out of work. Boy 12 at School, girl 7, boy 6 and girl 5 months. Wife seems half witted. Recommended for Coal and 8 [pounds] of Bread. Husband to work.

910. Margt. Brennan: Lane house as Shack. Widow, 53 years of age. Boy 14 in the Country, girl 17 at Service, girl 12 at School. Recommend Coal and 6 [pounds] bread.

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911. Eliza Wilson: 108 Adelaide St. East. Old pensioner. Children in the Country, has a sore leg. Recommended for last Winter's allowance.

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912. Ellen Armstrong: opposite Mrs. Grasett, Adelaide St. East. Ann Hare: ditto. Visitor could find neither of these parties.

913. Bridget Hennessy: 101 Richmond St. East. Old Pensioner. Widow. Sick. 2 Children. Recommended for last Winter's allowance.

914. Bridge Hunt: 100 Richmond St. East. Old Pensioner. Widow. 3 Children at School. Last Winter's allowance.

915. Elisa Gaffney: 101 Richmond St. East. Had relief last Winter. Husband went to the States last Summer. 3 Children. Last Winter's allowance.

916. Margaret Greney: 97 Richmond St. East. Old pensioner. Widow with 3 Children. Last Winter's allowance.

917. Catharine Hughes: same address as above, old pensioner, 1 girl at Roaches Hotel sick. Widow, last Winter's allowance.

918. Catharine Maguire: 65 Richmond St. East. Old pensioner. No young children. 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal twice.

919. Phoebe Smith: 65 Queen St. East. Husband left her 18 months ago. From Leicestershire England, two years in this Country. Stove in Common with the woman she lives with. 4 [pounds] of Bread.

920. Ann Dunn: 83 Stanley St. Old pensioner. Last Winter's allowance.

921. Sarah Colwell: 196 Mutual Street. Single. One Child adopted. Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

922. Grace Slavin: 89 Ann St. Husband sick. 2 Children. Coal twice, and 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

922 1/2. Agnes Slavin: 91 Ann Street. 2 children, husband bedridden. Coal twice and 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

923. Margt. Conley: 93 Ann St. Not at house.

924. Julia Howard: rere of 149 York St. Widow. Presbyt. Aged 42. One Daughter aged 18 was at dinner when Visitor called, and seemed to relish it well, but her Mother says she is in delicate health. Visitor leaves the Committee to judge for themselves.

925. Mary Sullivan: 261 Richmond St. West. Married. R.C. aged 35. Husband 30. 5 children, girl 9, boy 6, boy 5, boy 4 and girl 2 years old. Husband is out of work but expects Employment soon at the Grand Trunk. Visitor recommends them relief for one Month. Coal once, and Bread 8 [pounds] per Week.

926. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. West. Spinster. No one but herself. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice during the Winter, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly. She lives rent free.

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927. Margaret Sturges: rere of 164 1/2 York St. No such number.

928. Margt. Galvin: 132 Richmond St. west. Aged 71. Widow. R.C. Receives Bread and has all the Summer.

929. John Kelly: Reeses Wharf, aged 69. Roman Catholic. Irish. Blind. Has one daughter aged 11 years. Visitor recommends Coal twice during Winter, Soup daley [daily] and 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

930. Bridget Dean: Watkins Lane. Married, aged 50. Husband about 50. 6 Children, Boy 14, Boy 5, girls 12, 9, 7, and 3 1/2 years respectively. R.C. Irish. Husband gathers rags. They keep a wretched filthy place. Visitor leaves this Case to the Committee.

931. Ann Convey: Hickmans Lane, York St. Husband away. Institute. Aged 45. 3 Children, boy 17 in the States, girl 10 and boy 8. A wretched looking place, lives with another family. Visitor thinks perhaps it may be as well to give her some assistance.

932. Margaret Hopkins: No. 5 Gerrard St. Not at home when Visitor called. Mrs. Grassett recommends her Case.

933. Mary Fairbairn: 46 Magill St. Widow 60 years, no friends, no means of living. Scotch. Presb. Recommended for the same allowance as last year.

934. Mary Markham: Irish. 32 years of age. Presbyt., belongs to Mr. Gregg's Church. Deserted by her husband. 1 Child 1 1/2 years old. Both these are residing or sheltered in the premises with Buchanan (Shoemaker) who has 5 Children of his own. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

935. Bridget Efferson: in lane in rere of No. 5 Gerrard St. Widow. Irish. R.C. No Children. Coal and Bread recommended.

936. Ann Hudson: Irish. 42 years of age. Widow. ChofEngl. Poor and wretched. Visitor fears intemperate. 1 daughter 18, Boy 13, Girl 12. Says another Boy who partially supported them was buried yesterday. Recommended for Coal and Bread. No Relief. All able to earn their own living.

937. Mary Rutherford: 35 Queen St. East. Aged 52. Spinster. Irish. ChofEngl. Troubled with Rheumatism. She is an old Pensioner. Receives Bread, and had it all the Summer. Recommended for an allowance of fuel.

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938. Margaret Potter: 89 University St. When Visitor called about 11 O'Clock a.m., she was not to be seen, expects she was in bed. The appearance of the place, and a Lady Lodger, and what was said about them in the neighbourhood, believes it to be a bad house.

939. Margaret Slattery: is not known in the rear of 128 Sayer St.

940. Martha Jones: 217 Sayer St. Colored, Methodist Church. Married 39 years of age. 4 Children, boy 8, girl 6, girl 3, and girl 1 years old. Appears as industrious tidy Charwoman, has but little work, husband ill a long time with Rheumatism. Recommended relief for the present and husband to see the Doctor.

941. Mary Moffatt: 230 Sayer St. Colored, Methodist Church. Widow 53 years of age, not strong, lives with a married daughter whose husband they say is in bad health. Same House as Alice Allen. To have bread and Soup.

942. Ann Lynch: 145 University St. Not at home when the Visitor called, her Landlady gave the following account of her. "Irish. R.C. Widow, 50 years of age. Charwoman. 1 boy 10 years of age, who will have work at a Tobacco factory at one Dollar per Week. Rent [dollars] 1 per Month."

943. Virginia Hall: 174 Centre St. See report of last year. To have Coal.

944. Sarah Waters: 206 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 30 years of age. 4 Children, boy 9, girl 7, girl 2 and a baby 6 months old. Husband a grocer, no work, came from the States 6 months ago, appear very respectable. Recommended for Bread, Coal and Soup for one Month.

945. Elizabeth Cooper: rere of 171 Centre St. Colored. Methodist. Widow, aged 35, a Charwoman, 4 Children, girl 17 very ill, girl 13, boy 12, girl 9 years of age. All at home. Mrs. Cooper was not in when Visitor called. They are much in need of assistance.

946. Jane Cavanagh: rear of 80 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Married. 37 years of age. 4 Children, boy 14 in Service no wages, girl 10, girl 8 at home. Husband went to the States 6 months ago, has not heard from him since. Charwoman, very little work at present. Lives with Cathr. Tomlie, same stove, firing about with Tomlie and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

947. Ann Davis: is not known at 128 Sayer St.

948. Ann Scanlan: 54 Edward St. was not at home when Visitor called.

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949. Margaret Slattery: is not Known in the rear of 128 Sayer St. Maria Pierpoint

950. James Fox: next door to 90 1/2 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married. 31 years of age, 3 children, boy 5, girl 3, girl 1 year of age. They are in a most dirty filthy state. Visitor has no doubt they are much in want of relief, but believes them to be a drunken pair. Husband might work for relief.

951. Mary Firkark: rear of 12 Terauly St. Was not at home, but Visitor was informed that she is an industrious worthy woman, one Son 8 years of age. She will explain her case to the Board. Visitor recommends relief.

952. Ann Flavin: 81 Elizabeth St. Her case is known at the House of Industry.

953. Julia Monk: Larkins Lane. See former report, they are a drunken pair and able to do for themselves.

954. Rebecca King: Colered, 92 Agnes St. See former report. Recommended.

955. Emma Beatty: 99 1/2 Sayer St. Could find no admittance at 10 o'clock a.m.

956. Mary Jane Carrigan: next to 14 Beech St. A Case of very great distress. Visitor hopes she will be allowed some Coal if possible today, also recommends Bread, 3 Months, Coal during the Winter. 2 children. 1 four weeks old, husband left her. She is in a most destitute condition.

957. Mary Quigly: 101 North Park St. was not in when Visitor called, but from the appearance of the miserable hovel where she lives and the accounts of the neighbours, she must be an object of Charity. How she manages to keep herself and children from freezing is a mystery [mystery] to Visitor. Recommended for coal and Bread.

958. Ellen Casey: next to above Case. Reported upon last year. Visitor would recommend Coal twice, and Bread.

959. Mary Stuart: 144 Pine St. An old Case, and a pretty tough one! Nevertheless, she is now quite past doing anything for herself in Winter. Would therefore recommend her, say Coal 3 times, and Bread for 3 Months.

960. Ann Farrell: 92 Duchess St. Reported upon previously. last Winter. Recommended for Coal 3 Months, and to have Bread for knitting.

961. Mary Forster: 94 Duchess St. was not in when Visitor called, but her Case will be found reported in former years. The circumstances are not in any way altered. Respectable woman. To have Coal and Bread.

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962. Bertha Stinson: 122 Duchess St. An old pensioner, a very decent little body. See previous reports. To have Coal for the Winter.

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963. Ellen O'Brien: rere of 53 Duchess St. Husband deserted her, leaving her with a very large family of young Children. She is a hard working industrious woman. To have Coal and Bread for the winter.

964. Timothy Keating: and Wife, as nearly savages as can be! But in a wretched state of Destitution. The old Woman will present herself. When Visitor hopes the Committee will be able to make more out her, then he has been able to do. They are in a wretched plight, having no fuel, and scarcely any food. To have Coal and Bread.

965. Margaret Grayden: 109 Nelson St. Husband a Tailor. Visitor recommends them for Coal and Bread for the Winter.

966. Mary Bennett: 113 Nelson St. Widow, old Case. in a miserable plight, all her things having been distrained upon, by her former landlord. Recommended for Coal and Bread during the Winter.

967. Ann Bagly: 81 George St. A very hard working respectable woman. See reports of previous years. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

968. Elisa Littledale: 111 Duke St. was recommended a short time ago for bread and Coal. See Case 667. The Case was attended to at the time.

969. Bridget Hayes: Cartys Lane off George St. Widow, four young Children. Recommended for Coal and Bread for three Months.

970. Ellen Hookaway: See 678. The Case has been attended to.

971. John O'Neill: Corner of Parliament & King St. in Beales Yard. Not in St David's Ward. Nevertheless, Visitor called on him, and recommends them for Coal and Bread. He is quite blind, and they have 4 Children.

972. Jasper Cook: See report upon the Case of last year; The man is a labourer upon the Docks, has nothing to do now, and they are starving with cold. Cook to come to the House and work.

973. Sarah McQuiggan: and Johanna Shea were reported upon last week, and both recommended.

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974. Bridget Walker: 31 Grogg Lane, Corner of John Street. Age 33. Has a husband aged 60 who is able to work and was out when Visitor called, has one child aged 4. Pays [dollars] 2 a month rent, and keeps Lodgers who pay her a Dollar a month. The woman is able to work, but says she can get none, and wants fuel badly. Husband ChofEngl Wife R.C.

975. Richard Ballard: 3 Renfrew St. aged 25. Has been a common School teach but lost his leg by accident about a year ago, and has done nothing since he left Hospital about 3 months since. Belongs to

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a Masonic Lodge which allows him [dollars] 2 a Week, and gets besides a little work at oakum picking. Has a Wife, a tailoress at present in Employment, and two Sons aged 8 & 4.

976. Barbara Armstrong: 139 Lumley St. A Widow, aged 40 with 5 Children at home, the eldest a Boy aged 10. Has two Children out at work who earn [dollars] 3 1/2 a month between them. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month for rent. A decent sort of Woman but very poor, and can get no work. Wants fuel and Bread. ChofEngl.

977. Mary Gartland: 86 Dummer St. A Widow, aged about 30. Out when Visitor called. She has two daughters, the eldest 16 out at Service. The youngest 10 who goes to St. Patricks School. The Mother goes out washing. Pays [dollars] 1 a Month rent, and keeps her room very neat and clean. The daughter also whom Visitor saw seemed a neat and tidy girl. Wants fuel.

978. Elizabeth Gibson: rear of 46 Camden St. Out when Visitor called, but knows her well as a very decent hard working woman. She is a Widow with two Sons, the eldest aged about 10, very small for his age. The mother is a Seamstress but gets very little work and is consequently very poor. Wants both bread and fuel. English. ChofEngl.

979. Margt. Lennon: 487 Richmond St. West. A Widow aged 64, with no Children. A decent and tidy Woman but gets very little work. Can Knit. Receives [dollars] 1/2 a Month from St. John's Congregation which pays for her Lodging. Wants both fuel and Bread. ChofEngl.

980. Jane Curran: 494 King St. west. A widow aged about 55. Very weakly and ailing, and can do nothing but sew and Knit, and very little of that. She has no Children, and gives [dollars] 1 a Month rent which is paid for her by St. John's Congregation. Depends chiefly on Charity, and keeps herself and room very tidy. See Case 831.

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981. Mary Conger: 521 Queen St. west. Not at home when visitor called but heard that she was a Widow aged 70 with no children. She receives no help from anyone at present. She lives in a neat and tidy looking House, and her landlady expects from her [dollars] 1 a Month rent.

982. Mary Harrison: 16 Eden St. A Widow aged 35 with two Children; the eldest a son aged 14 too idle to work, the other a daughter aged 10. She is very poor but earns about 20 [cents] at rag picking. Very dirty and drinks. ChofEngl. Against the rules to assist.

983. Mary Tracey: lives with the above, but pays no rent. Husband killed on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] a few years back. Has 3 Children, the eldest a boy of 10. She is a miserable and wretched looking object. almost idiotic and killing herself fast through drink. She was drunk when Visitor called on her. Wants to get into the House.

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984. Elizabeth Hammill: 29 Nassau St. Widow aged 32 with 5 Children; the eldest a daughter aged 15 in Service at [dollars] 2 a Month but not very regularly paid, the next a daughter aged 13 in delicate health. She also keeps a little boy aged 4 for which she gets [dollars] 5 a Month. A neat and tidy looking Woman, she does a little sewing now and then but can do no hard work. She can knit. Pays [dollars] 3 a Month rent and has room for lodgers.

985. Elizabeth McMullen: 23 Oxford St. A Widow aged 42 with 4 Children, the eldest a boy aged 12 who sells papers. The two youngest Twins aged 7. She keeps another little Child for whom she was to get [dollars] 3 a Month, but has heard nothing of its parents for 3 months. Goes out washing and scrubbing, but can get very little work. A clean and tidy looking Woman and ought to be assisted, pays [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month rent. R.C.

986. Hannah Asher: 35 Oxford St. Aged 28. A strong healthy looking Woman with two Children, aged 6 and 4. Her husband is a Colored Man, a real scamp and has abandoned her. She has no work to do and can get none. Is tolerably clean and tidy but seems badly off. Pays [dollars] 2 1/2 rent a Month for a House with 4 rooms in it. Query. Was there not a Colored Man, named William Asher who was implicated lately in a murder tried at the Toronto Assizes? The same party. See Revd. Mr. Broughall report.

987. Jane Smith: 485 Richmond St. West. Husband deserted her last June. She has 3 Children, aged 6, 4 and 1 year respectively. Works as much as she can, but not able to leave her Children. Is wretchedly poor and has hardly anything in her house. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a month rent. ChofEngl. Recommended for fuel and bread.

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988. Ann Cook: 5 Renfrew St. A Widow aged 44, with 2 Children, the eldest a daughter aged 16 who is out at Service and earns [dollars] 4 a month, and assists in paying the rent. The other, a boy aged 7, who is very ill. The Mother herself is weakly, and unable to get any work. She seems decent and respectable but very poor. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month rent. Wants both fuel and Bread.

989. John James Wheeler: about 8 years of age, says he came from Michigan (where his parents reside), to look for an Uncle who lives somewhere in Canada, was brought to the Institution by the Police, having been taken up as a vagrant. The boy appears to be a knowing one.

990. Daniel Madden: 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. Nearly Blind. A Vagrant begging through the Country, has been begging in Toronto off and on for the last two years, used to have his stand on the Corner of Yonge and Adelaide St. He applied here for admission, having been in Gael for the last twelve months. Left on his own account in the Spring of 1865.

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991. Ann Beatty: aged 15, Canadian, ChofEngl. Out of place at present. To be admitted into the House until a place can be found for her at Service. She is the daughter of Alexander Beatty, an Inmate. See Case 650.

992. John Kinch: 73 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Was an Inmate in this institution for some years, and always conducted himself in a proper manner, left the House in June last, with the intention to earn his living out. Seeks admission again. To be admitted.

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Present: W. J. MacDonell, Esqr. & E. Hobson, Esqr.

993. Mary Wilson: 39 Stanley St. Widow. 59. No Child. Irish. R.C. Recommended Coal and Bread. Committee refused, as she is a strong healthy person and ought to make her own living.

994. Jane Chambers: 37 Stanley St. Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children, 2 away from her, one in House of Industry, the other with a relation, and the youngest with her. To have temporary relief.

995. Thomas Roach: 53 years of age. Irish. R.C. Came from below Kingston with a view, says he, to get into General Hospital. Seems to be a vagrant. Seeks admission. No Claim on the Institution. Allowed to stay in the Building for Casual Poor for a few days.

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996. Sarah Harris. 131 Bishop St. Widow 43 years of age. Irish. ChofEng. See Case 393. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends them for coal in addition to the ~~Coal~~ Bread they received. She is poor and helpless.

997. Mary Frances Thompson. Colored. See Case 696. Application was made for her admission. Cannot be admitted, having no Claim on the Institution. Should be in Service.

998. Jane Murphy. 77 Stanley St. 36 years old. Husband in the States. 2 Children, is living with another woman. Recommended for Coal once and a small allowance of Bread.

999. Mary McCabe. 81 Stanley St. 38 years old. 2 Children. Widow. To have 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly and Coal twice.

1000. Howard Gillan. 201 Richmond St. west 69 years of age. Receives 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly. Recommended for Coal.

1001. Mary Conley. 93 Ann St. 32 years old. Widow 2 Children. Allowed Coal twice, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

1002. Mary Cooper. 98 Ann Street. 40 years of age. 3 Children. Husband dead 6 years. Coal and Bread.

1003. Catharine Stuart. 70 Queen St. east. 50 years of age. Widow. To have Coal twice no bread.

1004. Frances Hood. 23 Church Street, upstairs, see report of previous years, in bad health and avowedly worse off than ever, requiring all the assistance she can get; there are but 3 in the family; Visitor thinks 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly sufficient, and Coal occasionally. No relief, says if Committee will give no more than Coal she wants nothing.

1005. Margaret Hall. 10 Jordan St. Widow. Husband was killed about 9 Months ago, at Port Hope. 6 Months in Toronto. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 Children living with her, Eliza Jane aged 8, Robert 2. Boards with Alice McKenna. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, and Coal twice.

1006. Cathn. Lundy. old Russels Hotel No. 6. Husband Thomas lives with another Woman at St. Mary's. Her Mother old and infirm lives with her. 2 years in Toronto, born at Brockport N.Y. 4 Children, Boy 10 expects shortly to get a place, boy 9, boy 3, boy 1. ChofEngl. Coal twice and 8 [pounds] of Bread.

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1007. Mary Row. 93 South Park St. See former reports. Still lives with Jane Doyle. Daughter Ann is now living with her. Recommended for last Winters Allowance.

1008. Elisa Long. Parliament next Copelands Brewery. See former report. Able to work but cannot get constant Employment. Boy John died last Summer. Recommended for Bread Weekly, and ~~Bread~~ Coal for the season.

1009. Bridget Gerrow. 86 Cherry St. No such number, street ends at 49.

1010. Catharine Mooney. 28 Frederick St. and

1011. Elisa Smith. 28 Frederick St. These persons occupy the same room. See previous reports. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread each, and Coal twice alternately.

1012. Elizabeth Whelan. 28 Frederick St. lives with Neil McMullen. Widow, 22 years of age. Irish. 20 years in Toronto, has two children, does not know where they are. Peddler about the Streets during Summer season, she is a very decent old body. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal for the season.

1013. Johanna Burns. No. 9 Princess St. No such number.

1014. John O'Neill. rear of Dery Lane north side, says he is nearly blind. 15 years in Toronto. 4 Children, girl 9, girl 6, boy 5 and girl 18 months

1015. Mary Randolph. Shanty east of Black Horse Stables. Palace St. see report of January 19th, 1862. Husband gone away, thinks he is in Collingwood, says she has but one Child, a Mulatto girl at Service in Toronto; and that the story told Visitor by the husband at the above time "was all a pack of lies", cannot recommend any relief in this Case until Mrs. Randolph provides herself with better quarters, being satisfied she can get them almost anywhere for the asking. It's possible she may be slightly touched in the upper story.

1016. Johanna Burns. 49 Princess St. see report of January 1864. This womans ideas of time are rather vague, she told Visitor last Winter that she came from Kingston 8 or 10 years ago, and that her husband had gone to the States 6 or 7 years ago, she now says it is 19 years since she left Kingston, and two years since her husband left her. Recommended for Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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1017. Mary Kearney. 270 King St. East. Widow 16 years, had 5 Children, all dead lives alone, 17 years in Toronto Irish R.C. Could work but has no employment, says she is 70 years of age, but looks 20 years younger. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread and Coal once.

1018. Mary Clendenning. last house but one, west side on lane rear of 401 King Street east. Husband a labourer, in decline and not able to work. 10 years in Toronto. Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children. William James aged 7, John Robert 4, and Joseph not yet Christened, 6 months. Her own age 34. Receives 8 [pounds] of Bread from the House. Recommended for Coal twice.

1019. Bridget Hagan. next house north of Mary Clendenning. Husband a tailor. This is a small pox Case, and better be visited by the Doctor. To have 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly & Coal.

1020. Richard Bell. 231 Palace St. lives with his daughter Mrs. Collins who has 3 Children, was formerly in Coast guards of late has been employed by gathering Bottles, in Toronto 13 years, from Ireland originally 66 years of age, Wife 72 very bad with asthma, has a daughter in Lunatic Asylum. ChofEngl. This man is well known about Town and would not ask without dire necessity. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly, Coal, and a ration of Tea, Sugar & etc.

1021. Murtagh Kearney. 66 Palace St. these persons changed their quarters last Saturday, no one knows whither they have gone.

1022. Mary Finnigan. Widow aged 55. Roman Catholic. Native of Ireland, has two Sons, 11 and 9 years of age. The eldest has been out for some time with a Barber, but not now, both at home now going to School. She lives in a Shanty opposite Capt. Strachans Gate, on York St. During the Summer she can get along pretty well, but in Winter requires a little help. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly, Coal three times and soup.

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1023. James McKenzie. 481 Richmond St. west. A miserable poverty stricken man. Aged 45. Has a Wife aged 30, and one Child 5 years old. The Man has had no work for a long time, and is not in good health. As poor a family as Visitor has as yet visited. Wants bread and fuel.

1024. Margaret Harrington. 126 Berkely St. There is some mistake about this. 126 is Ramsays Tavern.

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1025. Elisa Walker. 485 Richmond St. west. Age 34. Husband had his leg broken by an accident, and is only out of Hospital a fortnight ago. They have 3 Children aged 9, 7 and 2. The Mother is able to work but can get very little to do. Seems tolerable respectable and tidy.

1026. John Black. lives in a little Cottage off of Berkely St. a couple of gardens South of Queen. Black's Case is rather a puzzling one to report upon. Visitor really believes the Man to be quite incapable of earning a living by manual labour, and he is much too cranky for anyone to give him employment as a clerk. He was for many years in the B. A. Insurancing Companys Office, but lost his situation there, from his eccentricity. They have been on the point of starvation many times since then. His Wife has mainly supported him, she is a very decent respectable Woman. Visitor recommends Coal twice.

1027. Catherine Edwards. 21 Power St. Husband away from her for the last twelve months. Has {no} Children. Wretched looking objects. One Child partly crippled. Mrs. Edwards was not in when Visitor called, but thinks her Case will be found reported upon last year; and is really one for relief, in the shape of Coal and Bread.

1028. Mary Hardrake. 48 James St. East. Husband works in the Rolling Mills is out of Employment at present. The Children are just getting over the small pox. The Grandmother a very old woman lives with them. It is a Case for temporary relief at all events. If the husband could get some Wood to saw, he would willingly do it. They are almost destitute of fuel.

1029. Elizabeth Smith. In a lane running between Beech & James St. A little Cottage down in a hollow. The husband is almost helpless with Rheumatism and they have not a stick of wood in the House. Recommended for Coal 3 times and Bread.

1030. Mary Dunlop. 8 Terauly St. Irish. Presbt. Church. Married. 45 years of age. 6 Children. 2 daughters Married, girl 15 and boy 9 at home, girl 5 in the Country. Husband a Labourer, went to the States a year ago. Mrs. Dunlop lives by begging. The girl 15 ought to be in Service.

1031. Rose McCarty. same room as the above. Irish. R.C. Married. 22 years of age. 2 Children at home, a boy aged 6 years, and a girl aged 2. Says she works as Charwoman. Husband left her 5 Months ago. Visitor cannot recommend either of the above Cases.

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1032. Maria Barton. rere of 17 Centre St. Scotch. Presbt. Married. 46 years of age. 2 Children, girl 4 years, and a girl 8 Months old. Husband a labourer who ought to support his family.

1033. Ann Cavanagh. rear of 36 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Widow 57 years of age, lives with a Married Son. She works at washing knitting etc. Visitor thinks she might earn her own living. Nothing granted at present.

1034. Elisa West. 57 Emma St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 26 years of age. 5 Children, all girls 7, 5, 4, 2 and 1 years old. Husband a boilermaker went to the States 10 Weeks ago to look for work, but found none. He wants to get back but has no money to pay his passage. Mrs. West says her husband is a steady industrious Man. Visitor would recommend relief for one Month on account of the large family.

1035. Frances Gallaher. next to 70 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married. 35 years of age. 3 Children. Girl 14 in Service at [dollars] 2 a Month. Boy 10 and boy 5 at home. Husband just left the Hospital where he has been some time with a bad foot, he must see the Doctor. Room and family very dirty. Visitor has a bad opinion of them.

1036. Mary Kelly. is not known at 44 Terauly St.

1037. Mary Clark. rere of 38 Centre St. She was out at work when Visitor called, he was told by a respectable neighbour that she is a steady industrious Woman, with one boy 8 years of age. If her appearance bears out that recommendation, Visitor would recommend that she be assisted.

1038. Ann Connors. 19 Centre St. a very decent old Woman. Visitor recommends that she receive last years allowance.

1039. Margaret Cochrane. rere of 155 Centre St. See former report. Visitor recommends bread, Coal and soup. She is now ill in bed.

1040. Margt. Walsh. 207 Elizabeth St. was not at home when Visitor called.

1041. Margt. Dunsmore. rere of 128 Sayer St. See former report. Husband is now at home and well able to work.

1042. Mary Meredith. 80 Elizabeth St. See former report. Her Sister is now very ill and requires Sugar, Tea, etc. with Wood when we get some.

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1043. Catharine McAlpine. 190 Sayer St. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Spinster 45 years of age, obliged to leave Service on account of having fits. She will get a Note from Hon. Mr. Spencer, where she was in Service, her Sister 30 years of age lives with her, who is also obliged to leave Service on account of disease in her side. They appear respectable young woman. Visitor would recommend Coal if Mr. Spencer's Note proves satisfactory.

1044. Mary Ann Alexander. 163 Centre St. Recommended for Coal as last year.

1045. Mrs. Kingham. No. 55 Elizabeth St. off Dennisons Avenue. A Widow aged 61 Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall for Coal.

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Present Messrs. J. Thom, W.J. MacDonell, E. Hobson & R. Gilmor

1046. Mary Gillon. 5 Richmond St. west up Stairs. A Widow aged 40. ChofEngl. 2 Children girls, 9 and 5 years of age. She receives 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly. The Visitor recommends Coal 3 times during Winter.

1047. Sarah Coldread. 132 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 60. ChofEngl. has no family. Visitor knew her husband who was a very industrious and worthy Man, it is to be regretted that his Widow is not so steady as she ought to be. Visitor would recommend 4 [pounds] of Bread, and Coal 3 times.

1048. Ann Boland. 21 York. Street. There is no such Number there.

1049. Thomasina Lee. Visitor would recommend her to receive Coal from the House of Industry. She has 8 Children, a girl of 18 educated for a governess but unable to obtain a situation, and who does a little sewing, a boy of 17 apprenticed at 37 ½ cents a day, a boy of 15 almost deaf & dumb; a girl of 14 who stays at home to help her Mother, and four of them too young to work. Her husband deserted her about 2 years ago, and she gets no assistance from him. She is a very respectable woman, and has been in very good circumstances, but is now totally unable to provide even all the necessaries of life for her large family.

1050. Catharine Foley. rere of 84 Stanley St. Husband age 47 sick in bed with decline, her own age is 37. 3 Children. Recommended for Coal & 6 [pounds] of Bread.

1051. Ellen Armstrong. rere of 108 Adelaide St. East. Widow no Children same House as Ann Hare. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread and Coal once.

1052. Ann Hare. Widow no Children, 66 years of age. 4 [pounds] of Bread, Coal with above.

1053. Mary Judge. 101 Richmond St. E. 1 daughter, 17 sickly. Coal & Bread.

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1054. Ellen Clarke. 13 William St. Revd. Mr. Houghman recommends her to receive assistance from the House, her husband aged 72 was at one time carrying on a large business as a Merchant in Ireland, but failed and is now absolutely penniless. He is at present in England staying with one of his daughters, the only Child by his first Wife. Mrs. Clarke who has good testimonials, determined to Emigrate to Canada with seven of her Children, only two of whom have at present any employment. She is allowed to live rent free in the basement of the House, but can get no Employment. She is anxious to obtain a situation as teacher in some School for which she is well qualified. To have 1200 of Coal.

1055. Ann Nolan. 33 Stanley St. About 40 years of age. Deserted by her husband. Irish. R.C. 2 Boys 10 & 13 years of age. Says they are going to School.

1056. Mary Coghlan. 33 Stanley St. says she is 14 years of age, a sister & neice each 12 years of age, and her father says he is 63 years of age, (saws wood occasionally) they all live in the same room with the above Mrs. Nolan and are sufficiently destitute, and Visitor fears always will be, they seem so thoughtless and improvident. To have a little Coal soup and Bread. Visitor recommends that.

1057. Mary Wilson. 50 years of age. Widow. Irish. R.C. A sore leg, which prevents her from Work, is very destitute. A boy at Service but can do nothing for her. Bread and Soup.

1058. Ann Cogan. 23 years old. English. ChofEngl. 1 Child. Husband away in American Army, but sends her nothing, she has to work for her own and Childs support, and pays [dollars] 1 a Month for her room, to a family of the name of Spencer, who themselves are only poor people. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread.

1059. Ann Carr. Church St. Widow for 6 years. Irish. R.C. 5 Children, 3 boys 21, 19 & 13 years, 2 girls 18 and 16 years respectively. Says she has a white swelling in her Knee and had to have her leg cut off, rendering her helpless, and necessitating one girl to stay at home and wait on her, the rest are doing for themselves, but she says they are doing nothing for her. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

1060. Martha Carr. rear of 147 Victoria St. cannot be found.

1061. Mary O'Brien. 7 Wood St. Widow 50 years of age. Irish. R.C. Boy 8, girl has to work when she can get it. Recommended for Bread Coal and Soup.

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1062. Julia Jones. 98 1/2 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist. Widow 46 years of age. 7 Children, the five eldest in Service, being young at low wages, and not able to do anything for their Mother, 2 girls at home 10 & 8 years of age. She is an industrious steady Charwoman. Visitor recommends Coal twice, & 4 [pounds] Bread.

1063. Ann Madden. 13 Albert St. Irish. R.C. Married. 33 years of age. 3 Children, boy 6, boy 4, girl 2 years of age, used to keep Cows but are now very poor. Visitor thinks they ought to be able to provide for their family husband and Wife both being able to work.

1064. Sarah Ibbotson. 63 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Married 40 years of age. 5 Children, girl 9, girl 7, girl 6, boy 4 and boy 2 years of age. Came to Canada a year ago, husband a Carpenter, has not been doing much, is now at work. Wife and children appear clean and respectable. On account of so large family Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for one Month.

1065. Sophia Shaw. No. 8 Terauly St. Canadian. ChofEng. Married, 34 years of age. Husband was in House of Industry but left again. Mrs. Shaw canes Chairs for a living, but on account of her sight being bad she is not able to do much, appears clean industrious woman, might have Coal twice, and on account of Shaw being ill, a ration of Sugar Tea etc.

1066. Susan Garnett. opposite 110 Edward St. Colored. Methodist Church. Married 30 years of age. 2 Children, girl 13 years out to work. Boy 11 works in Tobacco factory when there is work. Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious Woman. Husband was sent to Penitentiary for 2 years.

1067. Elisa Jolland. 245 Elizabeth St. Irish. Methodist Church. Widow 45 years of age. See former report. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

1068. Margaret Wilson. 23 Elizabeth St. Native of Scotland. Methodist Church. Widow 50 years of age. 2 Children, girl 10 girl 8 years of age. Industrious, but not strong. Recommended Coal 3 times, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

1069. Caroline Arnold. rere of 135 Centre St. 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal 3 times during the Winter.

1070. Agnes Urquhart. 66 McMahan St. Out when Visitor called. Widow. Saw the Children who said their Mother was out washing, and that they were badly off for fuel. Receives Bread from the Institution. Committee will allow Coal 3 times during Winter Months.

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1071. Mary Lee. rear of 81 McMahan St. Husband in the Federal Army. 2 young Children, appears to be a very decent little body, and anxious to do all she can to support herself and Children. Her husband has

sent a little Money occasionally but in consequence of the American Currency, the small sums he has remitted have dwindled down to next to nothing here. She only asks for Coal, which Visitor recommends.

1072. Hannah Hartley. rere of 23 Duchess St. Husband a carpenter in bad health, and out of work. 2 Girls out at Service. 4 Children at home. The husband who appears to be in bad health, and who states that he was thrown out of Work in the first instance by severe illness, that that since he has been getting better, he has found it impossible to obtain employment, which has brought them all to very great distress. Visitor desired him to procure a certificate from the Medical Man who attended him, for the information of the Committee. The Wife appears to be a industrious hard working woman. If the Committee are satisfied with the Doctors report he may have some relief.

1073. Anne Manns. 92 George St. A very decent little old Englishwoman The Case was reported upon last year when she was living at the lower end of George St. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for the Winter.

1074. Ann Tovey. 91 Nelson St. Out when Visitor called. Visitor reported upon this Case last year. Her husband has deserted her for many years, having gone off with some other woman. From the account her neighbours give of her, she appears to be a hardworking woman, would therefore think her deserving of a little assistance in the way of Coal.

1075. Mary Eagan. 66 North Park St. An old Pensioner. Earns a livelihood in Summer by peddling, generally requires a little assistance in the Winter. Recommended for Coal for a couple of Months. She can knit well and would gladly knit for bread.

1076. Mary Devins. 224 Queen St. East. A single Woman, peddles about in Summer. Visitor thinks she might go out to service, although he has a doubt, She would find it very difficult at her time of life, never having been in Service, to get anyone to take her. Might have Coal once.

1077. Fanny Saunders. next 388 Queen St East. Husband out of work. Eldest boy in very bad health, 3 other Children at home. Husband works at boat building in Summer. From all the information Visitor could get, he thinks they are really deserving of assistance. Coal 3 times and a little Bread.

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1078. James Tart. an old Man living near the Cemetery off of Parliament St. Visitor recommends Coal. See Case 979 in 1863.

1079. Margaret Harrington. Living in a Lane between Berkely & McMahon Street next door to Ramsays Tavern. Her husband is now in the House of Industry an old and feeble man. Visitor believes Mrs.

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Harrington to be a deserving person, and would recommend her for Coal. To have also 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

1080. Catharine Allan. 113 Nelson St. 2 Children, was out when Visitor called yesterday – from the neighbours account he would believe she was an industrious Woman, and would recommend Bread and Coal.

1081. Dunlop Mrs. Berkely St. A miserable Case. Husband quite able to work, and does get work but does not give a single farthing of his earnings to his Wife and family, who are absolutely destitute of Bread while the brute of a husband takes his ease in bed! Visitor recommends the Case to the consideration of the Committee. To have Soup and Bread occasionally.

1082. Patrick Ryan. 31 Grogg Lane. Aged 70. Has one Son 10 years old. Is unable to work at present through an accident to his chest, and is almost past working at all. Seems tolerable respectable, considering his neighbourhood, though he looks as if he were addicted to whiskey drinking. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month rent. Roman Catholic. Irish, but has not been to his Church for many years.

1083. Johanna Kenna. 25 Renfrew St. aged 26. Husband away somewhere in the States since last March, and has left her with 5 Children, the eldest a girl aged 10, the youngest a baby of 9 Months, not yet weaned. She gets a little sewing now and then, and can knit. Not over clean or tidy. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month. R.C.

1084. Bridget Beard. rear of 60 Dummer St. Aged 26. Husband away in the States for the last 3 Months. Has 2 Children aged 3 years, and 9 Months, respectively, the Baby not yet weaned. She can sew and knit but gets very little to do. Pays [dollars] 1 1/4 a Month for rent, but has another Woman lodging with her at present who pays half. Tolerable clean and tidy. Wants Coal and Bread. ChofEngl.

1085. Mary Malone. 60 Dummer St. A Widow aged 70 with one daughter 23 years old, who suffers much from Rheumatism, and has had one Arm broken and badly set in consequence of which she is unable to undertake any hard work as a domestic servant or otherwise. The Mother pays [dollars] 1 1/4 a Month rent. Seems very poor but respectable. Wants Coal and Bread.

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1086. Jane Willis. Lane between Dummer and William St. Visitor could not find out where she lived nor any one who knew her.

1087. Ellen Peters. No. 11 St. Patricks square. A Widow aged 38 with 3 Children, aged 7, 5 and 4 respectively. She is able to work but can get none. Seems decent and respectable. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month rent. She wants Coal, belongs to Presbyterian Church.

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1088 Mary Coleman. 556 Queen St. west, widow with one Boy 9 years old, very poor and can get no work. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 rent, was out when Visitor called, but came in afterwards, drunk.

1089. Margt. Riley. 556 Queen St. west. Widow aged 39. Has 3 Boys, the eldest 10 years old. Goes out washing and scrubbing, and does a little sewing and knitting. Seems pretty respectable. Pays [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month, she says, for the rent of one room. Wants Coal and Bread.

1090. Bridget Connell. 479 Richmond St. west. A young Widow with no family, able to work and get about 2 days a Week at washing and scrubbing. Pays [dollars] 3/4 a Month for rent, and lives with another family. She ought Visitor thinks do without assistance. Can do nothing for her. To go to Service.

1091. William Smallbones. 57 years of age. English. ChofEngl. The Man seems to be half crazed. He was sent to this Institution for admittance by George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate]

1092. Catharine Arthurs. Corner of Bathurst and Richmond Streets. Widow of the late drum major of the 30th. She has 5 Children at home, the eldest of whom is a girl of 9, and one Son aged 15 who is enlisted in the Canadian Rifles. House rent free. She was accused 2 or 3 Months ago of keeping a disorderly House and harbouring prostitutes, she was however never brought up to answer the Charge. And she explains the Circumstance by saying that at that time she kept a little shop, and as she lives in a street frequented much by Soldiers they were constantly coming into her Shop and that drunken bad women would follow them. That she did her best to keep them out, and on one occasion used main force, which raised a disturbance and brought the Police upon them. She has since given up her Shop and keeps her door locked at night. Visitor finds however that she is still an object of suspicion to the Police, and believes that she is to lose her pension from the Military Asylum. If it were not for the above circumstance which however may have occurred from no fault of hers, Visitor would strongly recommend her to the Notice of the Committee.

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1093. The Committee for accepting Tenders for the supply of "Groceries", "Meat", "Bread" and "Milk" for the ensuing year, Met this (Friday) afternoon at 4 O Clock.

Present

R. Gilmor Esq. E. Hobson Esq. and E.H. Rutherford, Esq.

The following Tenders were opened

David Bee. Bread for the ensuing years, at the rate of seven and a half cent per four pound loaf. "Wm. G. Coles" seven and a half cent per four pound loaf. "Francis Riddell" at seven and a half cent per four pound loaf. The privilege was given to David Bee and his Tender accepted, having served the Institution satisfactory

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The Bread Tender is for twelve Months, with the privilege that either party after the first 3 Months, if not satisfied, by giving a Weeks notice within the Month, can throw up the Contract.

Margaret Harpers Tender for Milk at 5 [cents] per quart was accepted, hers being the only Tender in.

James Brittons' Tender for Soup Meat at the rate of 2[cents] per pound, and

Peter Huttys' Tender for Soup Meat at the rate of [dollars] 1 60/100 per hundred pounds weight. Mr. Huttys Tender being the lowest, and having served the House satisfactory, was accepted.

"Dodgson Shield" & Co. Tender for groceries and "Robert Davis's" Tender for groceries were compared, and after careful examination, Dodgson Shield's & Cos. Tender was accepted.

1094. James McKenzie ^and family^ (in Case 1023) were found this Evening (Saturday 31) at their abode in such deplorable state, that Mrs. Plowman deemed it advisable to call a Cab and bring the family to House of Industry. McKenzie had both his feet frozen, and his Wife and Child seemed to be dying with Cold and want. They have hardly a rag of Clothing on them, and if not brought here, would most likely have perished through the night.

1095. Ann Garner. door east of No. 6 Hagerman Street. English. Spinster. Methodist Church. 50 years of age, a very respectable and industrious Laundress. On account of sickness, she is much in want of Coal.

1096. Jessica Cornell. 156 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 48 years of age, 4 daughters, 17-16 Cane workers, girl 13 in Service, at a dollar per Month, girl 9 at home. Husband left her 5 years ago does nothing for his family.

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1097. Andrew Walsh. 40 years of age, Irish. Roman Catholic Church. From Newhaven in the States, ran away from there to escape the draft, says, he left his Wife and 4 Children behind. Seeks admission for a few days until he can get some Work.

1098. Edward Carlton. 38 years of age. Native of Ireland. Has been living at Beverly back of Hamilton, came down with the intention of travelling to Belleville but had his feet frozen on the road. Seeks a few days shelter.

1099. Cathn. Campbell. (in Case 600,) with two of her Boys, sought admission for a few days.

1100. Massiah Goff. 48 years of age. Native of England. ChofEngl. Seems a dissipated Man, says his fingers are frozen, and has no place of habitation seeks shelter for a time.

1101. James Digby. a Lad aged 18 years, lately from England, out of Employment, seeks admission for a few days until he can get a place, having no means of paying his Board outside.

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Tuesday 3rd January 1865

Present Mr. E. Hobson, Revd. Mr. Williams & Mr. J. Tyner

1. Daniel Sullivan. 68 Dummer St. Out when Visitor called, but saw his Wife, who said that he was sickly and able to do but very little work. They have 7 Children aged 11, 9, 8, 6, 5, 4 and 2 respectively. The Wife was a dirty and untidy looking woman, but Visitor heard a good character of them. They pay [dollars] 2 a Month rent.
2. Mary Rice. 2 doors north from the Corner of Queen & Pine Streets. Widow with 2 Children, one her own, the other an orphan a sisters Child. This Case reported upon in previous years. Visitor recommends Coal twice. Mrs. Rice is most anxious to have some knitting to do and if anything of is being given out, she is strongly recommended for it, as she could then be paid in Bread.
3. Honora Connell. 104 Pine St. Husband enlisted in the Federal Army already reported upon this year. Mrs. Connell now applies for Coal, and is willing and anxious to knit for it. Visitor strongly recommends that she should be encouraged.
4. James T. Lawrence. 144 Pine St. On calling on this Mans, Visitor found him so sound asleep that there was no waking him! The Wife was out, and there was only one miserable half starved little boy at home. So he could not obtain much information about them. What may have been the cause of St. Lawrence's unusually sound slumber at 2 O Clock in the afternoon whether he had been discharging his duties as an elector in the course of the Morning and was overcome with fatigue, Visitor does not know. The poor little half starved Child said that his fathers arm was broken, but Visitor could not pretend to give any opinion about the Case until they are visited again.
5. Mary McCormack. 66 James St. East. Husband a Shoemaker. 8 Children. The husband has been out of work for some Weeks and they are all in great distress for want both of food and fuel. Mrs. McCormack says her husband worked for some time for Mr. Tyner who can speak as to his Character, and as to whether he is a steady man or not. She had also a Note of recommendation from Mr. Lawson whose Church they attend. She seems a very respectable Woman and if there really is this difficulty in getting work it would seem a very fit Case for temporary relief in the shape of Coal and Bread until he can get employment.

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6. Mary Doyle. 87 North Park Street, was not in when Visitor called, 87 North Park St. but the person with whom she lodges, said that she was a hard working industrious Woman, whose husband had deserted her some years ago, leaving her with two children to support. Visitor thinks the Case has been reported upon in former years. Recommended for Coal.

7. Catherine McCoy. Lane rear No. 12 Sydenham St. Visitor went up from one end of the Lane to the other, but could not find any such person.

8. Margaret Harrington. (not Timothy's Wife who is an Inmate in the House), living in a lane between Seaton and McMahon St. She lived formerly in Caroline St. and Visitor thinks was reported upon last year. Her husband is in the Lunatic Asylum, and has been there for more than a year. She is now without any means of support, in very bad health, and quite incapable of earning her own living in Winter at all events. Recommended for Coal 3 times and ~~Coal~~ if Bread.

9. James Tart. Charles St. near the Cemetery. See report of last year Recommended for Coal 3 times.

10 Catharine Ryan. 91 Nelson St. An old pensioner who generally requires a little assistance in the Winter. Recommended for Coal twice, and Bread.

11. Bridget Conley. 83 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Husband 70. Not able to do anything. 3 Children. Recommended for Coal and 6 [pounds] of Bread.

12. Catharine Edwards. rear of 108 Adelaide St. East. 56 years of age. 2 Children. To have Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread.

13. Elisa Wills. 86 Adelaide St. East. 47 years of age. 1 Child. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

14. Bridget Filmore. 83 Stanley St. 40 years of age. 2 Children. Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

15. Margaret Murray. 70 Queen St. East. 63 years old. Coal and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

16. Mary Louth. is one of the old pensioners, and a worthy person, Visitor recommends her for relief from the House.

17. Elisa Lemmon. 85 Richmond St. West. Says she is a Widow, aged 35. ChofEngl. Has one Boy aged 5, was in bed sick at the time. Recommended for Coal once, and 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

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18. Sophia Monroe. Widow. No. 71 Bishop St. Revd. Mr. Broughall begs to recommend her for her usual allowance of Coal. She has been very poorly of late and is unable to do much work. Could it be sent all at one time? She would like to have some bread as well.

19. Elizabeth Jackson. 231 Sayer St. Colored. Methodist Church. Married. 42 years of age. 9 Children, boy 15 in bad health, girl 12, girl 11, boy 10, girl 8, girl 7, boy 6, boy 3, girl 1 year old. She says her husband is in bad health, he had better see the Doctor. To have Soup in the mean time, on account of the large family.

20. Emma Burke. 26 Christopher St. Colored. Methodist Church. Widow. 43 years of age, bad legs, not able to do much work. Her Mother 70 years of age lives with her, who is in bad health. See former report. A Sister dumb aged 32, daughter 20, do [ditto] 11, boy 14. On account of sickness of herself and Mother, Visitor recommends Coal twice, and Bread 6 [pounds] Weekly.

21. Catharine Kearney. 66 Palace St. Aged 60, husband Murtagh 88, on crutches, at present on a visit to a married daughter on Richmond Hill. Charwoman, no children of her own, but husband has 3 Married and settled about the Country. R.C. 10 years here from Ireland. Is now receiving Bread, wants Coal, which Visitor recommends thrice.

22. Mary Whitty. 8 Front St. East. Aged 34. Husband Michael 38. 7 children. Michael 12; Ann 9; Sarah 6, James 4, Moses & John (Twins) 2; Margaret 2 Months. Husband a farm labourer, came from Tecumseh Township last September, thinking to better his conditions in Toronto. Lived here 4 years ago: originally from Ireland, 13 years ago. R.C. These people now regret their return to Toronto, perhaps the best relief would be, to furnish them with means of returning to Tecumseh. Should they remain here, Visitor recommends Bread proportional to so large a family and Coal thrice. Did not see the husband. Wife says he hopes soon to get a chopping job near Brampton, and that the eldest boy has promise of a place. Committee consider above family having no Claim for aid.

23. Bridget Geroe. 86 Front St. East near Sherry [Cherry] St. Widow. Lives with Mrs. Aikins. Eldest Son joined American Army 15 Months ago, not heard from since. 2 Children at home. Boy 12 and girl 8. Irish. R.C. 6 [pounds] of Bread, and Coal once.

24. Isabella McAdams. 27 1/2 South Park St. See report Feb 23rd, 1864 [Case 319]. Daughter Maria is going out to Service. Visitor recommends last Winters allowance.

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25. Job Green. aged 36. Native of England. Member of English Church. Came to this Country a twelve Month since, worked in Chippawa as a Farm labourer for 6 Months when he was taken ill, came to Toronto General Hospital where he has been an Inmate 18 weeks last Saturday, he was this day dismissed

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from that Institution, is still in a weak state of health and not able to do work. No friends and no means to support himself at present. Seeks admission for a time. Admitted.

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26. Thomas Kelly. 52 years of age, Native of Ireland, Presbyterian Church, is a Married man, the Wife lives with some friends. Kelly says he can not find work sufficient to support himself, seeks admission into "House of Industry." Was recommended by Revd. Dr. Jennings. Admitted for a time, and while here, to make himself general useful.

27. Mary Conger. 69 years of age, Canadian, Methodist Church, says she has no friends or relations in Toronto, is sick and homeless seeks for admission into the Institution. To see Doctor and if a proper Case, to be admitted.

38. Mary Coulter. 24 Elizabeth St. was not at home when visitor called, but was informed that she had come from the States a few Months ago where she was a slave, she is about 30 years of age, one Child about 8 years old.

29. Mary O'Conner. 41 Emma St. Not at Home, but her Son 11 years of age says he has two Brothers 8 and one year of age, his father is a drunkard, has been away from Home 2 Months, thinks he is gone to the States, where they left a year ago and came here to Toronto, said his father frequently left them for Months.

30. Mary Livingston. 70 Elizabeth St. was not in when Visitor called but was informed she did not live there, but left some things at the House yesterday.

31. John Tansey. 25 Elizabeth. See former report. Recommended for Coal twice, and 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week.

32. Mary Ann Pindar. next 80 Stanley St. Widow. 70 years of age. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Coal.

33. Mary Sheehan. 74 Stanley St. Visitor cannot recommend relief in this Case.

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34. Mary Ann Graham. 58 Caroline St. It is one of last years Cases. Visitor would recommend Mrs. Graham for Bread and Soup. Bread for six Weeks. Coal twice only, and if her husband be made to do a little work for it Visitor would recommend it with much more pleasure.

35. Dolly Cannon. 16 Duchess St. An old Woman peddles in Summer, but requires a little help occasionally in Winter, recommended for Coal twice, but only coal.

36. Catharine Irwin. next to 119 Queen St. East, near Cartys factory, a very decent respectable industrious Woman. Her Case has been reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

37. Bridget Logan. rere of 119 Queen St. East, a wretched Woman, whose husband has left her, and gone off to the States. Has 4 Children, the two eldest Boys quite old enough to do for themselves. If the Mother would consent to it, it would be a great mercy if the House would apprentice them out to some farmer. The Mother Visitor is quite sure drinks, the house they are living in has not an article of furniture in it, and the Landlord is most anxious to get rid of them. Recommended for a little bread and soup, but not the Coal. It is one of those wretched Cases in which one really hardly knows what to recommend. Could nothing be done to rescue the boys.

38. Bridget Hart. 121 Queen St. East. This is another difficult Case. Visitor is afraid drink is at the bottom of the trouble. The husband unquestionably has an exceedingly bad leg and cannot work at present. The Wife seems {tendentious}. May allow some bread and soup, and Visitor will endeavour to ascertain further about them, before he decides about the Coal.

39. Mary McNamara. rear of 102 George St. Widow in bad health, with 3 Children. Eldest girl hip out of joint and a Cripple, would recommend them for a little Coal twice, and Bread.

40. Catherine Roache. 44 James St. Husband a labourer out of work, one Child lately died with smallpox. The others have been ill with it and are only now recovering. Recommended for a little Coal, Bread & Soup. If there is any Work husband should work for it.

41. Mary McCarty. 50 Power St. Another deserted Wife no Children is in bad health and incapable of work according to her own account. As far as Visitor can judge she appears to be so, and if the Committee are of the same opinion would recommend Coal and Bread. To see the Doctor.

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42. Elizabeth Meehan. 346 King St. east Widow, a very decent person. Case reported last year, only wants assistance in the shape of Coal which Visitor recommends her to have 3 times.

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43. Mary Clark. 186 King St. Widow. 2 Children and an aged Mother living with her, an industrious woman, works for the shops, but oft [out] of work just now. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

44. Sarah Cavanagh. 113 Nelson St. Recommended for Coal once and to knit for it.

45. Jane Fraser. Ontario St. Recommended for Coal once only.

46. Ellen Davis. 265 Richmond St. west. Deserted by her husband, (which appears to be no great loss to the poor Woman) aged 46 ChofEngl. 3 Children, girl 11, girl 9 and boy 6. She very willing to work but cannot get enough to do to support herself and Children. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly, Soup and Coal 3 times during the Winter.

47. Ann Franklin. 263 Richmond St. west. Married, aged 34. Husband 40. ChofEngl. 5 Children Boys 8, 4 and 6 Months. Girls 7 and 6. They seem to be industrious and well disposed people. Husband a Shoemaker but is out of work at present, says she has been sick for 13 Weeks last summer also buried one of their Children, all of which has made them very poor. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] of Bread per Week for the present, and Coal twice.

48. Catharine Galvin. No. 9 Emily St. Widow. R.C. aged 33. One Child a girl aged 13. Seems tidy lives with another family, says she is very poor, which Visitor readily believes, and fears will be so, as she seems to be shiftless, thinks he may have a little assistance this Winter. Refused assistance, The Committee last Winter agreed to grant relief then, on condition, that Cathn. Galvin would not trouble the House again, but send her Child to Service, and take a place herself as well.

49. Margaret Courtney. rear of 43 Ester St. Aged 31. Has 4 Children, aged 9, 7, 3 & 3/4 years old respectively, the youngest not yet weaned, which keeps her much at home, though now and then she goes out, she says, scrubbing, her husband is away in the Country, but is not able to assist her, as he can do but little work owing to a bad arm, pays [dollars] 1 1/2 a Month. Seems very poor, and wants Coal Bread and Soup.

50. Ann Beatty. an Inmate in Case 991 in 1864 went to place.

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51. Mary Green. 55 Elizabeth St. Spadina Avenue. Age about 55, Husband not been heard of for many years. She has 2 Children, one, a Married daughter with a small family of her own, the other a girl aged 7. The Mother get a little washing and scrubbing, and does not seem to be in very great need. Moderately clean and tidy. Pays [dollars] 1 1/2 rent. Irish. R.C.

52. Fanny Cook. 130 Bishop St. A miserable poor old Woman, without any relations or friends that she knows of. Is supported entirely by Charity, and when the weather is fine enough, goes out on begging

excursions in the County. Pay 50 [cents] a Month for rent, and gets 25[cents] a Week from St. Johns Church. Wants Bread.

53. Mary Ashworth. 60 Dummer St. A Widow aged 56 with 2 daughters, one a keeper in the Asylum at [dollars] 6 a Month, the other aged 23 is at home, in ill health, and unable to do hard work, but can knit and sew. The Mother gets one day a week at washing. Her rent is [dollars] 3 a Month of which her eldest daughter pays [dollars] 2 1/2. Very clean tidy and respectable. Methodist Church.

54. Elizabeth Scott. rear of 479 Richmond St. west. A Widow with two Children at home, the eldest a boy aged 12 who is out of work, the other a girl aged 10 who goes to Phoebe Street School. She has also one Son who is a Soldier. Goes out washing but has not much work at present. Appears a tolerable decent Woman, wants bread and Coal, but is about to change her residence.

55. Louise Miller. next door to the above. A Widow with 5 Children, the eldest a daughter aged 11, the youngest 5, gets hardly any work and is very poor. Is French and understands very little English. Pays [dollars] 2 a Month rent, and keeps one Lodger who helps a little to pay it.

56. Mary Holland. 22 Andersons Lane near St. Patricks Market. Visitor could find out no such Lane anywhere near the place, nor was such person known about there.

57. Elizabeth Donohoe. 96 Ontario St. who has already received relief this Winter at the recommendation of Mr. Broughall, wishes to make application for a stove or grate. Mr. Ploughman visited yesterday, and found that she needed very much something of the kind, as her house was full of smoke, and very dirty from its effects, perhaps a few Stove pipes might answer the purpose, and prevent a great deal of the smoke which at present escapes from her very defective pipes. She is too poor to lay out any Money upon it herself.

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Tuesday 10th January 1865

Present Messrs. J Thom, J. Tyner and E. Hobson.

58. Caroline Lane: 99 1/2 Sayer St. Colered. Methodist Church. Married. 57 years of age, Husbands says he is troubled with Rheumatism. One girl a grand child 5 years of age. Neither Wife or husband appear in good health.

59. Elizabeth Langley: rear of Boxalls Queen St. Married. 36 years of age. 2 daughter, one aged 15 in Service at [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month. One aged 11 at home, Husband in Federal Army 2 years. She works when she can get it.

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60. Bridget Kelly: Second House North of Clover Hill on Yonge St. A very deserving Woman. See former report.
61. Julia Brown: 57 Queen St. west. Widow, aged 58. ChofEngl. American, clean deserving person. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and 900 [pounds] Coal to be sent at once.
62. Ann Nolan: 33 Stanley St. Married. Husband an old helpless Man aged about 70, and paralyzed. 2 Boys, one 11, one 9. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, Coal 3 times, and Soup.
63. Martha Kenna: 108 Adelaide St. east. 40 years old. Coal once.
64. Thomas Hall: 76 Stanley St. 68 years of age, Wife 56. Coal & 6 [pounds] Bread.
65. Isabella Power: Bond St. in Dr. Gambles House. Has been a Widow 4 years, English. about 30 years of age. Methodist. 2 Children, a Boy 9, and a girl 7 years old, works when she can get it to do. Wants Bread and Coal.
66. Margaret Sommerville: Irish. Aged 84. ChofEngl. Deserted or separated from her husband. 1 Boy at Dixon Crawford & Co. who gets [dollars] 1,50 a Week. Which helps to keep them-Recommended for coal and Bread.
67. Marth Carr: Cannot be found at 147 Victoria St. neither Front or rear.
68. Alice McKenna: 10 Jorden St. aged 27. Husband in England. 1 Child with her 2 years of age, another Child in England. has been 2 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread, and Coal turn about with Margaret Hall, who occupies the same room.
69. William Lawry: in Case 595 in ~~Case~~ 1864, left the House on 6th of January, with the Intention to find his friends, above London.

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70. Mary Hayes: 66 Palace St. Widow 6 years, of unknown age- 1 Girl 15. who should be at Service, living with her. Came from the States 13 years ago. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly, and Coal once.
71. Neill McMullan: 28 Frederick St. This is a Case of a Man with a family willing and able to work, but who can get no employment, He will tell his own story-The Case left to the discretion of the Committee. To Work for relief.
72. Mary Carroll: 31 Colborne St. 3rd Story, living with Mrs. Dunbar, Widow. 13 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. 2 Boys, aged respectively 10 & 8, who pick up rags and paper in the street. Is much to be regretted that no better occupation can be found for them. Recommended 4 [pounds] of Bread, and Coal once.

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73. Frances Knight: 410 Queen St. west. Age 45. Not able to do hard work, through rheumatism and general ill health, but is a very well educated Man, and earns something towards the support of his family by writing articles for a couple of the City papers, to one of which the 'Pick' he is chief contributor. He has a wife aged 38 and 6 Children, the eldest of whom, a boy aged 14 earns a [dollars] 1 a week. The others 12, 10, 8, 6, & 4 earn only a stray sixpence now and then. they pay [dollars] 3 rent, are very respectable people, but very poor and in need of assistance. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

74. Susan Benns: 13 Maria St. A Widow aged 77, rents a room in the House of one of her Married daughters at [dollars] 2 a Month. She has altogether 5 Sons and 3 daughters, all of whom are away from her except the Married daughter. Mentioned above (who has 4 Children of her own) and an unmarried daughter aged 30 at present out of work and living in the same room with her, the latter however expects to get work in a weeks time. None of her Children, she says, are able to give anything towards her support. She has 3 grandchildren living with her, belonging to one of her Sons in the States, for whom she gets nothing, & who are aged 13, 11 and 8 respectively. She herself is too old to work- but seems decent and respectable. English. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Bread and Coal for herself and 3 grandchildren.

75. Harriett Bassett: rear of 19 Maria St. in yard. A widow aged 37. Has six Children, two of whom are in Service at 4 Dollars and 2 Dollars a Month, another a Boy of 18 in the Federal Army, another is adopted by a Lady- the other two aged 9 & 7 respectively live at home with her. She goes out washing scrubbing and etc. gets about 2 days work in the Week, seems a steady and struggling Woman, and needs Bread & Coal.

76. William Lawry: in Case 69 was brought back, was found acting the Vagrant.

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77. Ann Donnelly: 23 Grogg Lane, a Widow aged 32 with 2 Children aged 8 & 7 respectively live at home with her- She goes out washing scrubbing & etc and seems a decent sort of person, gets Bread wants Coal as well.

78. Rose Morgan: 48 Dummer St. Age about 60. Her husband is about the same age, and is a rag picker. She has 3 Sons aged (so she says) 16, 12 and 10 respectively. The eldest however when Visitor saw must have been at least 25. she has also 2 pigs, but declared at first she had only one little one. Tells lies by the Bushel and tried to deceive Visitor in every particular. Recommended nothing.

79. Ann Varley: rear of 60 Dummer St. Age 25. Husband away in the States for 5 Months past. Has one infant aged 7 Months not yet weaned and takes charge of another sometimes during the day for which she receives about 9 [cents] a week, goes out washing scrubbing cooking etc. but has had no work since

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Christmas, lives in a miserable shanty for which she says, she pays [dollars] 1.25 a Month. Not over clean or tidy. wants Bread and Coal.

80. Mary Tyrrell: 316 Richmond St. west. A widow aged 39, with 3 Children aged, boy 11, girl 8, and boy 3 respectively. Is able to work but can get none. Lives in the same House as Jane Willis and they pay [dollars] 3 rent between them. She can sew and knit, and seeks a little assistance. Irish. R.C. On account of doing away with a pound of yarn belonging to the House which she promised to knit into Socks, but which she never returned is to have therefore no relief.

81. Jane Willis: same house as above. A Widow aged 30, with 3 Children aged 7, 5 and 3/4 years respectively, the youngest not weaned. has no work at present, but is able to do hard work and can sew and knit, she seems a decent sort of woman. and needs assistance, has a stove but no pipes and uses at present the same fire as Mrs. Tyrell.

82. Ellen Reilly: 556 Queen St. west. A soldiers Wife aged about 30. has 2 Children, by a former husband, living with her, and aged 12 & 6 respectively. Lives with Margaret Riley who is the care taker of the House which is a large one, and has several other Lodgers in it. Recommended nothing till she has got a room to herself. With respect to the House 556 Queen St. Visitor has learned from the Police that it does not bear by any means a good character, and heard himself a very disgraceful disturbance there yesterday afternoon. there are several people of very questionable character lodging there, for which it seems Margt Riley is somewhat to blame. She was recommended

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about 10 days ago to receive assistance from the House, but in consequence of what Visitor has heard and seen since he would suggest that it be withheld for the future, till at any rate she has got rid of the other people. Would also mention that on each occasion on visiting her, have found several Soldiers in the room.

83. Mary Ann Bedford: Corner of Markham and College St. Deserted by her husband for some time, Has two Children aged 7 & 3 respectively- washes and sews- and pays a [dollars] 1 a Month. Has always born a good Character but is now living in a House of bad repute. Visitor recommends nothing until she has gone into another House, made strict enquiries about her but did not discover that she had been at all misconducting herself, while there, Irish ChofEngl.

84. Bridget Hayes: next to 88 Pine St. Widow, 2 Children- Case reported upon in previous years. A very decent little body, who never applies until she is really hard up! She makes a pretty good living in Summer, by peddling, but in Winter she can do little or nothing. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

85. Elizabeth Cummins: same House as above, another old Case. She has been working in the Tobacco factory this year, but work there has been stopped for the present. She has one Child a boy of 13. Recommended for Coal twice, and Bread.

86. Sarah Crawley: living with a Mrs. Johnson at 166 Beech St. Husband away in search of work, has 3 Children, cannot get work herself- has been in the habit of working for the Stores, but employment of that kind is not to be had at present, says if she could get a little Coal at present, should be well content. would recommend for Coal once and if she is still out of employment, would let her have it again.

87. Ann Holmes: 45 Parliament St. Not at home when Visitor called. but the person in whose House she lodges, gave her an excellent Character as an industrious hard working woma. fuel seemed to be the great want, and Visitor would recommend it. 45 Parliament St is in St. Lawrence Ward.

88. Mary Conners: 79 Parliament St. could not find her- must be some mistake in the Number.

89. Cathr. Leahey: 298 King St. east. Not at home. The person in whose House she lodges gives her an excellent Character. Visitor would recommend an allowance of Coal & Bread.

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90. Bridget Purcell: Lane rear 126 Berkely St. Lives in the same house with Mrs. Hethering, was not at home, but according to the account of the woman of the House. She is an industrious Woman, going out to scrub and wash when she can get it to do. Visitor thinks he has reported upon her Case before. Committee will grant relief this year, but not after this, as she is quite able to support herself.

91. Elizabeth Buggy: rear 150 Duchess Street, could not be found.

92. Catharine Thompson: Widow 45 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. Is desirous of given her son William aged 14 years, up to the House and he thereby apprenticed out according to the By-Laws of the Institution. The Committee considered to be best to grant her request for the Childs sake, as she has taken to drinking. Admitted.

93. Mary Gallagher: in Case 632 in 1864. Has got her 3 eldest Children admitted into House of Providence, applies here to get her two youngest Children and self into House of Industry, say was turned out from where she lived. To be allowed to remain in Building for Casual poor for a time.

94. Mary Conyer: in Case 27, asked leave to go out last Wednesday has not returned yet.

Friday 13th January 1865

Present Messrs. J. Thom and E. Hobson

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95. James Boost: 25 James Street. English. ChofEngl. 78 years of age. lives with a single Woman his daughter, who is not able to keep him any longer. The old Man is a Shoemaker by trade, but is now laid up with old age and infirmity and seems a fit Case to become an Inmate in House of Industry. Admitted.

96. William Thompson: in Case 92, absconded after being cleaned and tidy Cloths put upon him.

97. Catharine Turner: 66 years of age, Widow. Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. She has been living with her daughter Mrs. Landy who came from the States 2 years ago with husband and four young Children, husband has since deserted her, and has gone up to St. Mary's where he is living with another Woman, consequently Mrs. Landy is not able to support her Mother any longer, she intends sending the Children to her husband

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who will receive them, and she herself will go to service, begs admission for her Mother in House of Industry, will do all she can to find her in Cloths and any little comforts she may require. Admitted.

98. Cathr. McCoy: in Case 7. Living in a Lane between Seaton and McMahan St. in rear of Mr. Durands House. Husband has been in bad health, and out of work also. He has now gone a few miles out in the Country in search of work. They have 3 Children and the husbands mother a very old Woman. depending upon them. Visitor recommends Coal once, and Bread for a Month. and then the husband to show himself to the Board before receiving further assistance.

99. Mary Kelly: is not known in rear of 45 Terauly St.

100. Rose Clohasey: 79 Sayer St. Married. Irish. R.C. 2 Children girls, aged 6 & 4. says her husband is at home, but not able to do much, thinks he is in a decline. Committee recommend that Clohasey see the Doctor, and if not able to work to have some relief.

101. Jane McMullen: 79 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 24 years of age. 1 boy a year old, husband has been in the States for the last 10 Months, sends her not Money. Mrs. McMullen is a Charwoman, lives with her Mother who also goes out to work, not over clean neither in house or person, Visitor thinks between them they ought to support one Child.

102. Amanda Hall: 115 Elizabeth St. Colored. Methodist Church. Married, aged 29. one Child a girl aged 9. Left her husband on account of bad treatment, has lately met with a severe burn which will confine her to bed for some time, she now lives with her Mother. Visitor recommends Coal once and 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

103. Mary Farrell: 23 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Widow 70 years of age, lives with a Married Grand, daughter, goes about begging. The Committee will judge what is best to be done in this Case.

104. Bridget Cruas: 79 Sayer St. Irish. R.C. Married. 35 years of age. 2 Children, boy 12 at School, who ought to be at work. Girl 9 years of age. Husband out when Visitor called, Wife says his feet are frosted. They should be able to do for themselves.

105. Elizabeth Shannon: 112 Nelson St. Widow 60 years of age, has a daughter who pays her rent, also a Son who has a large family and can do nothing for her. Visitor recommends her for Bread weekly and an allowance of Coal.

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106. Margaret Toomey: 83 Stanley St. husband sick in decline, has two Children she is 33 years of age. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread and Coal.

107. Mary Smart: 102 Adelaide St. east. A Widow 52 years old, has two Boys aged 16 & 14, both out in place. Recommended for Coal twice.

108. Honora Asher: in Case 986 in 1864. Made application for admission of her two Children aged 7 & 5. Recommended to apply to the County Council, gets relief from the House, but has no Claim on this charity.

109. Mary Gorman: 63 Esther St. A widow aged 55 with no Children, and no friends in Toronto. Lives with a family, and pays about 3 [cents] a Night. Does no work, and says she is not able to. A dirty and rather dissipated looking Woman.

110. Mary Holland: (See Case 56) 23 Andrew St. No such person known there or anywhere in the Street.

111. Catharine Armstrong: 104 Spadina Avenue. Visitor could not find any such Number, called at 106 but no such person was known.

112. Mary Stevenson: 29 Wellington St. Widow 4 years, 13 years here from the States. Aged 30. Native of Ireland. This is her first application for relief. 3 Children. Girl 10. Boy 8. And Boy 5. Seamstress when she can get Employment. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal twice, and 6 [pounds] of Bread Weekly.

113. Margaret Hunter: fast [east] of Caroline St. See report of last year, still occupies the same Shanty, and though within a stones throw of the Lake, seems averse as ever to using its Water on the persons of her Children. Husband not heard from since last report. See Case 291 in 1864.

114. Charlotte Duncan: 241 Palace St. Widow. Canadian born near Coburg. Aged 33. Methodist. Sews when she can get work; first application. 3 Children. Alfred 8 out of town, Isabella 7. Charlotte 4. All she asks is Coal, which Visitor recommends twice.

115. Elisa Flavan: Syvesters Yard East side, Husband a sailor, went off 5 weeks ago, without saying a word, did so once before, and was then absent two years. Does not know whether he is alive or dead. 4 Children James 8,- William 7. Ellen 3. John 6 Months. Came to Toronto in 1847. Native of Ireland. R.C. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread. Coal twice.

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116. Ellen Leahey: 21 Stanley St. aged 40. Irish. R.C. Deserted by her husband who is a tailor and went to the States some time ago, has 4 Children. Boy 13. Boy 10. Girl 8. and Girl 4 years old respectively, seems clean and industrious. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

117. Julia McCarthy: aged 56. Widow. Irish. R.C. No friends in this Country. Seems willing to help herself as much as she can, Recommended. Coal & Bread. No. 49 Stanley St.

118. Elisa Hannah: 49 Stanley St. about 30 years of age, Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children, Boy 10, and Twin Boys 8 years of age. She seems very destitute, could not the Boys get places in the country with Farmers. Recommended for Bread and Fuel.

119. Mary Innis: 96 Victoria St. aged 35. Irish. R.C. 2 Girls, 11 and 9 years respectively, washes when she can get it to do. Seems clean and industrious. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

120. Timothy Conner: Jarvis Street, removed to some other part of the City.

121. Mary Rice: in Case 2. Visitor recommends that she receive a little Coal at half price.

122. Mary Martin: 102 Pine Street. Widow, an old Pensioner, and apparently very respectable Woman, no Children living with her. Applies for a little Coal. Says she works whenever she can possibly get anything to do. Is anxious for knitting if she could get any from the House. Recommended for Coal once and if she requires any more to apply again.

123. Bridget Rogers: 332 King Street east. An old pensioner of former years. Her daughter who was working in the Tobacco factory is at present like the other hands there thrown out of work, and is not staying with her Mother. Visitor does not think that he can recommend Mrs. Rogers for anything more than temporary assistance. Coal once, and if she should require it again, she will have to make a fresh application.

124. Matilda Belinsky: same House with Mrs. Mechan in a passage way nere of 346 King St. East, Not at home when Visitor called, but he understood from Mrs. Mechan with whom she lodges, that her

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husband has gone to the States, and left her with two Children to support, that she is industrious and hard working, but cannot get enough to do to keep her through the Winter. She is anxious to get some Coal, which Visitor recommends her to have turn about with Elizabeth Mechan.

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125. Christine Whitehouse: 113 Duke Street. Husband in bad health and out of work. A family of four young Children, a Case of real distress. Visitor told Whitehouse that he had better come up himself and see the Board. He is willing to saw wood or do anything for a living. Recommended for Coal twice, and a little bread.

126. Mary Kelly: 81 George St. A poor Woman with 6 Children and a drunken husband who is half his time away from her, and a perfect nuisance when he is at home. He is off in the States at present, and Mrs. Kelly has hard work to keep all her 6 Children from being frozen in the miserable barn of a place she is living in. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and Bread.

127. Mary Courtney: 81 George St. Widow, two young Children, has received relief in former years. Has an old Woman Mary Brothers living with her, and old Case pretty well known in former years. Mrs. Courtney recommended for Coal once.

128. Elizabeth Buggy: rere of 53 Duchess Street, husband has been in bad health and not able to do much work for more than a year. They have 5 Children. Visitor would recommend them for Coal once at all events, and a little Bread. The husband might saw wood for it.

129. Mary Conners: 79 Caroline St. Visitor did not see this Woman when he last reported her Case, but has seen her now, and recommends Coal twice.

130. Margaret Jones: 35 North Park Street. A very respectable person who Case will be found reported upon in previous years. Visitor recommends Wood twice. She has no means of burning Coal, and she and one of her Children suffer from sore Eyes.

131. Margaret White: Irish. R.C. Spinster, a miserable old Woman who says she lives at 37 Stanley St. with a Mrs. Burns. Visitor recommends something to keep her alive. To have a loaf of Bread. The Case is well known at the as a professional beggar.

132. Catharine Turner: in Case 97 asked leave to go and see her daughter has not returned Jany. 15th. Was informed by the Inmates, that her intention is to try and get into the General Hospital.

133. The Female Child of Jane Gilmor (in Case 788 in 1864.) aged 10 Weeks, died this Morning Jany. 15th between the Hours of 5 & 6.



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Present Messrs. J. Doel, E. Hobson and J. Tyner.

134. Ann Hudson: see No. 936 in 1864. The Case was brought before the Committee again, and reconsidered, on account of two younger Children which had been admitted by Visitor, the Committee will allow temporary relief for a Month, Coal once, and 8 [pounds] of Bread Weekly and Soup.

135. Mary Holland: (See Case 110) 22 Lane between Dummer St. and William St. A Widow aged about 70, too old and infirm to do hard work, but can knit pretty well. Lives with her only Child, (A Married Daughter) and pays no rent. A decent and respectable old Woman.

136. Catharine King: daughter of the above, aged 27. Husband aged 28, a labourer well able to work but has none. They support her Mother, and have besides a family of 4 Children, the eldest of whom is 4 years old, and the two youngest twins only 1 Month old. The Mother is now strong enough to begin work again, but has done nothing since her confinement. Pays [dollars] 2 a Month for rent. Respectable. Irish. R.C.

137. Sarah Gustard : 6 Strachan St. No such Number in the Street. The 1st Number on that side being No. 102 and on the other No. 25.

138. Mary Durand: in a Lane off Esther Street, East side. She is 58 years of age, and her husband nearly 76. Both are infirm and the old Man is at present very ill. They have a Grand Child living with them, a boy 5 years of age. They live in a mere shell of a house and when visited, a very cold day, had no fire. English, ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup Also a little Tea Sugar & etc.

139. Ann Cooper: 45 Carlton St. 45 years of age. 3 Children, Boy 18. Boy 14. Girl 20. Widow. English. ChofEngl. in bad health. Coal, and 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

140. Elizabeth Burns: rere of 91 Ann St. 36 years of age, Husband 50 years old, sickly, 8 Children, received 8 [pounds] of Bread all the Summer See Case 460 in 1864. Now recommended for Coal also. Irish. R.C.

141. Elizabeth Dunn: 60 Emma St. Canadian. Methodist Church. 44 years of age. 5 Children, boy 19 in the States, boy 17 at home, girl 15 in Service at [dollars] 2 per Month. Girl 11, and Boy 4 years of age at home. Appears a Clean industrious Charwoman. Recommended for Coal twice.

142. Mary Conyer: in Case 94 returned to the House last night.

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143. Jane Shipp: 27 James Street, was out washing when Visitor called. English. Chof Engl. A Widow with 6 Children, boy 10, boy 8, girl 6, girl 4, and older daughters in Service. Visitor believes her to be an industrious deserving Woman; worthy of relief.

144. Jane Jackson: rear of 16 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngl. Spinster, 47 years of age. See report of former years.

145. Mary Cavanagh: rear of 84 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married. 22 years, of age, 2 Children, girl 4 years and a Boy 4 Months old, goes out to wash sew, or any other work, her husband left some Months ago and dos nothing for her. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

146. Mary Ann Henderson: 48 Queen St. west, opposite Bay St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 46 years of age. See former report.

147. George Tolliver: (Colered) 106 Edward St. not at home when Visitor called, but made his appearance at the Board, he is about 70 years of age, Baptist Church. Committee allowed 4 [pounds] Bread weekly, and Soup.

148. Maria Pierpoint: 190 Elizabeth Street. English. ChofEngl. A Widow 43 years of age. Girl 16 at home sick, boy 12 in Service. and boy 9 at home- See former report.

[Case numbers jump by 40, not due to any missing pages.]

189. Rosella Harrison: 69 Boulton St. Widow aged 58. Colered. Baptist Church. 2 Children, Son in the States aged 22, girl 11 at present at home, was out at Service, but the family with whom she lived has left the City. The Mother herself is in bad health, her being so is the Cause of applying at present for a little assistance. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread (for one Month) per Week and Coal once.

190. Mary Simpson: 36 Richmond St. She and her husband came to Toronto a few days ago from Dundas, and was sent by the St. Andrews Society to the above Number, a kind of Boarding House, for a few days, when her husband went of [off] to the County to search for work. She has two Children, 1 two Months the other 2 years old. Temporary relief recommended, Coal once. 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Soup. Scotch. Presbyterian Church.

191. Mary Mowatt: 51 Boulton St. Widow aged 45. Methodist. One daughter about 10 years of age. out sometimes at work. Seems to be in poor health, to certify which she brought Visitor a Note from Dr. Ogden. Visitor would recommend relief for one Month. Coal once, and 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly & Soup.

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192. John James Wheeler: in Case 989 in 1864, ran away this Morning. his story about having come from Michigan is untrue, as he was known here to have run away from the House of Providence, was then for some time in the Boys-Home, ran away from there, and has done the same thing here.

193. Martha Carr: in the Lane north and in rear of Dr. Ryerson's Widow, aged 67 years, Irish. Ch of Engl. No friends, solely dependent on Charity. Mrs. Grasett pays her rent, amounting to [dollars] 1 per Month. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

194. Ann Spaulding: 96 Victoria St. aged about 35 years. Irish. R.C. has 4 Children, girl 9, boy 6, girl 5, and a girl 2 years respectively, she was Married to a Man who worked at tailoring but was drunken, went away and she does not know where he is. Recommended for Bread and fuel.

195. Sarah Richardson: a Colored person, 14 Shuter St. A Widow, aged 41 years. 1 Girl 5 years old, Baptist Church. Seems willing and even anxious to get work so as not to require assistance. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

196. Mary Ann McKnight: in the rear of 22 Richmond St. East. A Widow. Irish. Presbyterian. 3 Children, Boy 7, Boy 5, and girl 2 years of age. washes and scrubs when she can get it to do. ~~Was~~ Recommended for Coal & Bread.

Friday 20th January 1865

Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Doel.

197. Mary O'Brien: 14 years of age, came here for shelter last night, says she lived at Tobicoke [Etobicoke] for the last four Months, was sent there from the House of Providence: Committee order that the Doctor take the girl to that Institution and ascertain whether they know anything about her, if they do not, she is to be brought back here, and admitted if Dr. considers her a proper Case.

198. Moses Harris: 6 years of age, Canadian. Ch of Engl. Deaf and dumb. See Case 720 in 1863. The father died last Winter, the Mother died in Hospital a short time since, the older Children are in Service, or otherwise provided for. Mr. John Pike who lives in the neighbourhood of the family, made application on behalf of the above named Child, if it can be admitted for a time, he will exert himself and try to get it into the 'Orphans Home' or the Deaf and dumb Asylum in Hamilton. The Child to be admitted.

199. Amelia Partidge: Corner of North and Jukerman Street. Visitor cannot find such a Street.

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200. Mary Monroe: 106 Edward Street. Colored. Baptist. Married. 48 years of age, in bad health at present. Came from the States in June last- a Boy 17 is in bad health, not the Mother. Husband and Son worked in a Tobacco Factory until some time in October last when the factory closed, when at work, the two used to earn from [dollars] 7 to [dollars] 8 per Week. Husband and Wife being in good health, Visitor thinks they ought to earn a living for themselves.

201. Rebecca Amos: and Harriett Johnson her married daughter. 204 Centre St. Visitor recommends relief to be given and he will report their Case next Week. Mrs. Amos is a decent old Woman, and her daughter is steady and industrious with a large family, and her husband paralyzed. Say 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly, Soup and Coal until reported upon.

202. Margaret Truss : 145 University St. was not at home when Visitor called, but the Neighbours said that she was out at work, and daughter 10 years of age. If she is in good health, she ought to earn her own living.

203. Edward E. Knight: 50 years of age, Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church, has a Wife and 3 Children, is Son in Law to the late Colonel Baldwin. Does not live with his family at present. Has been intemperate of late. No home. No means to support himself, has been promised a situation in February, seeks admission until then. Admitted.

204. Catharine Winchester: 40 Boulton St. Married. 40 years of age, husband aged 42, Ch. Of Engl. Irish. 3 Children, boy 14, boy 12, boy 7. The Boy 14 has just come out of Hospital, and is still unwell, Visitor thinks it might be well to relieve them for a short time, but leaves the Case to Committee.

205. Catharine Johnston: Duchess St. Dr Ross's back premises. 50 years of age, English Church. Irish. Husband went away last June in one of Mr. Gooderham Schooners for Coal, and has not been heard from since. 3 Children, boy 10, boy 8, Girl 12 years respectively. Very poor and miserable, she says her things were all sold for rent. Visitor recommends Coal, Bread, and Soup.

206. Sophia Bristo: 101 North Park St. English. ChofEngl. Aged 26. husband 30. A Bricklayer by trade, had the ague last summer therefore not able to earn much. he is now well but cannot get work to do- goes out and cuts stumps for fire wood. 3 Children, boy 9, boy 4, girl 2. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread weekly and soup, & Coal.

207. Waganare: a Belgian family Bousells Cottages off Sydenham St. could not be found.

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208. Ellen Simpson: 71 Pine St. Scotch. Aged 36. Husband a drunken Tailor she says he left her 4 Months ago, and she has not heard from him since. 2 Children, boy 10 years, sells papers, girl 6 years. Appears very wretched. Visitor recommends Coal once, 6 [pounds] Bread weekly and a little soup. She lives with another woman who receives assistance from the House.

209. Ellen Rowbottom: 10 Duchess Street. Irish. R.C. 35 years of age. sells fish in Summer, has one girl aged 5 years. Coal once and no More.

210. Mary Morrow: 86 George St. (was out) her eldest daughter says her Mother is 46 years of age, A Widow, Irish, ChofEngl, and has two daughters. 21 and 18 years, the eldest is at home, had to leave her place on account of Rheumatism in her feet- Youngest at Service at Yorkville at [dollars] 3 1/2 a Month. Mrs. Morrow gets Coal and Bread from the House.

211. Michael Murphy: 83 Stanley St. The Visitor called twice could neither find him or his wife at home.

212. Susan Martin: 49 Stanley St. Visitor cannot recommend relief in this Case, does not like the looks of the House.

213. Honora Kearns: 28 Frederick St. See report of previous years- Her Son is still absent, peddling in Kentuckey, gets assistance from him occasionally. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, Coal twice.

214. Mary Ann Quigly: Cherry Street, East side, 4th House from Palace St. aged 33. Husband John, 40. says her husband has been sick these two years. Irish. Ch. Of England. 4 Children, William aged 9 in the Hospital. John. Sarah Ann 3. Elisa 1 1/2. Their first application. To see the Dr. and if husband not able to work, to have Coal 3 times and 8 [pounds] Bread.

215. Ann Kingston: 18 South Park St. See report of last year. Daughter Ann aged 14 has since died. She now receives no aid from Mr. Gooderham but with her large family no doubt requires some assistance. Recommended for Coal twice and 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

216. Sarah Payne: South side South Park St. near the Pound. House locked when Visitor Called, could find no person about the premises.

217. Doctor examined Quigly in Case 214. Says that Quigly has an Ulcer on his leg about one inch in diameter, and from the knee down is in bad condition-

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218. Bridget Kilcoes: 58 Dummer St. Aged 32. Strong, and able to work but can get none, Her husband, aged 36 also out of work, and has been so for two Months. They are strangers in Canada having only been here 3 Months. They have 4 Children aged 8, 6, 4 and 1 1/2 respectively. Seem decent and respectable and want only temporary assistance. Pay [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month rent. Irish. Roman Catholic Church.

219. Ann Sexton: rere of 60 Dummer St. Age about 30. Husband a soldier in the Federal Army- She lives with two other woman in a miserable shanty and pays [dollars] 1/2 a Month rent. Has two Children, aged 5 & 3 respectively. Is out of work at present. Not very clean or tidy. Visitor recommends no Coal.

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Present Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

220. Sarah Robinson: an Inmate (See Case 660) left the House yesterday Morning without asking any ones leave, and has not returned yet.

221. Albert Polson: aged 3 1/2 years. Canadian. Presbyterian Church. See Case 622 in 1863. It appears the Child was not taken away at that time by his Mother, but remained with the family of Norbert Geroux, who can not afford to keep him any longer. having a family of his own to support. Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends admission.

221 1/2. David Porter: 283 Queen St. West. Widower aged 41. Free Church. A respectable Man. Blind, from a Sun stroke. Lives up stairs, and is a good deal dependant on his Neighbours for fuel. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly. Coal twice, also a grate. Another party receiving relief from the House will call for his Bread.

222. Anthony Harkness: Sylvesters Yard, next door to Elisa Havin. Painter by trade, willing and able to work, but at present out of employment. Native of Halifax England, came to Toronto in 1848, then went to the states to new York, sold there 3 years ago. Wife Irish. R.C. husband Protestant. 4 Children. Girl 11. Boy 8. Boy 4. And girl 2. Their first application. Visitor recommends temporary relief, Coal once, and 6 [pounds] Bread. Committee consider they should try and keep of the Bread.

223. Mary Godfrey: 27 Stanley St. 60 years of age, husband 61. Blacksmith has no work, 2 Children. Visitor recommends Coal, and 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

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224. Sarah Payne: South Park Street near the Pound. Widow, 14 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. 4 Children, two (boy & girl) in the House of Providence. another boy aged 14 in rolling Mills, and a girl aged 4 at home. Her own age 42. Sews when she can get work. Seems a respectable person. Recommended for Coal and 6 [pounds] Bread.

225. Mary Doyle: 74 Stanley St. Husband, Labourer. He can get no work, she is 32 years of age, husband 34. 4 Children all young. Seems to be in a bad way. Recommended for 8 [pounds] of Bread and Coal.

226. James Stuart: 85 Stanley St. 43 years old. Wife 39. Scotch. Presbt. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal. The Committee consider they should earn their own living.

227. Catharine Rodden: 18 Stanley St. Husband in the States, sends her no assistance, she is 35 years old. 7 Children, no visible means of support seems to be very poorly off. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread in proportion to so large a family.

228. Bridget McCarthy: 67 Stanley St. Widow 55 years of age. has 3 Children. Recommended for Coal, and 4 [pounds] Bread.

229. Matilda Briens: 19 Stanley St. Her husband died last Week. Irish. ChofEngl. 6 Children, boy 15 with a Confectioner on King Street gets his board and [dollars] 5 per Month. Boy 13, Boy 8, Girl 6, Boy 4, Boy 2. She stands in need of assistance. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

230. Mary Prodner or Amor: 35 Ontario St. French. Protestant. Aged 48. Husband 48, gone to the Country to try to get something to do, would not apply to House of Industry if they could help it. 4 Children at Home, girl 15 who expects to get work in a short time, a Girl 14, a boy 13 and one 11 years of age. 3 younger Children in House of Industry. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread. The Case is known at the House, She was Married last Summer to the ~~Husband~~ Father of all these Children, French Canadians. Roman Catholic Church. Committee cannot grant relief, as they are all able to provide for themselves.

231. Mary Hephron: 82 Duchess St. Widow. Irish. R.C. 45 years of age. 3 Children. Girl 15, Boy 17 gets a Dollar per Month at a printing office, boy 8 years. She sells fish. Left to the Consideration of the Board. Had relief for a Month. No More.

232. Margaret Newman: Dr. Ross's Lane, Duchess St. Irish. R.C. aged 37. Very dirty. Husband left her 4 years ago. 3 Children, Boy 13 sells papers, boy 4, and girl 9. Visitor recommends Coal once, 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

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233. Catharine Carberry: 38 Duchess St. Irish. R.C. Aged 25. Husband 27. One Child (a boy) four Weeks old. Husband sick, inflammation of the lungs, Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly. Coal, and Soup.

234. Fanny Verrall: 7 Camden St. Aged 45. Husband deserted her about 18 Months ago & she has heard nothing certain about him since. Has 8 Children of her own. The eldest a daughter 32, who is Epileptic, the next 4 are also daughters who are unmarried & help a little towards keeping their Mother. She has also another daughter aged 17 who is at home doing nothing at present, and two Sons aged, 20 and 16 respectively, the younger of whom only is Employed at [dollars] 5 a Month. The Mother is clean and tidy looking, and is unable to do anything but a little Needle work. She has some Coal in the House 6 cwt. of which she got a short time ago from the House at half price. Visitor recommends Bread for herself and Epileptic daughter. ChofEngl.

235. Helena Emmett: 24 Andersons Lane. Age 36. Husband age 35, is out of work, and has been so for some time with the Exception of occasional 'odd jobs'. They have 5 Children, aged 11, 9, 7, 4, and 2 respectively. The Wife can sew and knit but has nothing to do. They are very respectable and tidy, looking and appear to have tried hard to do without assistance, They pay [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month rent. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup for one Month. ChofEngl.

236. Mary McLaughlan: 86 Louisa St. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. Married. 49 years of age, 2 Children, boy 10, and boy 12. Husband a Labourer 61 years of age, all in good health. Boys ought to be in Service, they are all able to earn their own living.

237. Bridget Williams: rear of 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. Spinster. Aged 37. Not at home when Visitor called, but was informed she lived by begging, no able to work on account of bad legs.

238. Elisa Gregg: 59 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 35 years of age. 2 Children, girl 12, and boy 9 years of age, both at home, girl ought to be in Service. Mrs. Gregg has been Married to her present husband (a Shoemaker) about 4 Months, before this Marriage her Name was Elisa Fern a Widow. They are able to earn their own living.

239. Catharine Mullen: 226 Centre Street, was not at home.

240. Mary Dyson: 77 Elizabeth St. See former report.

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241. Elizabeth McFadyn: 41 Elizabeth St. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. Marrd. [married] 32 years of age. 4 Children, girl 7, girl 3, boy 5, boy 1 years of age. Appears a clean respectable Woman, husband not able to do hard work on account of a double rupture. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal.

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242. Ann Conners: rear of 37 James Street. Irish. English Church. Widow 44 years of age, 3 Children, boy 11. Boy 9, and girl 6 years of age. Was sent from Ireland 7 Months ago, and has not yet got into regular work. Appears a clean industrious Woman. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread weekly and Coal.

243. Edward Richardson: rere of 37 James St. Irish. Methodist Church. Married, 50 years of age. 2 Sons, 21 and 16 years respectively, eldest very ill, has been confined to his bed for some time past. Richardson and Wife are a very deserving couple, both very sickly not able to do much work. Recommended to have Coal for the season.

Friday 27th January 1865,

Present Revd. Mr. Williams. Mr. J. Thom and Mr. E. Hobson.

244. Mary Dixon: 108 Adelaide St. East. Not in.

245. Mary Bray: 84 Stanley St. unmarried, 34 years of age, lost the use of one arm, Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal once. Committee are of opinion that she had better see the Doctor, and if not able to earn her living on account of her arm to have relief.

246. Catharine Brown: 74 Stanley St. has received Coal from the House. will not want anything else, has a husband and Child, but Visitor saw neither.

247. Elizabeth Rankin: 14 Shuter St. 40 years of age, Colered. Widow 2 years. 4 Weeks sick in a decline. Mrs. Smith a Married daughter lives with her, 23 years of age and a Widow. Latter two has Children. Harriett 7 years, and David 11 Months. Coal once, and 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

248. Bridget Moran: reare of 46 Caroline St. Irish. R.C. 50 years of age. She was not at home when the Visitor called, but her husband was in, who says he is not fit for work. Visitor thinks it would be as well to let the husband appear before the Doctor, and if not able to work, the Committee might then allow them 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Soup for a little while.

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249. Mary Ann Irwin: 166 John Street, second door from Queen St. Widow. aged 40. ChofEngl. one girl. Aged 12 going to school. Respectable. Was trying to live by having a few Boarders, but has none at present, and those she has had, only made her poorer than she was, by not paying her. Room was very cold, she not having any fuel. Visitor recommends Coal and Bread for two Months, soup if she wants it.

250. Elisa Pritchard: No. 8 James Street west. English. ChofEngl. Married. 37 years of age. 5 Children, boy 14 in Service at [dollars] 3 per Month, girl 13 has been in Service is now at home wants another Situation. Boy 11. Boy 1 1/2 . girl 6 years of age all at home at present, excepts the eldest boy. Husband a weaver gone to the Village of Hespeler in Waterloo where he expects to find, when he will send for his family. Appear clean and respectable. Visitor recommends relief for one Month. Coal and 8 [pounds] Bread.

251. Leno Bristo: Emma St. next House to College Avenue, at one house not known at the other no person at home.

252. Ann Rutledge: 50 Dummer St. Age 34. Husband aged 45 has been for some time out in the back Country looking for work, but he has not yet been able to send her any help. They have 2 Children aged 8 & 5 respectively. The Wife and Children have only recently come out to Canada from Ireland and arrived in Toronto last Thursday. She has had nothing to do since she came, but is well able to do either hard work or sewing. She seems in great need of assistance. Lives with another family at [dollars] a Month. Roman Catholic Church.

253. Mary Walsh: 14 Dummer St. Age 28. Husband aged 32 is a Tobacco twister by trade but has been out of work for 3 Months except odd jobs occasionally. They have 4 Children aged 6 years, 4 years, 2 years and 5 Months respectively. The Wife has never been accustomed to go out working or sewing and could hardly do so now on account of her baby. They seem to be respectable people and have tried hard to do without assistance but they have now spent all their savings. Rent [dollars] 3 a Month. They have already received some Coal from the House, want Bread and Clothing for the Children if they could get it.

254. Elizabeth Scott: A Widow aged 83 years, Native of Scotland, Presbyterian Church. Came into the House to day (Jany. 30th) arrangement had been made for her admission by Mr. McMurrich some time since, who agrees to pay to the House [dollars] 4 a Month. same amount as paid for her support by the Church when living outside. Mr. J. Thom will attend to the paying of the Money.

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Present. Messrs. J. Thom, J. Bugg and E. Hobson

255. Ellen Ryan: Derby Lane near Copelands Brewery, King St. East. See reports of former years. Husband went to Pensylvania Months ago, has heard from him since. Daughter Mary is also in the States. two small Boys at home. Recommended for 6[pounds] Bread and Coal once.

256. Fanny Kelly: 5 Wilton St. age 37. Husband aged 40 went to the States- about a fortnight ago and has obtained work there. but has sent nothing to his Wife as yet. She has 6 Children the eldest a Girl of 17

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well able to work but has none to do. the next a girl of 11 stays home to help her Mother, the other four are aged 8 years, 6 years, 3 years and 9 Weeks respectively. The Mother has done nothing since the birth of her Child. She is visitor believes decent and respectable sort of Woman, and has never applied for assistance before. Wants Bread and Coal.

257. Sarah Richardson: Colored in Case 195. Committee consider that she ought to be able to earn her own living, having only one Child to support.

258. Ann Hart: rear of 41 Duchess Street. Irish. R.C. 66 years of age. lives with her daughter whose husband is a labourer. Visitor leaves her Case to the consideration of the Board.

259. Eliza West: rere of 75 Caroline St. Irish. English Church. Was not in when visited, goes out begging, stops with Mrs. Connelly who has one Boy and gets relief from the House. The Case of West left for the Committee to deal with. To have no relief on account of her begging propensity.

260. Margaret Higgins: upstairs 68 McMahan St. was not in when Visitor called. Neighbours say husband left her, she has two Boys in places who pay her rent. she sews &etc. learnt she was not altogether temperate. Committee must decide on her Case when they see her. To have no relief on account of her drinking.

261. Maria Herbert: 110 Pine Street. Irish. Ch. Of Engl. A Widow 4 Children. Girls 11 and 5. Boys 8 and 3 years. Would work if she could get it, very badly off, but Visitor thinks deserving of relief. Recommended for Coal, and 8 [pounds] Bread.

262. Mary Anderson: 23 Duchess St. a Soldiers Widow. Scotch. Presbt. lives with her daughter, who has two small Children and whose husband left her some two Months ago. Visitor recommends Coal once more and her bread to be continued.

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263. Elisa Spears: was recommended 5 or 6 Weeks ago to receive temporary assistance from the House: She is however still worse off than she was then, and needs a continuences of the aid. Still receives the Bread, Visitor recommends that she receive the Coal once more.

264. Elizabeth Charlton: 210 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Says she is 28 years of age, and Married, also that she has 3 Children all girls, 9, 7, and 5 year of age, attend St. Patricks School and live mostly with her husbands friends. says her husband left her some time ago for the States. Visitor has no doubt he had good reason for leaving her, as she seemed the worse for liquor, and what he saw, and heard of herself and the Ladies living with her, believes them to be a bad lot.

265. Jane Henning: who lives in the same House as above. Visitor would recommend that she have no more relief from this House.

266. John Fowler: 79 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Single 36 years of age. a decent looking Man confined to bed with frozen feet. Visitor would recommend Bread for a time, and Coal once until his feet are something better, when it would be as well to take him into the House until he is able to work.

267. Mary McNamara: rear of 42 Louisa St. Irish. R.C. Married. 28 years of age. 3 Children, girls 9, 7, and 1 years old. The two eldest in the Country. Seems a steady industrious Char Woman, in bad health. Husband a worthless drunkard, left her a year ago. Coal & Bread.

268. Maria Edwards: 28 Richmond St. west. Visitor called twice but could not get in, the place being shut up.

269. Ellen Daley: 94 Richmond St. East Age 40. Husband a tailor aged 40. 5 Children, Catharine 15. Mary 9. Ellen 6. Jeff 3. Annie 2. Husband cannot find any work. Irish. R.C. had relief last Month. Visitor recommends a continuance of the same.

270. Mrs. Burgois: rere of 83 or 86 Stanley St. No person of that Name known in the Neighbourhood.

271. Jane Gilmour: in Case 133 left the House on her own account says she intends to live in Scarborough with some friends with whom a Brother of hers's is living also.

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272. John Gillipsie: in Case 750 in 1862 died this evening about 10 OClock. Aged 68. Complaint debility.

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Present Revd. Mr. Broughall, Mr. J. Thom and Mr. E. Hobson.

273. Jane McDonnell: 73 Richmond St. East. 50 years old. Husband in the States. has one Son 22 years, who is troubled with heart disease and cannot work. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Coal. Presbyterians. She has a sore on her back.

274. Mary Dixon: 108 Adelaide St. east. Visitor did not see her, and from report of Neighbours does not think she requires relief.

275. Catharine Wilson: in a yard rear of No. 3 Victoria St. 2nd door on the left. 45 years of age. Husband dead 13 years. 1 Son 13 years old. Protestant. Bad with Rheumatism and pain in her side. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

276. Elisa Hannah: 49 Stanley St. 35 years old. Widow 3 Months. 3 Children, Joshua Samuel 10. Charles & Thomas 8, Twins. Protestant. from Ireland. Coal once and 4 [pounds] Bread.

277. Mary Davidson: 20 Stanley St. Widow, 26 years old. 2 Children one 6 years, in Protestant Orphans Home, and one 9 Months with her, Church of England. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread, and Coal once.

278. Agnes Slavin: 91 Ann Street. Not in, person from the next House Minding baby. reports Wife 28 years and husband 28 years. 2 Children. William 2 years, John 2 Months old. Husband can't get work, 10 years in the City. Visitor thinks that husband might cut Wood for the House should his Services be required.

279. Timothy McCarthy: 76 McMahon St. Irish. R.C. 54 years of age. Labourer. Wife aged about 54. 2 Girls at home, one Girl about 25 was in the Asylum, a girl 22 in delicate health and unfit for work. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly. Coal & Soup.

280. Harriett Batty: South East Corner of Queen and Parliament Street. English. ChofEngl. 40 years of age. Widow. The Storekeepers Wife with whom she lives has a bad arm at present, says Mrs. Batty is very useful to them. Visitor thinks she ought to get along without coming to the House of Industry.

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281. Maria Tiffin: 63 Ontario St. East. Canadian. ChofEngl. Husband went to the States about 9 Months ago, sent her a little money 6 Months ago, has not heard from him since. 1 Child, about 10 Months old. sews for a living when she can get it to do. Recommended for Coal once, and 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

282. Elizabeth Downey: There is no such number as 21 in North Park St.

283. Margaret Sherlock: 53 Duchess St. Irish. R.C. Not at home when Visitor called, but the Neighbours say that she is about 40 years of age. works little, and begs her living, no incumberance, one Child in House of Industry. The Committee will please judge this Case.

284. Maria Edwards: 142 York Street. Widow. ChofEngl. Aged 27. says she has 3 Children boy 5, girl 7 and girl 10. Visitor did not see the Children, only moved into the place and is not settled yet. Says she had help last Winter. Seems respectable. Badly in want of assistance. To have Coal once, and Bread for a Month. Visitor will keep an Eye on this Case, to see how she turns out.

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285. Ann Conway: Hickmans Lane. She got Coal once this Winter, and Visitor supposes we will have to give it to this dirty worthless being once more, Not that she is worth of anything, but to save her from freezing.

286. Sarah Crawford: House South of 18 Elizabeth St. Colored. Methodist Ch. Married 33 years of age. 5 Children, girl 17, has been in Service, but on account of bad health is now at home, girl 13 lame, girl 5, boy 10, boy 7 years of age, all at home. Husband left 3 Weeks ago to look for work has not heard from him yet. Visitor thinks she is deserving, recommends Coal once and Soup.

287. Ellen Cobb: in same House with the above. Colored. Baptist Church. Spinster 21 years of age, came from the States 3 Month ago, she uses the same fire as above, that the Coal given to one will answer for both.

288. Elisa Adams: in Case 885 in 1864. had Coal once from the House. Her husband has been unsuccessful in his search for work, so that she is as badly off as ever, and is in want of fuel. and has no Money to purchase any. Visitor would therefore recommend that she receive Coal again.

289. Ann Corrigan: 464 Adelaide St. west. No such Number on the Street & no such Woman known about there.

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290. John Bainborough: 65 years of age, Native of Ireland England. Methodist was an Inmate last Winter but left in the Spring, considering himself strong and able to earn his living, he now seeks admission again having no work and no means of supporting himself. (See Case 283). Admitted.

291. Jane Brown: Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. was in Service near Hamilton, which place she left and came to Toronto in ill health- seeks admission into this Institution, was an Inmate in it two years ago. See Case 147 in 1863. To be admitted if Doctor considers her a fit Case. Doctor thinks she is consumptive, and perhaps something else, will see her again 3 Months after this, if she stays in the House. Aged 26 years.

292. Fanny Elizabeth Abrahams: 14 years of age. Canadian. Says she was born in Napanee, both parents dead, lived lately in Trenton, came to Toronto to look for a place. Looks like a Vagrant. Was sent to House of Industry for admission by the Mayor. Febr. 4th. Left again Febr. 6th.

Tuesday 7th of February 1865

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett, Mr. A. Hamilton & Mr. E. Hobson.

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293. Christina Antonia: 31 Duchess St. 42 years of age. German. 5 Children at home. Girl 15, girl 13, boy 7, Twins boy and girl 4 years each. She is very delicate and poorly with Complication of diseases, and in need of relief. Husband left her 9 weeks ago and has sent her only one dollar since. he is a performer on the Stage, has gone West. Visitor would recommend Coal once and 8 [pounds] Bread per Week for a time to see if husband will send her anything.

294. Elizabeth Downing: opposite 101 North Park St. Irish. R.C. 23 years of age 2 Children, boy 2 years, and girl 6 Months. Husband a labourer in bad health, unfit for work, they appear to be in want. Visitor recommends Coal once, and 6 [pounds] Bread.

295. Margaret Oliver: 53 Duchess Street, upstairs in the back part of the House.- Scotch. Ch. Of Engl. 2 Children, 1 girl 6 years old in Public-Nursery, 1 girl with her 9 Months old. She was working in the Public Nursery until she had to leave it on account of sore Eyes. Husband a Gasfitter left her 8 Months ago. Visitor recommends Coal, and 4 [pounds] Bread and Soup.

296. George Kerr: 96 Richmond St. East . 30 years of age, Wife 24, one Child 4 years old. all healthy, Church of England. Natives of Ireland. 2 years in America. Husband a painter, cannot find work, had to sell bedstead and other clothing for wood. Wife willing to work. Visitor recommends Coal & 6 [pounds] Bread. Committee will allow the Bread for to day, but consider he ought to get on without House.

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297. Elizabeth Kirkwood: Stanley St. North of Ireland. 3 Children, bare feet and bare legged. said her husband was out looking for work, they are evidently above begging were it possible to avoid it, and visitor is sure will not hang upon the Institution any longer than they are forced by sheer necessity. recommended for Coal once or twice and 8 [pounds] of Bread per week for the present.

Friday 10th February 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

298. Mary Conyer: in Case 142, left the House without leave on last Tuesday and has not returned since.

299. Elizabeth Kane: 334 King St. East. English. ChofEngl. aged 27 years. 2 Children, girl 6 years and boy 3 Months old. Husband an Engine fitter, went to the states and is now in the Federal Army. She appears to be in great poverty. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Coal.

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300. William H. Bonham: 219 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, aged 36. 2 Children, girl 6 years and girl 18 Months old. Tailor by trade, says he had very little work for some time past, Visitor thinks that might be the case but still it is wrong for young people in good health as Banharn and his Wife are, should be allowed to depend on assistance from the House of Industry when they have work they ought to save Money against hard times.

301. Bridget Murphy: 43 Louisa St. is not known there.

302. Matilda Brown 29 Emma St. is an empty house.

303. Catharine Sullivan: 261 Richmond St. west, her circumstances are no way better than when reported upon last time. has 6 Children, none of them fit to go out to Service or work, has a very bad husband. This is a very bad case, husband a very smart man in the prime of life, but of no use to his family. Visitor thinks they ought to be assisted on account of the Children

304. Charlotte Dyer: of Boulton Street, has moved to Reeses Wharf. A report has been raised about her and her daughters, which is not favourable to them but Visitor knows nothing about that, can therefore say neither for or against it, former report was in her favour, an account of the state of her health, and being deserted by her husband, now that her health is somewhat better the eldest daughter should go to service. Committee to decide on The Case. She has a second daughter aged 8 years who can attend on her Mother. See former report 706 in 1865.

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305. Jane Tremble: 5 Richmond St. west. aged 60. husband 76, one Son 20. ChofEngl. came here a few weeks since from the States, she says they intend to remain here now for life. Visitor thinks if we get such valuable additions to our population what a happy City this will be, however they appear respectable. Committee to judge for themselves.

306. Dorothy Ross: 28 Frederick St. Husband George a Labourer; did not see him, - Wife says he is "bad with the piles" - Scotch. aged 60. Presbyterian Wife English, aged say 50, From Liverpool 17 years ago - Lived first here, then at Kingston, then at Hamilton: - returned thence about 1 Month since. ChofEngl. 1 Child, Mary Ann aged 11. Visitor thinks they might have Coal once & 4 [pounds] Bread. First application.

307. Elisa Douglas: Colored. 16 years of age, says she came from Barrie in the fall of last year, was for some time at Port Hope, finally came to Toronto, was sent here by Revd. Dr. Willis for shelter, and with a view to see whether she was known at the House, or if anything could be done for her. Fbr. 10th

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Present Mr. E. Hobson and Mr. J. Tyner.

308. Julia Hammond: 51 Stanley St. 67 years old. 2 Grand Children, Agnes and Julia Campbell aged respectively 11 and 14, their parents are dead. No Means of support. Agnes lives with her, Julia in House of Providence. From Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Recommended for Coal & 4 [pounds] Bread. See Case 694 in 1864.

309. Daniel Lawson: 113 Elizabeth St. Colored. R.C. 46 years of age. 4 Children Girl 12, girl 7, girl 5, and boy 3 years of age, has been in Toronto 4 months from Hamilton. Wife an industrious Charwoman who supports the family - Lawson is a lazy fellow who will not work, but goes about imposing on the Public by selling quack Medicine. There ought to be a Law to compel him to work and support his family.

310. Thomas Clark: Wifes name Jennie, Clark is still unwell and unable to seek employment - Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends that another allowance of Coal be given him, and Bread for a Month, if a little Tea and Sugar could be allowed, would be of great Service.

311 Ellen Siddon: rear of 479 Richmond St. west, Not at home when Visitor called, but called next Morning, and says she only wants a little Coal Visitor has therefore given her a half price ticket.

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312 Samuel Lewis: Colored. 50 years of age. Married. Wife a White Woman - Lives 177 York St. 9 Children. This family is suffering from affliction and too proud to ask for assistance. Visitor recommends 600 [pounds] Coal once and 12 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Soup.

313. James Boost: in Case 95, died this day Fbr. 16th aged 78 years.

Friday 17th February 1865

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

314. Sarah Shields: rear of 44 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 41 years of age, husband in American Army, sends her no money, 3 Children, boy 11. boy 9. girl 8 years of age, all at home, Mrs. Shields is a steady hard working Charwoman, but unfortunate in having a bad husband - Recommended for Coal and Bread.

315. Emily Dunn: rear of 44 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. aged 27. 1 Child, a girl 6 years of age. An industrious steady Laundress - Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

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316. Jane Burke: rear of 46 Caroline St. Four years a widow. Canadian. Chof Engl. 30 years of age. one boy aged 4 years. Visitor thinks she ought to give up her Child to House of Industry and go herself to Service. Might have soup - Committee are of the same opinion as Visitor that she ought to go to service.

317. James Rennie: opposite Castle Frank. 40 years of age. Native of Toronto. is troubled with Asthma. A gardener, and is Sexton of St. James Cemetery Church Wife sick, Dr. Ogden attends them, 6 Children the eldest girl is hired out. 3 Boys, and 2 girls at home, very poor living on the Charity of neighbours they can get on for fuel, Visitor recommends Bread & a Ration of Tea & etc.

318. Mary Jane Canada: 47 Sumach St. there must be some mistake about the number, as Visitor cannot find any such person.

319. Elizabeth Lipsett: 118 Adelaide St. east No such Number.

320. Jane Campbell: 99 Richmond St. East. Widow. 49 years of age, 2 Children. ChofEngl. Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread.

321 Mary Hall: 118 Adelaide St. East. Colered. Widow. 2 daughters. Sarah 21. Hannah 18 who cant find Service, Methodist. Recommended for Coal. Committee consider they are able to earn their own living. No. 21 Maitland St.

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322. Matilda Sterrett: in Case 466 in 1864, now aged 9 years, went on trial previous of being apprenticed.

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Present, Hon. R. Spence, & Revd. S. Givins

323. Ann Spencer: Lane next No. 7 Crookshank St. 28 years old. Husband 36. 3 Children, Boy 7, Girl 2, and a boy 4 Months old. ChofEngl. Spencer is a labourer, cannot get Employment. Recommended for Coal & 6 [pounds] Bread.

324. Maria Frith: 156 Spadina Avenue, aged about 27. Husband a printer, went back to the old Country about 6 Months ago, and has sent her no assistance for some time back - She has two Children living with her aged 6 & 2 respectively - one Child aged 3 1/2 is with the father in Ireland. The Mother is daily expecting to be confined & is unable to work. Seems respectable, but very poor, - Pays no rent - Recommended for Coal & Bread if it could be sent to her -

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325. Margaret Keating: 27 Oxford St. Aged 27 - Husband a labourer aged 28 in Buffalo for 3 Weeks past looking for work - She has 5 Children aged 9 years, 7 years, 6 years, 3 years, and 6 Months respectively. Has no work and can get none, is able to do plain sewing & knitting - Seems tolerable respectable and not to have applied for assistance before she wanted it - Pays [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month for rent, wants Coal and Bread.

326. Bridget Henrick: lives with the above and is her Sister, aged 21 - Husband gone to Chicago 3 Months back, and she has heard nothing of him for 9 Weeks - Has a baby 4 Months old, not wean'd, has no work and is not strong enough to do very hard work, but can sew and knit - She pays nothing towards her Sisters rent. Wants bread.

327. Margaret McKnight: 420 King St. west. Visitor mislaid his list, and was unable to visit her.

Friday Fbr. 24th 1865.

Present. Hon. R. Spence and Revd. Mr. Givins.

328. Mary McKay: 438 King Street East. Irish. 45 years of age. ChofEngl. husband 32 years, Foundry Man of bad habits, and does nothing for her - although she is to be pitied Visitor does not see how she can be assisted on account of the husbands bad Character who Keeps bad Company but will come home and share with her when she has anything. Committee allow Coal once.

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329. Catharine Thompson: a Widow aged 44. Has, she thinks, 6 Children, but only two of them at home, one a daughter of 18 with scalded feet, the other a boy of 10, a wild idle young scamp. The Mother goes out scrubbing when she can get the work, but has had little to do for some time back - She seems very poor but idle and dissipated, & was decidedly impertinent when visitor called to see her.

330. Margaret McKnight: 420 King St. west. No such Number on King St. went to Queen and Adelaide Street as well, but failed to find her.

331. Elisa Lipsett: 118 Adelaide St. west. Entrance from Arch way, upstairs A married Woman aged 52. Husband about the same age. They are respectable persons who seen better days. He has been in the Shoe business, but has been broke down like many others, he is now trying to do a little work, but cannot do much being in poor health and somewhat paralyzed in the right hand and wrist. Visitor recommends them 600 [pounds] Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread weekly. Natives of Ireland. ChofEngl. To have 6 [pounds] Bread.

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332. Margaret McKenna: 77 Stanley St. 37 years of age, husband 39. 2 Children William 7 and John 5 years of age. Labourer, cannot find work. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends Coal and 8 [pounds] Bread.
333. Miller {blank}: South side of Isabella St. Recommended by Mrs. Marling, does not require any relief, would take wood if he could get any.
334. John Kelly: an Outdoor pensioner, almost blind, Irish. R.C. seeks admission into the House, says he has a place for his daughter who used to lead him a bout begging. The Committee desire Kelly to provide a place for his Child, and to bring a note from his Clergyman certifying that she is in proper hands, when he will be admitted. Aged 58.
335. John Fowler: in Case 266, made application for admission - To see Doctor and if a proper Case, to be admitted for one Month.
336. Elisa Sherkey: 24 years of age, English. ChofEngl. Says she is a Widow, has one Child a boy 6 Months old, lived in New London for two years has since been to Montreal, and is now on her way to Port Sarnia where she expects to get a place - Seeks Shelter for a few days to rest herself was recommended by the Mayor to have her Case attended to. Admitted
337. John Metcalf: Native of Yorkshire England. ChofEngl. 35 years in Toronto, 78 years of age. Came for shelter in Outbuilding, on account of bad health not able to leave again.

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338. Susan Dew: 49 years of age. English. ChofEngl. Says she came from Grand River 2 days ago, with a view of getting into the General Hospital, as she is dreadfully afflicted with Cancer, which has eat away one of her Breasts and part of her neck also - Was refused admittance in Hospital on the ground of being an incurable, having no means, and no friends in the City, she begged admission in House of Industry, would like to go back if any one would pay her fare as far as Hamilton. Paid her fare back.
339. Mary Doyle: Boyd: not Doyle, 74 Stanley St. Husband a Labourer, he can get no work, she is 32 years of age, Husband 34. 4 Children, all young, seems to be in a bad way - Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread and Coal. To have relief for one Month. Recommended. Jany. 23rd
340. John Thomas Huggard: aged 2 years, and Mary Jane Huggard 1 yr. Children of Ann Martin, were sent by the Police Magistrate for admission - The Mother who receives Out door relief from the House, is not willing to let them remain here, but took them out again, saying that she is able to support them herself with the assistance she receives from the House. February 27th See Case 668 in 1864.
341. Mary Ingham: 50 years of age. Native of England. Wesleyan Methodist Church, Widow, Lived in Hamilton with her husband, but since his death removed to the Humber where she was in Service, took

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sick, came to Toronto with intention of getting into Hospital, could not get admitted there - Has had shelter for the last two weeks in Outbuilding, begs to remain for some time longer as she is recovering her strength, and when quite well she will leave again.

342. William Dalton: in Case 714 in 1864, left on his own account. Fbr. 10th

Tuesday 28th February 1865.

Present Mr. Thos. Storm & Mr. J. Shea.

343. Mary Martin: in Case 340 seems to have altered her Mind about her two Children, came to day and made application to Committee for admission of her Children - Committee advised her to try and get them into the "Girls Home", but if she should not succeed there, to come back to House of Industry, were she and her Children may find shelter in building for Casual poor, until she can make some arrangement elsewhere.

344. John Metcalf: in Case 337, died this 28th day of February at 9 OClock P.M.

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March 2nd 1865.

345. Sent Notice to W.J. MacDonell Esqr, to find places in a fortnights time according to rules, for the following eight Children belonging to the Roman Catholic Church, who are now in the House of Industry able to be apprenticed out. Wm. Amor: aged 7. Medore Amor: aged 6. Joseph Amor: aged 5. Thomas Leonard: aged 6. Margaret Sherlock: aged {illegible}. Patsey Bonner: aged 5. Bridget Dowd aged 8. and Patrick Cavanagh aged 7 years respectively.

346. Elisa Ann Sterrett: and James McMahon: went on trial previous of being apprenticed, with John McCulloch of Wellesley.

Friday 3d March 1865.

Present Mr. Thomas Storm & Mr. John Thorn.

347. Richard Warrick: rear of 46 James Street East. 40 years of age. Wife 30. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 Children, Boy 7, girl 1 1/2 years, wife is fresh & healthy she says her husband (who was not at home when Visitor called) is not very strong and cannot get work. Revd. Mr. Carruthers used to call on them when they



lived in the west End - They live with Mark Cavanagh and family who is Brother to Mrs. Warrick. Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Soup.

348. James Loman: 41 Ann Street. require no relief -

349. Ann Corrigan: No. 31 Stanley Street. Husband in Gaol for abusing his Wife. Visitor did not see her, but enquired of the Inmates, who say she is in great want Irish. Roman Catholics. 4 Children. Mary Jane 8. James 6. Catharine 4. John 2. To have Coal, and 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

350. Patrick Cavanagh: in Case 345, ran away from the Institution. March 5th

351. Ellen Daley: 94 Richmond St. East. Recommended by Visitor to have Coal once more, and her ration of Bread continued.

Tuesday 7th March 1865.

Present Revd. Mr. Read & R. Gilmor Esqr.

352. Elisa Potts: No. 111 Nelson Street, back in the yard. Irish. Presbyt. 33 years of age, two weeks in the City, they had a farm rented from C. Small in the Township of York. - Husband gone away to seek Employment, 7 Children. Girls 12. 9 & 6. Boys 11. 8. 4 & 1 1/2 years "Mrs. Hunter" a Sister in Law with two Children stops with them, and Charlotte McLean a girl 16 years of age, wanting a place. Left to Committee to decide.

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March 7th 1865.

353. Julia Cook: over Swan and Galbraiths, Church Street. Husband a Shoe - maker, not in. Came from Dublin last May. 3 Children, Patrick aged 6, at School, William 4, and Hannah 12 Months. Roman Catholic Church. Irish. Husband is willing and able to work; has been employed at his trade quite recently, when he was discharged; owing to the dullness of the times, - The Case is well recommended to Visitor who thinks it one in which temporary relief may with propriety be granted - say Coal once, and 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

354. Ann Edwards: 24 Elizabeth St. Canadian. Church of England. Marrd. [married] husband gone to the States. 6 Children, 4 Boys aged 17 - 13. 10 and 2 years two girls, aged 15 and 12, the 3 youngest are at home, the others out. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread to the end of the Month.

355. George Mohr: 140 Elizabeth St. a German, and a tailor by trade, lost his Wife last Monday, and is left with 5 young Children, girl 10, boy 8, boy 4, boy 2, and baby (a girl) 5 Weeks old. By all appearance a

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very industrious Man, but like a good many more, hardly sufficient Employment to support his family, firing is all he asks for. To have 600 [pounds] Coal. Lutheran.

Friday 10th March 1865

Present Revd. Mr. Read and Mr. R. Gilmor

356. Rachel Atkinson: 77 Stanley St. no such person to be found in the Neighbourhood.

357. Henry May: aged 65. Native of England. ChofEngl - for the last 20 year in Toronto, sweeping Chimneys. He fell in November last from one of the Towers on General Hospital, had a severe shaking, was taken into Hospital but is now discharged from there, not able to work yet. No friends, and no means of living out. Seeks admission into this Institution until he gets strong to work again. Admitted.

358. Edward Troy: with a family named Yates, under Mr. Donohoes auction rooms, entrance opposite City Hall - This Man afflicted with a pulmonary disease, and discharged from the Hospital a short time since - returned there yesterday.

359. Thomas Corbeck: 35 years of age. Irish. R.C. A Cripple, was sent out by Government to this Country. Was an Inmate in Poor house, County of Clair. Had Shelter in Building for Casual Poor during the severe weather, begs to be allowed to remain until fine weather, when he will endeavour to get some Employment.

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Tuesday 14th March 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

360. Mary Pullen: 30 Boulton Street. Married. Aged 24. Husband 30. R.C. Wife Irish, husband a Russian, a Man big enough to be good, but Visitor fears will make a poor worthless husband and father. The Woman has lately giving birth to a Child. They should provide for themselves, but it seems they are poor. Committee had better allow a little assistance for a fortnight or so, and a ration of Tea Sugar Oatmeal Rice & etc. 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly and to have 300 [pounds] Coal.

361. Catharine Sullivan: 261 Richmond St. west. Husband and herself are in the prime of life, and have only one Child. In the same House with Mary Sullivan who receives relief. Visitor recommends nothing.

362. Mary Sullivan: 151 Peter Street. Her daughter is far gone in Consumption. and her husband is very old and bedridden for some time. Visitor does not know how the old Woman stands the fatigue of nursing them, and how they are nourished is a mistery to him. Recommended for Coal once more, and a ration of Meal, Tea, and Sugar & etc.

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363. Patrick Callaghan: South west Corner of Tecumseth and Adelaide St. Has living with him a boy (a Cousin) who is a Cripple, partly paralyzed. Callaghan a Blacksmith by trade is not able to work on account of a bad leg, and his Wife he says is delicate, therefore not able to Keep the Cripple any longer, wishes to have him admitted into House of Industry. Irish. R.C. The Boy is an Orphan, has two Uncles in Chicago, and two Brothers somewhere Callaghan to write to friends in Chicago.

364. Elizabeth Rodgers: 34 years of age, Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. 3 Children, girl 8. girl 4 and a boy a year and nine months old. Her husband who made a good living in Toronto has gone to the States. She applied to get her Children admitted, would go herself to service. Committee advised her to try St Andrews Society, and other Societys her husband belonged too, and to have 300 [pounds] Coal in the mean time. No. 50 George St.

365. Julia Malone: 214 Terauly [Terauley] St. 40 years of age. Deserted by her husband who is gone to the States. Industrious Woman. 4 Children, Girl 15. Boy 10. Boy 9 and boy 7 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic Church To have an allowance of Coal once.

366. Wm. Amor and Medore Amor in Case 345, absconded from the premises.

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Friday 17th March 1865

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

367. Timothy McCarthy: in Case 279. To have another allowance of Coal.

368. Joe Amor: in Case 345 was taken out of this Institution by his Sister

369. William Smallbones: in Case 1091 in 1864, left the Institution. March 20th

Tuesday 21st March 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson & M. J. Tyner.

370. Bridget Henning: 188 Queen St. west. Age 21 - Husband went over to the States 5 weeks ago to get the bounty money for enlisting, intending probably, she says, to desert afterwards. She has received no Money from him & has heard nothing of him since - Has two Children aged 16 Months, and 4 Months respectively and has no work to do - Has a Sister, aged 15, living with her who begs and picks up what she can - Very poor and dirty - owes 2 Months rent at [dollars] 2.25 a Month. wants Bread, washing Soap and Coal.

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371. Jane Brown: in Case 291. Dr. Ogden at the time of her admission believed her to be with Child, but would see her again, he now reports her to be far advanced, and advises her removal from the House, to Lying in Hospital. Weekly Committee recommend the Case to be brought before the General Board.

372. Thomas Leonard, Patsey Bonner, Bridget Dowd and Margt. Sherlock, four of the Children mentioned in Case 345, left the Institution for the House of Providence

373. Catharine McClean: in Case 1838 in 1862, left the Institution on her own accord, and took her Child Elizabeth with her. March 22nd.

374. Joseph Hall: who was apprenticed in 1861, to George Awde, was returned to the Institution by that Gentleman, on account of the Boys sore head, which seems to be a {scald} head. The Indentures were cancelled by order of the General Board, it was also ordered by them that Joseph Hall be sent to the General Hospital to be cured if possible.

375. John Kelly: in Case 334 was admitted into the House, his little Girl is now in the House of Providence.

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376. Joseph Bevan: in Case 765 in 1864 left the House on his own account.

377. Maria Fisher: in Case 767 in 1864. left the House this day (March 23rd) on her own account.

378. Edward O'Brien: a Boy aged 10 years, see his admission in Case 732 in 1864. ran away from the Institution this Morning.

Friday March 24th 1865.

No Committee.

379. Edward Maguire aged 11, and William Maguire aged 10 respectively, were sent for admission by the Mayor, they having been brought before him by parties who know them to be Orphans wandering about the Streets without a house. The boys state that their father died nine years ago, and the Mother 12 Months ago. Supported themselves by selling papers, and slept in Outbuildings. Canadian. ChofEngl.

380. William Phenix: 479 Richmond St. west. aged 55. Has a Wife aged 40 and 3 Children aged 11, 5 and 3 respectively - Came to Toronto about 3 Weeks ago, under a promise of obtaining Employment but has been disappointed as yet; Expects however to get work next Month - At present they are much in need

of assistance - They seem to be very respectable people, but very poor - want Coal and Bread for a week or two.

381. Sarah McBride: 26 years of age, Irish. R.C. one Child a Boy aged 4 yrs. She was recommended to be accommodated with Lodgings until next Week, when the St. Patricks Society will meet, and most likely make some arrangement to send her to Albany, where she expects to find her husband.

382. Ann Powell: 53 years of age, Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church says her husband is in England, and her 2 daughters in a Institution at Montreal, from which place she came 6 Months ago, intends going back there. Asks shelter in House of Industry for a few days.

383. Jane Brown: aged 39. Canadian, Presbyterian Church. was born in the Township of Toronto, and has been always living there, came to Toronto this day (March 25) with the intention of getting into the House of Industry, has one Child a Boy aged 2 ½ years, whom she calls Jessie John Rodstone. Has shelter in Building for Casual poor.

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384. Sarah Brown: 37 years of age, Irish. Presbt. says has been living in Coburg, where she left her husband and two youngest Children, on account of his ill treatment, to her Children by a former husband - brought four of them to Toronto, and came to House of Industry last Week for shelter, has found places for the two eldest a boy 10, and a girl aged 11. Would like to remain with the other two girls (Twins) aged 7 years until next Saturday when she will be taken as Servant in the Girls Home - Mrs. McCaul sent a Note recommending her stay - March 27th.

March 28th 1865 Tuesday.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

385. Richard Harvey: 31 years of age. Native of England. ChofEngl. Druggist & Chemist. Came to this Country last October, could get no Employment. Was an Inmate in House of Providence last Winter, Is now in bad health, - Mr. Brumell Chemist on King Street has wrote to his friends for Money to send him home. Harvey was sent to this Institution by Mr. Alderman Vance, having been brought before the Court for Vagrancy. To be admitted.

386. Ann Boylan: 45. Native of Ireland. Ch. of Engl. Has been a patient in General Hospital, was discharged from there last Friday not strong enough to take a place yet. Recommended by Mrs. Darling

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and Mrs. Jarvis to be taken into the House for a short time until she gets strong. They Know her to be respectable and deserving.

387. The two Brothers Maguire in Case 379 ran away this afternoon.

388. John Taylor: in Case 623 ^1864^ left the House on his own account, says he has a place to take care of a horse, but most likely will go begging about the Country again now the weather is getting mild.

389. John Lambert: Native of Ireland. Chof Engl. Cloth weaver, came from Peterborough, has been in Building for casual poor, has the promise of in a few days, begs to stay on until then.

390. Thomas Hayes: aged 26. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. has been in the States, but came to Toronto last fall without means, was admitted in Building for Casual poor, has the promise of work, in a week from this, would beg to be allowed to stay until then.

391. Elizabeth Crawford: No. 5 Richmond St. w. to have Coal once more.

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The Committee for revising List of Indoor Poor, and Out door Pensioners met this day (March 30th) at 3 OClock P.M.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

392. Isabella Philips: to have her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread during the Summer Months

393. Mary Rutherford: to have 4 [pounds] Bread during the Summer.

394. Frances McConkey: an old Pensioner, to have her allowance continued, 4 [pounds]

395. Ellen Sloane: to have a ration of 4 [pounds] Bread during the Summer.

396. John McIntire: to have his allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread Continued.

397. Mary Gray: to be continued on the List for 8 [pounds] Bread during the Summer

398. Susan Benns: to have her allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread Continued.

399. Matilda Briens: to remain on the List during the Summer for 8 [pounds] Bread.

400. Nancy Barker: (Colered) to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.

401. Mary Bouchier: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

402. Elizabeth Young: allowed her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread during the Summer.

403. Sarah Anderson: to have her ration of 12 [pounds] Bread Continued.

404. Ann Sawtell: her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread to be continued.

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- 405. Sophia Wilcox: to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 406. Edith Webb: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly to be continued.
- 407. Honora Gillon: allowed her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread during the Summer Months.
- 408. Jane Curran: to receive her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread during Summer.
- 409. Cathr. Lucas: to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread.
- 410. Mary Ann Bell: to remain on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread.
- 411. Jemima Clements: her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 412. Ann Spelling: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.
- 413. Margt. Eaton: to remain on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 414. Mary Askins: an old Case Continued on for her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread.
- 415. Elisa Lipsett: deserving, to have her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 416. Thomas Blaney: an old pensioner, 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.
- 417. Ellen Brown: Continued on the List for her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 418. Mary Collins: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread allowed during Summer.
- 419. Murtagh Kearney: allowed to remain on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 420. Caroline Ryan: A Life pensioner She is aged 103 years.
- 421. Elizabeth Cobb: Continued on for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.
- 422. Sarah Gilmor: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.
- 423. Sarah Hardiman: Allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread continued during Summer.
- 424. Mary Scott: to remain on the List for her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread.
- 425. Margt. Kelly: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread to be continued.
- 426. Mary Gillon: to have an allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 427. Ann Cogan: to have 4 [pounds] Bread Continued for one Month longer.
- 428. Grace Langly: her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread to be continued.
- 429. Mary Toomey: her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread restored during Summer.

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430. Ann Lloyd: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread restored to her during Summer.
431. Sarah Coldread: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread continued during April.
432. Ann Foley: to be restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread during Summer.
433. Ann Pettit: her allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread to be continued, during April.
434. Mary Sullivan: restored to her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
435. Mary Irwin: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread to be continued, during April.
436. Elizabeth Crawford: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued, and to have Coal once more.
437. Samuel Lewis: his allowance of 12 [pounds] Bread Continued during April.
438. James McKenzie: an Inmate, See Case 1094 in 1864. The Committee advised him to try and find a place for himself his Wife and Child, before the 1st of May next, will be allowed until then, but must leave the premises on that date.
439. Mary Brammell: in Case 624 in 1864. Committee advise that she make herself useful in future, or she will be dismissed from the Institution.
440. Lucy Dillon: in Case 897 in 1864. The Committee order that she find a place for herself and Child, allowed to remain a fortnight longer to look for a place.

Friday 31st March 1865.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

441. Mary Hurley: Clover Hill, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
442. Margaret Gartland: to see the Doctor, and if not able to work to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly restored to her.
443. William Lawrey: in Case 76, left on his own account, without asking permission

Tuesday 4th April 1865

Present Revd. Mr. Williams, Rice Lewis Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

444. Ellen O'Brien: rere 53 Duchess St. begs to have her ration of Bread continued - refused on account of having 3 Children at home, above the age prescribed by the Institution.
445. Mary Ann Caulfield: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread restored to her, on account of the husband being blind, and the Children young.

446. Margt. Fitzpatrick: recommended to have her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread Continued.

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447. Jane Tremble: applied to be continued on the Bread list during the Summer Months. Refused.  
Young Woman, only two Children aged 10-8 all well and hearty.

448. Fanny Jordon: made application for a continuance of her ration of Bread was refused, able to work yet, and no incumbrance.

449. Mary Percival: asked for her ration to continue. Refused.

450. Mary McKeever: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly continued.

451. Mary Farrell: the continuation of her Bread refused.

452. Mary McKew: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

453. Mary Wyms: her application for Bread during Summer Months refused.

454. Hannah Coleman: made application for the admission of a Nephew aged 10 years, who had run away from House of Providence, was advised to take him back there. Mr. Lewis wrote a Note to the Lady Superior.

455. Elisa O'Regan: to have her ration continued. 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

456. Elisa Gradwell: to have a ration of 6 [pounds] Bread during Summer.

457. Elisa Long: to have 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, during Summer Months.

458. Elisa Wilson: Committee refused relief during the Summer.

459. Elisa Whent: was also refused relief during the Summer Months.

460. Margaret Hall: to bring certificate from Doctor that she is not able to work - To have 6 [pounds] Bread weekly.

461. Elizabeth Shanahan: refused, must do without relief from the House during the Summer Months.

462. Ellen Connell: to have a ration of 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, on account of her crippled Son.

463. Mary Tremble: was refused relief during Summer.

464. Ellen Hookaway: to have a ration of 6 [pounds] Bread Continued.

465. Ellen Casey: Bread refused during Summer.

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466. Alice Murray: was refused relief during Summer.

467. Margaret Galvin: Recommended by Mr. Tyner to be continued on the List during the Summer Months.

468. Job Green: in Case 25, left the Institution with the intention of going into the Country to look for work.

469. Frances McConkey: an old out door Pensioner, aged 86 years, has no friends or relations, and is getting too feeble to take care of herself, She is therefore admitted in the Institution. Irish. ChofEngl.

470. Joseph Parrett: to have his ration of 6 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.

471. Ann Ryan: in Case 770 in 1864 left the House on her own accord.

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472. Jane Brown: in Case 371, was conveyed to Lying in Hospital, had to procure a Cab for her removal.

473. Patrick Cavanagh: in Case 350 was sent here by the Police. Left again.

Friday 7th April 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

474. Elizabeth Balsam: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread restored to her.

475. Mary Finlan: her weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread, to be continued.

476. Elizabeth Gibson: to have 8 [pounds] Bread weekly for a Month longer.

477. Sarah Bloomer: to have a weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread until 7th May

478. Charlotte Heath: 70 years of age, English, Member of English Church. She used to be an out door pensioner some years ago, lived lately with her Son in the Country, who has now brought her to Town again, will not Keep her any longer. Has no means of supporting herself, is desirous of being admitted into House of Industry. Admitted.

479. Mary Dagelor: was refused relief, has a boy 12 years of age at home.

480. Joanna Burns: wants Bread during the summer Months from the House. refused

481. Mary Black: applied for a continuation of Bread. refused.

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482. Elizabeth Rodgers: in Case 364 Made application for the admission of two of her Children, Mary aged 8, and Elizabeth aged 4 years, intends placing her youngest Child aged 1 3/4 yr. in Public Nursery, and go to Service herself. Willing to sign them over to the House according to rules. Admitted.
483. Elise Gunson: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.
484. Mary O'Brien: 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly during Summer.
485. Bridget Driscoll: was refused relief during the Summer Months, her Children are grown up, and ought to be out in place.
486. Mary Ann Bayley: had relief last Winter, is now near her confinement - wants to place two of her Children in House of Industry while she goes to Lying in Hospital Committee will allow Bread to her Children.
487. Margaret Corcoran: to have 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer, to May 7th
488. Mary Ann Joslin: to have her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread continued.
489. John Shaw: to have a ration of 6 [pounds] Bread weekly during Summer.
490. Mary Morrow: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
491. Margt. Douglass: to see the Doctor at 3 O'Clock, and if proved that she is in bad health, she will then receive her ration during Summer.

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492. Elizabeth Burns: wants to have her ration of Bread continued. refused.
493. Elizabeth Hammill: to have 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer. to 7th May.
494. William Miller: 71 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Married, Children grown up, nearly all doing for themselves. Has been in the Army, and receives a Pension of [pounds] 12 a year. Revd. Mr. Givins who Knows him and his family made application for his admission. admitted.
495. John Campbell: Native of Scotland. Presbt. Church. Out of Employment No means to support himself, has been in building for casual Poor, would like to be allowed to remain until next Monday, when he expects to get some employment.
496. Timothy Conner: Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic Church - aged 50. says, has been in Toronto 10 years. No friends to help him. Came here for Lodgings, seems to be very sick, had been lying out in Sheds and Outbuildings for the last week. April 8th.

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497. Jane Brown: in Case 383 left the Institution, with the intention of going back to her friends in the Country, she took her boy with her.

498. Timothy Harrington: in Case 672 in 1864. left the House, with the intention of setting himself down in a little house of his own, as he calls it.

Tuesday 11th April 1865.

Present, B. Homer Dixon Esqr. J. Thom Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

499. Mary Clendenning: to be restored to her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread per Week, Husband being in Consumption, and two of her Children sick.

500. Charlotte Parker: (Colered) to have 4 [pounds] Bread during the Summer Months.

501. Mary Harris: applied for a continuation of Bread. refused.

502. Cathr. Carey: wants Bread during the Summer, was refused.

503. Julia Hammond: her weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.

504. Bridget Driscoll: recommended to have 4 [pounds] Bread for two weeks longer, but not more unless referred to Mr. Allan again.

505. John O'Neill: Derby Lane, reported upon Decbr 24th last. This Man is nearly blind; his wife seems likely to degenerate into a professional beggar - For the sake of the Children the Bread allowance might be continued (Visitor recommends) a while longer, say 2 months.

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506. Grace Slavin: 89 Ann St. 50 years. Husband 3 Weeks dead. 3 daughters. Ann 18. Mary 9. Bridget 7. Pays [dollars] 1,50 per Month rent. 15 years in Canada Irish R.C. had relief last Winter. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread - refused.

507. Jane Malone: 22 Stanley St. 57 years. 2 grand Children, Ann Jane 6 yr. William 16 Months. Very bad with Rheumatism. Irish R.C. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

508. Julia Hammond: 51 Stanley St. 67 years. One Grand Child 11 years. - very sick with pains in her limbs. Irish. R.C. 12 years in Canada.

509. Mary Quigly: 101 North Park St. to have her Bread for 2 Weeks longer

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510. Bridget Hays: back of Cartys Soap factory, Hon Mr. Allan recommends her also to receive Bread for two weeks longer, and he would like to have these Cases referred to him again.

511. Michael Barnes: aged 9 years, and George Barnes aged 7 years, were sent to this Institution by Mr. Alderman Vance, they having been arrested for Vagrancy on the Public Streets of the City. They Boys state that they ran away from the House of Providence last Saturday, say their father is in the Federal Army, Know nothing of the whereabouts of their Mother R.C. Church.

512. John Thomas Huggard: aged 2 years, a Child of Ann Martin, See Case 340. was sent to this Institution by Mr. Alderman Vance, having been arrested as a vagrant.

513. Mary Dagoler: 479. Revd. Mr. Broughall visited and reports no change in her circumstances since the winter - Her two Boys are still with her, and she is still in very delicate health.

514. John Armstrong: 46 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. say's the Mayor sent him here for Shelter until Saturday, when he expects to get work with a farmer.

515. Bridget Eagan: 40 years of age. Irish. R.C. 1 Child a Boy aged 2 years. Has lately been in General Hospital. Seeks Shelter for a few days for herself and Child, until she can find a place to suit her.

516. Peter A. Wellette [Ouellette]: French Canadian, Methodist Church. Aged 66. was recommended by Mr. Tyner for Shelter until Monday.

517. John Campbell: in Case 495 left the place.

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Friday 14th April 1865

Present Messrs. J. Thom. E. Hobson. B. Homer Dixon and J. Tyner.

518. Harriett Hawkins: who had out door relief last Winter, applied for a continuation of her Bread. was refused, Committee consider her able to work for a living during Summer.

519. Mary Hudson: an old Pensioner, to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued during the Summer Months.

520. John O'Neill: in Case 505, to have 4 [pounds] Bread during Summer Months, he also receives 6 [pounds] Bread from House of Providence

521. James Quinn: 40 years of age, R.C. Native of Ireland, from which Country he has just arrived - says some relatives who live at Niagara sent for him and paid his passage to Toronto, and by writing to them on his arrival here they would come and meet him, he has wrote to his friends, but begs to be allowed to remain here until they come for him, has no Money.

522. Ann Doyle: recommended by Visitor that she receive her Bread for a fortnight longer, on account of her Children being ill.

523. Honora Warren: (in Case 675 in 1864.) an Inmate asked leave to be allowed to go to Church on Good Friday, was allowed to do so. Has not returned up to date April 17th.

524. William Miller: in Case 494. left the House on his own accord, says that he expected to get cured of his disease, but as that cannot be one, he might as well be at home.

Tuesday 18th April 1865.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

525. Samuel Craig: 60 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. In Toronto for the last 8 years. Lost his sight through inflammation in the head. Has been in General Hospital, but it appears nothing can be done for him there. Has no friends, and no means to support himself, seeks admission into House of Industry. Mr. Beatty of the Leader Office has been Keeping him all the Winter. Admitted.

526. Agnes Higgins: 42 Elizabeth St. Husband ill at home. Mr. Tyner recommends the Case to Committee. To have Bread for the present, and be visited.

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April 18th 1865.

527. Catharine Allan: Irish. R.C. 37 years of age. Had Out door relief for some years from the Institution, made now application for admission of her eldest Child, a boy aged 9 years, has another aged 2 yr. in Public Nursery, and a girl aged 6 yr. with her, says she intends going in the Country or perhaps to the States. Committee consider she ought to exert herself and get place for the Boy or else provide for him; She is a strong healthy Woman.

528. Bridget Newman: aged 9 years, and Mary Ann Gorman aged 6 years, were found wandering about the Streets, picked up by the Police and brought here for shelter. The parents of these Children had relief. R.C.

529. Mary Johnson: 23 years of age, Canadian. ChofEngl. says her husband died in the States. She came from Trent with two Children has placed one in the "Boys Home", applied here for a few days shelter for herself and youngest Child, a Boy twelve Months old.

530. John Kinch in Case 992 in 1864, had leave last Monday to go out, to see his daughter. Has not returned up to date. April 20th.

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531. Rebecca King: to have 6 [pounds] Bread weekly, and a full ration of Sugar, Tea, Rice and Oatmeal. On account of her Son being ill.

532. Clara Stain: to have 8 [pounds] Bread during the Summer Months, as her husband is disabled to work for a living.

533. Sarah Clements: her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly to be continued.

534. Edward E. Knight: in Case 203. left the Institution, having got Employment at a Toll gate and Kingston Road. April 20th

Friday 21st April 1865.

Present Mr. J. Doel.

535. Timothy Harrington: in Case 498. to have 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

536. Elizabeth Donohoe: to ha a ration of 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly continued during the Summer Months, on account of her large helpless familie.

537. Elizabeth Johnson: Colered, her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.

538. Bridget Newman: and Mary Ann Gorman in Case 528, ran away from the Institution.

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April 21st 1865.

539. Catharine Humphrys: 40 years of age. Widow. Methodist Church Native of Ireland. 6 Children, all away from her and provided for. She has been in General Hospital with a bad Knee. Application was made for her admittance into House of Industry. The Case was referred to the Doctor, who was to report whether Mrs. H was a proper ^Case^ for the House, if able to attend on herself - Doctor examined Mrs. Humphrys, and found her in very delicate health but able to wait upon herself, and attend for her own wants, had known her before her husbands death, and believes her to be an honest and when she was able an industrious woman. Admitted.

Tuesday April 25th 1865.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson. Anson Green

540. Thomas Woods: 45 years of age, Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church has been 6 years in Canada, had no settled home, was at work on the Rail road near Collingwood, got hurted in his hip joint, came to Toronto Hospital, was there for some time, it appears the Doctors tried to set his hip, but found they could do nothing for him, he is now a cripple on crutches, has been a Soldier for 17 years and receives a pension of 6 d per day, which he is willing to give to the House if he could be admitted. admitted.

541. Alexander Beatty: in Case 650 in 1864. left the Institution on his own account.

Friday April 28th 1865.

Present Revd. Dr Green.

No Applicants

Tuesday May 2nd 1865

Present Revd. Mr. Broughall & Mr. J. Tyner.

542. Margaret Oliver: is to have a ration of 4 [pounds] Bread for one Month.

543. A Female Child aged about 18 Months, was brought here by the Police from Yonge Street Station, supposed to be deserted by its Mother. Alderman Vance sent an order for its admission

544. Mary and Margaret Murphy: aged respectively 8 & 5 years, were sent here by Alderman Vance, having been arrested as Vagrants their parents being both in Gaol for Drunkenness. R.C.

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Friday 5th May 1865.

Present J. Bugg Esqr.

545. Aron Barnett: 56 years of age, Native of Ireland. Methodist Church. came from Perth yesterday, lived there for the last 5 years, has lately met with an accident which partially disabled his foot for a time, not being able to work his Employer sent him to Toronto to be taken care of. Brought a Note from Mr. Rice Lewis recommending shelter for the present.

Tuesday 9th May 1865.

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Present. Revd. H. J. Grasett.

546. William Mitchell: in Case 518 in 1865. was taken out by his Mother who brought a Note from the Mayor advising to give up the Child to its Mother, she states that she is living with her husband, and has a home to take her Children too.

Friday 12th May 1865.

No Committee

547. Catharine Toal: 35 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. 5 Children. Girl 13. Boy 9. Girl 5. Girl 3. and Boy 4 Months old. Husband gone in the Country looking for work. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett for temporary relief -

548. Dennis Barton: aged 30. Wife aged 30, and two Children, girl 9 yr. and Boy 18 Months old. Irish. R.C. Came from Brantford, and desire Lodging until Monday, when husband will try and get into General Hospital. They are a bad Familie. See Case 637 in 1862.

549. Mary Johnson: (in Case 529.) and Child left the Institution.

Tuesday 16th May 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

550. Eliza Littledale: Lee's yard Palace Street, first House. Widow. Husband was a Ostler at Cox's tavern - Irish R.C. 3 Children; William 5. Emma 3 1/2. Joseph 13 Months. Has no furniture, it having been sold by a former Landlord - pays no rent for present quarters. Visitor recommends Bread until the Children are disposed of - She hopes soon to place them with friends, and will then go out to service. To have 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

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May 16th 1865.

551. Ann Boylan: in Case 386, was ordered to leave the House to morrow morning, on account of insubordination -

552. Catharine Humphrys: in Case 539, made an attempt to cut her Throat last Thursday, her mind seems to be in a very bad state; application has been made to Dr Workman for ^her^ admission in Lunatic Asylum.

553. Phoebe Carlin: No. 5 Richmond Street west. Native of Ireland Methodist Church. Aged 69 years. Husband in the States, gets no assistance from him. Lives with her Sister Elizabeth Crawford They are both poor and helpless. Mrs. Carlin has been sick for some Weeks and perhaps will not get better. Visitor recommends a full ration of Sugar, Tea, Rice and Oatmeal.

554. Mary Henry: 132 Richmond St. west. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread Weekly until further notice.

555. Ann Foley: same House as above. Visitor recommends her a ration of Sugar Tea & etc.

Friday May 19th 1865.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

556. Catharine Pierson: 25 years of age. Irish. R.C. Says she came from Port Hope to look for a place in Toronto, has no means seeks shelter until Monday.

Tuesday May 23th 1865.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

557. William Graham: 74 years of age. Native of Ireland Presbt. Church 3 years in Canada, worked in Oshawa where he met with an accident falling through a scaffold with a hod full of Bricks on his shoulder Has been in Kingston Hospital for some Months, was sent to Toronto by the Authorities. Badly ruptured, and crippled for life. Seeks admission in House of Industry. Allowed to remain in Outbuilding for a {illegible}.

558. Lewis Chapell: 10 years of age. Canadian. R.C. Says both his parents are dead. Was born near Newmarket. Has been leading a Blind Man about in Collingwood. Sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant about the Public Streets of Toronto.

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Friday 26th May 1865.

Present E. Hobson Esqr

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559. John Parnell: 227 Sayer St. Colored. ChofEngl. Married. aged 40. 3 Children, girl 17 in Service, no wages. A Girl 7, and a Boy 9 at home The Wife appears a clean industrious Woman. (a laundress) Parnell has been in bad health for the last 6 Months, and is now confined to his bed. To have a single ration of Tea Sugar & etc.

560. John Robertson: 64 years of age. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. 20 years in Toronto. Has been living for the last five years with Garvin the Baker who used to live on Yonge Street but has now left the City. Robertson was brought up to clerking. Now unable to work, and quite destitute, seeks admission into House of Industry. To be admitted, and to make himself general useful.

561. William Moran: Rear of 46 Caroline St. Visitor called to see Moran but both he and his Wife were out. The woman who lodges in the same House told Mr. Allan, that they had no Children living with them - That Moran was in bad health and did little or no work, and that his Wife went out to wash and scrub whenever she could get it to do and that she was then out doing some job of that kind. Committee consider as there are no Children to support they should try to get on without relief from the House. To have a loaf for to day.

562. Charlotte Heath in Case 478. left the House on her own account, to live again with her friends in the Country.

563. Matthew Rogers: 73 years of age. Native of Ireland, says he is a Protestant of no particular Church. Shoemaker by trade. From Montreal last, travelling about the Country looking for work. Seeks shelter for a few days, his feet being sore he is not able to travel, was an Inmate of this Institution in 1864. See Case 350 in 1864.

564. Paul Barnes: aged 60 years, Irish. Roman Catholic Church. say's, is a Tailor by trade. Travelled up here from the Lower - Province looking for work. Seeks shelter for a Week to rest himself.

565. Catharine Humphrys: in Case 552 was sent this 29th day of May to Provincial Lunatic Asylum. - died -

566. Amelia Delaney: in Case 764 in 1864. left the House on her own accord. May 30:

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Tuesday 30th May 1865.

Present Messrs. John Shea and Thos. Storm.

567. Elisa Littledale: 28 years of age. A Widow. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Has 3 Children. Mr. J.W. MacDonell recommends that the two eldest be taken into House of Industry for a time, until

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arrangement can be made for their admittance into House of Providence. William aged 5 years, and Emma 3 1/2 years. The third her youngest she will place in Public Nursery, and go herself to Service.

Friday 2nd June 1865.

Present Mr. Thos. Storm.

568. Julia Brown: 57 Queen St. very poor, and in a delicate state of health, seemingly has seen better days. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and a ration of Tea, Sugar, Rice and Oatmeal.

569. John Mitchell: 198 Centre St. Colored. Aged 16 years. The Boy is in a bad state of health, (Consumption) has no relations living in Toronto now, his father went to England to collect Money for the Missionary fund, never returned, has a Brother in the States. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and a full ration of Tea, Sugar & etc.

Tuesday 6th June 1865.

Present, R. Gilmor Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday 9th June 1865

No Committee.

570. Mary Ann Murphy: aged about 4 years, was sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] The Mother having been sent for trial to the Records Court on a Charge of Larceny. Irish. R.C.

571. Margaret Conahan: 65 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. Has been in the General Hospital with a broken arm. Seeks a few days shelter, when she will return to Hoggs Hollow, her place of residence.

572. Emma Fisher: in Case 735 in 1864. was returned to the House, not being strong enough to do the work

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Tuesday 13th June 1865.

Present J. Thom Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

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573. Sophia Shaw: made application for the admission of John Shaw, her husband, who formerly was an Inmate. See Case 1065 in 1864. - Committee will assist them all they can outside with Tea, Sugar Oatmeal & Bread, but cannot recommend his admission on account of his disease, being of that discription to endanger other Inmates.

574. Patrick Cavanagh: in Case 473, was brought by the Police for a nights shelter.

575. Mary Camp: aged and Bridget Camp aged years respectively, were sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr., P.M. [Police Magistrate] The Mother Ann Camp, having been sent to Gaol for drunk and disorderly conduct, Roman Catholic Church.

Friday 16th June 1865.

Present Revd. E. Baldwin

576. Catharine Kelly: aged 65 years. Irish. R.C. She is wife to Thomas Kelly an Inmate. (See Case 26) Wishes to become an Inmate herself, brought a recommend from Revd. Dr. Jennings, Committee refer the Case to General Board. 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

577. Bridget Mularky: 115 Nelson St. Spinster. R.C. Irish. 40 years of age. In a bad state of health. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread for four Months.

578. Joseph Shanly: 70 years of age, Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. right hand crippled. Lived at Owen Sound where he lost his Wife two years since, Not being able to work for his living, the people of Owen Sound told Shanly to find his way to Toronto where he would be taken into the Poor House, consequently begged his way down here.

579. Patrick Monahan: in Case 329 in 1864. left the Institution in May last.

580. Ellen Burns: 38. Irish. Chof Engl. From Cobourg, came to Toronto to see a Child of hers who is in the "Boys Home" - Two Children with her, John 5 years, and Lucy aged 7 years,

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580. seeks shelter for a day or two to rest herself, when she will travel on to St Cathrines [Catharines], where she has friends.



581. Elisa Hodgins: 40 years of age, Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. a Boy 9 years of age with her, from Port Hope, intends travelling to St. Catharines. Seeks shelter for a time to get rested.

582. James Wilson: 15 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyt Church travelled from Bowmanville to this City, intends like the above to go to St. Catharines, begs to be allowed shelter for a time.

583. Susan Crombie: 25 years of age. Canadian. ChofEngl. Husband left her two Months ago. 3 Children with her, Mary A. 5. Thomas 2, years old, and Robert 6 Months. She came from Weston with the intention of placing the Children in some Charitable Institution but finds she cannot do so. Seeks shelter for a day or two. went back to Weston.

584. James Rosewell: 50. English. ChofEngl. Gardner. Came to Canada last April, worked in Montreal for a time, came lately up to Toronto, and worked for Mr. Leslie on the Kingston road for nine days, when he was taken ill with the ague. Has no means to support himself, seeks admission into the House of Industry.

Tuesday 20th June 1865.

Present Revd. Mr. Ellerby and E. Hobson.

585. Mary Madigan: 60 years of age. Ireland. R.C. Widow. in a weak state of heath, had relief from the House several years during Winter Months, wants relief during Summer Months. To have 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

586. James Rosewall: in Case 584. To be admitted for a time.

587. James McPherson: 18 years of age, came last night from St. Marys originally from the States, say's takes fits, seeks admission into House of Industry. Advised to go back to St. Marys.

589. Mary Ann Fisher: in Case 462 in 1865. gone on trial with Joseph Henderson of Trafalgar Township, for a Month or two, previous of being apprenticed. June 19:

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Friday 23rd June 1865.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

590. Norah Warren: in Case 523, made application to be again admitted into the Institution. was refused on account of her drunken propensities.

557. [591] William Graham: in Case 557. left the House on his own account

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592. John Graves: Commercial Steam Mills, Palace Street. Native of London; Wife Scotch; - both sick, former has ague, latter rheumatism and is almost helpless. - 1 Son on a steam boat at Kingston; a daughter aged 16 living with them. Ch. of England. joiner by trade. Ague caused most likely by ponds of stagnant water near the building. They do not appear in very great want; - present difficulty arises solely from inability to work. Visitor recommends a few extras on account of sickness and 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, say for two Months.

593. George Lee: Colored. about 8 years of age, says his parents died in Montreal, a older Brother brought him ^to^ Toronto and left for the States himself. Was sent to the Institution by the Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets.

594. Betsey Barton: about 7 years of age and Mary Barton aged about 3 years, were sent by the Police Magistrate, their Mother having been arrested as a Vagrant. R.C.

595. Aron Barnett: in Case 545 died this 25th day of June.

Tuesday 27th June 1865

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

596. John Bennett: 45 years of age. Native of Ireland. From Hamilton, looking for work, is desirous of obtaining a few days shelter.

597. John Fowler: in Case 335, left the House, is now well, intends going to Service.

598. James Rosewall: in Case 584 left the House. -

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Friday 30th June 1865.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

599. Thomas Boland: aged 8 years, was sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] The Father having been sent to Gaol for two Months for being drunk on the Public Streets.

600. William H. Farrier: aged 14 years, and Richard aged 11 years, (Brothers) made application for admission, say they are Canadian born in the Township of Aramosa [Eramosa], Orphans, Mother dead 9 years, Father died last fall. Methodist Church. Baptist Minister advised them to get to Toronto were they would be taken into the Poor House - The eldest of the Boys is crippled through a broken leg which is two inches shorter than the sound one.

601. John Bainborough: in Case 500 in 1864. left the House on the 24th June last.

602. Richard Farrier in Case 600, turns out to be William Kelly who was apprenticed Sept 3rd 1862, to George McManns of Mono. Sent William H. Farrier about his business July 1st.

603. Ann Philips: in Case 601 in 1864. died July 2nd at half past 4 OClock P.M. aged 86 years.

604. Robert Humphry: aged 9 1/2 years. Canadian ChofEngl. Says he is the youngest Child of Catharine Humphry in Case 565 who died in the Asylum, is consequently an Orphan, lived with a Tinsmith on Church {St.} who turned him adrift. Was sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets.

Tuesday 4th July 1865.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E Hobson.

605. Cathr. Barton: in Case 548, applied last Evening for Shelter in Building for Casual Poor, for self and 3 Children, through the carelessness of the Man at the Gate, she got out this Morning and forgot to take her Children with her. Committee advise that information of the Case be lodged at the Police Station. Catharine Barton called later in the day and took her Children out.

606. Richard Storey: in Case 597 in 1864, left the House on his own accou{nt}

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July 5/65.

607. William Kelly: in Case 602, George Lee in Case 593, Lewis Chapell in Case 558, Michael Barnes, and George Barnes (Brothers) in Case 511, all absconded by getting over the Fence, reported at the Police Station

608. Mary Dwyer: 18 years of age. Irish. R.C. Not Married. Near her confinement, came from Township of Adjala, where her father is a Farmer. Gets a Bed at "Lying in Hospital" but nothing else, begs to be allowed her meals at House of Industry, until her confinement takes place.

Friday 7th July 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

609. Mary Dwyer: in Case 608, allowed to have her meals at this Institution, but not to sleep on the premises.

610. John Aldridge: an Inmate, aged 75 years, died at 8 OClock P.M. disease of the heart. See his Case of admission. No. 485 in 1863.

611. Thomas Armstrong: aged 60. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Says has been working about the Country, where ever he could find Employment. No settled Home. came for shelter until Monday. No means to pay for his lodgings. Name is Thompson not Armstrong.

Tuesday 11th July 1865.

Present J. Thom Esqr.

612. Jane Heneray: No. 18 Oxford St. Widow. Irish. Ch. of England. 4 Children, Girl 10. Girl 7. Boy 4, and Boy 1 year old. Lived in York - Township where her husband died. Not long in Toronto. Seeks assistance from the House. Committee advised that she go back where she came from, as she has no claim on this City. Mr. Thom gave temporary relief.

613. Elizabeth Rogers: (See Case 405 in 1863.) was taken out by her father, who is now living in the States, and apparently doing very well, the wife is living with him. July 13th.

Friday 14th July 1865.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

614. Jane McMullen: aged 22. says her husband is gone to the States. One Child a Boy 2 years old. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Wants the Institution to relieve

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July 14th 1865.

614. her of this Child, as she is not able to support it, - As she is in excellent health, and no other incumbrance, Committee consider she ought to be able to provide for herself and Child.

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Present. J. Doel Esqr.

615. Wilhelmina Barton: aged 46. Scotch. Presbyt. Church. Husband aged 51 has gone into the Country to look for work. 2 Children. Girl 5 & Girl 1 1/2 years old Seeks for temporary relief in the shape of Bread for her Children. 6 [pounds] Bread.

616. Elisa Barton: aged 9 years, and Mary Ann Barton aged 4 years, Roman Catholic Church. They were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother Catharine Barton having been sent to Gaol for disorderly conduct. See Case 605.

Friday 21st July 1865.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

617. Elizabeth Davis: Widow. 37 years of age. Native of London, England. ChofEngl. Lived 7 years in Toronto. No Children living. Broke the cap of her Knee about a year ago, which incapacitates her earning a living. Seeks admission into the House. Willing to make herself general useful as far as able. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett. admitted.

618. Susan Manning: 78 years of age. Native of England (London) has been a Widow 48 years. Ch. of England. was an Inmate in this Institution in 1859. was then taken out by her daughter in Law, whose husband has now left for the States, and sent for his Wife and Children to follow. The old woman will be without a Home unless admitted again in House of Industry. Admitted.

619. Edward E. Knight in Case 534, is out of Employment just now, the work he was engaged at, (attending a Turnpike) seems to have been to ^much^ night work. Has been ill for two weeks. Seeks admission for a time until something else turns up. Admitted.

620. Ann Barrett: aged 27: Canadian. Originally from Montreal. husband lost his leg through a hurt he received on the Railroad - was for 12 Months in General Hospital. 2 Children, Boy 7 and Boy 4 years of age. Lives at 267 Queen St. west. Seeks temporary relief.

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621. Deserted Female Child aged about 6 years was left at the Institution, to be apprenticed according to rules.

622. Ellen Davis: aged 43 years. Native of Ireland. Methodist Church. 4 Children. Boy 10. Boy 8. Boy 5 and Girl 3 years of age. Husband left her. Came from Lockport, intends going to Stephen Township where she has a Sister living. Seeks Lodgings for self and Children for a time, having no means to pay for it anywhere else.

Tuesday 25th July 1865

No Committee present ^Anson Green^

623. Phoebe Carlin: No. 5 Richmond St. West. Visitor reports that she is now getting better, and can eat Bread, therefore recommended to receive 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, instead of rations. ^Allowed^

624. George Barrett: in Case 259 in 1864, left the House on 17th of this Month on his own account, says is able to earn his living by his trade.

Friday 28th July 1865

Present ^Anson Green^

625. George Barrett: in Case 624. Made application for readmission, as he left on his own account with intention to earn his living. The Committee consider he ought to persevere and keep out.

626. Mary Ann Noon: 116 Boulton St. aged 39. Native of St. John N.B. ChofEngl. 3 Children, Boy 7, Boy 9 and Girl 11. Five Months in Toronto. Husband gone to Buffalo to look for work. Says she was sent by the Mayor for temporary relief.

Tuesday 1st August 1865.

No Committee present. Revd. R. Harrison attended for Revd. Mr. Broughall

627. John Taylor: 39. English ChofEngl. Wife aged 37. 5 Children. Boy 13. Girl 11. Boy 9. Girl 6 and Boy 6 Months old. 17 years in Hamilton, 2 years in Guelph, and one Month in Toronto. Lives in a lane off Sydenham St. one of Mr. Ramsays Houses. Tailor by trade, without Employment at present. Recommended by Hon. Mr. Allan for temporary relief. Taylor expects to get work next week from Mr. R. Walker & Sons. 12 [pounds] Bread.

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Friday 4th August 1865

Present Hon. R. Spence

628. John Murray: aged 79. See Case 587 in 1864. It appears Murray took the advice of Committee at that time and left Toronto, has now returned about 2 Weeks since, begging about the City. Hon. R. Spence advised that Murray go back to his friends. To have a loaf of Bread, which he would not accept.

629. Mary and Bridget Camp in Case 575 were taken of the Institution by their Mother Ann Camp.

630. Patrick Moor: aged 62. Irish. Blind, says was turned out of Kingston Hospital and sent by the Mayor of that Town to Toronto, seeks shelter until Monday.

631. Henry Herkins: 16. Canadian, partly paralyzed on one side, came with the above Case from Kingston, and acts the part of leader, seem more like old professional beggars than anything else. Shelter until Monday.

632. Agnes Shelby: 22 years of age. Irish, says she is from Hamilton, looking for a place. Seems a proper Case for Lying in Hospital, seeks shelter until Monday.

633. John Robertson: in Case 560 requested to be allowed to go out for some Clothes he has outside (August 5th) has not returned since.

Tuesday 8th August 1865.

No Committee present

634. Jacob Taylor: Colored. No. 102 Lumley St. aged 70. Revd. Mr. Broughall being from home, Mr. Tyner recommends visited and recommends 4 [pounds] Bread weekly. Taylor is known at the House.

635. Jane Fraser: aged 45. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Lives in Power St. Has received assistance from the House once or twice a year or two ago. Her husband goes about peddling, but he is now laid up, and unable to leave his bed. If she brings a Medical certificate to the House, Visitor would recommend a little Bread for a short time. 4 [pounds] Bread for a Month.

636. Thomas Huggard: in Case 512 was take out by his Mother Ann Martin

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637. James Blakely: Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Shoemaker by trade. Has been crippled with rheumatism for the last 10 years. No friends to do anything for him. Not able to work, and no means to support himself, except begging about the City. Recommended for admission in House of

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Industry, was admitted on 25th July. Managed to run away from the premises, (Cripple as he is) by climbing the fence. August 4th

Friday 11th August 1865

Present Mr. Alexr. Hamilton

638. Mary Brothers: Irish. R.C. Many years an out door pensioner of House of Industry, gave her age as 74 last Winter, but believes now to be about 66 years of age. Made her living by begging of late years, she is now past that, being in feeble health, not able to wander from door to door. Seeks admission into House of Industry. Admitted on condition that she make herself general useful as far as able. To see Doctor.

639. Matthew Rogers: in Case 563, returned to the House begging for shelter being very bad with the Bowel Complaint.

Tuesday 15th August 1865

Present Mr. E. Hobson

640. Samuel Wedge: applied for a weekly allowance of Bread. To be allowed a loaf for this day.

641. John Robinson. In Case 633 [Robertson], was sent back to the Institution today by the Mayor, having been found lying about drunk and in a nude state near the Gael.

642. Michael & John Barnes, (Brothers) See Case 607. They have served a term in Gael since. Mr. McNab C.C. [County Court] Atorny was directed by the Hon. S.B. Harrison, Judge of the County Court, to request readmission for them in House of Industry. The Boys were delivered at the Institution by one of the Turnkeys of the City prison.

643. Jane Clark, and Child, in Case 670 in 1864, left the Institution this day August 17th on her own account.

644. Elisa Shea. 33 years of age. Irish. R.C. 2 Children, Girl 5, & Girl 2 years of age. The Husband Dennis Shae, Cripple who used to sell fruit on the Corner of George & Front Street, is now sick. She wants temporary relief. 8 [pounds] Bread.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson

645. The Case of John Elliott: and his Apprentice Elisa Wyatt, as ordered by General Board to be enquired into by weekly Committee, was settled in the following manner. The Indentures not to be cancelled until her time is up, that she may go to service with Mrs. Shuttleworth, (as she is anxious to do so) but that Mr. Elliott will be responsible as to her welfare, and also for the [dollars] 40 00/100 due her at the end of her apprenticeship, to be paid to this Institution with interest, at quarterly Instalments of five dollars each, commencing July 25th 1865, first payment due on the 25th of next October.

646. Mary Jane Corrigan aged 9, James aged 7, and Catherine aged 4 years respectively, all of one family. They were sent here for admission by George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Mother having been committed to Gael for one Month for drunk and disorderly conduct. Roman Catholic Church.

647. Timothy Connor in Case 496, left the House on his own account.

Tuesday 22nd August 1865

Present Mr. Henry Rowsell

648. Frances Conly: 24 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 5 years in Montreal, says she was married there to a Bricklayer, who left her two Months since, came to Toronto last Saturday, is near her Confinement. Brought a note from Mrs. Grasett, recommending her admittance for one Month. Committee recommend that Conly make arrangement to sleep at Lying in Hospital, she may come to House of Industry and get her meals. Connolly [surname spelling clarified]

649. Mary Conners: 37 years of age. Irish. R.C. 4 Children Girl 18, at home, Girl 16, at Service, Girl 13, and Girl 7 at Home. The husband in Case 647 is sick in Consumption, she seems an industrious Woman, seeks a little relief for him. To have 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and a ration of Tea, Sugar &tc.

650. John Dill: an Inmate, brought before the Committee for having been drunk, of which he has made a practice of late. Was reprimanded and given to understand, that the next time he does so, to be dismissed from the Institution.

651. William Johnson: aged about 3 1/2 years, was sent here by the Police Magistrate the Mother having been sent to Gael for one Month for being drunk and disorderly.

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August 25/65

652. Sent the usual Notice to W. J. MacDonell, Esq., to find places within a fortnight for the following thirteen Roman Catholic Children, now in the House of Industry. "Edward Fitzgerald" says 10 years of age, See Case 553 in 1864. "Mary and Margaret Murphy", in Case 544 in 1865, aged 8 and 5 years respectively. "William and Ann Littledale", aged 6 1/2 and 4 years respectively, See Case 567 in 1865. "Elisa and Mary A. Barton" in Case 616 in 1865, aged 9 and 4 years. "Thomas Boland" aged 8 years, see Case 599 in 1865. "Michael and John Barnes" in Case 642 in 1865, aged 9 and 7 years. Mary Jane, James, and Catharine Corrigan, aged 9, 6, and 4 years respectively. See Case 646.

Friday 25th August 1865.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & H. Rowsell

653. Sarah Baker: 42 years of age. Widow. English, from Dundas. Intends to go Home in the morning, seeks shelter until then.

654. Frank Houghton: 40 years of age. Irish. Presbyt. Church. Came from Weston, looking for work in Toronto, seeks shelter for this night, intends going back into the Country.

655. Elizabeth Davis: in Case 617. Left the Institution on her own accord, says, is strong enough in health to take a place.

Tuesday 29th August 1865

No Committee present.

No applicants.

Friday 1st September 1865

No Committee present.

656. John Sturges: aged 9, and William John Sturges: aged 7 years, were sent here September 2nd by Mr. Alderman Vance, having been arrested as Vagrants on the Public Streets. The Mother of the Children a white woman lives on Queen St. west, the Father a Colored Man, is sailing on the Lakes.

657. Robert Evans: 54 years of age. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Carpenter by trade, but not able to work at it, having abused his Constitution by hard Drinking. Seeks admission, was in the House last year. See Case 638 in 1864. Admitted. Left in October.

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September 4th, 1865

658. John Simmons or Frimmons aged 9, and Julia Henright aged about 4 years, were sent to this Institution by George Boomer Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] they were arrested as Vagrants on the Public Streets. The Boy ran away by climbing the fence, was picked up by the Police in the evening and brought back to the Institution. The Children are Brother & Sister. The father a Mason named Connally lives at Lachine from which place the Mother came with these two Children in a Steam Boat, and deserted them on the Wharf, was afterwards picked up, was in a unsound state of mind, either through drink or some other cause, she was lodged in Gael for safe keeping. Roman Catholic Church.

Tuesday 5th September 1865

Present Mr. Hobson

659. Ann Connally: aged 46. Irish. R.C. She is the Woman that came to Toronto with the Children in Case 656, says, is their Grandmother, seeks a few days shelter, and will then take them out with her.

Friday 8th September 1865

No Committee

660. Henry Hall: 38 years of age. English. Ch. of Engl. 8 Months in Canada. Lost the sight of one Eye, can see but little with the remaining one. Seeks admission into the House for a time.

Tuesday 12th Septbr. 1865

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

661. Mary Jane Huggard: in Case 340, was left with Johanna Curtis of No. 22 Queen Street east, with her about 4 Months, and received no pay all that time, therefore not able to keep it any longer, having a family of young Children of her own to support. Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends its admission. Admitted.

662. Jane Murphy. A drunken dissipated Woman, who is at least 10 Months out of Twelve in Gael, applied for her two Children in Case 544, who have been several times in this Institution, and also in the House of Providence. Says the Bishop will send her to the Lower Province. She is to bring a Note from the Bishop certifying that he will do so, when the Children will be given to her, but not without.

663. Jane Malone. 22 Stanley St. Mr. Hamilton recommends a ration of Tea, Sugar &ct.

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September 13th 1865

664. Mrs. Hall: Wife of Henry Hall in Case 660, came with her two Children (Girls, aged 8 and 4 years respectively) for a nights shelter, says she was turned by her Landlord out of House and home. Rather a troublesome Woman.

665. James Nolan: says he is 38 years of age, but looks about 60. Native of Ireland. Family are members of all denominations, was sent from Guelph, and told to try and get admission in House of Industry, had a night's shelter.

Friday 15th September 1865

Present E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

666. William, & Ann Littledale, Elisa & Mary A. Barton, Thomas Boland, Mar Jane, James, and Catharine Carrigan (in Case 652) were taken from this Institution, by W.J. MacDonell, Esqr., to House of Providence. The other 5 Children in Case 652, Edward Fitzgerald, Mary & Margaret Murphy, and Michael and John Barnes, to be apprenticed, according to the rules of this Institution. Septbr. 16th

667. Mary Bouchier: 84 Dummer St. an old out door Pensioner, gets Bread, now confined to her bed through age and infirmity. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends a ration of Sugar, Rice, and Oatmeal.

668. Joseph Campbell: aged say 10 years, his Mother who had relief last Winter from this Institution (See Case 320) died a Month since, left his Boy and another who were both placed in "Boys Home". Joseph ran away from there, and was arrested on the Public Streets as a Vagrant, sent here by George Boomer Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] Septbr. 18th

Tuesday 19th September 1865

669. Joseph Campbell: in Case 668 ran away by climbing the fence.

670. Emma Pompadore: (Colered) an inmate aged say 86 years, died this day Septbr. 21st. See her Case of admission in Case 171 in 1859.

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671. Mary Ann Moran: Corner of Seaton and Gerrard Street. Canadian. Methodist Church. Widow. 30 years of age. In very delicate health. Asthmatic. 3 Children (Girls) aged 8, 6 and 4 years respectively. Husband was a printer, worked for Mr. Rowsell, was 3 years in Consumption, and died last Good Friday. A very deserving Case. To have 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and rations.

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Friday 22nd September 1865

Present J. Thom Esqr.

672. Ann Doyle: No. 67 in a Lane, west off Parliament St. Widow. R.C. Irish. 45 years of age. 3 Children, girl 10, boy 7, and girl 5 years of age, washes sometimes, and begs at other times.

673. Mary Ann Young: 25 years of age. Native of Ireland. Ch. of England. Seven years in Canada, 12 Months in Toronto, was in Hospital, seeks admission in House of Industry. Dr. Adams recommends her as a fit Case, subject to fits, therefore not able to take a place. To be admitted for a time, and to make herself general useful. left 28th Septbr.

674. William Cornwall: 60 years of age. English. ChofEngl. From Hamilton, seeks admission until Monday. Has the promise of work next week.

675. Alexander Wylie: 66 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church, came from the County of Renfrew, lived there and in Lanark for 20 years, as he is now not able to work on account of being in ill health, he came to Toronto for admission into the Poor House. Had a nights shelter and left.

676. Mary Hughes: 75 years of age. Widow. Native of Ireland, from the Village of Dundas. Wants shelter until Monday, when she will see the Mayor whether he can give her a pass for Montreal.

Tuesday 26th September 1865

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

677. Dennis Burton: the Father of Elisa and Mary Ann in Case 666, applied to know where his Children are placed, is in hopes of getting a situation, and would then like to take care of his own. Committee advised that he better get the situation first, and prepare a home, when he might be informed of their whereabouts.

678. Matthew Rogers: in Case 639, left the House on his own account.

Friday 29th September 1865.

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

679. Phoebe Carling: 60 years of age. Methodist Church. Native of Ireland, used to live in Rochester U.S. where her husband left her, came to Toronto to live with a Widowed Sister who is hardly able to support herself. Was sent for admission by Mrs. Grasett. admitted.

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Friday 29th September

680. John Lee: 60 years of age. Native of Ireland. 3 years in Toronto. Blacksmith by trade, worked for Wilson & Walker 79 George Street, says is not able to earn his living now, on account of a bad hand, seeks admission. To see the Doctor. ChofEngl. Admitted.

681. Robert Campbell in Case 745 in 1862 was taken out of this Institution by one of his Sons who intends with the assistance of his Brothers to provide for his father in future.

Tuesday 3rd October 1865.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

682. John Hunter: aged 73 years. English. Methodist Church. 21 years in Toronto, was Porter with the late Mrs. Ellard for 8 years. Says is in bad health, and not able to earn his living, has a Razor grinding Machine with which when able to work he earned his living, seeks admission into the House. To see the Doctor, and if a fit Case, to be admitted, and to bring his Machine with him. Left 27th Debr. 1865.

683. Mary Ann Young: in Case 673, came back to the House for admittance being not strong enough to continue in her situation.

684. Mary and Margaret Murphy (Sisters) and Michael and John Barnes, Brothers, in Case 666, were taken out of this Institution by Mr. MacDonell to House of Providence.

685. Mary Brothers: in Case 638, left the Institution on her own account, to live with her daughter.

Friday 6th October 1865

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Thom

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686. Sophie Wilcox in Case {blank} [Case 405 in the 1865 name index] to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread increased to 6 [pounds] Weekly.

687. Phoebe Carling: in Case 679, left the House without having asked leave, made her way and through the back premises. October 8th.

688. Patrick O'Reilly: aged 11 years, and James O'Reilly: aged 5 years, were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother having been sent to Gael for four Months, for keeping a disorderly House. The Father has been dead for some time. R.C. Church.

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689. Mary Ann Young: in Case 683, left the Institution on her own account without asking leave.

690. John Robertson: in Case 633 died at 11 OClock. P.M. Octbr. 9th

Tuesday 10th October 1865.

Present J. Thom Esqr.

No Applications

Friday 13th October 1865

Present J. Thom Esqr.

691. John Connors: 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. From Toronto Township, seeks shelter until Monday.

692. James Cooly: 67 years of age. Irish. R.C. From the township of King, seeks shelter until Monday.

693. A female Child say two weeks old, was left this morning (October 16th) at 6 OClock at the door of Mr. Donald MacKay of the firm of Gordon & McKay, 90 Wellington, was brought to the House of Industry, and there recognized as the Child belonging to a Girl who had left the Lying in Hospital the same morning. Sent the Child out to nurse with Mrs. McMullen 17 Oxford St. at [dollars] 4 per Month.

Tuesday 17th October 1865.

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Present J. Doel Esqr.

694. Margt. Taylor: 94 Richmond St. east. Spinster. Native of Ireland. Ch. of Engl. seeks relief in Bread and firing. To be visited.

695. Amelia Ward: Colored, about 50 years of age. Recommended for a nights lodging or two by Mrs. Willis, who will also try and get her a place.

696. Mrs. Sarah Weatherell: applied for the admission into the House of a Male Child about 9 Months old, which was deserted by its Mother Elisa Patterson. The Case was before the General Board and agreed to receive it into the House, sent to Nurse with Elizabeth McMullen 17 Oxford St. [at] [dollars] 4 per Month.

697. Ann McCochran: made application for the admission of a Female Child aged about 12 Months, the Mother who paid her [dollars] 5 a Month for nursing it left Toronto about 3 Weeks ago. The Case was before the General Board, and it was determined that if after the lapse of another Month the Mother did not appear they would consider the propriety of relieving Mrs. McCochrane of her charge.

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Friday 20th October 1865.

Present J. Doel Esqr. & R. Gilmor.

698. John Latimer: 71 years of age, Irish. Presbyterian Church. A Cripple, came to Toronto yesterday from Ottawa, with the intention of getting into the House of Industry, his passage was paid by some young Man that knew him there. Committee consider the cheapest way to the Institution will be to send him back to Ottawa, as he has no claim on this Charity.

699. Catharine McKew: Lane off of Duchess Street, first on the left hand from Caroline and Duchess. Husband beat her well and then took himself off to the States, not heard from him since nor likely to do so. Mrs. McKew has worked for the rag shops and the Tobacco factory, but can no longer get employment at either of these places. Has 3 Children 10, 8, & 5 years old respectively. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Visitor would recommend her for bread, and a little Coal, when it is given out, but she will probably have to be visited again, as she is behind {hand} 3 Months in her rent, and has no means of paying it, and not likely the Landlord will allow her to remain much longer: it is a miserable hovel she is living at.

Tuesday 24th October 1865.

Present Revd. Dr. Green.

700. John Bainborough: 66 years of age. English. Methodist Church. Receives a pension of 4 1/2 d [pence] per day which he is willing to give up to the House if he could be admitted, was an Inmate last Winter and made himself general useful. To be admitted and his pension paid to the Institution.

701. Rachel Brown: 96 Albert St. Ann. 27 years of age. Husband Thomas 28. 4 Children, Thomas 9, Sophia 6, William 5, and baby (a girl) 9 Months. Canadian from Cobourg, in Toronto since July, Husband a Shoemaker by trade. Want wood and Bread. Methodist Church.

702. Elizabeth ~~Givens~~ Evans first Lane off Renfrew St. Her husband went off a Month ago in a spree, and has not since been heard of, is in a very poor condition, has five Children at home (one little girl 15 ~~Months~~ Years old being in Service) all girls except the baby a year old. The ages are 9, 7, 6, and 3 years. Has had a sore Breast, unable to do or get much work. Irish. Church of England. Recommended for temporary relief. 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

703. Frances Connally in Case 648, left for Lying in Hospital 17th of Octbr. last.

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Friday Octbr. 17th 1865

No Committee present.

704. Mary Fraser: aged 14 years, says came from Burford C.W. [Canada West] Mother died there 6 Months ago, and Father ran away 9 Weeks ago; The people there subscribed and sent her and youngest Brother (a Baby 6 Months old) to her Grandfather John Fraser who lives on Church Street, Toronto, and who is in good circumstances, but will not receive the Baby into his house. The Girl made application for its admission into House of Industry. The Special Meeting on Octbr. 24th would not admit it, next day it was sent by the Mayor requesting its admission into the Institution, was admitted. Called Joseph, not Baptized.

705. Mary Ann Lock: 30 years of age. Native of Rochester, England. ChofEngl. Spinster, 2 years in Toronto. Made her living by sewing. Has been for the last four Months in General Hospital with inflammatory Rheumatism, from which she still suffers, has also a Tumor growing in her side, brought a note from Mrs. Grasett recommending her admission.

706. Ann Podgers: 140 York Street Widow aged 60. Irish. R.C. lived in the Country for some years past, came into the City some few Months since, would wish to get to Montreal if she had the means to get there, where she has some friends. Has no claim on this Institution. Visitor leaves the Case for Committee to decide.

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Tuesday Octbr. 31st 1865

No Committee present.

707. Thomas Boland: aged 8 years, was sent here by George Boomer, Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested for vagrancy. The same Boy that was taken from this Institution to House of Providence by J.W. [W.J.] MacDonell Esqr. In Case 666.

708. Ann Graham: 53 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Lives on Nelson St. No. 113, is very anxious to be admitted into the House of Industry for the Winter. She seems a respectable tidy old body, and would be very willing to make herself useful in the House. She earns a living in Summer by peddling but can do nothing in that way now, and has no friends or connexions to whom she can go for assistance. If there is a vacancy in the House Visitor would recommend her for admission.

709. Margaret Fitzpatrick: aged 45. Irish. Ch. of Engl. a Widow, and who has for some years been receiving out-door relief, is desirous of being taken into the House. She has for some time past been very ill, and is now

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unable to do anything for her own support. She has four Children (daughters) two of whom aged 15 and 11 will be able to earn a little at Service, and the other two she expects to get into the Orphans Home to day. Mrs. Fitzpatrick has been always a hard working woman. Revd. Mr. Plowman begs leave strongly to recommend her.

710. Margaret Silvers: about 8 years of age. Colored. Was sent to the Institution by the Police Magistrate, she having been arrested for vagrancy on the Public Streets. The girl begged hard to be sent back to her Mother who lives on Boulton Street near York, sent a Man with her, who when speaking to the Mother the daughter ran away again.

Friday November 3rd 1865

Present J. Thom Esqr.

711. Thomas Boland: in Case 707 ~~found~~ sent him back to House of Providence from which place he had run away.

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712. Johanna Kinnane: 29 years of age. Married. Husband left last year and enlisted in the American Army, has not heard from him, is afraid that he was killed. 5 Children. Mrs. Kinnane brought a note from the mayor, recommending the admission of Foundling Child now 5 Months old, for the nursing of which the Corporation has been paying her \$4 a Month. The Case referred by Weekly Committee to General Board.

713. Frances Connally: in Case 703 has been in place nursing, the persons Child with where she lived died last Saturday, seeks shelter here with her baby for a few days until she can procure another place. Novbr. 6th.

714. Henry Gregg: 58 years of age. Irish, from NewMarket, intends going to Kingston, seeks shelter for a day or two.

Friday Novbr. 7th, 1865.

Present Mr. Alexr. Hamilton & Rev. Mr. Grasett

715. Jane Malone: 22 Stanley St. in Case 663 gets 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly. In bad health. Recommended for a small ration of Tea Sugar etc.

716. Henry Whitehead: 58 years of age. English Ch. of Engl. Has been living in Trafalgar. Wandered about of late, seeks shelter for a day or two.

717. John Latimer: in Case 698 begs very hard to be allowed to stay in Out Building until Spring. Allowed to do so.

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718. Female Foundling in Case 693 died this morning at 17 Oxford St.

Friday Novbr 10/65

Present Revd. Mr. Grasett

719. Margaret Glynn: 60 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Widow. No family. Has been 40 years in Toronto as Servant in different families, last with Dr. Hallowell who gives her a good

character. Afflicted with Rheumatism. Is desirous to become an Inmate in House of Industry for a time. Admitted with the understanding that she make herself general useful.

720. Elisa Leonard: 18 years of age, came from Belleville, came to Toronto to be confined at Lying in Hospital. Seeks admission in House of Industry for a Month or two. Cannot be admitted.

721. Mary Ann Murphy: in Case 570 was taken out of the Institution by her Mother whose term in Gael having expired.

722. Sarah Ann Ogden: 4th House in Watkins Lane off Richmond St. west of York deserted by her husband, gone to seek work she says. Aged 37. Ch. of Engl. has one Child 4 Months old. In great poverty, has to go out to gather rags for her daily Bread. Expects her husband will send her some help soon. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per Week for the present, and her Case to be brought before the Committee next Tuesday.

Tuesday 14th November 1865

No Committee present

723. Mary Curley: aged 40 years. 19 years in Canada, 7 years a Widow. 2 Children. Margaret aged 12, and Mary Ann aged 8. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread weekly

724. Mrs. Rennals: 123 Queen St. East, cannot not be found there.

725. Thomas Butcher: in Case 238 in 1864 left the Institution, is gone to live with a Son of his at Port Hope.

726. James Gorley: in Case 598 in 1864, left the Institution in a fit of drunkenness. A Man who can not guide himself, but must get drunk every opportunity he gets.

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Friday November ^17th^ 1865

Present Revd. Mr. Darling & J. Thom Esqr.

727. Timothy Harrington: 79 years of age. Irish. R.C. Has been an Inmate at previous years. Seeks admission for the Winter, admitted.

728. William Cornwall: 60 years of age. English. Came from Richmond Hill, looking for work he says, wants shelter until Monday.

729. Wilhelmina Barton: aged 46. Scotch. Presbyt. Church, one Child with her, a girl aged 1 yr. & 10 Months. Lost her husband lately and has given away to drinking. Mrs. Dunlop & Miss Michie applied on her behalf, they will provide a place for her, if she could be taken in the Out Building for a Week or two in the mean time, were she would be out of temptation's way.

730. Ellen Ward: 60 years of age. Husband 65 who is sick and not able to work, seeks relief for a time until husband gets better. English. Ch. of Engl. No family, allowed a Casual Loaf for the present.

Tuesday Novbr. 21st 1865

Present Revd. S. Givins, Hon. R. Spencer & H. Rowsell Esqr.

731. Samuel Wedge: 58 Dummer St. 71 years of age. Has a Wife 65 years old, afflicted with Rheumatism in her hands. Not the tenants of the House. Have taken a room and use the Landlords stove. Live on the bounty of others not being able to work a great deal. English. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for the ordinary relief in such Cases. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

732. Mary Halliday: 51 years of age. Widow. English. Ch of Engl. Seems a strong healthy and industrious Woman with a small ulcer on the ankle. Doctor thinks after a little rest she will be able to work. Seeks admission. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett. Committee relying on her statement of making herself useful, and having the prospect of recovery, will admit her temporary.

733. Elizabeth Wilson: at 69 Richmond St. East. 58 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. Has 3 Children who ^are^ cared for by friends in the Country. Doctor visited and says she has a very sore leg, and is a poor miserable creature, the victim of dissipation and will be confined to bed for a considerable time as the ulcers are very painful and very large. She seeks admission into the House. Committee will not admit her, consider her a Case for General Hospital. To receive 4 [pounds] Bread and a ration of Tea Sugar & etc.

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734. Elizabeth Miller: No. 40 Stanley St. 33 years of age. Husband at present in Gael. 2 children. Girl 3 years, and Girl 4 Months. Germans. Ch. of Engl. 2 years in this Country. Very poor. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per Week, and Coal when given out.

735. Margaret Oliver: 31 years of age, and blind of one Eye. 2 Children. Mary 7 years, and Isabella 18 Months. Husband gone to the States. Gass fitter by trade. 9 years in this Country. Irish. Ch of Engl. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal when given out.

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736. Mary Mowatt: Stanley St. 2nd door from the Fountain. 47 years of age. Husband died 4 weeks ago. Wesleyan Methodist. Girl 10 at home. Irish. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread.

737. Jacob Taylor: 62 years of age. Colored. Receives out door relief, is desirous of entering the House. He is a poor helpless person. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends his admission.

738. Margt. Wells: 133 Queen St. East. Widow. R.C. Ireland. One Daughter 14 who has been in place, and will take another when she can get one. Deserving old Woman. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per Week.

739. John Bainborough: in Case 700, left the House on his own responsibility.

Friday 24th Novbr. 1865.

Present Revd. Mr. Givins, H. Rowsell Esqr. & Hon. R. Spence.

740. James Loughlan: 130 Venauly St. subject to spasmodic Asthma and is now suffering from a severe cold. Has been ill since September. Has no Employment, used to teach School and has studied Medicine. Has a Wife and 3 Children, two boys 6 years and five Months respectively and one Girl 4 years of age. The baby is delicate and does not allow the Mother to do much towards maintaining the family. Sews a little. Is now almost destitute. Canadians. Methodists. Recommended for temporary relief.

741. John Powell: 59 Irish. R.C. says has been 30 years in Canada living at different places, no settled residence, afflicted with Rheumatism. Seeks shelter for a few days.

742. A Male Child: say 3 Weeks old, found on the Steps of Bond Street School House. It was sent to this Institution by his Worship the Mayor Novbr. 2{illegible}, was found Novbr. 23rd.

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Tuesday 28th November 1865.

No Committee present.

743. John Higgins: 23 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church, from Port Hope, says is sick, and seeks shelter for a few days, and when strong will return to Port Hope.

744. Margaret Glynn: in Case 719. Dr. Hallowell took her out of the Institution to live with his familie.

Friday 1st December 1865.

No Committee present.

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745. Henry Adams: 61 years of age. Says is a painter by trade, has a dissipated look. English, face disfigured with cuts and bruises, fell off a wagon coming from Sydenham, so he says. Seeks Shelter for a few days until he gets well.

746. Thomas Foyland: 24 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Recommended by Hon. R. Spence for shelter until Monday, when St. Patricks Society will send him to Montreal.

Tuesday 5th December 1865

Present Revd. Wm. Read.

747. Mary Armstrong: aged 59 years, the Widow of an old Pensioner, without Children, at present lives in the old Military Hospital rent free, but as her room is sadly out of repair intends removing shortly to some other place where she must be under rent. Has only half a days work in the week, and receives help from no source whatever except occasional help from a daughter who receives [dollars] 4 a Month. Irish. Ch. of England. Recommended for the usual allowance.

748. In regard to Application of John Warren for Emma Fisher, Committee decided that he be referred, and the Child apprenticed in the Country, and not in the City.

749. A boy about 2 years of age was sent to this Institution by the mayor, it appears one Catharine Ryan well know at the House picked it up on York St. deserted she says.

750. Male Foundling: in Case 742 died this morning Debr. 6th at 1 OClock.

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751. Revd. H. Holland: Rector of St. Catharines, wrote to know whether a Case from there, an Imbecile Woman and her Child could be taken in Toronto House of Industry. Superintendent to write back stating that there is no {convention} for such Cases, the Institution only being intended for the old and deserving Poor of the City.

752. Frances Knill: 52 years of age, Native of England. Ch. of England. Widow. Lives at 103 Albert St. A very respectable Woman, suffers severely from Cancer. A ration of Sugar Tea & Oatmeal, and a weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread.

753. The following 5 Children were baptized by the Revd. Mr. Cartwright of St. James Cathedral. Jane Lee: aged 4 years, see Case 571 in 1865.

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Mary Jane Huggard: aged 1 years and 8 Months, see Case 661 in 1865.

Joseph Fraser: aged 8 Months. See Case 706 in 1865.

George Sherky: aged 12 Months. See Case 336 in 1865.

Harriett Young: aged 2 years. See Case 543 in 1865. Thursday Decbr. 7th.

Friday Decbr. 8th 1865

No Committee present.

754. Edward McConkey: {blank} Sayer St. 76 years of age. Married. Irish. Ch. of Engl. a Cripple, who used to receive relief from the House, recommended for the same again, by the Revd. Mr. Darling who knows McConkey to be deserving of relief. 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal when given out.

755. Marian Brights: 66 River St. Widow. 3 young Children 6, 4 and 18 Months respectively. Her late husband a Carpenter, met with death by an accident, a beam falling upon him, seriously injured him, and he died from Lockjaw 3 Months ago, leaving not only his Widow and 3 Children, but an aged Man an Uncle, 89 years old, who lived with them and has been supported by him for several years. Mrs. Brights is now learning the tailoring trade which Visitor supposes means working for the ready made clothing shops. She seems a very decent respectable Woman. She might have a small allowance of Bread for a few Weeks, and fuel when it is given out. Say Coal twice and the Case might be referred to Visitor again.

756. Mary Donovan: R.C. Irish. 83 George St. Widow. Sells Apples fish & etc. during the Summer, appears to be a very decent old body, and Visitor thinks might be allowed a little Coal say 3 times during the course of the Winter. She might have a small loaf of Bread allowed her also. She has no Children.

757. John Richardson: 45 Carlton St. Not in St. Davids Ward.

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758. Mary Higgins: 68 McMahon St. This Case Visitor reported upon last Winter, does hardly know what to say about her this year. She suffers seriously for want of provisions & etc. at times, she might be told to have coal at Christmas, and a loaf of Bread now. She does drink occasionally, at least visitor suspects so, although he has no positive evidence of the fact, and has sometimes thought that she was a little out of her mind. She is said to be a capital seamstress, and very industrious when she can get work. She has some Wood at present so that she is not in present need for fuel.

759. William Dunn: Mariner. 20 years of age. Native of England. Ch. of Engl., had a severe fall and injured his spine, was four Months in General Hospital, discharged from there yesterday, has neither Money nor friends, would be willing to be bound to a Shoemaker for 3 years, as he thinks that he could earn his bread at that trade. Revd. E. Baldwin recommends his admission into House of Industry, until something can be done for him.

760. William Darby: 55 years of age. English. ChofEngl. The Family used to get Out door relief from the House. The Wife died some 18 Months ago. The Children are at Service and provided for. Darby has had a paralytic stroke, but has recovered the use of his limbs partially. Poor, and no means of supporting himself. Children cannot assist him. Recommended for admission by Mrs. Odder who has been visiting him for some time. The Doctor considers him a Case for admission.

761. Bridget Eagan: 39 years of age. Irish. R.C. Widow. 2 Children. Bridget ^McFarlane^ 10 years of age, Presbyterian Church, by a former husband. John James Eagan aged 2 1/2 years. R.C. by the last husband. Came for Shelter having been turned out of doors by their Landlord, The Mother went out next day to look for Lodgings, but managed to get drunk, for which offence the Police Magistrate committed her to Gael for a term of two Months. The Children are now in the Building for Casual poor.

762. John Murray 13 Albert Murray 9, and Manuel Murray 6 years of age. They were brought here by the Police on the Evening of the 9th inst. having been found wandering about the Streets homeless. The eldest Boy states that their Mother is dead, they stayed with their Grandmother near Peterborough, the Father lives in the State of Michigan where the Children intend to join him, all they want is to be allowed to be sheltered until Monday. Canadians. Presbyt. Church.

763. Michael Mossop: 74. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended by Mr. Howarth. Druggist on Yonge St. used to earn his living by collecting Herbs, he is now lame caused by a fall, seeks shelter for a few days.

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Tuesday 12th December 1865.

No Committee present.

764. Mary Sullivan: 35 Esther Street, was out begging when visitor called. Lives in a filthy hole which she allows to continue such to go out begging. Her husband is a worthless indolent character. Has 6 Children 3 boys & 3 girls. The eldest is about 10 years old. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. The Case left to the weekly Committee as the Visitor will not assume the responsibility of recommending such.

765. Mary Hickling: opposite Mr. Barbers College St. Not at home when Visitor called. Is an aged Widow according to the Woman from whom she takes a room. For this she has to pay a Dollar a Month. Can get only occasional work. Has no Children. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread.

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766. Robert Humphreys: in Case 604, went on trial (Debr. 9th inst.) previous of being bound with William Dent Farmer of Halton.

767. William Dunn: in Case 759, was readmitted into General Hospital.

Friday 15h Decbr. 1865

Present Revd. E. Baldwin.

768. The 3 Boys Murray: in Case 762 left on the Monday, two nights after which, Albert was brought back to this Institution by the Police, having been found wandering about the Streets. The other two were picked up also on the day following, and were committed to Gael by Mr. Boomer P.M. [Police Magistrate] for Vagrancy.

769. James Gorley: in Case 726, made application for readmission, promises to behave himself in future, and will not drink anymore. Admitted.

770. Ann Sawtell: 37 Nassau St. English. Ch. of England. Widow. 74 years of age, is in receipt of 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly. Visitor recommends an allowance of Coal during the Winter Months.

771. Julia Burton: 28 Dummer St. a Widow with 3 Children, 1 boy 13, two girls, 14 and 10 years respectively, apparently a helpless creature, born lame. Says she "does nothing" for a living at present but used to stitch boots. Her Girls beg for daily bread. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and bread.

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Tuesday 19th December 1865

Present Revd. Mr. Ellerby & Mr. J. Tyner

772. Hugh Hammonds: 483 King St. East. Visitor called, but Hammond was not in. 4 P.M.

773. Bridget Williams: lives at present with the above Julia Burton, appears to be a bird of passage. Said to be a respectable woman, but is separated from her husband. Has two Children both Boys 8 & 10 years respectively, does what work she can get, and is taken in for a few weeks at a time by one friend and another. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread only. She has no Stove and no stick of furniture.

774. Ann Cook: Laidlaws Lane, near Denison Avenue. Visitor could find no such person.

775. Mary Crombie: 5 Renfrew St. Has lived in town since August, having come in just after her husband's death, for the purpose of getting work, an old resident of the City, having been about in the Country only 7 Months, aged 47. Has 3 Children at home one boy 8 and two girls 13 & 11. Another

daughter is in Service. Has two days work in the week. Keeps a clean and tidy House as compared with the former occupants of No. 5. Scotch. Presbyterian. This Case left to the Committee.

776. Jane Kingham: 280 Queen St. west. Is still an aged helpless widow. Has 2 daughters who pay her rent & help her a little further. She still "keeps a pig" as her stock in trade. Cannot work. Irish. Church of England, recommended for Coal, and have it sent.

777. Mary Mulholland: Phoebe St. East of School House. Aged 42. Has two girls 9 and 6 years. Her husband left her 9 Weeks ago, and has not yet been heard from, lives with a friend who has taken her in as she is unable to pay rent. Seems a steady respectable woman, though living in a very dirty house. Scotch. Church of England. Recommended to have bread for a Month, by the end of which time the husband might return.

778. Mary Black: 213 Bishop St. Still the same old respectable woman, badly off. Her husband an old Man doing nothing, aged about 70 inclined to disipation. Irish. Ch. of England. Recommended for Coal.

779. Mary Ann Fisher: No. 10 Victoria St. 37 years of age. American. Methodist. 2 Children. Girl 9. Boy 8. Widow. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

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779 1/2. Hamish Stamford: 104 Strachan St. A Widow. Hard working industrious. Has two and a half days work a week washing & etc. One Girl in Service, one at home in delicate health (14) very poor both daughters having been ill during the Summer. Nursing a babe at present. English. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for Coal. Bread, should the Committee think proper.

780. Mary Talbot: Venauly St. opposite the Brewery, a Widow with one Child a girl 2 years old. Two other Children in the Orphans Home. Is just recovering from sickness, and is preparing for any work she can get. Lives with a Mrs. Downie from whom she has taken a room. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for Coal.

781. Elisa Shea: 93 Stanley St. Visitor does not think her worthy of relief.

782. Maria Lee: 51 Stanley St. 23 years of age. Husband 22. 3 Children. Girl 8, boy 4, and girl 18 Months, husband confined to bed with Rheumatism. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal. To have 4 [pounds] Bread for the present.

783. Ann Corrigan: 51 Stanley St. aged 39. Husband 39. 4 Children Boy and Girl (twins) 7, girl 5, and boy 3 years. Irish. R.C. 13 years in Canada. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

784. Elizabeth Burns: 23 Stanley St. 70 years of age. Has no way of making a living. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Coal when given out.

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785. Margaret Stephens: 93 Ann St. Not at home when Visitor called.

786. Mary Percival: 89 Ann St. Sickly old woman. Widow. Irish. R.C. has a daughter about 30 years of age, who lives with her. No means of living. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly, and Coal when given out.

787. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St. East. 32 years old. Irish. R.C. is near her confinement. Husband in the States. 4 Children. Girl 10. Girl 8. Girl 5, and Girl 4. Has been 14 years in Toronto. 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

788. Mary Sullivan: 80 Stanley St. Irish. R.C. 4 Children. Husband is a dissipated man. The Visitor recommends nothing, but on account of the Children and the Wives industrious habits, Committee will allow Coal once.

789. Sarah Lynch: 93 Stanley St. 42 years old. 2 Children. Mary 12. Johanna 10. 16 years in Canada (Toronto). Irish. R.C. Church. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

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790. Margaret Jones: 40 Duchess St. was not at home when Visitor called to see her. A neighbour said that she had gone out for a days scrubbing. Visitor does not know however that there is anything new to add to his report of former years, her circumstances remain much the same, and Visitor would think a little coal and Bread not ill bestowed.

791. Ellen Gallagher: 311 Queen St. East. Widow, and old pensioner. See report of previous years, a decent old Lady who struggles on as well as she can through the greater part of the year, but when winter comes, cannot do without help. Recommended for Coal now and 3 times afterwards. A small allowance of Bread. To have a weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread during the Winter, and Coal twice.

792. Ann Doyle: Rear of 200 Parliament St. Widow. R.C. 3 Children living at home with her, 2 boys and a girl, the latter between 9 & 10 years old, the former 7 and 5 respectively. Mrs. Doyle goes out to scrub and wash when she can get it to do. She is undoubtedly in great need at present, Visitor would recommend her for Bread and fuel for a few weeks, and the Case might be referred him again after a time, if the Committee think it necessary.

793. Bridget Farrell: an aged woman living with one Mrs. Cruse 309 Queen St. East. She says she has Children who could do something for her, but that they have left her to shift for herself, and will not assist her in any way whatever. Visitor would recommend a loaf of Bread for the Winter, and perhaps Coal twice.



794. Mary Clendenning: rear 23 Britain St. Has been receiving Bread from the House, and Visitor would now recommend her for Coal. Her husband is in a consumption, and quite unable to do any steady work. She is a very decent respectable woman, has a young family, one Child on the breast and is very deserving of assistance.

795. John Dohy: living at 309 1/2 Queen St. East. He and his Wife are now a pretty old couple and not able to do very much. He is anxious to get wood to saw, and Visitor told him he might go up to the House, to see whether there is any wood to saw, he would be glad to be allowed Coal in payment.

796. Isabella McAdams: 27 1/2 South Park St.; Bridget Garrow: 86 Front St.; Hugh Hammond 483 King St. East. 3 people (1/2 past 11, A.M.) Visitor called on them. None of them in.

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Friday 22nd Decbr. 1865

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner

797. Mary Ann Bedford: 36 Esther St. Has a Boy 7, and a girl 3. Lives with another family, not at home when visitor called. House in a wretched state. Visitor could not refuse this cold weather.

798. Catharine Cowan: rear of 60 Dummer St. Not at home when Visitor called as her husband had put her out the night before, both being drunk. Neighbours say both are very disipated. Not recommended.

799. Hannah Corcoran: A Widow 80 years old, very helpless, lives with a Mrs. Willis as a Member of the family. Irish. R.C. Willis is a poor man and has a ulcered leg. Mrs. Corcoran is therefore recommended for Coal twice and 6 [pounds] Bread.

800. Jane Pollard: rear of 60 Denisons Avenue. Husband and self about 60 years of age. Has one girl 12 years old. Husband is in delicate health else would not have applied. Takes a room from Husbands brother, which is not at all clean or tidy. Irish. R.C. Bread for the winter does not want Coal.

801. Jane Cochlan: 12 Dummer St. Widow. Knits socks, and keeps a very small shop, a boy 8, and a girl 6, very unclean and untidy, pays half the rent with another woman. Irish. R.C. The Case left to the Committee.

802. Barbara Armstrong: opposite of Wallis & Moss' Brewery Queen St. w. Lives in Mrs. Forlongs Lodge, paying \$1 a Month rent. Is a Widow with 5 Children at home. Two boys 11 & 9 and 3 girls 7 & 5, 2 1/2. Sober and respectable. Knits, washes &c for a living. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

803. Jane Curran: 16 Camden St. Has a room up stairs for which she pays [dollars] a Month. Keeps it clean and tidy. Still a respectable deserving Woman, unable to do, or get much sewing. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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804. Ann Wincup: 15 Eden St. (off Bathurst) is a widow. Colored. 60 years old. Takes a room from a Mrs. Wilson which she occupies alone. A Charwoman without much work, generally a day per Week. A Virginian by birth. Baptist persuasion.

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805. Ellen Lee: rear of 60 Dummer St. Lives in a miserable dirty hovel. Husband not heard from for a year. Has two Children. Girl 4 and 1 ¼ respectively, cannot get work (she says) and therefore begs, an Irish R.S. A lot of dissipated woman about, said by Neighbours to keep a bad House. No relief.

806. Ellen Ward: rere 60 Dummer St. upstairs. Aged 65. Her husband 62 years old is a tailor but has been in hospital good part of the Summer and is now very infirm. House very cold but clean & tidy. Canadian (husband English) Church of Engl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

807. Eliza Gavin: out when visitor called. No. 8 Dummer St. a Widow about 33. Has two boys 7 and 3. Takes 2 rooms up stairs, pays [dollars] 1 1/2 rent per Month. Sometimes plenty of work, some, times none and then begs, a very cold House, said by her landlady (from whom this information was derived) to be sober and steady. Irish. ChofEngl. Case left to the Committee.

808. Sara Whelan: rear of 33 Maria St. west a widow with one girl at home aged 9. A Charwoman, has 1 ½ days regular work in the week. Keeps a tolerable clean and tidy house. Irish. R.C. Fifteen years in Toronto, but this is the first time for applying for help. Recommended Coal & Bread.

809. Maria Pierpoint: 17 St. Patricks Market Square. A Widow. Has one Girl about 18 years old, sickly, & 1 boy 10 years old. Sober & respectable. Has only one half days work certain in a week. English. Ch. of Engl. only living in St. Patricks ward about 16 weeks, having removed from St. Johns. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

810. Elisa Gradwell: 256 Queen St. aged 42. A poor industrious Woman. Has two Children at home, girls, 9 and 6. Three days work per week. English. Ch. of Engl. Coal twice, has bread already.

811. Isabella Power: 50 Bond St. A Widow aged 31. Has two Children a boy aged 8, and a girl 5. English. Methodist. Goes out sewing and washing. Visitor recommends Bread & Coal.

812. Ann Jane Mitchel: 30 Maria St. west. Her husband an Englishman is in the Hospital, afflicted with Rheumatism, she is herself a cripple, aged 30. Has four Children 2 boys 6 & five years respectively and 2 girls 9 and 3. Very destitute at present. An Irish woman ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal (sent Her) once, Bread, and a ration of Tea & Sugar &c.

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813. Mary Gorman: 37 Esther St. very poor. A Widow aged nearly 60 years, keeps House at present for a Mrs. Livingstone who is in Service. Has had 2 days work in the Week. Visitor fears that she drinks hard occasionally and therefore recommends her for Coal once only. Native of Ireland. R.C.

814. Phoebe Gray: rear of 113 University St. English. Ch. of Engl. Widow aged 5{illegible} in bad health clean industrious Woman. Recommended 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

815. Ann Morrish: South East Corner of Elm & Terauly St. English. Baptist Ch. 45 years old. Widow. 4 Children, girl 16 a book folder in bad health, girl 8, girl 2, and boy 6 years of age, all at home. Mrs. Morrish is a clean respectable, industrious Woman, and therefore recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread weekly, and Coal.

816. Margaret Eaton: 140 Elizabeth St. An old Pensioner well known at the House. Recommended for Coal, is receiving Bread.

817. Ellen Cradicott: 24 Elizabeth St. Irish R.C. Married. 50 years of age. 1 Child a boy 13 years old. Husband a paralytic cripple who begs. The boy works in a Tobacco factory. Visitor thinks they have improved a little in cleanliness since last year, would therefore recommend a little Coal & bread.

818. Ann Phair: rear of 171 Centre St. Irish. Methodist Church. Married, aged 26. 5 Children, boy 11, boy 8, boy 4, girl 6, and a baby 6 Months old. Husband was Porter in Mr. Grahams Carpet Store on King St. is now in the States, has sent her no Money for the last 4 Weeks. All very clean, and very respectable. Requires Coal and Bread until she receives Money from her husband.

819. Melinda Smith: Mother of Emma Burke (Colored) 26 Christopher St. who is very ill. Visitor thinks she out to have a little Tea, Sugar, &c. with Coal & Bread.

820. Maria Kenna: 115 Elizabeth St. A Colored Widow. Out when Visitor called, saw her 3 Children who said Mother was out at work A boy 9, and two girls 4 & 2, might require assistance but must give her own account to the Board.

821. Mary Ann McNamara: rear of 72 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 27 years of age 2 Children (girls) 10 & 2. Not at home when Visitor called, was given to understand that she was begging. The room had a dirty forlorn appearance. Not thought worthy of assistance.

822. Emma Jackson: has left 24 Louisa St.

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823. Margaret Dunsmore: 203 Centre St. See report of former years. Her husband came out of Gael yesterday.

824. Caroline Arnold: rear of 36 Agnes St. Visitor refers to former reports, and recommends Coal & Bread.

825. Elisa Wheat: 69 Albert St. Coal and Bread. see former report.

826. Charlotte Woolsey: 22 Elizabeth St. sickly. Coal and Bread. Tea Sugar &c.

827. Jane Willis: & Catherine Thompson: 65 Elm St. Visitor cannot recommend on account of the bad Character he heard of them.

828. Phoebe Carling: 27 Elizabeth St. Not at home when Visitor called. Formerly an Inmate in House of Industry. A sort of half Lunatic. Coal & Bread.

829. Eliza Spears: 91 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married, 30 years of age No Children, she appears a clean industrious woman, says her husband has been ill most of last summer, must produce a doctors certificate to that effect.

830. Mary Moffatt: 230 Sayer St. (Colered) Methodist. Widow aged 54, appears much older. In bad health. Bread and Coal.

831. Emma Handy: 92 Agnes St. Colered. Methodist Ch. Widow 71 years of age. No Children, a decent industrious old Woman. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly. Wants no Coal.

832. Michael Shannon: Street opposite 483 Yonge St. 2nd Cottage North side. Irish. R.C. Married. 60 years of age. 6 Children. Boy 15 in Service [dollars] 4 per Month, boy 10, girl 13 has been in Service now at home, Girl 11, girl 9, girl 7. Shannon is an industrious old Man. Bread & Coal.

833. Bridget Halloran: 64 Stanley St. Husband Thomas. Palsied. 15 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. 2 Children (boys) James 11 years old works in a Tobacco factory, John 12 sells papers. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

834. Bridget Murphy: 82 Stanley St. Widow 2 years. Husband was Corporal in 16th Regiment. 4 Children. 2 boys 12 & 8 in House of Providence. Two girls 4 & 2 years old with her. Has been 1 year in Toronto. Bread for four Months.

835. Ann Camp: 31 Stanley St. husband 2 years in the States. 2 Children (Girls) 9 & 6, has been 8 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Charwoman. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once. To have 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal 3 times.

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836. Mary Boyd: 74 Stanley St. Husband in Detroit Gael as a deserter. 5 Children. John 9. Robert 8, both got the measles. Frances 6. Mary 3. Boy not baptized 7 Weeks old. Young Woman, but cannot do outside work on account of her numerous young family. Scotch. Presbyt. Ch. 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal once. Relief for 2 Months, by that time she expects her husband home. 12 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal twice.

837. Bridget Hart: 18 Stanley St. Husband Asthmatic and lame. 4 Children. Thomas 12 in Tobacco factory. John 8. Henry 6. Joseph 5. Irish. R.C. 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

838. Catharine Foley: 84 Stanley St. Widow. 3 Children. Catharine 10. Mary 6. Both at School. James 4. Works for Hughes & Brothers. Irish. R.C. Ch. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once. To have 8 [pounds] Bread and Coal 3 times.

839. Mary McKew: 84 Stanley St. in bed with a lame leg, age 66. Husband 65. A unmarried daughter aged 30, weak intellect. Irish. R.C. 14 years in Toronto. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal once.

840. Bridget Cahill: 18 Stanley St. 14 years in Toronto. From Ireland. R.C. Ch. Husband been living these 3 Months with another woman in Niagara. 2 Children. Mary Ann 13. Michael 9. 4 [pounds] Bread Coal once.

841. Margaret Sweeney: 22 Stanley St. upstairs. Widow. 1 Child, John 13 sells papers. She peddles Apples. 14 years in Toronto. Irish R.C. Coal once & 4 [pounds] Bread. Allowed Coal 3 times and 4 [pounds] Bread.

842. Ann Nolan: 45 Stanley St. Widow. Husband John died a year ago. 2 Children. John aged 12, with a farmer near Newmarket. Richard 9 years going to School. 12 years in Toronto. Irish R.C. Coal once, can do without bread for the present.

842. Mary Carroll: 77 Stanley St. in the rear. Visitor called 3 times and could not find her in.

844. Margaret Murray: 70 Queen St. East. 60 years old. 23 years in Toronto. Spinster. Irish. R.C. Coal once. To have 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal 3 times.

845. Mary Conners: 70 Richmond St. East aged 36. 4 Children. Ellen 18, looking for a place, Catharine 16 at home. Mary 13 and Margaret 6. Irish. R.C. Coal & ^4[pounds]^ Bread.

846. Catharine Martin: 7 Wood St. aged 44. 1 Child, Margaret 14 sickly. No means of living. 16 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Coal once & 4 [pounds] Bread.

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847. Bridget Efferson: 7 Wood St. 65 years old. 60 years in the Country. No means. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

848. Ann Corr: Corner of Carlton and Church St. 50 years old. 20 years in Toronto. only one leg. 2 Children. Mary 16, sickly. Hugh 14. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

849. Mary Cooper: 98 Ann St. 40 years old, sore leg. 3 Children. Ellen 10. Ann 8. Michael 7. Six years in Toronto. Irish R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

850. Margaret Taylor: 94 Richmond St. East 63 years old. Paralysed. 7 years in Toronto, lives on Charity. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread.

851. Ann Campbell: 101 Richmond St. East. No such person to be found.

852. Elizabeth Clark: 12 Queen St. East. 58 years old. 9 years in Toronto. No Employment. W. Methodist, from England. Coal.

853. Margaret Brennan: next Beattys Hotel Adelaide St. East. was not in.

854. Catherine Stuart: 70 Queen St. East. 35 years old. 3 years in Toronto from Peterboro. No family. 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

855. Bridget Hayes: Lane in rear of Cartys Soap Factory. Widow with several young Children. See report of last year. Recommended for Coal twice, and Bread a small allowance for a Month or six Weeks. Irish. R.C. To 8 [pounds] Bread.

856. Mary Johnson: Corner of Caroline and Nelson Streets, opposite Pollacks Store. Pollacks Store is on the Corner of Caroline & Duchess St. Visitor could not find any Mrs. Johnson in that neighbourhood.

857. Mary Stephens: R.C. 109 Nelson St. Widow. 3 Children. 10, 8 and 6 years respectively. Earns her living by sewing and needlework. Says if she could have some Coal now, she might not have to apply again. Visitor thinks she has not been an applicant before, would therefore recommend Coal now, and if the weather continued severe, would let her have it a second time.

858. Bridget Hennessy: 105 Nelson St. Widow. one Child, a boy 13 at home. She is a miserable looking Woman, and seems really in bad health. A "Mrs. Courtney" and her husband are living in the same House, a wretched looking couple. They asked for assistance, and Visitor would recommend Courtney to Saw Wood at the House if there is any to saw, from his appearance it is doubtful whether he could saw a Cord in a Week. Mrs. Hennessy recommended for Coal twice, Bread for 6 Weeks, the Courtneys to have a little bread if they apply.

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859. Johanna O'Brien: 102 George St. A very decent little body. Has been reported upon for several years. Manages to get on through the Summer very well, but with the present price of firing particularly, cannot do without assistance for the winter. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

860. Ellen McDonnell: 102 George St. goes out selling fish &c. and is an industrious Woman. She has a husband who has been a invalid for years. Fit for nothing in the shape of work. See previous reports. Recommended for Coal 3 times. If they apply for Bread a little might be allowed.

861. Johanna McDonnell: rear of 10 Duchess St. An old woman living by herself. Does a little peddling when the Weather is not too severe. Coal twice, and a small allowance of Bread.

862. Mary Graydon: rere of 113 Nelson St. See previous reports. This time the husband is away, and Mrs. Graydons two daughters are at home. They are certainly in a pitiable plight. Visitor feels inclined to recommend them for Coal once, and the Case might be referred again.

862. [case number 862 repeated] Eliza Hasting: 47 Sumach St. Husband such a worthless drunken Character that she has separated from him altogether. She has 5 Children at home, 12 yr. 10 yr. 7 yr. 4 yr. and 3 Months respectively, the boy 7 very ill. Mrs. Hastings scrubs and washed whenever she can get it to do, but work is difficult to be got this time of year more particular. Recommended Coal 3 times, and Bread if she asks for it.

863. Sarah McQuiggan: 26 St. James St. one of two Sisters, old pensioners, see report of previous years. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

864. Johanna Shea: living in the rear of same house as above, a single Woman but unable to get out to Service in consequence of a lame foot. Coal twice.

865. Bridget Driscoll: 325 Queen St. East. One Child a girl 10 years old at home. Irish. R.C. Washes and scrubs, but has very little work to do at present. She is an old pensioner, generally getting something every Winter. Visitor believes her to be an industrious person, and only applies when in need. Would therefore recommend Coal for the Winter, and a little bread.

866. Maria Ray: 133 Queen St. west, seems a respectable person, not quite 3 Weeks since her confinement, and is deserted by her husband, has another Child a girl 3 years old. English. Ch. of Engl. 32 years of age. Recommended for Coal, Soup and Bread.

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867. Mary Gallagher: 311 Queen St. West. Irish. R.C. who with husband applied for relief last Tuesday. See Case 791. Visitor recommended Gallagher to see our Medical Doctor, he came but appeared to be suffering so much pain that he was sent home before the Doctor came.

868. Mary Meredith: 25 Melinda St. Spinster aged 87. Says she is a Member of Methodist Church. Seems in poor health. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly, and Coal 3 times, also Soup if they like to come for it.

869. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. Aged 60. Irish. R.C. recommended for Coal twice, 4 [pounds] Bread weekly and Soup.

870. Elisa Hanning: Watkins lane 4th Door. Widow, aged 55. Irish. Ch. of Engl. 4 Children, Son 17 but not home, boy 12 works sometimes at a Tobacco factory but no work now, boy 7. They appear to be very poor. She works at the factory herself sometimes at [dollars] 1 25 [cents] ~~Month~~ Week. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread per Week, Coal 3 times, Soup. A ration of Tea Sugar &c. on account of the Children who are down with the Measles.

871. Sarah Jane Johnson: in the rear of 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. Married. Irish. Ch of Engl. 5 Children. Girl 14. Girl 11. Girl 4. Boy 9, and boy 6. All at home. These Girls are in good health, and ought to be in Service. Live in a wretched place. The Case left to the Committee to deal with.

872. Catharine Hunt: 12 1/2 Adelaide St. west in the rear. Widow aged 46. Irish. R.C. has 3 Children. Girl 9, two boys aged 7 (twins). Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread weekly. Coal twice and Soup.

873. Elizabeth Monday: York St. Hickmans Lane. Deserted by her husband. Has two Children, girl 10, and boy 4. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread per Week, Coal 3 times, and Soup.

874. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. West. Spinster aged 68. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week, Coal twice and Soup.

875. Ann Kirk: 273 Queen St. west. Widow. Irish. R.C. about 56 years of age, has no incumbrance but herself. Coal twice and Soup, no Bread.

876. Fanny Judge: 132 Richmond St. west. Spinster. Ch of Engl. Irish, has no one but herself, and rent free. Aged 40. Coal once.

877. Mary Madigan: 141 1/2 Adelaide St. west. Widow, aged 60. R.C. Coal, gets bread.

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878. Mary Stewart: 132 Richmond St. Widow. R.C. Irish. Aged 96 She says, to have 4 [pounds] Bread per Week. Coal twice and Soup.

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879. Mary O'Brien: 132 Richmond St. west, aged 61. R.C. Irish. No family. 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, Coal twice and Soup.

880. William Darby: in Case 760, was taken out of this Institution by one of his Daughters, and placed in General Hospital. Debr. 23rd.

881. John Lynch: aged about 11 ½ years. R.C. Church, was sent here by Mr. John Canavan, J.P. [Justice of the Peace] having been arrested for vagrancy in the Public Streets in said city. Mother of the Boy Ann Lynch is in Gael for 2 Months.

882. William Brown: Colored, about 25 years of age, paralyzed. He belongs to Port Hope, and this is the second time that some body in Port Hope sent Brown to Toronto to get into the Poor House as best he could.

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Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr. E. Hobson Esqr, and J. Tyner Esqr.

883. Margaret Corcoran: Visitor expects that she was not out of Bed when he called about 10 O'Clock A.M.

884. Jane Shipp: 7 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 50 years of age. 6 Children not at home when visitor called, and as he finds her account each year differs from the former he (the Visitor) wishes to know more about them.

885. Alice Turner: 65 Elm St. Visitor did not call here, having heard a bad account of the House and its Inmates.

886. Bridget Moran: 40 Louisa St. Irish. R.C. Widow 40 years of age. Husband died about 10 days ago after a long illness. No Children in Canada. Visitor was told that she is a steady industrious Woman. Is troubled with bad legs. Appears in great want of assistance. Recommended coal, bread, & Soup.

886. [case number 886 repeated] William Robins: 13 Hagerman St. Canadian. ChofEngl. Married, aged 3{illegible} Labourer. 4 Children, boy 8, boy 6, boy 2, and girl 4 years of age. Not at home when visitor called, but his Wife was, who appears a industrious Woman. Came from the County of Grey about 3 Months ago. Have no claim on the House, might have a little Soup for a time.

887. Sarah Ibbotson: 80 Centre St. called twice, first time out, Second time 10 O'clock A.M. not up.

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888. Sarah Jones: rear of 72 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 61 years of age. In bad health. Daughter 14 works at a Tobacco factory [at] [dollars]1,50 per Week. Mrs. Jones is a clean tidy looking Woman. Recommended for Coal.

889. Sarah McBride: rear of 15 Osgood Lane. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Married. 28 years of age. 2 Children, boy 4 years, and a baby 2 Weeks old. Husband a worthless drunkard left some Months ago for the States. She will require bread and Coal.

890. Ann Flavin: 79 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 36 years of age. Husband went to the States 4 years ago. She was an Inmate in House of Industry about 12 Mth. ago. Says she has been in Service for the last four or five Months.

891. Sarah Freeman: rear of 16 Agnes St. See former report. She has been at work for Mr. Wagner at 75 [cents] per day. Daughter near 20 years of age doing nothing, ought to be in Service.

892. Jane Bark: 58 Centre St. Reeves Bakery, which is a closed House & appears empty.

893. Mary Edwards: North of 205 Centre St. Colered. ChofEngl. Widow aged 29. 4 Children. Girl 16 in Service for her Clothes, girl 12 also out for her Clothes, boy 9 & boy 4. Industrious Charwoman. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per Week, Soup & Coal.

894. Elizabeth Ann Lawson: rear of 38 Centre St. Colered. Baptist Ch. Widow aged 38. 3 Children, a girl 13 returned from Service in bad health, girl 8, girl 6. All at home, a clean industrious Charwoman. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per Week. Coal & Soup.

895. Harriett Hawkins: rear of 10 Edward St. English Church. English. Widow 40 years of age, two Girls 11 & 7 years of age, eldest in Service at 10 {dollars} per Week. An industrious Woman but little work. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread per Week & Coal.

896. Elizabeth Johnson: rear of 38 Centre St. Baptist Ch. 65 years of age. Not able to work. Receives Bread, requires Coal also.

897. Mary Finnigan: York St. Shanty opposite Capt. Prince's. Is a Widow aged 52, R.C. Irish. Has two boys, one aged 12 and one age 10, both going to School. Recommended for 6 [pounds] of Bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

898. ~~James~~ William Moor: Corner of Front & Simcoe St. aged 51, and Wife 48. English & ChofEngl, two Children (girls) at home, one 12, the other 10, are selling papers, it is to be feared that if something is not done they will follow the steps of their two older Sisters who have gone to ruin. Recommended a full allowance of Bread & Coal, Soup.

899. Anastatia Dwyer: 132 Richmond St. west. Not at home when called upon.

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900. Joanna Moore: rear of 32 Boulton St. Married, aged about 28. Husband away, had a splendid black Eye when Visitor called, her leg was sore & swollen. A regular filthy place all over. Recommended nothing.

901. Elisa Lipsett, 118 Adelaide St. west. Married. Aged 52, husband about the same age. Church of England. English. Husband works a little at Shoemaking but cannot do much. A very respectable and worthy couple and have seen better days. They are getting Bread. Recommend for 900 [pounds] Coal, to be sent all at once.

902. Ann Lloyd: 116 Adelaide St. west. Wesleyan Methodist. A delicate woman and worthy of aid. Receives Bread, to have 900 [pounds] Coal sent at once.

903. Sarah Tomlie: York St. Shanty opposite Capt. Strachans. Widow aged 43. 4 Children. 3 Girls 11, 8, and 5 years respectively, and 1 Boy aged 9. Irish. R.C. This person deserves assistance, she is bringing up her Children very well indeed, and fitting them to be useful by sending them to School and otherwise training them to industry.

904. George Dunning: 64 Front St. over Liverpool Hotel, 5th Story. Married. 4 Children. David 14 Mary 13 do odd jobs, Sarah 9, one married. Came 5 years ago from Hertfordshire England. Ch. of Engl. lived for a time at Napanee, then went to the States. Did not see Dunning who is a gardner by trade. Coal twice, can do without ^Bread.^ ^No claim a Stranger in Toronto.^

905. Honora Boylen: Widow 20 years of Thomas. One daughter married here, one married in Collingwood, one boy went to the States 2 years ago. Has been 10 years in Toronto, from Ireland. Aged 65. R.C. lives alone at 44 Front St. up stairs. 4 [pounds] bread Weekly, and Coal once.

906. "Catharine Mooney" & "Elizabeth Smith" 28 Frederick St. up stairs. See reports of previous years, these persons still occupy the same room. 4 lv. Bread each, and Coal once to each.

907. Eliza Lang: near Corner of Palace and Parliament St. Called at half past 4 OClock P.M. Not in.

908. Bridget Gerrow: 86 Front St. East. Called here at half past 4 OClock not in.

909. Isabella McAdams: 27 1/2 South Park St. See report of previous years. Daughter Maria at Service with Mrs. Martin Berkely St. Coal once & 6 [pounds] Bread.

910. Hugh Hammond: 483 King St. East. 7 Children. Eliza Mary 18. Mary 16 both at service. Catharine 11. William John 7. Margt. Ann 4. Thomas 2. A Girl 3 Months. Irish. Presbyterian. Carpenter by trade, was hurt by a fall some years ago still feels the effect in his shoulders. Can do without Coal. 8 [pounds] Bread on account of family.

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911. Amelia Delaney: 41 Stanley St. 65 years of age, just out of Gael where she has been for the last two ~~years~~ Months. Has been an Inmate in House of Industry several times. Irish. ChofEngl. Coal and Bread.

912. Mary Finlan: 82 Stanley St. 60 years of age. Husband sick. Daughter Ann 12. R.C. Irish, gets Bread. To have Coal also.

913. Mary Jamieson: corner of Victoria & Stanley Streets. 35 years old. 13 years in Toronto. R.C. Irish. Coal once.

914. Bridget Kett: 33 Shuter St. 64 years old. No one but herself. R.C. Irish. 4 [pounds] Bread weekly and Coal.

915. Catharine Hughes: 71 Richmond St. East. 65 years old. Hunchback not able to work. Church of Engl. Irish. Widow. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

916. Bridget Hunt: 100 Richmond St. East. 40 years of age. Widow. 4 Children, Margt. 9, Bridget 7, John 5, Thomas 3. 11 years in Toronto. R.C. Irish. To have 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly & Coal.

917. Margaret Conley: 93 Ann St. 33 years old. Widow. 2 Children, Ellen 9, and Mary Ann 7. Seven years in Toronto. Heart disease. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

918. Margaret McCabe: 71 Stanley St. 40 years old. 1 Child, Mary aged 7. Irish. R.C. Church. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

919. Timothy Harrington: 24 Stanley St. No such person to be found.

920. Mary Smith: 93 Stanley St. 55 years old. 14 years in Toronto, lame with Rheumatism, not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

921. Catharine Darcy: 95 Stanley St. 25 years old. No one but herself. Has sore Eyes. Recommended for 5 [pounds] Bread. No Coal.

922. Mary McCarthy: 82 Stanley St. 40 years old, one Child, a girl 3 years old. 14 years in Toronto. Widow. Asthmatic. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

923. Henry Hall: 22 Stanley St. Not in. 2 Children, very poor, no stove, cold House and no furniture. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

924. Mary O'Brien: 7 Wood St. ~~15~~ 50 years old, 18 in Toronto. 2 children, John 10, Susan 8. Widow. R.C. Irish. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coals.

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925: Thomas Sheehan rear 175 Queen St. East. Could not be found.

926. Bridget Kelly 88 Victoria St. 55 years old . 3 Children . Mary 9. Catharine 6. Margt. 3 . 14 years in Toronto . Widow two years. 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

927. Catharine Edwards 108 Adelaide St. East . 50 years old. 2 Children, Caroline 1 George 9. 19 years in Toronto. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

928. Margt. Brennan: rear 108 Adelaide St. East. 60 years old. Irish. R.C. 14 years in Toronto. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

929. Ann Cummins: rear 89 Ann St. 38 years of age . Short sighted. Irish. RC Lives with another woman both very poor. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

930. John Black: Near the Corner of Queen & Berkely St. the end of a lane running back from Berkely. Case reported upon last year . Mrs. Black a very respectable industrious Woman. her husband half cracked and really not capable of doing any manual labour except to trash his Wife once in a way! On her account Visitor thinks assistance should be given, would therefore recommend them for Coal, say 3 times.

931. Mary Rogers: 330 King St. East. Widow. 1 Child. A very decent old lady. Tries to do what she can to earn a living, by selling newspapers etc. Has suffered for a long time from very weak Eyes, a complaint which interferes very much with doing her work. while there is snow on the ground for instance, with a bright Sun, she has great difficulty in using her Eyes at all. Winter Months to have Coal say 3 times.

932. Catharine Keating: 332 King St. East. Reported upon last year. Husband & Wife, a wretched helpless Couple. Cannot do otherwise then recommend them for fuel as Visitor believes they would otherwise with cold and hunger. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of Bread.

933. Catharine Edwards: 21 Power St. Husband absent in the States. Has two Children, Boy and girl one of them quite idiotic. Recommended for Coal once and Bread for a Month, and the Case might be referred again to have 6 [pounds] Bread for a Month.

934. Ellen Courtney: next to 115 Nelson St. reported upon last week.

935. Bertha Stinson: 122 Duchess St. An old pensioner. See reports of previous years. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

936. Mary Ann Dunlop: must give her Number on Berkely St.

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937. Elisa Littledale: Corner of Duke & Berkely St. A widow with 3 Children. An industrious Woman, and Visitor thinks quite deserving of relief. The Children have lately been ill with the Measles. Recommended for Coal twice, and should the weather prove very severe afterwards, a third supply, which most likely she will not ask for unless she is really in need. Bread for 6 Weeks.

938. Ann Franklin: 54 Dummer St. A widow in prime of life. Out working when Visitor called. Has two or three days work in the Week. Takes a bed room from a Mrs. Ryan, and uses her Cooking Stove. Has a boy 9, and a girl 7. Irish. R. C. Not recommended.

939. Alice Torphy: 365 Adelaide St. west. alias Flanagan. Has two girls 9 and 2 years respectively. Has only one room and not very tidy at that. Washes for a living, sober and industrious. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

940. Elizabet Keely: Vanauly St. No. 5 Baxter's Houses. Aged 43. Husband away for years, sews for a living in which she is helped by a daughter 22 years old. Has 3 other daughters at home. One 19 years of age has a sore finger & unable to go to service, 2 others 11 and 7. Also one boy 17 very ill from fever and ague & quite unfit for work. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal and Bread for a Month.

941. Catharine McNulty: 27 Renfrew St. a widow 44 years old. Has one boy 14 who usually works in Tobacco factory but is now out of Employ, and one girl 10, ready to do any work but finds it hard to obtain employ. A Nova Scotian. R.C. Coal & Bread.

942. Ann Downs: Lane between William & Dummer St. No. 22. Husband out of work and cannot find any, 5 Children at home (and one in Service for her Bread) 2 boys 9 and 2 1/2 years. 3 girls 7. 6. 4. A very untidy House. Not able to buy Soap. Irish. R.C.

943. Margaret Keating: 36 Esther St. Could not find her

944. Elizabeth McMullen: 17 Oxford St. out when Visitor called, a Widow 43 years old. A cold uncomfortable house- A sober industrious Woman. Finds it hard to get work. Has two boys 12 & 11, and two girls, Twins 8. and another 3. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

945. Jane Clark: rear 60 Dummer St. out begging when Visitor called - unmarried and has a Child at breast. There is an old woman living with her who saws her wood. Said to be a steady woman begs for a living. Irish. Presbyt. Church. Left to Committee .

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946. Rebecca Nelson)

947. Janet Histed) Mother and daughter live together at 33 Oxford St. Rebecca Nelson is 53 years old, a Widow. The daughter is 23 whose husband has abandoned her. Has a boy 7 and a girl 2, & expects to be

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confined in February. very poor. sews for a living. Scotch. Presbyt. Church. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

948. Priscilla Cook: Corner of Queen & Esther Streets over Dun [Dunn] the Butchers. Not at home when Visitor called. A Widow with a boy about 7 years old. Said by Mr. Dun [Dunn] to be sober and industrious. Recommended for Coal.

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Present Messrs. W.J. MacDonell. E. Hobson & J. Tyner

949. Catharine Ryan: next to 53 York St. Lives with Mary Finnigan for the present says has two Children, Visitor did not see them. Will visit again-

950. Mary Ann McDonald: 59 York St. Shanty. Aged 59. Husband not in, not long in Toronto, very difficult to get her to answer questions which Visitor put to her. Wants to see the husband. They have no Claim on this Char{ity}.

951. Hellen [Helen] Boyd: 273 Queen St. West. Widow. R.C. Irish. Aged 40 1 Child at house aged 18 Months. Visitor doubts her being a Widow, would not answer direct. The case left for the Committee to decide.

952. Mary Pollard: 261 Queen St. West. Widow. Ch of Engl. Irish. Aged 60. Had assistance last year. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, Coal 3 times, & Soup.

953. Sarah Bloomer: 21 Melinda St. Widow. Ch of Engl. Irish. No familie [family] - appears tidy. 4 [pounds] Bread weekly, Coal Twice, and Soup.

954. Anne Stacey Dwyer: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged about 55. Lives rent free. She is in the habit of nursing Ladies in their confinements. Has a daughter married , one at home just 13 learning the dressmaking. Case left to the Committee.

955. Margaret Kennett)

956. Mary Marks) 133 Queen St. west, both young persons. The Visitor recommends nothing, considers them able to earn their Living.

957. George Kerr: a young Man with a Wife and one Child, recommended by Mr. A. Hamilton for Bread and Coal. Refused by the Committee.

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958. Margaret Corcoran: 155 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 35 years of age. 6 Children, girl married, boy in the States does nothing for her, 4 at home girl 10, girl 6, boy 8, and boy 3 years of age. A Charwoman, work very scarce, She appears very poor and much in want of assistance. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal for the season.

959. Josephine Moore: 110 Edward St. Colored. M. [Methodist] Church. Married. 19 years of age baby 2 Months old. Came from Rochester a Month ago, says her husband left her, ought to go back having no Claim on Toronto.

960. Sarah Ibbotson: in Case 887. 80 Centre St. English. Ch of Engl. Married Aged 40. 6 Children. girl 11, girl 9, girl 7, boy 5, and boy 3 years of age, and a baby 2 Weeks old. Husband a Carpenter in bad health, not able to work more than half his time. The Woman is not strong either. To have 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly & Soup.

961. Rose Clohassy: 37 James St. Irish. R.C. Married. Aged say 35. 2 Children, girl 6 & girl 3 years old. Charwoman. Complains of work being very scarce, husband in the Hospital, in Consumption. She will bring a Doctors certificate. Recommended for bread and Coal.

962. Jane Burke: is not known at 72 Centre St. or at 58, this is the second time Visitor has been looking for and could not find her.

963. Mary Carroll: rear 77 Stanley St. 40 years old. 3 Children Catharine 8, Michael 4, John 2. Has been 10 years in Toronto. Husband dead 3 years. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

964. Julia McCarthy: 39 Stanley St. Not in.

965. Rachel Mesnard: 75 Stanley St. no such person.

966. Ann Moore: 97 Richmond St. East. 15 years in Toronto Aged 50. Irish Ch of Engl. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

967. Mary Glover: 71 Richmond St. East. 40 years old. 5 Children, Mary 12, Jane 10, Sarah 8, Ellen 5, Lizzie 2. 12 years in Toronto. Husband in the States. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

968. Ann Campbell rear 101 Richmond St. East. 48 years old. 2 Children, George 14, William 9. Sprained her foot not able to work - 13 years in Toronto - Chof Engl. Irish. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

969. Agnes Slavin: 196 Mutual St. Aged 29 years. 2 Children. William 3, John 1 year old - Canadian, born at Whitby. Methodist Church. Widow. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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970. Grace Slavin: 196 Mutual St. 50 years old. 2 Children. Mary 10. Bridget 7. Husband dead. 14 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

971. Margaret Hopkins: 53 Ann St. Not in. Called at House of Industry where her Case is well Known. Committee allowed Coal twice.

972. Sarah Edmonds: 21 Queen St. East. 65 years old. Husband 71 years. 19 years in Toronto. Labourer not able to work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread and Coal.

973. Arrine Churchill: Coloured. College St. East of St. Stephens Church. Widow 47 years old. Takes two rooms from a Mrs. Steward, & has only a Wood Stove. one boy at home nearly 9 years old. Sober and industrious. Born in Charleston S.C. [South Carolina] Ch of England. Recommended for Coal & a Grate and also an allowance of Bread.

974. Ann Downs: See Case 942. Has only been in the City for about 3 Months.

975. Mary Kelly: a Widow. 33. With two boys 8 & 6 years respectively. Has a room without any Stove, but says she can get one, or use her Landladies if she had Coal. As regards this Case. left to the Committee, but recommended for Bread. Says she would work for even Sixpence a day if she could get Employment. Irish. R.C.

976. Amelia Wood: rear of Presbyterian Church Denison Avenue. Visitor could not find her.

[case numbers are repeated]

971. Ann Quinn: 86 Dummer St. a Widow aged 66. No Children. Respectable and industrious, does what work she can, sometimes more, sometimes less With a friend takes two rooms upstairs which are Kept very clean and tidy. Irish. Ch of England. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

972. Margaret Gartland: 86 Dummer St. Husband away from her for 9 years. Does not know whether she is 40 or 80 years old. On account of a broken arm can't work hard. Takes a single room upstairs next to Ann Quinn. Has two girls 14 & 9. The former of whom is home only temporarily. Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread.

973. Margaret Johnson: Living at the Corner of Caroline & Duchess St. Husband left her and went to the States six months ago. Has 2 Children, (Girls) 2 years & 6 Weeks. Badly off for fuel. Recommended for a Month, then to be visited again. Presbyt. aged 25 yrs. Canadian

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974. Margaret Quigly: opposite 101 North Park St. A Widow with 5 Children. She is a hard working industrious Woman. The hovel that she lives in is so wretched that Visitor is surprised they escaped freezing. Coal 3 times & bread. To have a weekly allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread. Aged 41. Irish. Ch of Engl.

975. Elisa Death: 186 King St. East. Her only Son met with an accident this autumn, which has disabled him for a time, but Mrs. Death says that if she could get one load of coal, she does not think she will want anything further, as she hopes between her boy and herself. to be enabled to earn enough to Keep them without applying again to the House. To have Coal twice .

976. Dolly Cannon: 14 Duchess St. Widow. An old Woman. No Children. One of those numerous cases who call for assistance every Winter. Mrs. Cannon manages to support herself through the Summer, but from this time for the next three months, cannot get enough to do to make a living. Visitor for Coal 3 times, and Bread for 6 Weeks. 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly. Irish. R.C.

977. Mary Macnamara: In a yard back of 102 George St. This poor Woman is in a wretched state of health and cannot Visitor thinks live very long, - She has 3 Children, one a boy who is working for a Mr. Shedden and a lame Girl who is learning Cap making, and another little girl who attends to her mother and helps to take care of the House. The boy is earning wages, but the girl will get nothing for a year. Recommended for Coal and Bread for the Winter. Coal to be sent. Also a ration of Sugar for Oatmeal & Tea.

978. Betty Wheeland: In a yard back of 102 George St. A very old Woman. Case reported upon last year. She is living with a family who are badly off themselves. Recommended for Coal say 3 times and Bread for the Winter. Coal to be sent.

979. Mary Pyne: 113 Nelson St. Widow. A daughter living with her who suffers so much from palpitations of the heart as to render her unfit for service or any steady work. Mrs. Pyne herself goes out to wash and scrub. Recommended for Coal twice.

980. Elisa O'Regan: 113 Nelson St. Widow. No Children. A very respectable old Woman Tries to support herself by sewing and Knitting, but her sight is getting very bad now, and she cannot do work enough to support her through the Winter. Recommended to get Coal for the Winter, receives Bread.

981. Mary Wymes: 21 Pine St. There must be some mistake in this address, as Visitor could not find any such Number.

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982. Ann Tovey: rear of 91 Nelson St. Not at home when visitor called, but visited and reported upon last year. Her landlady tells visitor that she is either a Widow or is separated from her husband, has no children, and goes out to nurse, or wash, or scrub. Coal is all she asks for-

983. Hannah Hammill: 482 King St. East. Husband a Carpenter, but in bad health. 5 Children. The husband was not at home and therefore visitor did not see him but the Wife said, that his health was such, that he could work out in the cold, but could only work under cover, and that made it much more difficult for him to obtain employment. Two of the elder Children are earning something, one is in a Tobacco factory. From what Visitor heard of the family through the Revd. Mr. Grasett and Mr. Baldwin he can hardly think that they would apply except from absolute necessity. They ask only for coal, which is recommended. Say twice.

984. Catharine McNamara: next door to the Fire Hall Berkely St. Widow. Living in the same House with Elisa Littledale in Case 937. Has one Child. Recommended for Coal once, and Bread for a Month, and the Case might be referred again to the Visitor is she requires further assistance.

985. Bridget Cruise: 309 Queen St. East. Husband left. Has taken in Bridget Farrell in Case 793. Mrs. Farrell was recommended for Coal and Visitor told them that they must make use of the same Stove, and would recommend Mrs. Cruise for Coal next time, between them say 3 times.

986. John Leahy: 309 1/2 Queen St. East. This man and his Wife are a pretty old couple and certainly not capable of doing much work. Visitor recommended the Man to go to House of Industry to see whether there is any wood to saw, they are certainly very badly off.

987. Mary Clarke: 186 King St. East. Widow. 2 Children and an aged Mother 75 years old and very infirm. Mrs. Clarke broke her leg las Summer, and is in very miserable health. She is a very respectable and Visitor would think very industrious Woman, and well deserving of relief. Recommended for Coal for the Winter and a small allowance of Bread, also a Coal Grate. 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly, Coal 4 times.

988. Bridget Barrett: 47 McMahan St. No such person to be found there.

989. Margaret Otley: rear of 53 Duchess St. Husband nearly Blind. They have one Child. Mrs. Otley herself a pretty old woman. A deserving Case, and recommended for Coal 3 times, and a little Bread for 6 Weeks. 4 [pounds] per Week.

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990. Mary Wardrobe: 48 James St. East. Husband formerly worked in the Rolling Mills (See report of last year), is now doing jobbing work, not being sufficiently strong to go back to the Rolling Mills. They have a large family of Children and an aged Mother to support, and under all the circumstances Visitor feels

disposed to recommend them for Coal once and bread say one Month only. If they require further assistance the Case might be referred to Visitor again.

991. Maria Tiffin: Frederick St. House in a garden off the Corner of Duke & Frederick St's. A very respectable looking woman. Husband went to the States 2 years ago, and has not been heard of since. Mrs. Tiffin supports herself and only Child by working for the ready made clothing shops. She is badly off for fuel however, and Visitor would recommend her for Coal twice. Her Landlady, gives her a very excellent Character for industry.

992. Mary Jennings: Lane in rear of Cartys [Carty's] Soap factory. Widow with one Child. (See report of last year) it is the old story again this time. Not work enough to Keep her in food or fuel. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and Bread for a Month. Bread 4 [pounds] Weekly.

993. Mary Stuart: 21 Power St. Lives with Cathr. Edwards in Case 933. Mrs. Stuart used to get assistance occasionally from the House, Visitor suspects she has been rather a hard Case in her day! But she is now quite unable to work, therefore, recommended to have Coal turn about with Edwards, and a loaf for the Winter.

994. Louisa Miller: Visitor could not find such person, or such a Number as 133 Duchess St.

995. Bridget O'Brien: 41 Duchess St. Husband and one Child. Husband says he is in bad health, and more over can not get anything to do. Visitor has desired him to call at the House. First because the Medical Man to pronounce upon his fitness for work, and secondly because if he can do anything to test his willingness by giving him wood to saw.

996. William Booth: Corner of Caroline & Duke St. No such person can be found.

997. Mrs. Dunlop: opposite a Tavern on Berkely St. Must bring her Number.

998. John & William Sturgess: in Case 656, The Committee order Superintendent to send these Children home to their father who is Keeping House in rear of Palmer the painter Adelaide St. West. Committee considers that the father is well able to support his Children.

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999. The Committee for accepting Tenders for the supply of "Groceries", "Meat", "Bread", and "Milk" for the ensuing year, met this day (Friday) at 3 OClock P.M.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

The following Tenders were opened –

David Bee: Bread for the ensuing year at the rate of 10 [cents] per 4 [pounds] Loaf.

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M. Naismith: at the rate of 11 [cents] per 4 [pound] loaf.

W.& G. Coles: at the rate of 10 [cents] per four pound Loaf best quality.

After careful consideration W.& G. Coles Tender was accepted.

The Bread Tender will be on the same Conditions as it was last year. See Case 1093 in 1864.

Margaret Harpers: Tender for Milk at 5 [cents] per quart was accepted, hers being the only Tender in.

John Wickson: offering to supply the Institution with Soup Meat, at the rate of 3 dollars and 48 [cents] per 100 [pounds].

Alfred Huty: offering to supply the same for 2 dollars and 20 [cents] per 100 [pounds]. Alfred Huty's Tender was accepted.

Dodgson Shields & Co.'s Tender for Groceries for the ensuing year was accepted, being the only Tender in.

1000. Thomas Sheldon: 50 years of age. ChofEngl. Native of England. Says has been travelling about looking for work, seeks admission for a few days to rest himself.

1001. Mary Cary: and 2 Children, Thomas and Mary Ann. Says came from Port Hope, intends going to Hamilton where her husband has work. Asks shelter for herself and Children for a few days. Irish. R.C.

1002. Patrick Flannagan: 40 Irish. R.C. intends going to Kingston where he has friends. Seeks admission for a few days.

1003. Philip Ryan: Irish. R.C. aged 30, and Henry Miller aged 35. English. ChofEngl. From Whitby, looking for Employment, desire to stay til [till] Wednesday.

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Tuesday 2nd January 1866.

Present the Revd. Mr. Williams & Mr. E. Hobson

1. Sarah Yorston: 35 Oxford St. Husband went to Sarnia two Months ago looking for work. Not since heard from. Lives with a Mrs. Nichol using her stove at present, but having one of her own she purposes setting it up in another part of the House. Has 2 girls, one Six years, the other four Months. washes for a living, having work varying from 1 to 3 days per week. Canadian, Ch.ofEngl. Coal twice with bread and soup.

2. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope St. not at house when visitor called. According to creditable neighbours both drink. Without Children. Healthy and usually at work. Not recommended. 30 Jan; wrote Mrs. Cassels Visitor would call and relief be granted above if deserving {C}

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3. Mary Ann Wells: 228 Queen St. west. A widow aged 33. Takes a room over a shop. Has one girl at home aged 13 years, and two others in Service. Sews for a living, and sometimes does other charwork. Irish. Ch. Of Engl. Coal.

4. Margaret Keating: South side of Charles St. between Esther and Denison Avenue. About 50 years old - Husband in the U. States for 2 years. Has 4 Children, 3 boys 9 1/2, 8, 10 and 1 girl 6. washes for a living, getting two half days per Week. Very poor. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

5. Susan Woods: opposite Judge Wilson Spadina Avenue. a Widow. Coloured. Aged 65. Lives alone in a very uncomfortable house. Industrious. Canadian. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup.

6. William Brown: 566 Queen St. west. A Butcher without much Employment. His wife in gael for smashing Windows. Their only Child living with some friends. Said to be very dispirited. When Visitor called was employed in earning a quantity of excellent hardwood, and therefore is not in any present want of Coal. No doubt is very poor. If the Committee will give a little bread, so let it be. Committee decline {doing anything}

7. Mary Grace: 27 Richmond St. west. There is no such no such number on Richmond St. it is a vacant Lot between two Churches, Dr. Jennings and a Wesleyan.

8. Margaret Silvers: 47 Boulton St. Married. aged 29. Husband away. Has 3 Children. Girl 10. Boy 7. Girl 4. Husband a Colored Man aged 25. She is Irish. R.C. Has a wretched dirty poverty stricken place. Visitor supposes it would be best to assist them. She Scrubs &c. but does not get much to do. The girl aged 10 should be out to work. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread, Coal twice, and Soup.

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9. Mary Stephens: 93 Ann St. 55 years of age. Widow. 17 years in Toronto. Has one daughter married and living in Toronto. Irish. R.C. To have Bread & Coal.

10. Martha Kenna: 108 Adelaide St. East. 50 years of age. Husband dead 6 years. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 4 [pounds]. Bread and Coal.

11. Ellen Armstrong: 108 Adelaide St. East. 56 ears of age. No family, 39 years in Canada. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 [pounds] Bread, Coal once.

12. Mary Wilson. 37 Stanley St. 60 years of age. 13 years in Toronto. Sore Eyes and lame. Roman Catholic. Recommended 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

13. Julia Fraser: 82 Stanley St. 30 years of age. Husband 29 years. 12 years in Toronto. 2 Children, Ann 7 years, Henry 5. Can't get work. As the Case is well Known at the House the Committee refused relief. No Cause of want but idleness.

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14. Margaret Greaney: 70 Richmond St. East. 45 years of age. 3 Children Michael 11, John 9, Mary 7. 18 years in Toronto. Husband dead 4 years. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread and Coal.
15. Mary Smith: 100 Richmond St. East. No such person to be found.
16. Susan Charbotte: 22 Richmond St. East. 54 years old. Husband dead. 27 years. 3 in Toronto. 3 Children, Sophia 17. Fanny 15. Joseph 11. Irish ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal.
17. John Richardson: rear 45 Carlton St. 67 years age. 11 years in Toronto, one Son Married (a Lamplighter) with whom he lives. Not able to work Irish. Chof Engl. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread, and Coal twice.
18. Elizabeth Sibbett: is not known at 110 Edward St.
19. Mary Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. Not in when Visitor called.
20. Theresa Thoroughgood: 115 University St. Recommended for Soup. See former report.
21. Ann Conner: 19 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Spinster. 67 years of age. a decent industrious old woman. Recommended for her usual quantity of Coal.
22. Catharine Potts: 115 University St. See former report. No relief until her daughters go to Service.
23. Jane Cochrane: Not Known at 23 Elizabeth St.
24. Alice Allen: 234 Elizabeth St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Widow aged 62. See former report. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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25. Mary Philbrick: 34 Louisa Philbrick is a steady industrious Woman was out charing when Visitor called. Has one Child a boy aged 9 years. German. ChofEngl. Will call again.
26. Mary Gormley: 69 Louisa St. was not at home when visitor called. Boy 9. See former report. Lives by begging.
27. Sarah McDonald: rear of 224 Sayer St. Canadian. Ch of Engl. Married. 22 years of age. Near her confinement- Husband went to the States 7 Months ago lived in Toronto 4 years. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal - To have also a ration of Sugar Tea &c. during her confinement.
28. Elisa Benton: rear of 38 Centre St. Coloured. E.C. [English Church] Widow. 32 years of age. one Son aged 11 years. A steady clean industrious woman. Visitor thinks she might do without assistance.

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29. Margt. Walsh: rear of 151 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 53 years of age. 3 Children, girl 19 married. Girl 12, and boy 17, both at present out of employment. They are a well conducted industrious family. Has been in a bad state of health for some time. Recommended for Coal and Bread.
30. Mary Doherty: 28 Frederick St. upstairs. Husband John went to the States 2 years ago, last heard from in a Hospital at New York. Her first application. 19 years in Toronto, from Ireland. Aged 34. 3 Children, Margaret 12, Michael and Patrick 8. R.C. Coal and 6 [pounds] Bread.
31. Mary Hayes: 66 Palace St. in the rear. Visitor called thrice; could not find her at home.
32. Ellen Casey: 74 South Park St. See report of previous years. Still complains of sprained arm. Better show it to the House Doctor. Lives now with Tom Williamson. Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread.
33. Mary McCarty: 78 South Park St Not at home. Husband died 3 Weeks ago. 1 girl, Mary aged 4 years. Irish. R.C. The particulars furnished by Ellen Casey who was making a New Years call upon Mrs. McCarty. Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread.
34. Eliza Long: Parliament St rear Corner of Palace. Called at 1/2 past 1 p.m. Not at home.
35. Bridget Gerew [Geroe]: 86 Front St. East. Heard from her Son a few week's ago, but he sent her no assistance. He was then in some out of the way place in the Western States. See report of last Winter. To have 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal once.

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36. Mary Martin: 104 Pine St. Her Case reported upon last year, and there is nothing new to add. She is very anxious to obtain some Knitting and says she can quilt very well, if she could only get it to do. Recommended for Coal 3 times. Committee will also allow 4 [pounds] Bread per Week.
37. Bridget Hayes: 325 Queen St. East. Deserted by her husband who was a drunken worthless character, and has left her with four Children the youngest only seven Months old, and the oldest not more than 10 years. Mrs. Hayes does her best Visitor thinks to support herself and family, and would therefore recommend her as deserving of both Coal and Bread.
38. Catherine McKew: 75 Caroline St. living with an old woman by the Name of
39. Ellen Brown, also a pensioner of the House. Mrs. McKew's husband after giving her a severe beating and otherwise ill treating her, took himself off and had not been heard of for the last six Months. Mrs. McKew works for the Tobacco factory, and has one of her Children with her there also, the others are not able to do anything towards their own support. Mrs. Brown has given them a share of her room upon condition that they shall do such little things for her as lighting the fire, bringing up water etc. which her feeble and infirm state rends it difficult for her to do herself. Visitor would recommend that

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they be allowed Coal turn about with each other. Some Bread for McKew. If Mrs. Brown could be allowed a little Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal etc. occasionally - She is very feeble and any such allowance would be a great boon to her - Her Stove is quite unfit for burning Coal.

40. Mary Eagan: 39 Duchess St. An old pensioner. A very decent old lady. She sells fish, Eggs, poultry etc in Summer, but cannot do without some aid in Winter. Recommended for Coal four times, and a small allowance of Bread on account of a grand child living with her. Say for 2 Mos.

41. Ann Wilson: rear of 41 Duchess St. Another old pensioner. See report of previous years. Has put off her application as long as she could this year. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a loaf of Bread, say for 6 weeks.

42. Ann Hart: Living next door to 41 Duchess St with her Son in law Reddikin, she has a large family to support, and can hardly get work enough to keep them from want. Visitor would therefore recommend that the old Woman Hart be allowed Bread for the Winter.

43. Mary Somers: in the lane behind Cartys [Carty's] Soap factory. Widow. One Child (a sickly boy) at home. Washes & scrubs, and does her best to earn a living, but cannot do without some assistance during the Winter. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

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44. Mary Anderson: must call on Visitor and show where she lives , which is certainly not next to Cartys [Carty's] Soap factory -

45. Ann Bagly: 81 George St. See report of previous years. A very decent hard working woman. Recommended for Coal during the Winter.

46. Mary Wymes: 107 Pine St. Widow with 3 Children, a miserable creature living in a miserable hovel, and so stupid that she can not even ask the Number of her house from a Neighbour, but brought the wrong one several times. She works in the Tobacco factory, but at present she is suffering from an attack of fever and ague. Recommended for Coal 3 times, & Bread for a Month.

47. Mary Ann Joslin: 438 King St. East. Widow 4 Children at home. all young, The eldest 10 years old the youngest 1 year. Visitor thinks Mrs. Joslin is a very respectable hard working woman, and would therefore recommend her Coal for the Winter, receives Bread.

48. Bridget Bennett: like Mary Anderson in case 44, had better go and show Visitor where she lives, as he (Visitor) quite failed to find her at 14 McMahon St.

49. The two Misses Smith: at 46 McMahon St. The Visitor strongly recommends them for Coal during the Winter, They are two very respectable old maids, now reduced to great poverty. Their Nephew (Smith)

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was formerly in the Harbour Masters Office, and entirely supported his Aunts, and since his death they have been struggling on, until at last they now depend upon assistance of some Kind, to enable them to live.

50. Murtagh Kearney: must come and show the Visitor where abouts on Power St. he lives.

51. Mary Dunlop: 61 Queen St. East, is in St. James Ward.

52. Mary Stuart: 22 Power St. A very hard old Case, but perfectly destitute. and will certainly starve unless some fuel and Bread be allowed her.

53. Bridget Hughes: 325 Queen St. East. Not in when Visitor called.

54. Margaret O'Brien: 12 Duchess St. Widow. No Children, an old Woman with sore Eyes, and cannot do any out door work such as peddling in Winter time. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a loaf of Bread.

55. A Mrs. Hunter: in a yard at the foot of Power St. in a small Cottage recommended for Coal, until Visitor can call there.

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56. A Male Child say about 6 Weeks old, was brought to the Institution by Detective Tyner by order of the Mayor. It was found this Morning at 5 Clock near Railroad depot by one of the Look out Men of the 47 Regiment. Sent it out to Nurse with Elizabeth McMullen at 17 Oxford St 9 [at] [dollars] 4 a Month.

57. Mary Winslow: in Case 293 in 1864. Was taken out the Institution by her Mother. January 3rd.

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Present Messrs. Rice Lewis, E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Williams.

58. Susan Woods: Lane off Caroline St. rear of 239 King St. East. Husband John a Sailor, died in Lower Canada 10th July last. 6 Children Elizabeth 10. John 9. Mary 8. Sarah 6. Christina 3. Susanna 9 Weeks. Her Mother Elizabeth Woods, and Uncle Pat McGinnis over 70 years of age live with her. Irish. R.C. 8 [pounds] Bread & Coal. To have 10 [pounds] Bread Weekly & Coal.

59. Margaret McGill: Derby Lane. Not in when Visitor called at 2 P.M.

60. Mary Hayes: rear 66 Palace St. Not in when Visitor called at 1/2 past 1 PM

61. Elisa Gardener: rear of 147 York St. Widow aged 37. R.C. Irish. one Child a girl aged 5 years. A fine Child, but a beast of a Mother, there is another Widow of the name of Jones in the same apartment, they were both in fine humour, Jones lying on the bed and the applicant not well able to articulate, the Cause something stronger then water. Committee must judge for themselves.

62. Mary Frawley: rear of 267 Queen St. West. Husband away in the States. R.C. Irish. Two Children, boy 10, girl 13 Months. She lives with another young Grass Widow. Recommended 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

63. Ann Conner: rear of 87 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 37 years of age. 3 Children, girl 13, boy 11, and boy 8 years of age. all at house. The two eldest have been in Service, she promised to get them out again as soon as possible. Works as a Charwoman. Appears a steady industrious woman. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread, and Coal during the season.

64. Jane Cochrane: 223 Elizabeth St. Irish. Presbyt. Church. A widow aged 60. No family. Sells tape and Needles, but in consequence of bad health and hard times she is not able to make a living. Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious woman. 4 [pounds] Bread, & Coal for the season.

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65. Jane Varley: is not known at 24 Centre St.

66. Irene Burke: 72 Centre St is not known there. This is the third time that Visitor has been trying to find her.

67. Mary Johnson: 20 Elizabeth St. was not at home when Visitor called. Said to be gone out to work. No family. Only a lodger, a most dirty miserable looking place.

68. Catherine Cadwell: 70 Stanley 43 years of age. 2 Children. Ellen 14. Lizzy 12. Husband dead 5 years. Residing for 14 years in Toronto. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal. Committee decided to give no relief, as they are all in good health, and daughters are able to work.

69. Mary Courtney: 84 Stanley St. 26 years of age. 2 Children. Michael 9. John 7. 14 years in Toronto. Husband is in the States these 7 years past, gets no assistance from him. R.C. Irish. Bread and Coal.

70. Jane Bowes: 44 Stanley St. 51 years of age. 4 Children. Rachel 17. Mary Jane 4. Julia Ann 1. Henry 14. Husband in Brantford, 5 months absent. gives his wife no assistance. English. Ch. of Engl. Bread and Coal.

71. Julia McCarty: 39 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called, was informed however that she is worthy of relief.

72. Ellen Seddon: 69 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. Husband dead. 18 years in Toronto. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 4 [pounds] of Bread & Coal.

73. Mary Ann Bennett: 99 Richmond St. East. 60 years of age. Husband dead. One Eye destroyed Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

74. Ann Hare: 108 Adelaide St. East. 61 years of age. Widow. 18 years in Toronto. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

75. Sarah Colwell: 82 Magill St. 52 years old. one boy a sisters Child 9 years old. 12 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Nephew Protestant.

76. George French: 20 Victoria St. 75 years of age very feeble. Ch. Of Engl. Irish. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

77. Mary Durand: Lane East side of Esther St between Charles & Elizabeth, aged 55. Husband 76. Has been confined to bed for a long time. very poor. Unfit to work. Lives by begging. English. Ch of Engl. Coal & Bread.

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78. Sophia Munroe: 71 Bishop St. A poor deserving Widow. aged 45. Lives alone. A bad husband has prevented her working this Summer, and is therefore in very poor circumstances at present, as indeed generally the Case. A Nova Scotian. Methodist. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

79. James Dunwoddy: 59 Camden St. Has been very ill for the last 3 Months, and as yet is quite unable to do anything at all, being scarcely able to move about the House. Lives in a wretchedly uncomfortable House without furniture or proper bedding. Has a Wife (who usually works industriously but is now out of Employment) and 3 Children, all boys, 11, 5, and 3 years respectively. Irish. Ch of Engl. Coal and bread, with an allowance of Tea & Sugar.

80. Johanna Spilling: 518 King St. West. A Widow nearly 60 years of age. 4 Children at home, 2 boys, the elder who has been sick in bed for a year, 13. The younger 6. And 2 girls 8 & 3 years. Knits for a living & is occasionally helped by kind neighbours. House not clean or tidy. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

81. Johanna Handerin: 520 King St. West. A Widow. Lives with a family named Sullivan. Has two Children, boys 8 & 6 years respectively. Afflicted with a bad leg for the last 7 years. The house is a dirty filthy place which being not very far from the Lake ought to be kept clean between the two woman who occupy it. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread.

82. Hannah Stuart: College St. East of St. Stephens Church. A Widow aged 45. Has one girl at home aged 6 years. Industrious. House clean and tidy. Has about one days work on an average in the week. Irish. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

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83. Benjamin Cole: Spadina Avenue, opposite Judge Wilsons. A Colored Man aged 59. Wife 46. Has been suffering from a severe illness all Summer, & is not yet recovered so as to work. A sober industrious Man. Two Children a boy 12, a girl 8. Born in Maryland. A Methodist. Coal and Bread. Also recommended for an allowance of Tea, Oatmeal, Sugar &c.

84. Michael Tobin: rear of 10 Dummer St. Widower aged 50. Saws wood for a living but at present cant get work. Two boys at home, 11 & 8, the latter of which is ill with a heavy cold. The house is wretchedly uncomfortable. No furniture worth speaking of. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

85. Margaret and Mary Ann Murphy: aged about say 3 & 2 years. he Mother having been committed to Goal for Larceny. The Children were sent her by Alderman Vance.

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86. Ann Donnelly: 103 Strachan St. 29 years old. In great trouble. Husband supposed to have been killed in the American War. Has five Children 2 boys 10 & 6. Three girls 8 1/2, 4, 1 1/2. Hard working and steady in habits. Gets two and a half days work in the week. Visitor Knows her to be well recommended by her Employers. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and Bread.

87. Mary Foster: 94 Duchess St. Widow. See report of previous years. A very respectable deserving person. Only applies when work is so slack, that she cannot earn enough to support herself. Recommended for Coal for the Winter

88. Rachel Brown: Berkley St. 104. Husband and four young Children. The Husband is a Carpenter and joiner by trade, but has been in bad health for several Months. He has been working however up to within the last fortnight, when he became so much worse as to be quite incapable of doing any work at all. They have consequently been reduced to very great distress, and are in want both of food and fuel. Visitor recommends them for Coal once and bread for a Month. The Case to be referred again, Visitor would be very glad if the husband could be prescribed for by the Medical Man of the House.

89. Ann Farrell: rear of 92 Duchess St. Widow, one Child. An old Pensioner. a daughter who was deformed, died this last Summer after a great deal of terrible suffering. Mrs. Farrell has been able to do but little for herself in consequence of the long illness of her daughter. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

90. Martha Dyer: 307 Queen St East. Widow. 1 Child. 11 years old. A very respectable woman. Has been in much better circumstances once. She has been ill and unfit for work of almost any kind lately, and Visitor would recommend that Coal be allowed her 3 times.

91. Honora O'Neill: Corner of Oak & Pine St. A very aged Woman and in very feeble health, has one Child a daughter, who does all she can for her Mother by going out to work and scrub, but they cannot manage to keep themselves in fuel. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

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92. Cecily Convey: 75 Caroline St. See previous reports. No change in Mrs. Convey's circumstances, she is hard working and industrious, but cannot manage to get through the Winter without assistance. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

93. Timothy McCarty: 79 Mc Mahon St. has a Wife and one daughter, Visitor thinks him deserving person, who has been trying to struggle on without applying to the House, asks for Coal only once, which Visitor recommends.

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94. Mary Anderson: Rear of House next to Carty's Soap Factory on Queen St. An able Scotch Woman, one of the few Cases Visitor ever had of a Scotch beggar, and believes she is really in want, she has a daughter, living with her or rather she is living with the daughter whose husband is a worthless drunk fellow, who leaves her and her Children to shift for themselves. Coal twice and 4 [pounds] of Bread weekly.

95. Alexander Beatty: Native of Ireland. Aged 65. English Church. Recommended by Hon. G. W. Allen for admission into House of Industry as his state of health is such as to render him incapable of earning his living during the Winter. Admitted.

96. William Smith: aged 66. Native of England. Ch of Engl. Came from the States, thought of getting employment in Toronto , seeks admission for a few days and will then go in the Country and look for work.

97. John Conley: 28 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. From Lower Province looking for work. Seeks Shelter during these cold days.

98. John Purchase: Aged 59. Slightly paralyzed. Has been working about near Scarborough and other places for his clothing and board. Cannot do much in Winter. No settled home. Would like to be admitted into the Institution. English. ChofEngl.

99. James Davis: 29 years of age. Came from Quebec. Travelling about looking for work. Irish. Presbt. Church. Shelter for a few days.

Tuesday 9th January 1866

Present B. Homer Dixon Esq. J. Thom Esq. & E. Hobson Esq.

100. Elizabeth Anderson: is not known at 98 Elizabeth St.

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101. Hannah Ellis: rear of 87 Elizabeth St. See former report. Her Son is now in Service at [dollars] 1 1/2 per Month. Recommended to have 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal twice.

102. Margt. Wilson: 7 Emma St. a steady industrious Woman, eldest daughter in Service for food and clothing. See former report. 6 [pounds]. Bread per Week & Coal.

103. Joanna Hinchey: 5 Emma St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 33 years of age. One daughter aged 9 years in bad health as well as the Mother who is not able to work. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly & Coal.

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104. Bridget Ward: 70 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow about 50 years of age , lives by begging. Visitor is afraid she is a hard Case. One Son 12 years of age in the Reformatory. Cannot recommend the Case.

105. Rebecca Amos: 201 Centre St. See former report. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

106. Mary Lilly: rear of 72 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow. Aged 30. Says she has 2 Children a boy 7 and boy 4. Visitor has his doubts about her having Children, did not see them. A most miserable looking room no furniture. Cannot recommend.

107. Jane Burke: rear 72 Centre St. same house as above (Lilly) Canadian. Ch of Engl. Widow 30 years of age. 2 Children, boy 5 and a boy 8 Months old. Says is not able to work on account of her young Child, she has some furniture, but a dirty looking place. On account of the cold Weather Visitor recommends Coal twice & a little bread.

108. Margaret Flinn: 28 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married, 30 years of age. 1 Child (a girl) aged 5 years. Visitor would take her by her appearance to be industrious can only obtain about one days work in the week. Husband left her about 5 years ago. To have 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

109. Elizabeth Sibbett: 101 Centre St. Edward. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Married, 39 years old. 4 Children, girl 14 in Service for food and clothing, girl 11, girl 9 and boy aged ^4^ at home. Expects her husband was killed in the American war. Not very clean or industrious. 8 [pounds] Bread per Week and Coal.

110. Margaret Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Married 62 years of age. husband not able to do much work on account of very bad legs. Steady couple. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week and Coal.

111. Judy Mullen: rear of 150 York St. up stairs. Husband away. Herself a wretched looking being in a more wretched looking place. About 55 years of age. R.C. Irish. No family. Coal twice & Soup, no bread.

112. Bridget Kearny: 30 Boulton St. Aged 29. R.C. Irish. Husband in Gaol. 3 Children, Girl 11, would like to get a place for her. Girl 7, and boy 9. She does a little work, does not get much. 6 [pounds] Bread per Week. Coal 3 times & Soup

113. Margaret Charlton: 120 1/2 Adelaide St. west. front room downstairs. aged 29. R.C. Irish. 3 Children, aged 10. 8. and 6 respectively. Husband in the American Army: about a year ago he sent her [dollars 25 in Greenbacks. Nothing since. She appears to be a respectable person. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread. Coal 3 times & Soup.

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114. Johanna Strange: rear of 116 Adelaide St. west. Spinster. Aged 50. R.C. Irish. No one but herself. The Committee will please judge for themselves.

115. Jane McIntee: 140 York St. up stairs. Aged 46. Ch. of Engl. Irish. Widow. 2 Girls, one at Service, and one aged 9 at home. Coal twice & 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

116. Emily Fossett: 144 York St. up stairs. Aged 47. Methodist. Irish. She and her husband are apart for about 20 years. A very decent person, must be in great distress before she applied. She expects to be better off before long. To have 600 [pounds] Coal, wants no bread.

117. Mary Ryan: 69 Boulton St. Widow. Colored. 2 Children will soon have a third by all appearances. She is recommended to visitor as a respectable person. Not long in this City, cannot let her perish for want. Recommended for rations for the season.

118. David Porter: Queen St. west, opposite the Black Bull Tavern. See last years report. He is blind. To have the same as last year and his ration of Bread continued through the Summer.

119. Catherine Fahey: 32 Mutual St. 59 years of age. 12 years in Toronto. 3 Children. Ellen 19. John 17. William 15. Widow. does not require any relief, all able to work. Irish. R.C.

120. Betty Bowes: 51 Stanley St. No such person at such number.

121. Bridget Mulrany: 51 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Confined to bed with Rheumatism. 9 years in the City. Husband gone to the States, about these 7 years. 1 Daughter 15 years of age helpless from disease. Irish. R.C. Recommended to have Coal and Bread

122. Jane Clark: 20 Stanley St. 30 years of age. Husband in the Country aged 38. 2 Children. Timothy 4 years and John 2 months. 7 Months in the City. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

123. Jane Hall: rear 81 Stanley St. 34 years of age. Husband 43, unable to work, two Children Girls) aged 8 and 4 years respectively. 12 Months in Toronto. Came from Manchester U.S. ChofEngl. 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal

124. Mary Smart: 108 Adelaide St. East. 54 years of age. Widow. 54 years of age 10 years in Toronto. 1 Grandchild. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal

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125. Patrick Ryan: rear 99 Richmond St East. 58 years of age. Widower. 2 Children. ~~Benjamin 14 William 12~~. Margaret 9. Bridget 7. Unable to work from constant illness. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

126. Ann Cook: 1 Ann St. 45 years of age. 6 Children. Benjamin 14. William 12. James 10. John 8. Anne 6. Elizabeth 3. Husband left her some 12 months ago, a good riddance considering the abuse she received and the little assistance she had from him. English Church. Irish. Recommended for 14 [pounds] Bread per Week and Coal.

127. Margaret Lennon: Lives in a small Shanty off Tecumsett [Tecumseth] St. behind St. Mary's Church, with an old couple to whom she pays half a dollar a month. A Widow 66 years old. no Children. Unable to do much in the way of work, lives chiefly by knitting and by the alms of charitable persons. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Coal twice, and Bread for the Winter.

128. Ann Donelly: 120 Strachan St. A Widow. Does not know her age. Two Children, a boy 7 and a girl 10. Out of work at present. Apparently very steady and industrious, but her employers have gone to the Country. Has a room from a Mrs. Kelly and uses her stove. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

129. Catherine Deary: 101 Strachan St. a widow nearly 50 years of age. Two Children, a Son 19 who has been afflicted with a running sore for a number of years, & quite unable to work for last four years. 1 girl 14. Sober and industrious. At present only one days work in the fortnight. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

130. Sarah McPhail: 316 little Richmond St. Out when Visitor called, but well known to him. A Widow. Hard working. Steady & respectable, but poor. 3 girls. one 15 who has been quite helpless for some time, the others about 10 & 7. Ch. of Engl. Coal and Bread.

131. Bridget Wheeler: lane off William St. No. 20. Not at home when Visitor called. One Mrs. O'Brian with whom she lives and who took her about 3 Months ago out of Charity, says that said Wheelers husband has been away for over a year. Works when she can get employment. Otherwise begs. Said also to be a sober woman. Has 3 Children 1 boy 2 years old, 2 girls 6 & 5. Irish. R.C. The Case left to the Weekly Committee.

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132. Harriet Bassett: rear of 19 Maria St. A Widow aged 37. Has 3 Children. 2 boys 11 & 7. one girl 13. Only about a days work in each week on the average. Apparently sober and respectable. House miserably cold. English. Ch. of Engl. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

133. Mary Short: 58 Dummer St. Not at home when visitor called. A Widow about 70 years of age. Very feeble and helpless. Has one girl 17. weak in mind who helps to take care of her Mother. Lives with a family named Hall and has use of their stove. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

134. Mary Harrison: lane off Tecumseth St. Not far from Richmond St. A Widow aged 38. Has 3 Children, 2 girls 5 & 9, and one boy 12. very cold, uncomfortable, untidy House with but little furniture, gets about two days work per week. Irish. ChofEngl. Coal and Bread for a Month and to be visited again.

135. Ellen Daly: Robinson St. 99. (near Bishop) aged 50, husband 58, who is weakly from a hurt received 8 years ago, and not fit for hard work. one boy 10 years old, and an older one in bad health at present, other Children in Service. A little Child, a girl 2 1/2 years has been left on her hand for whom she receives no pay. Poor. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

136. Johanna Ryan: rear of 53 Duchess Street. Mrs. Hogans Case has been reported upon in previous years. Visitor believes she is really in want, although has his doubts sometimes whether she did not make matters worse by her own folly. Would upon consideration be disposed to recommend her for Coal twice and Bread for a Month.

137. Honora Hogan: rear of 53 Duchess St. Husband and Wife a very old and infirm couple. one little Grandchild living with them. Mrs. Hogan is past work and her husband has a white swelling in one of his Knees, which unfits him for any steady labour. Recommended for Coal for the Winter.

138. Mary O'Brien 115 Nelson St. Widow. one boy. apprenticed out at Jaques and Hayes but lives with her. Mrs. O'Brien sells Apples &c. and does what she can to earn a living. Recommended for Coal twice

139. Murtagh Kearney: 47 Princess St. Visitor has found the old Woman at last. the husband has gone out to some relatives in the Country who took compassion on him during the cold weather. The old Woman to be allowed Coal 3 times and a loaf besides.

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140. Bridget O'Connell: next 126 Berkely St. Widow. 1 boy. 14 years of age. An old woman. She has Bridget Purcell living with her who has also one Child and whose husband deserted her about five years ago. Mrs. Purcell goes out to scrub and wash, Visitor cannot make out that Mrs. O'Connell does anything. She says she is too old. In any case is work is scare enough just now, and if they had Coal between them, say 5 times it would be well bestowed.

141. Bridget Hagan: Lane between Berkely and Parliment running North of Sydenham St. The Case has been reported upon in previous years. Husband a Tailor by trade but in bad health, and very frequently out of work. They have a large family, seven children and several of them had small pox and measles during the past summer and autumn. They have been going downhill gradually, ever since Visitor first called on them some five years ago. Has no proof that either of them drink but it is sad enough to see them worse clad and worse lodged year by year until they have got down to the wretched hovel they now inhabit. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

142. Mary Ann Dunlop: Berkely St. nearly opposite the Fire Mans Hall. Husband has deserted her. She seems a very respectable industrious woman, anxious to do what she can to support her children and is quite deserving of assistance. To have Coal 3 times and a little Bread.

143. Mary Mc Gill & Jane Fraser: are not in St David's Ward

144. Ellen Ryan: Lane between Berkely & McMahon St. running North & South. another case of desertion by her husband. 2 Children. The poor woman was pretty near frozen last night. To have Coal for the Winter & Bread.

145. Margaret McGill: Derby Lane North Side. Husband James a Tinsmith. Went to the States last March, not heard from since. Two Children. William aged 12, Susan 5 with friends in the Country. Irish. ChofEngl. Coal and 2 [pounds] Bread.

146. Mary Rogers: 66 Palace St. in the rear. daughter works for Mrs. Ryan on Caroline St. Mother sells Apples. See report of last Winter. Coal & Bread.

147. Catherine Ellamonge: 50 Front St. 3 Children of her own and a foundling to nurse. Coal and 6 [pounds] Bread

148. Henry Kemp: aged 19 Native of England. ChofEngl. Arrived in New York last Saturday, came on to Toronto. Seems in a weak state of health. Had the ague on Board Ship. Was sent by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

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Present Messrs. B. Homer Dixon. J. Thom. J. Tyner. E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Broughall.

149. Margaret Hunter: on Esplanade, foot of Caroline St. See report of previous years. No word of husband yet. Childrens faces greatly in need of water. Coal and 6 [pounds] Bread. See Case 113 in 1865.

150. Sarah Payne: near corner South Park and Cherry St. See report of last year. Eldest Son has gone to Chicago. Two Children now living with her. Coal and 6 [pounds] Bread.

151. George Dunning: 64 Front St over Liverpool Hotel. They are now in receipt of Coal, but being very destitute Visitor recommend an allowance of Bread also, say at least 8 [pounds] Weekly.

152. Elizabeth McCollach: rear of 118 Adelaide St west. Widow aged 64. R.C. Irish. Has one Grand Child. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per Week. Coal twice & Soup. The Mother of the Grand Child helps her a great deal. She is out most of her time washing &c.

153. Mary Godly: 149 Boulton St. The place was shut up.

154. Mary A. Ryan: Colored. 69 Boulton St. See Case 117. Has got a place for her eldest girl aged 9. She is very anxious of giving the other aged 5 up to the Institution. As she has no way of providing for it, being a stranger in Toronto. Near her confinement and trying to get into Lying in Hospital. The Child to be admitted. The Mother to sign the usual form. admitted

155. Ellen Rutherford: 30 Boulton St. is a regular beggar. Coal once or twice. It may induce the party where she stops to allow her to stay though the Winter. Was not in when the Visitor called.

156. Elizabeth Shannon: 149 Queen St. west. Widow aged 48. Irish. R.C. Has no incumbrance but herself. She picks rags, gets 20 [cents] per day when she works, cannot work in very cold weather, lives with another person. It may be as well to let her have Coal once or twice, and no bread.

157. Mary Morris: 273 Queen St. west. Widow. Irish. R.C. has no family with her. She is a deserving poor woman. To have 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal twice. Soup. She does a little work, cannot do much.

158. Robert Collins: 94 Richmond St. Not at home.

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159. Rebecca Ivory: 19 Shuter St. 40 years of age. Husband dead 4 Months. 5 Children. William 13. Ellen 11. Laura 8. John 6. Frank 11 Months. 20 years in Toronto. Native of Ireland. R.C. To have 10 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

160. John Thomas: 15 Shuter St. 80 years of age. Wife 84. 34 years in Toronto. Helpless from age. Members of the Congregational Church. Native of England. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
161. Richard Bell: next 68 Richmond St. East. aged 65. Wife 50 confined to Bed by sickness. 15 years in Toronto. English Church. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread& Coal.
162. Mary Sheehan: 47 Stanley St. aged 26. Husband in Penitentiary for a term of 10 years. 2 Children. Jerry 5 years, Mary 15 months. 10 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal.
163. Susan Martin: 49 Stanley St. 23 years old. Married. 1 Child 2 years old. 14 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
164. Margaret Lee: 49 Stanley St. 44 years of age. Husband dead. 16 years in Toronto. Roman Catholic. Irish. To have Coal once.
165. Margaret Sherlock: 74 Stanley St. 37 years of age. Husband dead 17 years in Toronto. Suffering from a sore knee. Irish R.C. To have 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
166. Mary Carroll: next to 84 Stanley St. 40 years of age. 14 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
167. Ann Dunn: 93 Stanley Street. Aged 40. Husband dead 2 years. 3 Children. Jane 9. Daniel 8. (Ann 11 in Service) Roman Catholic. Irish. 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
168. Jane Shipp: 7 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 50 years of age. 7 Children, girl 20 and Boy 16 in the Country with friends, no wages. Girl 18 at home in bad health, boy 14 in service at [dollars] 2 per month. boy 10. girl 8. and girl 7 years of age. Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious woman but obtains very little work. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per Week and Coal.
169. Elizabeth Andrews: rear of 89 Centre St. English. Chof Engl. Married. aged 39. 2 girls 9 & 5 years of age, appears a clean industrious woman. Husband unable to work on account of rupture and wand of a proper truss. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread weekly & Coal.
170. Alice Turner: is not known at 55 Centre St.

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171. Jemima Cornell: rear of No. {2} College. English. Baptist Church. Married .48 years of age. Husband left her some years ago does nothing for his family, 4 daughters, one aged 19 in Service at [dollars] 4 a Month, one 17 had her hand burned very bad some years ago, unable to work, one 14 was in Service

but had to leave on account of being subject to Epileptic fits, and 9 years of age at home. A clean industrious woman. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread weekly & 900 [pounds] Coal

172. Catharine Wilson: 29 Louisa St. was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed by the Landlady a respectable looking woman, that Mrs. Wilson is a widow. Irish. ChofEngl. an industrious woman, that works when she can get it to do, has one son 14 years of age who works in a brush factory. Committee to judge when she applies-

173. Catharine Cox: rear of 37 James Street. Irish. R.C. Married, 28 years of age. 2 girls, 2 & 8 years of age, the younger very ill with a large glandular swelling, she appears a decent looking woman, only able to obtain 1 1/2 days work a week. Husband left her 2 years ago, has not heard from him since. 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

174. Ann Henly: 16 Hagerman St. Irish. R.C. Widow 50 years of age. A clean industrious woman. On account of work being very scarce this winter she is obliged to apply for assistance. 2 Boys aged 16 in the States do nothing for her, a girl 15 learning Cloak making no wages, 1 at home aged 9 years. To have Coal for the season.

175. Ann Duvall: opposite Colered Chapel Sayer St. Colered. Methodist. Widow. 67 years of age, a decent old woman, unable to work. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Coal.

176. Jane Smith: 155 Tecumseth St. aged 36. Wife of a pensioner, who is a strong able bodied Man. Has 3 Children, girls 7, 4 and a baby. Not recommended

177. Rose Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. Aged about 60. Husband invalided. Used to sweep Chimneys. Occasionally works for a living. very poor to all appearances dissipated. House dirty and uncomfortable. Irish. R.C. referred to Committee.

178. Daniel Sullivan: 68 Dummer St. Not at home when visitor called. An old man about 60, in delicate health. Not able to do much especially in Winter. Eight Children, 5 boys 13,6,4,2 and a baby, 3 girls 10, 8 and 5. Irish, R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

179. Bridget Franklin: 12 Dummer St. an old Widow, 2 Months in her present home, a bird of passage and only asks a "bit of Bread" while she is here, which is recommended. Irish. R.C.

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180. Fanny Jordan: rear of 15 Maria St. A Widow aged 61. Lives still in her room upstairs without encumbrances. Weakly & unable to do much in the way of hard work. Now suffering from the effects of Bronchitis. House very cold, walls all cracked and ceiling leaky. Irish. R.C. Coal & Bread.

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181. Margaret Eagan: Lane off Dummer St. No. 40. A Widow aged 40. A Vagrant. Evidently does not live at above address, no furniture, was sitting on floor patching an old quilt, apparently awaiting arrival of Visitor. Not recommended until she can give a better account of herself.

182. James Dowling: 34 Nassau St. Out in search of work when Visitor called. Middle aged tolerable hearty Man. Family not of the best reputation. A daughter (aged 18), now at home out of Service in consequence of bad health, said that her father could not find employment. Besides above girl has 4 Children, 3 boys 12, 6 and 3. One Girl 9. Irish. R.C. left to Committee-

183. Mary Courtney: rear 43 Ester St. Age 32. Has received relief for last few years, and therefore seeks it again. She says her husband is out of work, others say he has been in work all the time. Two boys 4 & 1 and 1 girl 9. Apparently in no great need. Left to Committee.

184. Mary Ann Chapman: rear 43 Esther St. Cohabits with a Man Henry Durand who has had his feet frozen while at work. Part of her time she lives at Service. One Child a boy about 5 years. Not recommended, left to Committee. 4 [pounds] Bread.

185. Elisa Komousky: 489 Richmond St. west. Aged 25. Husband in bed from a hurt for about 6 Months. Two boys 2 & 1 years respectively. As far as home duties allow works for the support of the family. Says she is sorry to apply but driven by poverty. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

186. James Reddit: 97 Robinson St. near Bishop. Age 70. Laid up with an injured arm for last 6 Weeks. Wife works at present for his support, when in health he cuts wood for a living. Takes a room from a Mrs. Tole paying [dollars] 1 per Month and using her stove. No Children. English. Chof Engl. Bread for a Month and an allowance of Tea Sugar Oatmeal &c.

187. Phoebe Wilcox: 218 Queen St west. age 26. Husband a barber, but being a very dull unambitious Character cannot drive a business, having taken to sawing wood had his fingers and feet frozen. Wife has been in a delicate state of health for a long time, and her Children have been very ill. The house is a very uncomfortable and unhealthy place, which they are anxious to leave until rent and taxes are paid. They have

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four Children. 3 boys 10, 5 and 3 1/2, one girl 16 months. From New York Presbyterian Church. Recommended for all the assistance the Committee can give at present.

188. Anastasia Hanton: a Widow aged 50. Left in Charge of Mr. Hectors House 24 William St. for two months. Lives in basement. An old pensioner on House of Industry. Has one boy 13 weak in mind. Lives chiefly by alms of "the good people" who know her. Irish. R.C. wants coal. To have a weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

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189. Jane Green: 301 Queen St. East. Widow. 3 Children, the eldest 7 years old. Mrs. Green is a very respectable industrious Woman. She takes in sewing and goes out to work also. She is well deserving of assistance, as although a Widow for four years with a young family to support, she has never asked for assistance so long as she could get work enough to keep her family from absolute want. Recommended for Coal 3 times and Bread for 6 Weeks. The Coal to be sent all at once, and to have 8 [pounds] Bread during the Winter.

190. Mary Nichol: 313 Queen St. East. Husband and 6 Children. This poor woman is stone blind. She has a large family, and what little work in the way of sawing wood her husband can get to do, does not give them enough to pay their rent and buy food and fuel besides. They are in a very wretched destitute state, and Visitor would recommend them for Bread & Coal during the Winter

191. Thomas Hall: 36 Parliment [Parliament] St. Not in St. Davids ward but Visitor called nevertheless. He is an old Man, according to his own account nearly 70 years of age. his wife is also old. They have no Children. He applies for Coal, he says that during the last few cold days, he and his wife were nearly frozen for want of fuel. His health he says is very bad, so that he cannot work except for a day or a two at a time. Recommended for Coal.

192. Mary Dunlop: 63 Princess St. This is one of those Cases in which a wrong address was given, and consequently Visitor failed to see her at her own House, but has seen her since, and is satisfied that she is deserving of assistance, and would recommend her for Coal 3 time and Bread.

193. Henry Whitehead: 59. Native of Yorkshire, England. Has been in Canada 5 years, has had no settled home, jobbing about the Country without friends, feeble for his age, cannot support himself during Winter, worked for his Board and Clothing during the Summer Months. ChofEngl. Seeks shelter for a time.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Doel, and J. Tyner.

194. Mary Kelly: 2 Church St. next Dunn's Blacksmith shop. Husband James a labourer, drinks, and does nothing for his family. 7 Children. Thomas 14 in Tobacco factory. James 12. Timothy 10. Maria 8. (3 last at school) Daniel 6. Jane 4. John 9 months. Irish. R.C. Coal and 8 [pounds] Bread.

195. Ann Ballard: 16 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngland. Married. Aged 30. 3 Children, girl 12 in the Country with a friend, boy 8, and boy 6 years of age. Husband 52 years of age, a School teacher, met with an accident 2 years ago, lost his leg. Require assistance, say 8 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Coal.

196. Julia Howard: rear of 33 Centre St. Colored. Methodist Church. A Widow aged 42 years. One daughter 17 years old has been ill with measles for the last 7 Weeks. Visitor was informed that she is an industrious steady woman. Has little work to do. 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly and Coal.

197. Catharine McCauly: rear of 116 Adelaide St west. Aged 35. Husband very sick in Consumption. 3 Children, Boy 7, girl 5, and girl 2 1/2 years old respectively. She has fuel, only wants Bread. To have 8 [pounds] Bread per week and Soup. R.C. Irish.

198. Bridget Spanton: Reeses Wharf. Deserted by her husband who is English. ChofEngl and the Wife Irish R.C. Aged 24. 3 Children, boy 5, girl 3, and boy 13 months. 6 [pounds] Bread per Week, Coal twice, and Soup.

199. Ann Chamberlain: 116 Boulton St. Married, aged 68. She is very sick, not likely to recover. Husband about 60 years of age. English. A fine simple old Man. His means are nearly exhausted. Up at night waiting upon the Wife consequently can do no work even if he had it to do. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per Week, Coal 3 times & Soup, also a full ration of groceries.

200. Mary Godly: rear of 52 Boulton St. Widow aged 43. ChofEngl. Irish. A sad Case indeed, A Woman in the prime of life, with one Son past 15, and a daughter nearly 8 years, and such a place for a human being to live in. After considerable knocking Visitor heard some one on the move and the door was opened, to enquiries why the door was not opened at first, was told they had been in bed to keep their feet warm, saw a thing they called a bed, on which a little girl of 8 years was lying partly covered and shivering with cold. not a spark of fire, took the Child into the next Cabin to get warmed, when Visitor was informed that drink was the Cause of all the misery, would recommend Committee to judge for themselves, and decide upon the Case. Coal & 4 [pounds] Bread for one Month.

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201. Johanna Strange: in Case 114. Recommended to have 4 [pounds] Bread weekly and Soup daily, as she cannot very well do without it.

202. James Murehead: rear of 56 Duchess Street. An old Man and his Wife. No Children. Murehead is a very respectable decent old Man, willing and still able to work, although not very strong or active now. He got relief once before about two years ago. but he would not apply now were they not in great want. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

203. Ann McNab: 81 George St. Husband Wife, and two very young Children. Visitor found those people in a most wretched condition. The husband workes about the wharves in Summer, loading and unloading vessels &c. In Winter of course he is more or less out of Employment, but he had bought himself a horse and saw, and did what he could in that way to pick up a living. He has been ailing

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however for some weeks, and had been getting medicine from the Hospital. In the mean time they had got into arrears with their rents. and one afternoon the landlord came down upon them, took table, chairs, stove, bed, bedding! and the horse & saw! Found them without any article of furniture save an old tub turned upside down to sit upon! and to add to the wretchedness of the whole thing, the wife is just on the point of being confined! Visitor got them some articles of bedding, and would now recommend them for Coal and Bread. and whenever the Woman is confined, recommended that if the husband applies, he should have a ration of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal &c.

204. Mary Jane Field: 126 Berkely St. Corner house lane in rear. This was the old woman who represented herself as a Widow, and having a young family to support, when she had married again, a man 20 years younger than herself, and had no children living with her! She had good cause to repent of her folly since then however, (1860) and is really a Widow to all intents and purposes now! believes her an object of Charity, would therefore recommend Coal twice.

205. Bridget Barrett: 74 McMahon St. Previously sent in as No. 47. Mrs. Barrett is a Widow, her husband dead about 2 years. She has no Children living with her, cannot get work enough to keep her in food and fuel. Recommended for Coal twice.

206. Sarah Willey: George St next house to Monkhouses tavern off King St. A very old, and very respectable woman, whose Case was reported upon the last two winters. She is well deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal for the Winter.

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207. Ann Johnson: 84 Stanley St. No such person to be found there.

208. Hannah Meally: 84 Stanley St. 28 years of age, husband in the States. 3 Children, Mary Ann 7. Margaret 4. John 17 Months. 11 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

209. Mary Sheehan: 47 Stanley St. See Case 162.

210. Bridget McCarty: 43 Stanley St. 55 years of age. 1 daughter 10 years. 22 years in Toronto. Partially deaf. Irish. R.C. To have 4 [pounds] Bread 7 Coal.

211. Ann Dunleavy. 18 Stanley St. 30 years of age. Husband 40. 1 Baby. 13 years in Toronto. Husband cannot get Employment. Ch of Engl. Irish. Recommended to have Coal once and 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

212. Bridget Halloran: 97 Richmond St. East. 77 years of age. 12 years in Toronto. R.C. Irish. Bread and Coal.

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213. Margaret Kennedy: 133 Queen St. west. Spinster. Aged 31. A Sister with her aged 16. Ch of England. Visitor found 4 or 5 other females in the same apartment at the time he called there. Cannot recommend anything. Committee consider them all able to work. No relief.

214. Archibald McLean: 81 1/2 Stanley St. No person of that name living there.

215. Ellen Dowd: 77 Stanley St. 30 years of age. Husband died in House of Industry 3 years ago. 1 girl 10 with her, recommended for Coal & 4 [pounds] Bread.

216. John O' Neill: 332 King St. East. This man was out when Visitor called. saw his wife. learnt from her and from other sources that matters have not improved with the family since last report (See Case 971 in 1864.) Recommended that bread and Coal be continued to them.

217. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane, same house as Margaret McGill but different entrance. See former report. Husband sells Apples &c at Roach's Corner Nelson 7 Front St. Says he is 86 years old; (doubtful) born at Yarmouth England. Wife owns to 46 years, doubtful also, age understated. no work of her Son who went to Kingston many years ago. Recommended for a weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread, and Coal.

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218. Patience Savage: 161 Hope St. Her husband is an old man but well able to work, if he could find employment. He has only had 4 Cords of Wood to saw during the Winter. Well recommended by reliable neighbours. Has 3 Children, all at home. a boy 15, who runs errands for a Shop man in town. 2 girls 14 & 12, the eldest of whom was in a place, but as her employer was a drunken character she was taken home again, and is now without clothes suitable for service. English. Ch of England. Recommended for Coal and bread. Committee will not grant relief as they are all able to work.

219. Amelia Wood: 21 Maria St. west. A Widow, Colered. Pretty old but does not know her age. very infirm. lives with a man and his Wife named Bayli{illegible}. owns no furniture or clothes of much value. No Children. used to live in Service but now unable to work owing to swollen feet & therefore obliged to beg. A Nova Scotian. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal once & Bread & Soup.

220. Mary Ann Harkness: 82 Dummer St. 32 years old. Married. Her husband a Jeaniter [Janitor] cant get work at his trade and is therefore obliged to saw wood for a living. very little doing. In a very poor state,

the house is dirty and untidy owing as the Mother says to a troublesome baby. Has four Children all at home, three boys 8, 5 and an infant, and a girl 10 years. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

221. Mary Ann Oliver: Next to 222 Queen St. west. 28 years old. Her husband a dissipated character went to Detroit about 4 months since, and left her with four children. Two boys 4 & 2. Two girls 11 & 8. The elder of whom is out nursing for her bread. Hardworking and industrious. Her things were sold some time ago for rent and lately she has nothing but a straw bed on the floor for self and children, an open fire place in a very cold House. The consequence was that one of her children has had his foot badly frozen. The other day had a Stove given her, but is still in great want. Seems very deserving. Canadian. Ch of England. Coal and bread recommended.

222. Catharine Arthurs: Corner of Richmond and Bathurst St. A Widow aged 42. Her 6 Children, two of whom (boys) are at house, age 6 and 2 years respectively. Three girls are in the House of Providence. The eldest Son has enlisted in the R.C. Rifles. Keeps a small Grocerie [grocery] Shop. Said to sell Liquor [liquor] without license and to keep a not over orderly house, but denies the allegation. Irish R.C. Left to the Committee.

223. Ann Myles: 11 Brock St. Visitor called, but could not find her.

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224. Eliza Walker: 479 Richmond St. west. Married. Her husband was in the General Hospital for 14 Weeks during the Summer and thus lost good opportunities of work. The result is that they are very badly off at present. Weakened by the effects of a broken leg. Tries to get a living by sawing wood, but not much employed. Has 4 Children all at home, 2 boys 13 & 4, & 2 girls 10 & 7. A very uncomfortable house as there is no stove, but only a smoking fireplace. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread.

225. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. See the report of previous years. Mrs. Burns has received assistance occasionally for some years past. Recommended for Coal once.

226. Mary Lavell: 70 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 35 years of age. 2 Children girl 15 in Service at [dollars] 3 per month, boy 12 years of age at School. Appears a tidy clean Woman, works when she can find employment, but on account of hard times little is to be had. On account of keeping a boy 12 years of age at home she has no claim for assistance.

227. Ann Henderty: 72 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married. 30 years of age. 4 Children, boy 8, boy 6, girl 3 and girl 1 year of age. Husband a labourer came from Montreal last October on which account they have no claim, except Soup.

228. Martha Smith: 87 1/2 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Widow, aged 34 years. 4 Children, girl 14 and girl 6, girl 4, and boy 12 years of age. All at house. Mrs. Smith is a clean dashing woman, but on account

of having too many Gentleman Visitors cannot recommend relief. No relief on account of the Character of the House.

229. Charlotte Saunders: a Lodger in the above house, Irish. ChofEngl. A Widow 25 years of age. 3 Children, girls 3, 4, & 5 years respectively. Mrs. Saunders of course is one of the ladies of the establishment, and as such cannot recommend her. No relief on account of bad report.

230. Margaret Potter: 89 University St. Canadian. Methodist Church. Aged 27. 4 Children, boy 7, boy 3, girl 6 and girl 6 months. Husband left in August last has not heard from him since. Works at pant making and earns 20 cents a day, She is very badly off and much to be pitied. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread, Coal, and a grate.

231. Caroline Dowell: 27 years of age. Married. English. ChofEngl. says that she came from Bradford where she has lived for 3 years. then husband ran away from her 3 months ago. Sent for Shelter by Mr. Tyner for a day or two.

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232. Sarah Shealds: rear of 44 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Married. Aged 42. 3 Children, boy 12 subject to fits. Boy 10 not in good health. girl 9 years of age. Husband a Colored man. Mrs. Shealds is a very steady industrious woman who works as a Charwoman, says her husband is steady and does his best to get work, but Visitor feels inclined to think that he is as idle as she is industrious. To have Coal once.

233. Mary Drury: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. Widow with no encumbrance but herself. The Committee to judge for themselves.

234. Bridged McNulty [McNulty]: 32 Boulton St. Widow aged 42. R.C. Irish. 2 Children, girl 11, would like to get a place for her if she could. boy 8. Visitor believes she is doing her best to earn a living in an honest way, would therefore recommend her for 6 [pounds] Bread a week, Coal twice, and Soup.

235. Ann Myers: 11 Camden St. a Widow 62 years old. Lives with a family McMahon, having had a wandering life of late, being first with one friend and then with another. Has no Children except one Son in the States. A Charwoman but says she is not strong at present or able to work, therefore seeks aid. Irish. R.C. Bread and Soup.

236. Louisa McCarthy: 125 Tecumseth St. A Widow 48. Just removed to this part of the Town. says she is willing to work but can't find Employment. Lives with a family named Tracey who receive help from the House, having been taken in for charity's sake. No Children, no stove or furniture. Irish. Recommended for bread, the question of Coal left to Committee.

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237. Mary Murphy: 84 Dummer St. A Married Woman, between 30 & 40 years of age, her husbands leg was broken about a fortnight ago, otherwise would not have applied for aid. apparently sober, deserving people. No Children. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread, also an allowance of Tea & Sugar &c.

238. James Harwood: 33 Ann St. 45 years of age, Wife 43. 3 Children, Henry 16, Ellen 14, George 12. 8 years in Toronto. A Gardener. English. Chof England., says is not able to work, not being well at present. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread and Coal. Committee require Harwood to come and see the Doctor.

239. Mary Boylan: 80 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Widow. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread. To have 4 [pounds] Weekly.

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240. Arabella McLean: Matthews Yard Stanley St. 49 years of age. Husband dead. 1 daughter Emma 10 years old. Asthmatic, English Church. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

241. Elizabeth Buggy: 101 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. Husband suffering from a sore leg. 4 Children, William 14, Arthur 12, Mary 11, Catharine 4. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

242. Bridget Ready: Lane rear 14 Sydenham St. Has a sick husband and young family to provide for. The husband, according to the Wife's statement, has been suffering from diarrae [diarrhea] for some weeks. Visitor recommends them for Coal once and bread for 3 Weeks, but before any further relief is given the Case should be referred again, to ascertain whether Ready is not sufficiently recovered to support himself and family without further aid from the House.

243. Catharine Carberry: 46 Caroline St. Husband and Wife and only one Child. Mrs. Carberry appears to be a most respectable and decent woman. The husband was not at home, according to the wife's account, he cannot obtain work enough to keep them in bread and fuel. It seems strange that a Man and his Wife and one Child should not be able to get on without assistance. nevertheless there seems such an air of truthfulness and respectability about the Woman that it would be as well to let her have Coal once and Bread for three Weeks.

244. Mrs. Knight: lives in a Lane between Alexander and Maitland St. 2nd lane from Yonge St. Has 3 Children, James 5, Cicily 4, and Julia 3. Her Mother Mrs. Baldwin aged 60, lives with her also. Mrs. Knights husband is in "House of Industry." To have Coal and 10 [pounds] Bread.

245. Jonathan Rowlin: aged 42. Native of England. Ch of England. Crippled in both legs, promises to make himself general useful as far as able. Seeks admission, his Brother William will pay [dollars] 1 per week for his support. Admitted.

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246. Ann McNab: formerly of 81 George St. & "Catharine Johnson" 50 Duchess St. all Coal and bread allowances of these two parties to be stopped at once by order of Ward Visitor.

247. Elizabeth Wilson: see Case 733 in 1865. Has been in Hospital, her leg is healed up now, applied again for admission. To be admitted if Doctor thinks her a fit Case.

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248. George Lee: Colored, about 8 years of age. See Case 607 in 1865. He was sent to this Institution by Alderman Harman having been arrested for vagrancy on the Public Streets.

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Present Messrs. J. Doel & E. Hobson

249. Thomas McNess: made application for the admission of two children named Gradwell aged 3 & 5 years, the Mother of whom is dead and the father a worthless drunkard about town, they were left on the hands of Mr. McNess who is desirous of having them admitted in House of Industry. If parties can be found to take the Children the Committee will then apprentice them according to the usual rules of the Institution.

250. John Purchase: aged 59. Native of Yorkshire, England, ChofEngl. No settled house of late. Rather feeble about the legs. Not able to work much in Winter, had shelter in the Outbuilding for some time, is to be admitted into the House for the Winter.

251. Elizabeth Vergor: 52 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 29 years of age. 3 Children, girl 8, girl 2, and a boy 4 years of age. A very clean respectable woman, room and Children also very clean. Husband a Tobacco pipe maker, but no work of that Kind in Toronto, he now works as a labourer but not able to do much on account of Rheumatism, and at the same time very little work to be found. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per Week with Coal & Soup.

252. Angeline Mechale: rear of 151 Centre St. French Canadian. Married. aged 32. 5 Children, girl 12, girl 11, girl 6, boy 7, and boy 1 year old. Husband a Ship builder, came from Hamilton some time ago, have no claim on Toronto, but on account of their great poverty something must be done for them for the winter say a month or six weeks, they have nothing but the clothes on their backs. Recommended for 8 [pounds] bread weekly, and Coal and soup.

253. Hannah Stephenson: 195 Centre St. Colored. Methodist Church. Widow. aged 75, unable to work, one daughter in service and assists her. Appears very decent old woman. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per Week & Coal.

254. Margaret Whitelock: 117 Richmond St. Married. Husband away. Aged 58. ChofEngl. 4 Children at house. Girl 28. Girl 18. Girl 12, and boy 20. The eldest sews but a present cant get much to do, the one 18 was at service but came home at Christmas sick and is stick still, the youngest at School. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread, Coal and Soup for a Month, when Visitor will see them again.

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255. Ellen Sullivan: 87 Richmond St. west aged 35. Irish. R.C. has been very sick for the last Month, has a wife and 6 Children depending on his labour, 5 of them little girls, and one a boy, the eldest only 9 years of age, and the youngest only 3 months, the Mother can earn nothing on account of the sick husband and young Children. Recommended for 16 [pounds] Bread per week, 600 [pounds] Coal at one time Soup and a ration of groceries.

256. Mary Hatfield: 25 Melinda St. Widow aged 30. Ch of Engl. 1 boy aged 7. lives with her sister or rather the sister with her, who gets some assistance from the Institution, a poor nearly worn out old Maid. The Sister Meredith had 900 [pounds] Coal, and 4 [pounds] Bread. Recommended for the other 300 [pounds] Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread and a ration of groceries while she is sick.

257. Martha McCormack: 81 Stanley St 50 years of age. Widow. cannot get employment Irish. R.C. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Coal once.

258. Catharine Rodden: rear 18 Stanley St. 29 years of age. Husband in the States. 6 Children. James 11. Catharine 9. Ann 7. John 6. Morgan 4. Baby 5 Months. Recommended for 10 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

259. Ellen Nolan: 18 Victoria St. 60 years of age. Widow. 16 years in Toronto. Friendless. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread & Coal.

260. Phoebe Smith: 69 Queen St. 58 years of age. 3 years in Toronto. Unable to work. ChofEngl. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

261. Margaret Densmore: 98 Ann St. 56 years of age. Husband in Collingwood 6 Children, Ann 11. John, 8. Catharine 6, James 5, William 2 baby 2 Months Recommended for 10 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

262. Elisa Adams: 14 Camden St. Her husband has been for sometime away from her, and Visitor fears has not been conducting himself properly. He has sent her no help, and she is unable during the Winter to meet her expences she seems a respectable woman. Recommended for Coal and bread.



263. Sarah Greer: Corner of North Park & Sumach St. Husband and Wife and 3 Children. Mrs. Greer who is a young looking woman appears to have married an old Man who has not health and strength enough to support himself and his family - They appeared to be miserably off for food and fuel, the husband was not at home when Visitor called, had therefore no opportunity of judging for himself, but left word with the Wife to send him up in the Morning and if his appearance justifies what she said of him, would recommend Coal & Bread.

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264. Mary Sheehan: 53 Duchess St. Husband and Wife and two Children. Have not been here long. They were amongst the sufferers in the great fire in Champlain St. at Quebec some Months ago and were sent up here by the Municipal authorities under the idea, that they would get employment, and do better in this part of the world. Since their arrival they have both been ill, and the husband is now under treatment at the Hospital, and the Wife has only just come out from the Institution, having been laid up with a severe attack of cold. They are in great want at present, and Visitor would recommend them for Coal, Bread and Soup. The Case might be referred again at the end of the Month.

265. Ann Boland: Lane between McMahan & Berkely [Berkeley] St. An elderly Woman. Single, in bad health. having some weakness in one hand and arm, which prevents her from doing much work. was formerly in service, but not fit for that now. So far as can be judged she appears a fit Case of Charity, To have Coal once, and Bread for the season.

266. Jane Cosgrave: 70 McMahan St. Husband away in the States. 5 Children, the eldest boy getting work, but the rest all at home. the youngest an infant at the breast. Mrs. Cosgrave appears to be a very decent respectable woman She has received assistance once from the Society of St Vincent & St Paul, and if she has Coal once from us, and a little Bread for a week or two she may manage without further help, however the Case might be referred to Visitor again.

267. William Booth: Mr. Barries House Corner of Duke and Caroline St. The Case was reported upon last year. Booth is an old Man, and his Wife is also very old and partly blind. Recommended for Coal twice. {& bread 6 [pounds]}

268. Bridget Barrett: 74 McMahan St. Widow. No Children living with her. cannot get work enough to support herself during the Winter. See Case 205 was then recommended for Coal, now recommended for an allowance of Bread.

269. Edward E. Knight in Case 619 in 1865. left the Institution Jany. 27th

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270. Mary & Cathr. McCrea: 48 Bond Street. Mary 44, & Catharine 33 years of age. Catharine paralyzed and Mary sick confined to her bed. Irish. R.C. Recommended for a ration of 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly, Coal and a full ration of Sugar Tea & c.

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271. Rose McKenny: Phoebe St. east of School House. Widow. 60. one girl in Service who does not help her at all - Lives with a Mrs. Green as a lodger - For the last two years has been in delicate health, and before that lived in Service and did well. Now unable to work. If she had some fuel it would be taken as part payment for her lodging. Recommended for Coal. Irish. R.C.

272. Mary Green: Phoebe Street. A Widow, or thinks so, her husband being away for 8 years. About 50. Has one girl aged 8. Charwoman. Some weeks no work, and once a day or two or again part of a day only. Sick lately or would not have applied. Has above woman living with her. Irish. R.C. Coal alternately with above, & Bread and soup.

273. Elizabeth Moore: 97 Boulton St. Married, her husband in the Hospital for the last Month. Aged about 46. ChofEngl. No Children. Appears to be a respectable person. Ought to make her living. Appears to be in poverty. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread for one Month, and Coal once.

274. Samuel Lewis: 177 York St. Colored. Aged 63. Wife 37. Methodist. 9 Children, girl 17 at work earns [dollars] 2 a week, girl 12 at School, girl 10, girl 8, girl 7, and four boys 16, and 14, both away from home, the other two 4 & 1, at home. If he had work he would not apply. Recommended for 12 [pounds] Bread weekly for 6 weeks, and Coal say 600 [pounds].

275. Ann Chamberlain: in Case 199, was supposed on Saturday last, she would not live many days, but she appears better now. Her husband cannot earn anything being night and day with her. Visitor recommends 600 [pounds] more Coal to be sent. and groceries to be continued until further Notice

276. Jane Parrott: 66 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow 57 years of age. appears a very clean respectable Woman. Work is scarce with her. One Son apprenticed to a painter, earns [dollars] 2 a week when in work, aged 16. Has also a daughter with her with one Child who has just left her husband on account of his violent and drunken habits, she intends going to service and leaving the Child with her Mother. Recommended for 600 [pounds] Coal at once, & a grate.

277. Samuel Craig: in Case 525 in 1866. left the Institution yesterday, having obtained admission into General Hospital, were [where] he will have his Eyes operated on.

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278. Ann Graham: in Case 708 in 1865. left the Institution on her own accord.

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Friday 2nd February 1866.

Present Clark Gamble Esqr & E. Hobson Esqr.

279. Dorothy Ross: George St. south of Front St. and opposite Black Horse Hotel. See report in Case 306 in 1865. Husband says he still feels effects of the ague and is not able to work much. They seem respectable people, and might be allowed Coal and Bread as last winter.

280. Charlotte Quinn: Shanty Front St. next East to Black Horse Hotel. Wife of John an ex ostler and native of Limerick. Charlotte was born in Quebec. 4 years in Toronto. Has 3 Children, Lizzie aged 6, Charlotte 4, another girl 2 unbaptized, and as yet nameless. Mrs. Quinn professes to belong to Church of England. says her husband is a Roman Catholic, but of doubtful reputation and worthless. in as much as he loves drink better than he loves his family. Did not see the Gentleman. Mrs. Quinns establishment would never be mistaken for a "Model Lodging House". 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

281. Mary Finnigan: back of 37 Elizabeth St. west. A Widow, does not know her age. Irish. R.C. Has one Child 2 years old. Lives with a Mrs. Collins from whom she has a bedroom, using her stove. washes and scrubs for a living. Has one day in the week, and some weeks only half a day. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

282. Alice Cavery: 12 Dummer St. lives with Ann Franklin who receives help from the House. Husband is in the States where he went 5 Months ago. Has 4 Children all at home, 3 boys 7, 6, and 5 Months, one girl 3. Does not work, lives by getting credit at various shops. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread and soup.

283. Revd. Mr. Broughall strongly recommends that Robert Gradwells Children be admitted into the House to be again taken by a Mr. McNess, who will take them The father a very dissipated Man is willing to give them up.

284. Emma Jackson: rear of 154 Centre St. English. Ch of Engl. Spinster. 24 years of age, has been in Service. had the misfortune about a year since to have an illegitimate Child which is living, tried service since but was obliged to leave on account of ill health. Visitor thinks it would be well to allow her some assistance for a short time. 4 [pounds] Bread, Soup and 300 [pounds] Coal.

285. Brady Mary: and Alice Turner are not Known at No. 89 Centre St.

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286. Reston Bacon: 111 Elizabeth St. Colored. Baptist Church. Married. about 50 years of age, unable to work on account of loss of sight. 4 Children, boy 15 has been in work but at present at home, girl 13 wants a place, girl 8 and girl 5 years of age. all at home, wife an industrious Charwoman. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal twice.

287. Mr. Thomas McNess (Case 249) applied this Morning to have the Children of Robert Gradwell given over to him for adoption according to the rules of the House. The Children a boy and a girl were brought into the House. and left that the rules of the House may be complied with. the necessary papers were given to him to be filled up and signed. Caroline Augusta Hill aged 5 years, and Robert aged 3 years.

288. Mary Gallagher: (in Case 867 in 1865) whose ticket was taken away from her last week on account of drunkenness, Ticket to be restored to the family.

289. Rachel Brown: rere of 65 North Park St. Visitor found the husband worse than on his former Visit (See Case 88) The only Medical advice he has had, has been from some Chemist on Queen St. and he (Visitor) strongly advised him to try and get up to the House and see the Medical Man there - One of their Children is also ill, and altogether they are in a very miserable plight - would recommend to have their bread allowance increased, and also Coal twice more. The Man is in such a state that unless he can get good medical advice he will not live long.

290. Mary Smith: 23 George St. There must be some mistake in this address. Visitor could not find any 23, must be on the South of King St. St. Lawrence W.

291. Catharine Roach: 44 James St. East. Mrs. Roach. her Children and her House all dirty and miserable. A more wretched household Visitor has not met with for some time. The Case has been reported upon in previous years, hardly anything to add to it now; No proof whatever that Mrs. Roach herself drinks, her husband she says did so at one time, but is quite sober now. He was not at home when Visitor called having gone up to the Hospital for medicine for some ailment he is suffering from, the Wife was told that her husband must either bring a certificate from the Medical man at the Hospital as to his being too ill to work, or go up to the House to be examined by the Medical Man there. They are almost destitute of either food or fire so that there can be no question about their distress, but he ought to be obliged to give some account of himself, so that the Committee may be satisfied of his inability to support his family.

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292. William Smythen: 12 years of age. Canadian, born in Berwick from which place he came to Toronto to find himself a situation. Methodist Ch. was picked up by the Police wandering about the Streets, and brought by one of them to House of Industry.

Tuesday 6th February 1866.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner & E Hobson.

293. Mary Smith: 23 George St. Visitor cannot find the place, No. 22 is Roach's Hotel; No. 23 should be the "Black Horse Hotel" on the opposite Corner, this is the second time Mary Smith left her adress and could not be found.

294. Rose Walsh: 22 Matthew Yard. 23 years of age. 1 Child 3 years old. Husband abandoned her some 10 Months ago, was a Gasfitter by trade. She works when she can get it, at the tailoring business. Canadian Ch of Engl. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly, and Coal once.

295. William Smythen: in Case 292 to be allowed to stay in the Outbuilding until the first fine day, when he is to find his way back to Berwick.

296. Mary Ryan: Colered, in Case 154, sleeps at the Lying in Hospital came here for shelter through the day, and was taken sick, had to send her in a Cab to Lying in Hospital.

Friday 9th February 1866.

Present Messrs. E Hobson, J. Tyner & J Thom

297. Margaret Cleary: 132 Richmond St. Married. aged 28. Husband 40. The husband lives at Mrs. Crawford, first said he got no wages, then admitted that he gets [dollars] 2 per Month. The Committee will please judge the Case for themselves.

298. Jane Moffatt: rear 9 Victoria St. 40 years old, Husband 40 also. 6 Children, James 9, John 8. Elizabeth 5. Joseph 4. William 3, Mary Ann 7 Months Husband labourer. Irish. Presbyt. Church. 10 [pounds] Bread Weekly & Coal.

299. Mary Irvin: 68 Richmond St. East. 40 years of age. Widow 10 years, ChofEngl. Sews when she can get any. One Child a girl 12 years old at School. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal

300. Cathr Cadwell: 70 Stanley St. 55 years old. 2 Children, Ellen 14, Lizzie 12, gather rags. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

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301. Isabella Cheedle: 79 Elizabeth St. Scotch. Presbyt. Church. Married, 46 years of age, 5 Children, boy 16. boy 15. girl 13. boy 8 do 5 years of age all at home the two eldest boys have been to the States, but did no good for themselves and returned home. Girl in School ought to be in Service. Mrs. C. is a very industrious Laundress. Husband unable to work on account of bad legs. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread per week with coal and soup for herself husband and the two younger Children, the others must find work.

302. Mary Ann Lewis: 88 Edward St. Colored. Methodist Church. Married 25 years of age. Husband a labourer. No Children. Visitor cannot recommend them, as they are both well able to earn their own living.

303. Louisa Miller: rear of 477 Richmond St. west. Not at home when Visitor called. Could not get a straight story out of the son. A Widow. French, R.C. Has 3 Children (the boy at home says he was told to say 7) Two boys about 10 & 8, and a girl about 6. Washes &c. &c. for a living, getting two days in the Week. Her landlord says she is a deserving Woman. An untidy uncomfortable House. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

304. Catharine Willis: 50 Dummer St. aged 30. Husband out of work at present and afflicted with a sore leg. There has been small pox, and there has been whooping cough at present in the House. Apparently a deserving Woman - Has 4 Children, all at home, two boys 9 & 7. and two girls 5 & 8. Has been living in Town only 4 Months, but in Consider{ation} of their sickness recommended for Coal and Bread.

305. Margaret Harrington: 74 McMahan St. Husband in the Asylum. Mrs. Harringtons Case has been reported upon in previous years, nothing new to add now except that her health is worse instead of better, and she is therefore less capable of doing very much for herself. Visitor recommends her for Coal once and bread, a small allowance for a Month.

306. Mary Green: rear 73 Duchess St. An old woman with two Nieces. In every respect most respectable and deserving persons. The Case was reported upon once before, when they were living in Berkely Street. One of the nieces, the one upon whom the chief care of supporting the others fell, as she was a good dressmaker, is very ill, and they are consequently all in great distress. They cannot burn Coal but they would gladly get bread and soup. and Visitor would also recommend them for a little Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & c for the sick niece.

307. John Lynch: in Case 881 in 1865, was taken out by his Mother.

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308. Rachel Kelly: aged 50. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. A Widow 17 years Has a Son aged 28 in the States who does nothing for her. She used to live in Service but left on account of a nervous state of mind. A Mr. Smith brought her to the Institution for admission. To be examined by the Doctor and if a fit Case to be admitted. The Doctor examined and states that Mrs. Kelly is insane, quite at present but cannot pretend to say how soon she may get worse.

309. Martha Holt: 26 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 8 years in Toronto, says she was married, but her husband took up with another Woman and left her seven years ago, has since lived in Service, is now out of place and has the ague, gets Medicine from dispensary, but has no place to lodge, seeks shelter for a time.

310. William Smallbones: 59 years of age. English. ChofEngl. Seeks admission into this Institution for the Winter. Was an Inmate in 1864. Case 1091.

311. Samuel Craig: in Case 277 was sent back to the House, as nothing more can be done for him at the Hospital.

Tuesday 13th February.

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett, Mr. Alderman Edwards & Mr. E. Hobson.

312. Margaret Ann Richards: Cottage North of 183 Centre St. Coloured Widow. aged 70. No family. A clean industrious woman, earns [dollars] 1 a Week by cleaning Mr. John Bells Office. Recommended as a worthy object of charity. To have 4 [pounds] Bread per Week, and Coal twice.

313. Jane Chambers: 37 Stanley St. 30 years of age, lives by herself. One Child 10 years old in House of Industry. Cannot find work. ChofEngl. Supt should know her circumstances better than Visitor can find out on account of her Child being in the House.

314. Mary Daly: Cottage S.W. Corner. Carlton & MacMahon Streets. Widow with 6 Children, the eldest 14. Mrs. Daly's husband was killed a very short time ago, while working at the great western Railway station, and has left his Wife and family without any other means of support than their own labour can obtain for the, Mrs. Daly sews, and the eldest daughter goes out to work also, but with five other young Children to support it is of course a very hard struggle Recommended for Coal and Bread for two Months -

315. Mary Ann Gorman: say 8 years of age, was sent to this Institution by Mr. Alderman Boulton, she having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Streets. was sent here last summer the same way see Case 528 in 1865, at that time

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she absconded from the House by climbing over the fence. The Mother who goes by the Name of Maria Lee and lives at 51 Stanley St. gets relief from the House.

316. Mary Conway: 79 Sumach St. Husband away in the States, has left her to support her six Children almost entirely having only sent her money once since he left. The Children are all very young, the youngest an infant in the arms. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month, and if further assistance is required the Case may then be referred again to Visitor.

317. Mary Wardrobe: 48 James St. East. Recommended to have Coal once more.

318. Catharine Hunter: Cottage next to Firemans Hall, Corner of Berkely & Duke Streets, Husband like so many others in the States. Has left her with an infant a few weeks old. Mrs. Hunter is consequently in great distress at present, having been left almost entirely destitute of food and fuel at the time of her confinement. Under all the circumstances Visitor would recommend her to be allowed Coal once, but cannot be more, as there is reason to believe that her troubles have been brought on very much by her own bad habits.

319. Robert Thompson: aged 17. Has a diseased hip, he came to Toronto last Saturday, having been set by the County Council of Meaford to get into General Hospital and they would not admit him there, but sent him on in a Cab to the Revd. E Baldwin who sent him to House of Industry for shelter until the Monday following, when Mr. Baldwin would see to have him sent back, but nothing has been done yet in the matter.

320. Ann Woodruff aged 18. States that a Child was left with a Married Sister of her's named Meredith. The Child was about 4 weeks old when left, and has been there now about a week, Know's nothing about the Mother who left it. Wants to get it admitted into House of Industry. She is to bring her Number and adress so that enquiries might be made as to the truth of her statement. Ann Woodruff came back at half past twelve P.M. and informed Superintendent that during the time she had been here trying to get admission for the Child, the Mother of it hath called at her Sisters paid her for her trouble, and taken it right away in the Country with her.

321. Mary Ann Gorman: in Case 285 was taken out of this Institution by her Mother. Febr. 14th.

322. Bartholomew Murphy: aged about 7 years, was sent to this Institution by Mr. Alderman Boulton, having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets. R.C. It appears he ran away from the House of Providence. Febr. 15. was sent back to House of Providence. Febr. 20th.

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Present – Revd. H.J. Grasett & Mr. Alderman Edwards.

323. Jane Carey: 39 Avenue Lane. English. ChofEngl. Married. 21 years of age. one Child 3 Weeks old. Came from the States 15 Months ago, her husband a painter returned to the States 6 Months ago, has been ill and unable to send her any money. She appears a respectable young woman. Visitor thinks it would be as well to allow her bread and soup.

324. Margaret Noonan: 86 Church St. House unoccupied. Visitor was informed that applicant is serving a term in Jail.

325. Robert Thompson: in Case 319. is to be sent back to Meaford, having no claim on this Institution. Superintendent to pay his fare.

326. A Male Child about 2 Months old was found and picked up by a Mr. Parker on last Sunday Evening about 8 OClock, in the porch of an empty House next to Mr. Beard Corner of Shuter and George Streets. A Mrs. Jackson has hath the Care of it until to day, when it was sent by the Mayor to House of Industry for admission. Sent to Nurse with Sarah Iredale 35 Oxford St. [at] [dollars] 4 a Month.

327. Amelia Delaney: 62 years of age. Native of England. ChofEngl. Widow. Was an Inmate formerly, is desirous of being admitted again for the Winter, is willing to make herself general useful.

328. Sarah Rodgers: aged 29. Canadian. Methodist Church, says came from Guelph to see Dr. King, intends going back, seeks shelter for a few days, seems to be halfwitted. It appears she is the same girl as mentioned in Case 604 in 1863.

329. Robert Thompson: in Case 325, was sent back to Collingwood as ordered by Weekly Committee. Mr. Hamilton of the Northern Railroad Office was so Kind as to give a free pass to Collingwood. Paid to Thompson [dollars] 1 to help him on his way to Meaford. Febry. 19th.

Tuesday 20th February 1866.

Present Revd. W.S. Darling

330. Elizabeth Scott: 33 Maria St w. Not at home when visitor called, learned from Mrs. McNulty [McNulty] with whom she lives that she is a Widow. Has one girl 12 years old who goes to School every day. Washes for a living, work of late rather slack. Wants Coal. Her Case left to Committee. Coal once & 4 [pounds] Bread

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331. Fanny Cook: 85 Lumley St. English. Wesleyan Methodist. Husband a Brickmaker, but lost a great deal of time last summer on account of sickness. Now can only get a little wood to saw occasionally, all at home, 5 Children, 3 boys, 9, 3 & an infant, and two girls 7 & 5 years respectively. Respectable people and apparently deserving. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

332. Mary Godfry: 21 Stanley St. 60 years of age. Husband 62. by trade a Blacksmith, 1 Grandchild 14 years of age. Methodist Church. Native of England. Recommended for Coal.

333. Theresa Baciglupic: 220 Sayer St. French. R.C. Married. 53 years of age. one Child a boy 11 years of age. Husband a carpenter. All appear strong and in good health and well able to earn their own living, to assist them would be doing them a great injustice, would be to encourage them to become paupers. Visitor cannot recommend them for any assistance.

334. Ellen McManus: 2 doors east of 77 Hayter St. Irish. R.C. Married. 45 years of age, charwoman, but unable to get much work at present. 2 Children, girl 17 in Service [at] [dollars] 4 per Month, girl 9 at home. Husband went to the States 18 Months ago, has not heard from him for the last 14 Months. She appears a clean industrious Woman. Recommended for Coal once, 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly, and Soup daily.

335. Michael Kennedy: aged 29. Irish. R.C. says he belonged to the 16th Regt. and got his discharge a Week ago, came to Toronto for Employment, but did not succeed in getting any. Would like to have a few days shelter in House of Industry, left a boy with some clothes at a tavern on Front St. for his breakfast, 25 [cents] if he would get said boy, and his Shoes mended (which are rather in a bad state for travelling this time of the year) would then find his way to Port Hope. The 25 [cents] were given to release the boy, and if he brings it here to be allowed to rest for a few days, and get his shoes mended.

336. Sarah McKee: aged 21 years with a baby 3 Months old, was sent by the Mayor of Brantford (where she belongs) to Toronto with a view of getting her Child into some infant asylum, but not to mention who sent her there, applied to House of Industry: Committee not Knowing of any such asylums ordered Superintendent to pay her fare back to Brantford. Revd. Mr. Darling also wrote a note to the Mayor of Brantford, which she will deliver on her arrival there. paid [dollars] 2.50 for passage to Brantford & 25 [cents] to help her on her way.

337. Jane Moores: 133 Queen St. west. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Married. Aged 37. 1 Child aged 11 apprenticed out, asks for Coal once. To have Coal once.

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338. Sarah Ogden: Watkins Lane Corner of Adelaide & York Streets See Case 722 in 18{illegible}

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339. & Elisa Hanning: of the same place in Case 870 in 1865. Those poor Woman lost their Children, Hanning 3, & Ogden 1, in the Measles, Having lost their Children they can for the future support themselves, both living in one room might have Coal once more between them, and their bread say a week longer.

340. Catharine McNamara: in Case 984 in 1865. who has now removed to 74 McMahon is recommended to have Coal once more.

341. Nancy Mitchell: 122 Duke Street. The Case has been often reported upon in former years, she is a most deserving and respectable woman, and Visitor would recommend her for Coal twice, and to have it sent at once.

342. Elisha Connell: Living in a little Cottage off the road numbered 42 directly opposite the burying ground Duchess St. Husband has gone to New York to seek for employment. She has a large family. Five of them at home, the youngest an infant. She appears a very decent respectable woman, and Visitor recommends Coal and an allowance of Bread for a Month. To send the Case, as she can not come up herself.

343. Albert Murray: in Case 768 in 1866, ran away this afternoon Febry. 22nd

Friday 23rd February 1866.

Present Messrs. J. Thom & E Hobson.

344. Alice Murphy: 44 Ann St. 31 years of age. Husband 42. 8 Children. Sarah Ann 13, Ann Jane 12. William 10. John 7. George 6. Lizzie 2. Francis 4 Mths. Husband a labourer. Roman Catholic. Irish. Recommended for 12 [pounds] Bread and Coal. To have 8 [pounds] Bread.

345. Annie Rooney: Corner of Laidleys lane & Charles St. age 35. Canadian. Roman Catholic Has had considerable work of late, but is now almost daily expecting confinement, and as her husband is out of work asks for aid (in the way of Coal) until she recovers her strength. Has two Children a boy 7 and a girl 5. To have Coal once

346. Mary Ann Ryan: 150 York St. See Case 296. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week for 5 weeks, and Coal once.

347. Ann Kilpatrick: 102 George St. No such person living there. Nor could Visitor hear of anyone of that name in the neighbourhood

348. Johanna O Brien: 102 George St. Reported upon before for Coal & Bread Recommended to have Coal once more.

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349. Mary Green: rere 73 Duchess St. Recommended for another allowance of Tea Sugar &c. on account of her sick niece. See Case 306.

350. Samuel Lawson: aged 38. Native of England. ChofEngl. was living for years at Caledonia, came to Toronto General Hospital to get cured of a disease in his throat, is now discharged having been there 3 Months, not quite well enough to work for his living, has been for some days in Building for casual poor, wishes to remain a few days longer, and when strong will go back to Caledonia.

351. Henry Adams: 61 years of age. Native of England, says he is a Protestant (not particular what Church), and a painter by trade. Has a frozen thumb, begs to be sheltered till he gets better.

352. Ann McDonnell: 62 years of age. Widow of a Soldier who died 11 years ago. says she was born at Sea her parents belonged to the Army. Has lived for Many years near Lake Simcoe, came to Toronto on business about some Land she owns. Asks a few days shelter, having no means to pay her way.

353. Catharine Bradner: 26. Native of Ireland. R.C. says her husband went to the States to look for work, in the mean time she came from London C.W. to be confined in Lying in Hospital Toronto. Applied here with her child (a girl) now 3 Weeks old for a few days shelter.

354. Hannah Moody: Native of Beverly, England, Baptist Church. Widow aged 55. 11 years in Canada, would like to be admitted for a time would make herself useful.

355. Ann Mahony: lived at 72 McMahan St. was turned out by her Landlady. Wants to be accommodated for a few days with shelter until she can procure another Lodging. R.C. Church. Irish. Says her husband has gone to the States. Has a baby (a boy) 4 Weeks old.

356. Mary Brothers: in Case 685 in 1865. Applied for readmission into the House. says her daughter is not able to Keep her any longer, having a large family of her own to support.

Tuesday 27th February 1866.

Present Henry Rowsell Esqr.

357. Ellen Doyle: 33 Shuter St. 58 years of age. quite helpless. R.C. Church Native of Ireland. Widow. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

358. Mary Brothers: in Case 356, to be readmitted into the Institution.

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359. Bridget McDonnell: 99 Richmond St. East. 40 years of age. Husband has been in Buffalo for the last 12 Months. 2 Children. Bridget 9. and Elizabeth 3 Months old. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week, and Coal once.

360. Isabella Anderson: Adelaide St. East opposite the Court House. Aged 57. No friends to help her, suffering from diseased leg. English. Chof Engl. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly and Coal once.

361. John Murphy: aged 68. Native of Ireland. Widowed. Wesleyan Methodist. In bad health, not able to support himself. Seeks admission into this Institution, was recommended by Mr. R. Woodsworth. The admission took place on the 9th January 1866, on which date this Minute should have been entered, but was neglected at the time. Left April 6th without saying he was going.

362. Mary Stuart: 132 Richmond St. west, to have Coal once more on account of her old age. In all 3 times.

Friday 2nd March 1866

Present Hon. R. Spence & H. Rowsell Esqr.

363. Mary Sheehan: in Case 264, her husband is still an inmate of the Hospital, and visitor saw the certificate to that effect from the House Surgeon, under the circumstances would recommend her to be allowed Coal once more.

364. Margaret Newman: 21 Power St. An old Case, husband deserted her some years ago. 2 Children at home. an older boy out in the Country Visitor recommends her for bread for a Month & and Soup.

365. Bridget Kearney: Corner House north west of St. Patricks market. Visited by Mr. Tyner in St. Andrews Ward. Her husband is very ill at present. having suffered from something akin to haemorrhage of the lungs. Recommended for an allowance of tea sugar Oatmeal & etc.

366. Ann Mahony: next to 31 Dummer St. Just came from McMahan St. Husband in the united States for last 5 Months. All her Children dead except an infant 5 weeks old. Is not yet able to seek work. age 28. Lives with a Mrs. Bonar, having no furniture of her own except a bed. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal once, and Bread.

367. Mary Blackmore: 83 Nelson St. House unoccupied.

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348. Mary Ann Lock: in Case 705 in 1865, left the Institution on her own account supposed that she intends to go begging.

369. Jonathan Rowlin: in Case 245, left the House says a situation as Boat Keeper was offered him, at the Black Horse Front Street. Recevd. 5 [dollars] for his Bread.

Tuesday 6th March 1866.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

Friday 9th March 1866.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay & Thos. Storm Esqr.

370. Mary Green: in Case 349. Recommended once more for a ration of Sugar and Tea, on account of her sick Niece.

371. Margt. Gartland: has had Coal twice recommended to have it once more.

372. Bridget Hennessy: 115 Nelson St. Case previously reported upon. Recommended for one more allowance of Coal.

373. Joseph Reaycroft: living at 97 Sumach St. has a Wife and 5 Children at home. He was formerly employed in the Rolling Mills, but met there with a bad accident to his foot, which through [threw] him out of Employment for some weeks and has left him without any means to support his family. He is now nearly well enough to work, but unfortunately the works at the Mills have been partially stopped and he cannot get employment there. Visitor would therefore recommend him under the circumstances to have one Box of Coal, and bread or soup for one week only. by that time he ought to be able to do without further assistance.

374. Mary Meredith: living on Beech St. next to 101. There is a half burnt row of Cottages on the west side of the house which stands on the South side of the Street. Mrs. Meredith is a very respectable Woman, left a Widow with a family of 5 Children. The eldest boy was out at Service but is at home just now. She has friends who ought to assist her but have done nothing as yet. Visitor recommends an allowance of Coal, she will require nothing more from the House.

375. Ellen Foley: aged 21. Irish. R.C. She came from Brampton about a Month ago and was confined in Toronto Lying in Hospital, ask's for shelter for a few days for herself and Child (a boy) fourteen days old.

376. Joseph Reaycroft in Case 373 to have 8 [pounds] Bread until 1st April.

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377. John Donnally: 30 years of age, a Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church was brakesman on the G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] some weeks ago while coupling at a station near Kingston, he was badly crushed between the Carr's. Seeks admission for a time, being entirely out of means, has friends in near Hamilton to whom he has wrote, expects some Money from them.

Tuesday 13th March 1866.

Present Revd. Mr. Read & R. Gilmor Esqr.

378. Bridget Eagan: in Case 761 in 1865, is willing to give up her two Children (who have been in the House since last December) to the Trustees, and by them to be apprenticed out according to the rules of the Institution. Bridget McFarlane aged 10 1/2 years, Presbyterian Church, by her first husband. John James Eagan aged 3 years, Roman Catholic Church, by her last husband. Admitted. The usual Letter was {had}.

379. Dennis Barton: 31 years of age, Irish. R.C. seeks admission for a time until her face gets better which is very much bruised and cut. says, it was done by some of the Men at the 47th Regt. Allowed to remain in Outbuilding for a time. See Case 677 in 1865.

380. John McKeever: aged 27. Native of Glasgow, Scotland. Presbyterian Church. was 7 years of age when arrived in Toronto with his parents. Has been rambling about for many years without a settled home, lately from the States, no means, and in a bad state of health. Seeks shelter for a few days.

381. Susan Barton: aged 6 years, has been with friends in the Country at Kincardine, who have a large family of Children of their own, sent this one back to its Mother Wilhelmina Barton, (See Case 729 in 1865) who is an Inmate in the House, and makes herself very useful, her youngest Child can not ^have^ many days longer is wasted very much, and seems in the last stage of Consumption ^Mrs. Barton^ seeks admission for her little Girl Susan.

382. Sarah Burns: say about 7 years of age, was sent here from the Police Court by a Constable, the Mother having been remanded until the 17th Inst. on a charge of keeping a Bawdy House. The Children were taken out on the 19th by the Mother.



Friday 16th March 186.

Present R. Gilmor Esqr & Revd. Mr. Read

383. Susan Barton: in Case 381, to be admitted, while her Mother remains in the House and makes herself useful.

384. Cathr. Hunt: back of Palmers Adelaide St. To have no more relief by order of Ward Visitor.

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385. Catharine Roach: 68 Stanley St. 40 years old. Husband 40. Sick. 4 Children. Catharine 10. Sarah 6. Bridget 11. Mary 8. all sick with whooping cough. 14 years in Toronto. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread weekly and Coal once. Irish. R.C.

386. Mary Lawlor: 26 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. No incumberance, came for a nights shelter, begged next Morning to be allowed to remain for a few days longer not being well in health.

Tuesday 20th March 1866.

Present Revd. E. Baldwin.

387. Mary Nichol: aged 45. Native of Ireland. English Church. Husband a labourer died last Friday. She is destitute, quite blind, and left with 6 Children who have been disposed of by Mrs. Grasett in the following manner, 4 in the Girls Home, and 2 in the Boys Home. Mrs. Nichol has been recommended for admission into House of Industry. Admitted.

388. John Hunter: 73 years of age. Native of England. Methodist Church. He was an Inmate last year, but left the Institution in Debr. to work for a Mr. Masterson, was taken ill there and had to go to Hospital, from which place he was discharged yesterday, seeks admission into the House again. Admitted.

389. James Wheeler: rere of 30 Richmond St. west. Native of England. Ch of Engl. 3 Children. Girl 11. Girl 8, and boy 5. Respectable people who have struggled on so far without assistance, and would not have applied at all if work could be got. To have 300 [pounds] Coal once and 12 [pounds] Bread for a few weeks.

390. Ellen Nichol: aged 4 1/2 years, daughter of Mary in Case 387 was also admitted in House of Industry, but finding that she has a diseased head, and whooping cough, the Board ordered that under

these circumstances she be sent to General Hospital until cured, if she cannot be admitted as a free patient, the Board will be responsible for the usual charge made.

391. John Shaw: a Man very much afflicted with an incurable disease, was left this day at noon in building for casual poor by his drunken dissipated Wife who only came out of Gael yesterday. Shaw was at one time an Inmate in this Institution, (See Case 629 in 1864.) but left on his own accord, since then applications have been made for his readmission – refused. Committee considered him an improper Case on account of his sores, and requiring almost constant attention. Out door relief was allowed instead, and some Gentleman paid his rent and allowed something else beside. 12 OClock P.M.

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392. John Irwin: Widower. Aged 67. Native of Ireland. Methodist Church. Says cannot support himself any longer, no means. Has a Son in Toronto working for Jaques & Hayes as jourman, Married and has a family of seven Children to support, therefore not able to assist his father. Doctor says he is free from contagious disease, cant at present help himself but is getting paralysis of legs. very, very destitute. Admitted.

393. Rachel Kelly: in Case 308, asked a few hours leave to see her friends, (20th March) has not returned yet March 23rd.

Friday 23th March 1866.

No Committee present. None.

394. Caroline Rutherford: 24 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyt Church. Married, but deserted by her husband these 15 Months 1 Child which is adopted by a party at Bowmanville. Destitute. Has been in building for casual poor for some days, would like to stay longer, is in expectation of Money from her father to enable her to return home to Scotland.

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Present Mr. J. Tyner.

395. Mary Smith: 172 Church St. No such number.

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396. Lucy Vose: Charles St. Denisons Avenue. Visitor has known her for several years, and can recommend her for temporary relief as being a sober industrious woman. Her husband (not the most steady or industrious man) is away from home in search of Employment. She is very poor. Has six Children all at home. 2 boys 12 & 3. 4 Girls, 10.8.6, and a baby. English. Ch of England. Coal once and a casual loaf.

397. Elizabeth Moore: aged 58. Native of Scotland. Ch. of England. Husband died a Month since in General Hospital. No Children. Mrs. Moore has been trying to get Service, but cannot succeed, would like to be admitted into the House for a time, willing to make herself useful, seems a very respectable woman that has seen better days. Admitted.

398. Robert Grimshaw: 36 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. says, came from Kingston to look for work in Toronto. Shoemaker by trade. was recommended for a few days shelter.

399. Cathr. McNamara 75 Caroline St. to have Coal once more.

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The Committee for revising list of Indoor poor, and Out door Pensioners met this day (Thursday March 29th) at 3 OClock P.M.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J Tyner.

400. Isabella Philips: to have her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread continued during Summer

401. Mary Rutherford: ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

402. Charlotte Parker: to be continued on the List during Summer Months. 4 [pounds]

403. Clara Stain: her weekly allowance of 12 [pounds] Bread to be continued.

404. Elizabeth Johnson: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

405. Mary Balfour: to be continued on the List for 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

406. Jane Cochrane: 4 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.

407. Mary Bouchier: to remain on the list for weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread.

408. Sarah Anderson: to have her allowance of 12 [pounds] Bread during Summer

410. Edith Webb: her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread to be continued.

411. Sarah Clements: weekly ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

412. Mary Madigan: 4 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.

413. Margt. Oliver: weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.

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- 414. Ann Chamberlain: ration of 8 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.
- 415. Mary Ann Bell: an old Pensioner 4 [pounds] Bread weekly during Summer
- 416. Ann Spelling: to have her weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread Continued.
- 417. Joseph Parrett: 6 [pounds] Bread per week continued.
- 418. Mary Hatfield: and her Sister
- 419. Mrs. Meredith: to have a weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread between them.
- 420. Margt. Eaton: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 421. Elisa Lipsett: to have her weekly allowance 4 [pounds] Bread until 1st May.
- 422. Ann Lloyd: weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 423. Mary McKeever: her weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 424. Frances Knill: to be continued on Summer list, 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 425. Ann Silver: to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 426. Thomas Blaney: continued as usual, 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 427. Ellen Brown: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 428. Mary Collins: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 429. Mary Hurly: 4 [pounds] Bread continued during Summer Months.
- 430. Mary Ann Caulfield: 8 [pounds] per Week during Summer, Husband blind.
- 431. Ellen Connell: on account of her crippled Son, 8 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 432. John O'Neill: weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 433. Edward McConkey: weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 434. Ann Morish: her weekly ration of 8 [pounds] Bread continued.
- 436. Sarah Gilmor: 4 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.
- 437. Sarah Hardiman: ration of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.

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- 438. Margaret Kelly: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

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439. Grace Langly: weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread continued.
440. Elisa Wheat: allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.
441. Ann Pettit: her ration of 10 [pounds] Bread continued until 1st May.
442. James McKenzie: Wife and Child see Case 438 in 1865, must leave the House by 1st May.
443. George Lee: Colored Boy See Case 882 in 1866, to be sent back to Cobourg from which place it appears he came. His Brother called and took him away.
444. William Brown: Colored. See Case 882 in 1865. To be sent back to Port Hope where his friends live, and from which place he came.

Friday 30th March 1866

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

445. Johanna Moody: 38 years of age. Irish. R.C. A Soldiers Widow. Husband died in Halifax. 3 Children. Boy 10, boy 5, and girl 4 years of age. To be allowed temporary relief.
446. Thomas Wood: in Case 540 in 1865 left the Institution on his own account. 29th March.
447. Mary Nichol: in Case 387 in 1866 was sent to General Hospital to be cured of a very offensive disease. 31st March.
448. Elisa Boles: living at 68 River St. Her husband got his feet badly frozen at the beginning of the Winter, and has consequently been out of Employment ever since. She has been very active, and had good health, and been able up to the last few weeks, to support her husband and one child by her own labour, but for the last 3 Weeks she has been prevented from doing so, by an attack of Rheumatism and cold. Under these circumstances she asks for fuel once, and as they are very destitute, Visitor would recommend a Box of Coal at once.
449. Robert Evan: 55 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. See Case 657. In 1865. seeks readmission for a time, not being well enough to earn his living at present a Carpenter by trade, and when able makes himself useful.
450. William Smallbones: in Case 311 left the House to go to work.
451. Elisa Gradwell: is recommended for a continuance of Bread for one month longer. If she can by that time get more work, Visitor will report further.

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Tuesday 3rd April 1866.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson & W.J. MacDonell.

452. Daniel Sheen: aged 60. Irish. R.C. Church. Lived 14 years at Ingersoll. Not able any longer to earn his living on account of age and infirmities. The County Council paid his fare to Toronto, and advised there to try to get admission into the Poor House. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor a few days, and when rested to get back to Ingersoll.

453. Mary Hudson: to have her weekly ration of 4 [pounds] Bread restored.

454. Margaret Taylor: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread allowed during Summer Months.

455. Elisa Gurrson: weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] restored.

456. Rose Clohassy: her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread continued for 2 Months longer.

457. Cathr. Roach: 8 [pounds] Bread continued, and 300 [pounds] Coal once more.

458. Cathr. Kelly: weekly ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

459. Charlotte Woolsey to remain on List for Summer Month's, 4 [pounds] Weekly.

460. Elizabeth Balsam: weekly ration of 8 [pounds] Bread continued.

461. Mary Hickling: 4 [pounds] Bread during Summer Months.

462. Mary Ann Joslin: weekly allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer.

463. Mary Sheehan: 6 [pounds] Bread per week for one Month, and Box of Coal 300 [pounds]

464. William Turner: weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer.

465. Margt. Quigly: to have 8 [pounds] Bread during Summer Months.

466. Jane Malone: her ration of 4 lbs Bread weekly continued.

467. Bridget Shields: 18 years of age. Irish. R.C. 4 Months in Toronto, was in place, but wants now a situation, came for shelter last night. was advised by Committee to apply to the Clergy either to get her a place or find her shelter in Institution for Servants.

468. Margaret Adams: an Inmate, 4 years in the House, left this day to keep House for her two youngest Boys. See her admission Case 601 in 1862.

469. Emma Nelson: 11 years of age, was sent this evening by Revd. Dr. Fuller for Shelter, had applied for lodgings at the "Orphans Home" but was refused there. Says she came from Oxbridge, Father went to the States, and Step Mother turned her out of Doors.

470. Elisa Wilson: in Case 247 left the Institution, she will earn her Board and clothes by minding another Child.

471. James Grave: George St. recommended to have his allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread for a Month longer.

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Friday April 6/66

Present Messrs. W.J. MacDonell, J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

472. Julia Hammond: 40 Stanley St. ration of 4 [pounds] Bread continued.

473. Mary McKew: 84 Stanley St. restored to a weekly ration of 4 [pounds] Bread.

474. Margaret Murray: 70 Queen St. not at home when visitor called.

475. Patrick Ryan: 99 Richmond St. East. informed Visitor that he was 60 years of age and had 4 Children to support. Patrick 13. Stephen 11. Margaret 9 & Ellen 7. By information received from his neighbours it appears he has not any Children. Mr. Shea will take an opportunity of discovering the truth of the matter shortly and report. Meanwhile would advise that no assistance be given him.

476. Margaret Oliver: 116 Boulton St. Not able to work, therefore recommended for a ration of Groceries.

477. Elizabeth Donohue: her weekly ration of 8 [pounds] Bread restored to her.

478. Jane Shipp: to have her allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread restored to her.

479. Phoebe Jane Wilson: allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread weekly continued.

480. Mary Stewart: 132 Richmond St. W. 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly during Summer Months.

481. Mary Murphy: to have her allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread for another Month, also an allowance of Tea Sugar & etc. as her husband is still in bed.

482. Bridget Shields: in Case 467 admitted in the House for a time as she will make herself usefull

483. Elisa Long: to have her ration of 6 [pounds] Bread for a Month longer.

484. Mary Finlan: her ration of 4 [pounds] allowed for one Month longer.

485. Rebecca King: to have a ration of 6 [pounds] Bread during Summer.

486. Mary McCabe: to have 4 [pounds] Bread until 15th May.

Tuesday April 10/66

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & Rice Lewis.

487. Sophia Wilson: 41 Elizabeth St. 6 [pounds] Bread weekly during Summer Months.

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- 488. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St. East. to have her ration of 8 [pounds] Bread weekly.
- 489. Mary Gillan: 5 Richmond St. W. 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month.
- 490. Margt. Douglass: 4 [pounds] Bread per week for two Months.
- 491. Ann Winecup: Bread during Summer, 4 [pounds] per week.
- 492. Elizabeth Burns: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread per week to be continued.
- 493. Elizabeth Verger: to have 8 [pounds] Bread weekly for one Month longer.
- 494. Mary Morrow: 4 [pounds] Bread per Week during Summer Months.
- 495. Sarah McQuiggan and Sister to have weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread during Summer.
- 496. Elishe Connell: 8 [pounds] Bread per Week for one Month. There is no more Coal.

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Present E. Hobson Esqr.

- 497. William Johnson: aged 77 years, ChofEngl. From Ireland. 4 years in Canada, has a Son and two daughters in Toronto who are married but cannot do anything for their father, the old man is destitute and seeks admission into the House of Industry. To see Doctor and if a fit Case to be admitted.
- 498. Catharine Kearney: Murtagh's Wife, to have 4 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer.
- 499. Ellen Laughton: to be restored on List for 8 [pounds] Bread weekly. Husband sick.
- 500. Amy Handy: to have her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread per week one Month longer.
- 501. Rebecca Ivory: to have her allowance of 10 lbs Bread per week continued.
- 502. Timothy Harrington: allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread per Week continued.
- 503. Mary Clendenning: 23 Brittain St. to have 8 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer & visited.
- 504. Mary Clark 816 King St. east 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer.
- 505. Jane Moffatt: 9 Victoria St. 40 years of age. Husband 30. 6 Children. James 10. Robert 7. Elizabeth 8. Joseph 4. William 3. Baby 8 Months. Irish. Presbyt. Church Visitor recommends 6 [pounds] Bread per Week.
- 506. Mary Edwards: 108 Adelaide St. east. Visitor will not recommend the Case.
- 507. John Murphy: in Case 361. To be allowed to stay for a few days until he gets employment.

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508. Timothy Harrington: in Case 502 his allowance continued all the Summer.

509. Hanna Moody: in Case 354, to be admitted.

Tuesday 17th April 1866.

Present J. Thom Esqr.

510. Cathr. McCauly: 116 Adelaide Street west. Visitor recommends the continuation of her weekly allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread. Husband being still sick.

511. John Dill: in Case 466 in 1862. left the place on his own account to reside with some friends in the Country.

512. The Child deserted by its Mother Elisa Patterson in Case 696 in 1865, was brought home to day April 18th by Elizabeth McMullen with whom it was at nurse at 4 [dollars] a Month.

513. Ann Chamberlain: 116 Boulton St. Visitor recommends a continuance of Groceries, as she is still sick and not likely to recover. Husband had his big toe taken off in General Hospital.

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514. The Colored Child (Male) admitted by order of General Board, Tuesday 17 was sent this day 19th to be nursed by Ann Johnson (Colored) who lives in rear of 234 Sayer St. for which she is to receive 4 [dollars] per Month. The Child is 3 Weeks old it's Mother Rachel Prise (Colored) died in Lying in Hospital. The Father a Colored man who has a Wife and family lives at 29 Christopher Street.

Friday 29th April 1866.

No Committee

No Applications.

Tuesday 24th April 1866.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

515. William Dalton: 55 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church, was formerly an Inmate (See Case 714 in 1864.) is desirous of obtaining admission into the House again. See Note from Hon. G.W. Allan.

Friday 27th April 1866.

No committee present.

516. Mary Joslin: Visitor recommends that she be allowed bread for six weeks longer. She has been suffering from ague, and has a large family. Lives No. 438 King St. East.

517. Robert Grimshaw: in Case 398, left the House on his own account intends looking out for employment.

518. Patrick O'Reily: in Case 688 in 1865 went to service with a Mr. Campbell at Owen Sound. April 28th.

519. A Female Child say a week old was left last Saturday night at 12 O'clock at the door of George Wright on Edward St. It was sent here to day (Monday) by the Mayor to be provided for by the Institution. Mrs. Norris who lives at 49 Edward St. will nurse the Child at 4 [dollars] per Month.

Tuesday 1st May 1866.

No Committee present.

520. Ann Auchincloff: recommended to have a weekly ration of 6 [pounds] Bread.

521. Elisa O'Regan: her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread weekly restored to her by recommendation of Hon G.W. Allan. Visitor.

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Tuesday 1st May 1866.

522. Honora Gillan: her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread per Week continued.

523. Mary Brothers: in Case 358 left the Institution with intention to get admission into General Hospital.

524. Mary Camp: aged 9 years, and Bridget Camp aged 6 years, were sent here by A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Mother Ann Camp having been committed to Jail for trial on a charge of Larceny. May 3rd. Sentenced in Septbr. to two years in Provincial Penitentiary.

Friday 4th May 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

525. Daniel Shean: in Case 542 dies this Morning (Sunday May 6th) of Erycipelas [Erysipelas]. Aged 60.

Tuesday 8th May 1866

No Committee present

526. John Dill: in Case 511 made application for readmission into House of Industry, not able to do the work which his friends required of him promises to make himself useful in the House.

527. Hugh O Neill: 56 years of age, Irish. R.C. Sailor. Came from Montreal last fall, was sent here by Hon. R. Spence for Shelter until he can be sent back to Montreal.

528. Bridget Dowd: aged 11, and Frank Hartry: aged 5, were sent here by A. Macnabb Esqr P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Parents Ellen Dowd and Margt. Newman having been committed for trial at the Recorders Court on a charge of Larceny both Members of Roman Catholic Church. Sentence Dowd 5 Months hard labour in Gaol. Newman alias Hartry 6 Months in Gaol.

Friday 11th May 1866.

No Committee present.

529. John Irwin: in Case 392 died this Morning May 13th at 3 OClock A.M.

Tuesday 15th May 1866.

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett.

530. Ann Doyle: living in rear of 200 Parliment St. Hon. G.W. Allan (Visitor) recommends that she be allowed her weekly ration of 6 [pounds] Bread for one Month longer.

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531. Jessie Thompson: gone on trial previous of being apprenticed.

532. The Children Murphy in Case 85 were taken out by the Mother who intends leaving town with them.

Friday 18th May 1866

No Committee present.

533. Mary O'Brien: 132 Richmond St. west recommended to have her allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread continued during Summer Months.

534. Mary Henry: 132 Richmond St. west. recommended for a ration of groceries (once only) as she has been very unwell these few days back and has no nourishment.

Tuesday 21st May 1866

No Committee present.

535. Margaret Barton: daughter of Wilhelmina Barton in Case 729 in 1865 died this Morning May 23rd.

536. Elisa Long: applied for a continuation of her Bred, Visitor thinks she might do without during the Summer.

Friday 25st May 1866

Present Revd. Mr. Darling.

537. Sarah Williams: 119 Terauly St. receives Bread from the House, she is now in bad health, therefore recommended to receive a ration of Tea, Sugar & etc.

538. Alice Allan: Colered, receives a weekly allowance of Bread, recommended on account of illness for some Rice.

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539. A Male Child say 3 Weeks old found at the Baptist Church Bond Street on Friday night, was sent to this Institution by Sergeant Dunlop of No. 2 Police Station, to be cared for.

540. Maurice McDonnell: aged 58. Irish. ChofEngl. came from the Township of Maryborough with the intention of going to Whitby where he expect to get Employment. Seeks admission until Monday.

541. Julia Sadlier: 19 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church.

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says she was in Service at Grimsby, had to leave her place on account of illness, is now looking for a place in Toronto, in the mean time wants shelter for a few days as she has no means to pay for her lodgings.

542. Fanny Gray: aged 20 Native of Ireland. Has a dissipated look, and was rather the worse of drink when she applied last night for shelter at 10 OClock. Says she came from Weston to see her husband who is by her statement in Toronto General Hospital. want shelter until Monday.

543. Mary Elizabeth Williams: Colored. Aged 13. From Davenport Road. Applied for Shelter, says if she should procure that until Monday she would then be taken into the "Girls Home".

544. William Dalton: 55 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Has a sore leg, unable to earn his living. Seeks admission see Case 515. Left in August.

545. The Female Founding in Case 519 died this day Monday May 28th.

Tuesday 29th May 1866

Present Hon R. Spence, Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson & Revd. S. Givins

546. Mary Ann Bell: on the Bread List, Revd. Mr. Darling recommends her for fuel, Committee decline given fuel during Summer Months.

547. Phoebe Stoffels: 33 years of age. Canadian. Methodist Church, says she is a Widow. has one Child (a girl) 18 Months old, which she wishes to give up to the Institution. Committee suggested for both to come into the House, where she would be able to take care of her own Child, & likewise make herself general useful to the Institution, which offer she declined accepting.

548. Thomas Butcher: aged 73. English. ChofEngl. left the House of Industry last Autumn to live with a Son, but cannot agree with the Sons wife, seeks admission into the House, strongly recommended by Revd. Mr. Givins. Admitted.

Friday 1st June 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

549. James Yuton: aged 87 years. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Commuted Pensioner. No friends to care or do for him. Seeks admission, is willing to give his Pension to the House when it comes due, should he live that long, which hardly seems likely by his present appearance. Very weak and inform. Admitted.

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550. Mary McKeever: aged 80. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Has been an Out door Pensioner of the House for a Number of years, was brought to the Gate (yesterday afternoon) in a hand Cart by Hannah Ellis another Out door Pensioner. Mrs. McKeever was in a most deplorable condition, feeble in health, and most abominable filthy in person. was taken into Building for casual poor and cleaned up. seeks admission, if left to herself outside it is very likely she would die of want and neglect, having no one to care for her. Admitted.

551. Margaret & Mary Murphy: in Case 532 were again sent to the Institution by Mr. MacNabb P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Mother having been sent to the Recorders Court for trial, Charged with Larceny. 2 years in penitentiary.

552. Mary McKeever in Case 550 died this day June 2nd General debility.

553. James Yuton: in Case 549 died to day (June 3rd) at half past 3 OClock A.M.

Tuesday 5th June 1866

Present Mr. E. Hobson

554. Elizabeth McCauly: No. 7 Renfrew St. has a daughter and grand child living with her. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends relief as they are in great need. 6 [pounds] Bread per Week.

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555. John Sutherland: aged about 8 years, says he belongs to the Roman Catholic Church. was sent here by A. Macnabb Esqr P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested on the Public Streets as a Vagrant. Found on enquiry that he belonged to the Boys Home from which place he had run away. did the same from here after about one Hours stay.

556. Frances Connally: and Child in Case 713 in 1865. Left the Institution last Friday.

Friday 8th June 1866

Present John Shaw Esqr.

557. Margaret Oliver: Visitor recommends that she be allowed her ration of 4 [pounds] Bread per week for one Month longer.

558. James Dogherty: 59 years of age. Irish. R.C. Made application for admission. was an Inmate some years ago, rather given to drink, slept in Building for casual poor last night and behaved himself not as he should have done. To be allowed to remain in Outbuilding, and if he conducts himself in a proper manner might after a time be admitted.

559. Robert King: 69. Scotch. Presbyt. wants shelter until Monday.

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June 9th 1866.

560: Ann Ford: aged 39. Native of Ireland. ChofEng. Seeks shelter until Monday. Seems to be deranged.

Tuesday 12th June 1866.

No Committee present.

561: Frank Collins: 6 years of age, was sent by the Mayor, having been picked up by the Police on the public Streets as a vagrant. Was taken out by his father June 14th.

562: Henry Adams: in Case 745 in 1865. left the Institution, has Employment.

563: Mary Halliday: in Case 732 in 1865, went to Service.

564: James Cameron: 60 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Formerly a resident in Toronto where he owned and sailed a vessel, has of late years been living at {Bevestown}, came to

Toronto to look for a son aged 18 but heard he had left for the States. Cameron is partially paralyzed, not able to work and no means to support himself. Seeks shelter for a few days, being foot sore. To be admitted.

Friday 15th June 1866.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

Tuesday 19th June 1866.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

565: John Shaw: died this morning at half past Eleven A.M. Aged 54 years. ChofEng. Native of the Isle of Guernsey. See Case 391.

566: Alexander Beatty: in Case 95, left the Institution this morning (June 21st) of his own accord.

567: Mary Lawler: asked leave to go out. did not return again.

Friday 22nd June 1866.

No Committee present.

568: Elisa Wilson: left today on her own account without asking leave.

569: Mary Ann Joslin: recommended to have her Bread for a Month longer, also

570: Isabella Anderson: Muttons Yard Nelson St. to have 4 [pounds] Bread for a Month.

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Tuesday 26th June 1866.

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

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571: William Haldon: aged 76. Native of Ireland. Methodist Church. Was sent to this Institution by A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested for being drunk on the Public Streets. Haldon says his residence is at Stouffville, came to Toronto to buy Cabage [cabbage] plants.

572: Catharine Barton: aged {blank} years, and Daniel Barton aged {blank} years were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother Catharine Barton having been sent to Gaol for one Month for Vagrancy. June 27th.

573: Sarah Renshaw: aged 42. English. ChofEng. Resides at Dundas came to Toronto to look for two of her Children. Seeks Shelter for a night.

574: Mary Ryan: in Case 154, went on trial previous of being apprenticed. June 27th.

575: John Kelly: aged 13 years. R.C. Church, was sent by Police Magistrate to be taken care of. ran away by getting over the fence the same day, his Mother lives in Stanley St. June 28th.

Friday June 29th 1866.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

576: Catharine Kearney: 75 Caroline St. Visitor recommends that she receive her allowance of Bread through the Summer, does not think that she can earn sufficient to keep her in food.

577. Amanda Skyring: aged 75 years. Canadian. ChofEng. From Thorold, was sent here for a night's shelter by Revd. Dr. Fuller until arrangement can be made for getting her some permanent place of abode.

578: Margaret Anderson: aged 17. Canadian. ChofEng. Says she is an Orphan and lived with her Grandparents whose name is Smeltzer, and are Farmers at George Town [Georgetown], which place the girl left and came to Toronto to look for a situation. was brought here by the ^Police^ for shelter, having been found wandering about the street.

579: Henry W. Adams: died at 11 O'Clock A. M. Aged 67. July 2nd. See his Case of admission in 1862. Case 1149.

580: Mary Gillon: No. 5 Richmond St. West applied for a continuation of her allowance of bread.

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July 2nd 1866.

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581: Bridget McFarlane: in Case 378, coming out of Church yesterday (Sunday) with the rest of the Children, she ran away,. gave the proper information at No. 2 Police station Sergeant Major Hastings who [promiss'd] to have her looked after.

Tuesday 3rd July 1866.

Present Messrs. W.J. MacDonell and J. Thom.

582: Catharine Winchester: in a lane opposite Ritcheys Terrace, the second door from Adelaide St. Buried her husband two weeks ago. Has 3 boys, one 14 just going to work, one 13 in Gaol, one 9 going to School. The poor woman has a very sore leg, and is just recovering from a bad inflammation on the lungs. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread weekly until further notice, also some rice & oatmeal. Irish. ChofEng.

583: Elizabeth Gibson: 420 Queen Street west. Widow with two young Children, applied for a continuation of her Bread allowance. To have 6 [pounds] per week.

584: James Dogherty: in Case 558, applied for admission into the house. Committee will allow him to remain in Outbuilding for casual poor for a few days longer, but advise that by the end of that time he will try to get back to Chicago from which place he came.

585: Robert Hornby: 50 years of age. Native of Yorkshire England. ChofEng. Complains of rheumatic stiffness in hands and arms which disables him earning his living. Dr. Ogden examined & states that Hornby's fingers are really crippled to some extent that he might do light work, but seems at present not able to earn his living. 28 years in Canada. No settled home. Seeks admission. admitted.

Friday 6th July 1866.

Present W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

586: Ann Toner: says is 60 years of age. Native of Ireland. Member of R.C. Church. 15 years in Toronto. Broke her leg 7 months ago, has been in General Hospital ever since, is now discharged from there and sent here for admission by Dr. Hsmpton. She is now able to work on crutches. Widow. Two Boys, who are away in the States doing nothing for their Mother.

587: Robert Pasely: aged 88. Irish. ChofEng. From Township Esquesing. Came to Toronto with intent of getting into House of Industry. Has no Claim. Recommended by the Mayor for a few days rest.

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Tuesday 10th July 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

589. Mary Ann Ryan: 215 Centre St. Widow. Coloured. Methodist Church. 2 Children, Girl 10, and a baby 5 months. Mr. Tyner considers her deserving of assistance, and that a weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread would help her very much. To have 4 [pounds] Bread weekly.

Friday 13th July 1866.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

590. James Liston: aged 60. Native of Scotland. Baptist Church. 2 years in Toronto. Not in very good health, seeks admission for a few days. July 16th.

Tuesday 17th July 1866.

Present Messrs. B. Howes Dixon, J. Thom & Revd. Mr. Broughall.

591. James Liston: in Case 590 to be admitted for a few days.

592. The Male Foundling in Case 326 at Nurse with Sarah Iredale, died this Morning.

593. Male Foundling in Case 56 at Nurse with Elizabeth McMullen, died this morning July 18.

Friday July 20th /66

Present J. Thom Esqr.

594. James Dogherty: in Case 584 left the Institution.

595. G. F. Willis: says is 18 years of age. Native of England. Lived in the States for 3 years. Came to Toronto 3 days ago in a bad state of health. Was sent here for a few days shelter by Mr. M. Nasmith.

Tuesday July 24th 1866.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday July 28th 1866.

No Committee present.

596. Bridget Newman: aged 10, and Bridget McCarthy aged 11 years, were sent here by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as disorderly Characters on the Public Streets.

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597. The 2 girls Newman and McCarthy in Case 596, absconded the same day from the Institution by climbing the fence.

598. Elizabeth White: aged 27. Canadian, was born in Montreal, came to Toronto to get into Lying In Hospital for confinement, seeks shelter until Monday for self and baby (a boy) two weeks old.

599. Thomas Boland

aged 9 years, was sent here by A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested for Vagrancy on the Public Streets. Roman Catholic Church.

600. Catharine & Daniel Barton: in Case 572 were taken out by their Mother whose term in Gaol having expired. July 30.

Tuesday 31st July 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

601. Thomas Boland: in Case 599 was taken out of the Institution by his father.

602. Letitia McIntire: No. 23 lane rear St. Patricks Market. Visitor found her drunk and disorderly. Says she is nine years of age. As regards number of Children, told "Visitor", it was none of his business. Being able to get no more information, thought better to leave, particularly as Letitia began to abuse a neighbour..

Friday 3rd August 1866.

Present: J. Thom Esqr. and E. Hobson Esqr.

603. Amanda Skyring: in Case 577 is desirous of getting back to Thorold but has no means of doing so. Committee order that she receive a Dollar and her fare to be paid.

604. Ellen McCarty: aged 23 years. Irish. R.C. Believes she is a Widow. Has a Boy, Patrick, aged 7 years. Both made application for a few days shelter, having been turned out of doors by their Landlady. works in a Tobacco factory.

605. John Bristo: aged 10 years, and William Bristo aged 7 years, were sent by his worship the Mayor, they having been arrested as Vagrants on the Public Streets. It appears the Children came from Brampton [were] their parents at present reside. They formerly lived in Toronto and had relief from the Institution. See Case 206 in 1865. Both Boys ran away on the morning of the 4th inst. by climbing the fence.

606. Emma Fisher: in Case 748 in 1865, absconded from the Institution. August 6th.

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Tuesday 7th August 1866.

Present Revd. A. Williams & E. Hobson Esqr.

607. John Cox: 50 years of age. Native of England. Ch of England. Says has been 11 years in Canada, is a tailor by trade, came from Napanee. Has sore Eyes. Brought a Note from Dr. Adams recommending his admittance for a time. Committee consider Cox having no claim on this Charity.

608. James Cameron: in Case 564 made application for admission, is willing to make himself useful as far as able. To be admitted.

Friday 10th August 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

609. Peter Courtney: 84 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. 12 years in Toronto. Has Children but they are all away in the States, doing nothing for their aged parent, who is now too old to earn his living any longer, applies for admission in House of Industry. Strongly recommended by Mr. G. Brooke as a worthy and industrious man. To be admitted.

610. Frank Mason: 43 years of age. English. From the States, seeking work in Toronto. Asks shelter until Monday.

611. Henry Hughson: English. ChofEng. Blind. Appears to be wandering about the Country begging. Came from London C.W. seeks shelter until Monday when he will go on to Kingston.

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612. Cornelius Hoffman: aged 10 years. German. Is Leader to the above Hughson. Requires shelter likewise until Monday.

613. Mary Lawler: aged 38. Irish. R.C. Widow. Lived 18 years at Montreal. went to the states to look for a Brother but could not find him. She was sent to Toronto by the Mayor of London C.W. Has two Children with her (Girls) aged 9 & 7 years respectively. She thinks the Mayor of Toronto will send her on to Montreal, in the meantime seeks shelter for a day or two.

614. Patrick Cavanagh: in Case 574 in 1865, was sent here today (August 13th) by Mr. McNabb P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested on the Public Streets as a Vagrant. Roman Catholic Church. Aged say 8 years.

615. John Murphy: in Case 507. Left the Institution on his own account. August 14th.

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Tuesday 14th August 1866.

Present, Mr. Alderman Edwards & Revd. H.J. Grasett.

616. John Dunlop: 46 years of age. Wife same age, 2 Children, John 13 years and Elizabeth 11 years of age. Labourer. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread per week. Oatmeal, Tea & Sugar. All sick.

617. Sarah McPhail: 50 years of age. Lives in little Richmond St. No. 313. Widow. English. ChofEng. 3 Children at home, Girl 17 afflicted cannot take service. Sarah 10 & Mary 8 years of age. Had relief last winter, Visitor recommends it now during the Summer, very poor & very deserving. To have 8 [pounds] Bread per Week.

618. Patrick Moore: 63 years of age. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. Cooper by trade. 17 years in Toronto. Discharged today from General Hospital where he has been for the last twelve months, on account of his Eyes, but it appears that he did not much benefit by being there, as he is now totally blind. Has neither Wife or Children. Destitute, was sent by the Mayor who recommends his admission.

619. John Cochrane: aged 8 years, and Ellen Cochrane aged 6 years, were brought to this Institution by Detective Sheehan by order of Police Magistrate, their Mother and Stepfather, being both in Gaol. Canadians. R.C. Church. August 15th.

Friday 17th August 1866.

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett.

620. Mary Ann Gorman: aged say 8 years. R.C. see her Case 321, and George Lee (Colored) say 10 years of age. See his Case 443. Both Children were sent here by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate, having been arrested for vagrancy on the Public Streets of this City.

621. John Taylor: says is 96 years of age, looks more like 75. English. Church of England. He was sent here by A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant. An old Case. See Minute 388 in 1865.

Tuesday 21st August 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

622. John Taylor: in Case 621. To be admitted if Doctor considers him a fit Case.

623. George Lee: in Case 620. The Committee consider he is not a proper Case for this House, having come from the Lower Province, and leading the life of a Vagrant has become so corrupted that he is not fit to be with the Children in the House.

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Friday 24th August 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

624. Margaret Oliver: lives at 53 Duchess Street. Hon. Mr. Allan recommends her for a weekly allowance of bread. She is very destitute, in very bad health. and has two young children, and stands in very great need of assistance. Scotch. Ch of England. Aged 32. Deserted by her husband. To have 6 [pounds] bread per week.

625. Sent Notice to W. J. MacDonell Esqr., to provide places for the following 13 Children belonging to the Roman Catholic Church, and now in the Institution. Fourteen days Notice according to the rules. James O'Reilly aged 6 in Case 688 in 1865. John J. Eagan aged 4 in Case 378 in 1866. Mary Camp aged 9, and Bridget Camp aged 6, See Case 524 in 1866. James O'Neill aged 6 1/2 in Case 581 in 1862. Bridget Dowd aged 11 in Case 528 in 1866. Frank Hartry or Newman aged 5 years See Case 528 in 1866. John Cochrane aged 8, and Ellen Cochrane aged 6 years See Case 619 in 1866. Patrick Cavanagh aged 8 years, See Case 614 in 1866. Mary Ann Gorman aged 8. See Case 620 in 1866. Margaret Murphy aged 4, and Mary Ann Murphy aged 3 years, See Case 551 in 1866. Notice was sent August 22.

626. James Gorley: in Case 769 in 1865, had leave to go out, took a drop [to] much in consequence of which he left the Institution.

627. Patrick McCarthy: aged 7 years. Roman Catholic Church, was sent here by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a vagrant on the Public Streets. The same as in Case 604.

Tuesday 28th August 1866.

Present Hon. R. Spence.

628. John Cochrane: in Case 619 ran away by finding his way over the fence.

629. William Squires: aged 50. English. Ch of England. Left his Wife and family in Pittsburgh State of Pensilvania [Pennsylvania], is seeking Employment in Toronto and if successfull will send for his family, in the meantime seeks shelter for a day or two. Stocking weaver.

630. James McKenzie: wife and Child left the Institution. See Case 1094 in 1864.

631. Patrick McCarthy: in Case 627, ran away by getting over the fence. August 29th.

632. William Brown: Blind. Left the [premises], early this morning by getting over the fence. See Case 586 in 1864. August 30th.

633. Patrick Cavanagh: in Case 614, ran away this morning, most likely with the above blind man.

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634. Jesse John Brown: aged 31/2 years. Canadian. Presbyt. Church, was sent here by A. MacNabb Esq. Police Magistrate, the Mother Jane Brown having been committed to Gaol as a Lunatic. See the Case No. 383 in 1865, are the same parties. Was sent August 29th.

635. John Hunter: in Case 388 died this morning about one O'Clock. August 31st. dropsy. Aged 73 years.

Friday 31st August 1866.

Present Hon. R. Spence.

636. Maria Cole: 113 University Street. English. Ch of England. Widow. 31 years of age. 6 Children, 4 of them with farmers in the States, 2 at home, girl 1 and girl 4 years of age. She came from the States about 8 months ago. She is at the present time very ill and confined to bed, without any means of support. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread per Week, and an allowance of Sugar Tea & etc.

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637. Mary Ann Joslin: in Case 569. Recommended by Hon. G.W. Allan to have her weekly allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread continued.

Tuesday 4th September 1866.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay.

638. Julia Ryan: aged 35 years. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Seeks admission. As the rules of the Institution limit the admission to residents of this City, the Committee were obliged to refuse her application, and respectfully refer her Case to the Reeve, or other authority of the Municipality where she has resided for the last seven years. in the Township of York near the second Toll-gate on the Dundas road.

639. Thomas Shea: Canadian. Aged 13 years, Roman Catholic Church. Was sent here by A. MacNabb P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets.

640. Elizabeth Smith: aged 80. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. Application was made for her admission, she is destitute and not able to take care of herself. Has a son who does nothing for her. She was admitted on 17th August last. a Minute of her Case was at the time omitted, on account of her declining coming in, she is now anxious to do so. The Doctor who examined her, advises, that she better not be mixed up with the Inmates in the House, on account of her being subject to an unpleasant incurable disease. Will therefore have to be provided for as well as circumstances will allow, in building for casual Poor.

641. Thomas Shea: in 639, took his departure by climbing the fence. Sept 6th.

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Friday 7th September 1866.

Present No Committee.

642. Thomas McDonald: aged 15. Canadian. R.C. Francis McMillen aged 13. Canadian. R.C. John Lynch aged 14. Canadian. R.C. Joseph Campbell aged 13. ChofEng. Canadian. These four Boys were sent here by the Police Magistrate arrested by the Police as Vagrants.

643. Charlotte Evans: aged 10, and Sarah Evans aged 8 years, were also sent by the Police Magistrate, their parents having been sent to gaol for disorderly conduct.

644. Catharine Coyle: aged 10 years, Methodist Church, she was brought by the Police at 10 O'Clock in the Evening, have been found wandering about the Streets, she says her father is gone away, and her Mother is in Gaol. (Her father says Roman Catholic Church.)

645. Thomas McDonald: in Case 642, was taken from this Institution today September 8th by his Mother.

646. Elizabeth Smith: in Case 640, died this Morning Septr. 8th at Eleven O'Clock.

647. James O'Reilly John J. Eagan Margaret and Mary Ann Murphy in Case 625 were taken from this Institution by W. J. MacDonell Esqr. to House of Providence.

648. Francis McMillen John Lynch and Joseph Campbell in Case 642 escaped this Evening Septbr. 8th from the Institution by getting over the fence.

Tuesday 11th September 1866.

Present J. Thom Esqr.

649. Mary Pennicot: 231 Elizabeth St. Widow. 35 years of age. English. Ch of England. 8 Children, the two oldest girls in the States, one married. 6 at home, boy 1. 3. 5. 9 and 13 who works in Tobacco factory, at 50 [cents] per week, and one girl 7 years of age. They came from Brampton 2 Months ago, where they have lived for a number of years. The only claim for relief will be on Brampton were [where] she must return with her Children having no claim on this Institution or Toronto. Superintendent to pay their fare. In the meantime to be allowed temporary relief.

650. Joseph Lusty: 84 years of age. Native of England. Baptist Church. Was for many years sexton of Potters field. Has lately lived with a daughter, who cannot support him any longer. Seems respectable and decent. Seeks admission. To be admitted.

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651. Mary Francis: aged 43. Irish. Ch of England. Came to Canada 4 Months ago to look for her husband who came out before her, found that he had drawn his pension 1st July last, which amounts to a shilling sterling per day, has not been heard from since. Mrs. Francis seeks admission for a time until she can procure a situation. Quite a respectable person. Admitted.

652. John Murphy: in Case 615, seeks readmission into the Institution. Committee are of opinion, that he should earn his living during the Summer Months.

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653. James Gorley: in Case 626, seeks readmission again, says he will not take his drops again. Admitted.

654. William Brown: in Case 632, was brought back to the Institution by a little Colored girl, and left inside the gate. Allowed to remain in Outbuilding for a time, and if he conducts himself in a proper manner, to be then readmitted into the House.

655. Jane Mowatt: 47 years of age. Widow. Irish. Methodist Church. Recommended for admission by Dr. Ogden who says, that she is perfectly destitute and in bad health of that chronic character which would preclude her admission into the Hospital, not at present helpless, but may turn out somewhat troublesome as her health continues to fail.

Friday 14th September 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. Dr. Read.

656. William Dalton: in Case 544, is seeking shelter again for a time.

Tuesday 18th September 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

657. Ellen Cochrane: in Case 619, is to be sent back to her Mother, who lives now at 155 Centre St. was sent.

658. John Moore: 55 years of age. Native of Ireland. Protestant, mostly Ch of England, was sent here by Mr. McNabb P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant on the public Streets of this City. Moore is a watchmaker by trade and says. has lived 24 years in Toronto. Has an uncle, Thomas Moore, who keeps a tavern on the Corner of Elizabeth & Louise St. who will do nothing for him. Lane. in bad health, has the dropsy.

639. Catharine Coyle: in Case 644, was sent to her father No. 10 Centre St. Sept. 19th.

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Friday 21st September 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

660. John Moore: in Case 648 to be admitted in Outbuilding, not being a Case for the House.

661. Nancy Wright: 46 Caroline St. (See Case 648 in 1864.) Made an application for the admission of a Male Child aged about 3 years, says the Mother of said Child is in Gaol, it's [its] father in the States, it's [its] Grandmother lives in one of Mrs. Wright's Houses, supports herself by selling fruit on the Island and on Board Steamboats. R. C. Church. The Committee will give a little assistance in the shape of Bread to the old woman (whose name is Dillon) to help to keep the Child, but cannot admit it.

662. Elizabeth White: 53 Duchess St. Widow. 2 Children. Eldest girl 4 years old. youngest 2 Months. Husband died 9 months ago, supported herself as Laundress at the Queens Hotel until just before she was confined at the Lying in Hospital. Since then, she has done what little work she could but with an infant in the arms cannot possibly do enough to support herself. Visitor therefore recommends her for an allowance of Bread for a Month, and if possible some tea, Sugar, & etc. just now. 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

663. William Weathers: 43 years of age. Wife Louisa 35. 2 Children (Boys) James 7. William. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Came from Penetanguishene, intend going to Hamilton where they have friends. Seek shelter in building for casual poor to rest for a day or two, before they proceed on their journey.

664. James Butler: 60. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Says he lived with some people at the Don, who have left there now, in consequence of which he being houseless came to Town, and looked for shelter here. allowed to stay in Building for casual poor. admitted since.

665. William Forrest: 20 years of age. Native of Glasgow. Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Came from the States, says, is looking for work. Wants shelter for a few days in Outbuilding.

Tuesday 25th September 1866.

Present W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

666. Charlotte Ann Hatton: in Case 644 in 1862. Aged 9 1/2 years, went on trial previous of being apprenticed, with Samuel A. Jones of the Township of Derby. 26th Sept.

Friday 28th September 1866.

Present W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

667. Ann Lockhart: and Ann Phibs: Inmates. Appeared before the Board, both believing that they are doing to [too] much for the Institution, in the shape of making & mending

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clothes for the inmates. Ann Phibs is almost Childish. and Lockhart was recommended by Committee, that if she can better herself by leaving the Institution to do so, but while she remains in it she will have to make herself useful.

668. Susan Barton: in Case 383 was taken by her Mother to the "Girls Home" the Mother will go to Service as soon as she can get a place. Septbr. 29

669. Harriett Young in Case 753, ^in 1865^ has gone on trial previous of being apprenticed to Francis Birdehall of the Township of Alphodel [Asphodel]. Octbr. 1st. Aged say 3 years.

Tuesday 2nd October 1866

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

670. Ann Eliza Thomas: 45 University St. Colored. Methodist Church. 32 years of age. 5 Children. Boy's 12, 7, 4. Girl 2 years of age, and a baby 2 weeks old. Appears a clean industrious Woman, works as a Laundress, she also supports her old Mother. Visitor recommends 8 [pounds] Bread per week.

Friday 5th October 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

671. Alexander McMillan: aged 34. Irish. Methodist Church. Left Ireland 10 Months ago, 4 Months in New York, the rest of his time in Hamilton, mostly in Hospital with bad Eyes and General bad health. Has been a week in Toronto, seeks admission into House of Industry as he has no means of supporting himself at present. To see the Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted. Left on his own account Octbr. 9th.

672. James Butler: in Case 664, seeks admission. Partially paralyzed [paralyzed]. To see Doctor and if a proper Case for the House he might be admitted for a time.

673. Joseph Campbell: in Case 648, was again arrested for Vagrancy on the Public Streets of this City, and sent to this Institution by A. MacNabb Esqr P.M. [Police Magistrate] Octbr 8th.

674. John & Ellen Cochrane: aged 8 and 6 years, Canadians. Roman Catholic Church. were sent here by the Police Magistrate, their parents having been committed to Gaol. See Cases 628, and 657.

675. Joseph Campbell: in Case 673, ran away again, shortly after being brought here.

676. John Taylor: in Case 622 asked leave to go to Yorkville on 1st October. has not returned since.

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Tuesday 9th October 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

677. John Murray: in Case 587 in 1864, found his way to Toronto again, and applied for admission into "House of Industry", live with his Son who is a Farmer in the Township of Sydenham. Committee consider Murray has no claim on this Charity, will therefore not admit him.

678. John Moore: in Case 658, died this Morning about 11 O Clock. Octbr. 11.

679. Wilhelmina Barton: in Case 729 in 1865, left the Institution to go to Service.

Friday 12th October 186.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

680. Daniel Madden: 62 years of age. Irish. R.C. Nearly Blind. was sent by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested for Vagrancy on the Public Streets of this City. See Case 990 in 1844. Went to General Hospital Novbr. 1st.

681. Thomas Boland: See Case 601. was again sent by the Police Magistrate having been arrested for Vagrancy.

682. Elizabeth Long: aged 6, and John Long: aged 3 years, were sent here by the Police Magistrate, their mother having been committed to Gael [Gaol]. The Children came from General Hospital in which place they have been for the last two months with itch, are now cured.

683. Susan Manning: in Case 618 in 1865, aged 79 years. Died this day (October 13) at 8 OClock A.M. of dropsy.

684. Patrick Moore: in Case 618, was readmitted into General Hospital on account of his Eyes. Octbr 15th.

Tuesday 16th October 1866.

Present, J. Thom Esqr. & B. Homer Dixon Esqr

685. Mary Ann Johnston: Colored. aged 9 1/2 years, went on trial previous of being apprenticed. Octbr. 19th. See her admission Case 615 in 1864.

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686. Edward Fitzgerald: in Case 666 in 1865. gone on trial previous of being bound to Robert Johnson of Meaford.

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Friday 19th October 1866.

Present J. Thom Esqr.

687. Mary Pennicatt: in case 649. stopped in Building for casual poor for a few days with her 6 Children. John 14, Charles 11, Elisa 8, Thomas 6, James 4, and baby (a boy) 16 Months old. She was sent back to Brampton yesterday Octbr 18th as ordered by Committee. paid fare [dollars] 2.35¢ and one [dollars] 1.00 to help her on her way.

Tuesday 23th October 1866.

Present J. Doel Esqr., Revd. G. Young, & E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday 26th October 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr., J. Doel Esqr. & Revd. G. Young.

No Applicants.

Tuesday 30th October 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

688. Mary Ann Gorman: 23 years of age. Irish. R.C. Hs no husband, but a Child 4 weeks old (a Girl) came from the States to be confined at Lying in Hospital. seeks relief from the Institution. To have a casual loaf of Bread.

689. Mary Ann Lock: aged 31. English. ChofEngl, was an Inmate last Winter. See Case 368. Wishes to become an Inmate again this Winter. To see the Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

^Admitted.^

690. Sarah McVey: 32 years of age. Irish. R.C. was sent here by A. Macnabb, P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested on the Public Streets as a Vagrant. Does not appear very bright, or able to take care of herself. To be admitted.

691. Margaret McDonnell: 30 years of age. Came from Chicago in search of her husband, had shelter here for a night or two, and then went on to Kingston, where she expected to find the truant, did not succeed, is not back here again with her two Children Mary Ann 6 years & Mary Agnes 3 years, Seeking shelter for a few days, until she can rise the means to get back to Chicago. Admitted for a time.

Friday 2nd Novbr. 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

692. John Mullen: rere of 20 Dummer St. Visitor made every enquiry but could not find such party.

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693. Robert Gorman: aged 83 years. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Commented Pensioner. No permanent place of residence, was in General Hospital for some time. Captain Macdonald, Staff Officer of Pensioners applied for his admission, will pay his pension 4d [pence] to the House for his support. To see Doctor. Doctor states that there is nothing infectious about Gorman. To be admitted.

694. Mary Jane Barrett: Irish. R.C. aged 25. was sent here by A. Macnabb Esqr. Police Magistrate, having been arrested on the Public Streets as a Vagrant.

695. Sarah Willy: 72 years of age. A Widow. Native of Deptford. England. Has been 6 years in Toronto. No friends or means of support. Recommended for admission by Mrs. Grasett. Doctor reports, there is nothing infectious about Mrs. Willy. Admitted.

Tuesday, Novbr. 6th 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & J. Thom Esqr.

696. Mary Jane Barrett: in Case 694. The Committee cannot admit her, on account of her general bad conduct, one of the By-Laws of the Institution forbidding such characters becoming Inmates.

697. Henrietta Bacon: Colored, applied to get a Colored Child admitted into the Institution, says that 3 Children came from Hamilton and were brought to her House, that she procured places for the two eldest, but cannot for this one. Advised to make enquiries about the Childrens friends, and send them back.

698. Martha Laughlan: is in receipt of the 8 [pounds] Bread per week, Visitor recommends an allowance of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & etc. as her husband has been very ill for some time. He holds a Doctors certificate to that effect that he is in a very precarious state of health. The youngest child too is sick, and requires the Mothers attention, so that their means of livelihood are at present exceedingly [exceedingly] poor.

699. Mary Duffy: 73 Richmond St. East. 29 years of age. 1 child (a girl) 6 mths. old. Husband in the United States these 3 Months past. Bricklayer by trade. No means of support. Roman Catholic. Canadian. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per Week.

700. James Winchester aged 9 years. Canadian. ChofEngl. was sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother Catharine Winchester having been sent to Gaol for three Months. The Boy ran away the same day Novbr. 6th.

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701. Samuel Wedge: lives at Reeses Wharf foot of Simcoe St. He and his wife are both so old, as to be unable to work. Wedge is 81 years old, and his Wife 66. Irish. ChofEngl. Visitor recommends 4 [pounds] Bread per week for the present, and when the time for fuel comes they are to receive Coal 3 time during the season.

702. Harriet Papper: who resides at 398 Adelaide Street West. Is a Widow., a Native from Ireland, and appears to be a very respectable Woman. Her son is law Irwin with whom she resides was formerly employed by the G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] but is at present out of employment. She appears to be very badly off, and Visitor thinks that temporary relief would be well bestowed. To have 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly.

Friday 9th Novbr 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

703. Caroline Sanders: 29 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 37 years of age. 4 Children, girl 11, do [ditto] 9, do [ditto] 7, do [ditto] 4 years of age. Husband a blacksmith, now a patient in General Hospital with a tumor in the head. Mrs. Saunders appears a clean industrious woman. To have 8 [pounds] Bread per week for two Months, and to be again visited.

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704. Mary Jamison: 33 years of age. Widow. R.C. Irish. 3 Children. Visitor recommends Bread for a few weeks, as her children are ill with the hooping [whooping]-cough and she has has been prevented from getting work as usual.

Tuesday 13th Novbr. 1866.

Present Mr. Alderman Edwards & Revd. H. J. Grasett.

705. Jremiah [Jeremiah] Taylor: Irish. ChofEngl. is represented by the Revd. F. P. Hodge, Incumbent of Springfield, {Credit}, as 96 years of age, and though formerly industrious is now forced by his increasing infirmities to seek admission to the Toronto Poor House. Supt to write to Revd. Mr. Hodge stating that Taylor has no claim on this Charity, (every Municipality having to provide for their own poor) and if he is not sent for or removed from here by next Tuesday, the Committee will have to discharge the old man.

Friday Novbr. 16th 1866

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

706. Robert Evans: in Case 449, left the premises, and went on a spree for a few days, is now sober and says is sorrow for his behaviour, brought a note from the Mayor recommending his readmission. Novbr. 17th.

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Tuesday 20th Novbr. 1866.

Present Mr. E. Hobson.

707. Ann Curran: aged 18. Spinster. Says a boy 10 years old was left with her by his mother, who went to Hamilton and has not been heard of for three months. wants relief, to help to support the Child. Committee offered to relieve her of her chard by admitting it into the House, would not accept the offer.

708. Robert Evans: in Case 706 to be admitted again.

709. Bridget Lloyd: 33 Berkely [Berkeley] St. Widow 3 Months of Thomas. Came here from Dublin about a year ago. 7 Children. Mary 11, lives with Alderman Dickey, Jemima 7, Florence 6, Annie 5, Victoria 3 months. Frank 14, at Pringles' Dry Goods' store at [dollars] 3 a week. John 12 at home. Her father

Edward's lives with her. ChofEngl. Immediate relief is not required. but the family may very likely be claiming assistance before winter is over. Mr. Robert Wilkes applied on Mrs. Loyd's [Lloyd's] behalf.

710. Mary Fitzgerald: whose husband has deserted her. leaving her with 3 Children, applied to Visitor the Hon. G. W. Allan for admission into the House of Industry, who has arranged for 2 of her Children to be taken into the House of Providence for the winter, and she is very anxious to be admitted with her one child in to the House of Industry until Christmas. She is certainly in a most destitute condition, and without at present any means of paying rent or paying for fuel or food. Visitor knows nothing of her previous circumstances except from her own account, but as far as can be ascertained she is in a miserable condition, and if she could be taken in temporarily she might be able to do for herself after a time. Made her appearance in the afternoon about 5 O'clock, when her case was brought before the General Board, who do not consider her a Case for admission, but will allow her to stay in building for casual poor for a few days. Was the worse for liquor.

711. Margaret Wells: Widow. 75 years of age. Irish. R.C. Lives No. 52 Dummer St. Has one Girl 12. Lives with a Mrs. Hill, and lives by begging. Appears respectable. The little girl has occasional work with the neighbours, but is not strong enough for a place. Recommended for Bread & Coal at proper time.

712. John Mullen: in Case 692. brought his number this time as 120 Dummer St. but Visitor could not find him.

713. Susan Benns: recommended for Wood by W. H. Boulton Esqr. The distribution of firing has not taken place yet.

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Friday 23d November 1866.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Darling

714. Sarah Pedan: 50 years of age. Husband 48. A carpenter by trade. They are utterly destitute not being possessed of even a stove. The husband by reason of the fracture of his spine, is perfectly helpless. English Church. To have 6 [pounds] Bread per Week. They live on Queen St. first House west of Cooks Church.

715. Mary Toomey: 80 Stanley St. is 66 years of age. Husband dead, quite helpless from age and disease. Irish. Roman Catholic. To have 4 [pounds] Bread per week.

716. Martha Laughlan: in Case 698 is recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall for a supply of Coal on account of sickness in her family. To have 1200 [pounds] of Coal.

717. Ann Burns: in Case 522 in 1863. A Character well known at the House brought a Note from A. Macnabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] recommending her admission if a proper person entitled to the

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protection of the House. Was refused by Weekly Committee as an improper Case. Allowed Shelter until Monday in Building for casual poor.

718. Margaret O'Reilly: applied for the adress [address] of her Son Patrick, who was placed out by the Institution. Referred to General Board.

719. Patrick Kemp: who applied at the last General Board for his two Children, who are inmates in the House, and Known here as Mary and Bridget Camp, came before the Weekly Committee for a final answer, and was refused his Children. He will apply again at the next General Board Meeting.

720. Catherine Campbell: 35 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Blind. Was sent here by A. Macnabb Esqr. Police Magistrate, having been arrested on the Public Streets as a Vagrant. See Case 1099 in 1864.

Tuesday 27th Novbr. 1866.

Present Hon. R. Spence & Revd. S. Givins.

721. John Murphy: 61 years of age. Irish. R.C. Lived at the Gore of Toronto Township. Has a sore leg, and a shilling sterling per day pension. Seeks admission for a time. With 25 [cents] per day, the Weekly Committee consider him not a proper Case for charitable Institution.

722. Sarah Willy: in Case 695, left the Institution last Monday (Novbr. 26th) says that she considers herself not a Case to remain an Inmate in a Public Institution, having received means from her Son to support herself without such aid.

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Friday 30th Novbr. 1866.

Present. No Committee

723. Margaret Wilford: 32 years of age. Irish. R.C. Not Married. Has one Child, a boy aged 13 Months. Mother & Child were sent to this Institution by A. Macnabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a vagrant on the Public Streets.

724. John Mullen in Case 712. Under charge of Hospital Doctor. Has two Children, both very sick, but one convalescent. Girls 3, and 1 1/2 years respectively. Lives in a miserable shanty between Dummer & Renfrew Streets, say rear of 60 Dummer St. Canadian. R.C. Recommended for 8 [pounds]. Bread or more if Committee think proper.

725. Phoebe Smith: 204 Seaton Street. An old Woman without friends or relations, and dependent upon the Charity of her neighbours for both food and lodging. She received assistance from the House last year, when living on Queen St., and Visitor would recommend the same assistance to be given to her again this year. To have 4 [pounds] Bread per week.

726. Mary Jane Kennedy: 66 River Road. This is a Case of genuine distress most deserving of immediate relief. Husband and four Children, the eldest between 10 & 11, and the youngest 2 years. They were formerly very comfortably off, living on a farm of their own in the country. Some years ago they lost all they had on the farm by a fire, and were obliged to give the place up. Since then, they have been living in Town, Kennedy supporting his family by his daly [daily] labour, and the wife helping with her needle, working for some of the tailoring establishments. They had saved enough money during the summer, to make them pretty comfortable for the winter, when about two months ago, the wife was taken ill with congestion of the lungs from which she is only just recovering. The husband while attending upon her, caught cold, and has been himself confined to the House for some weeks, and is still unable to go out. They are much in want of fuel, and visitor wishes it were possible to have some sent to them at once, and allowance of Bread would of course be a great help to them, although Visitor does not see how they are to get on without firewood. They only ask for assistance until he is able to go out to work again, and if it is granted to them for a month they will probably not require anything byond [beyond] that. Irish. ChofEngl.

727. The Colered Child of Rachel Price in Case 514 died yesterday Debr. 2nd at Ann Johnson's with whom it was at Nurse.

728. Clara Stain: to have 600 [pounds]. Coal and rations of Sugar, Tea, & etc.

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Tuesday 4th December 1866.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay & Thos. Storm Esqr.

729. Mrs. Hall: 52 Dummer St. Age 48. Sadly afflicted with Rheumatism for last 6 years. A respectable woman. Has a husband a baker who, she says, cannot get constant work, although he is a sober steady man which visitor had doubted. Has two Children a boy 5, and a girl nearly 14. Case left to Committee.

730. Mary Coleman: 25 Renfrew St. Not known there.

731. Mary Campbell: 88 Bishop St. Visitor could not find her.

732. Martha Laughlan: in Case 716. Recommended by Visitor for a Grate for her Stove. Committee recommend that it be given.

733. James Anderson: 68 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. says, has been in Canada since 1838, working about, has had no settled home. 3 weeks in Toronto, fell down a few days ago and dislocated his shoulder, for which he had treatment at the dispensary. Has no friends, and no means of supporting himself at present. Seeks admission until well enough to go to work again. Allowed to stay in building for Casual poor for a time.

734. John Spencer: Rear 68 North Park Street. A Colored Man married to a white woman. One Child a little girl. The Man was not at home, but the Woman's informed Visitor, that her husband had a sore leg which disabled him from doing work, and that she had been suffering from fever & ague. She is a miserable looking person, but some very respectable looking people who lived in the House in front, said that the woman drank, and that the Man was out at work almost every day at Myles wood yard. Visitor cannot pretend to say whether it is the Case, merely gives the statement as it was given. It might perhaps do to give relief. say bread once and between this and next report Hon Mr. Allan (Visitor) could enquire at Myles' and ascertain if the Man is really working there.

735. Patrick Ryan: 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. was sent here by A. Macnabb Esqr. Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of this City. Had out door relief from this Institution for some years. Decbr. 6th.

Friday 7th December 1866.

Present Thos. Storm Esqr.

736. Margaret Murray: 45 Queen St. East. Cannot be found there must be a mistake in the adress.

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737. Mary Armstrong: 29 Bathurst St. is a native of Dublin of the Protestant faith, was formerly connected with the army. is 55 years of age, of which she has about 26 in Toronto. Lost her husband in 1865. Has two Children, one a girl at Service who is not able to help her, the other a son who has served his time as a wire worker but can get no Employment. The Mother appears to be a very respectable woman desirous of doing what is right. She is well spoken of by her neighbours, and is really to [too] feeble to do much towards her own support. To have 4 [pounds]. Bread per week.

738. Margaret Densmore: 98 Ann St. 40 years of age. Husband same age is serving a term in the Gaol for Larceny. Six Children, Annie 12, John 9, Catharine 7, James 5, William 3 and Mary one year of age. Have resided 18 years in Toronto. Are very destitute and suffering much from the want of fire wood. Mother a

Roman Catholic, the rest Members of Presbyterian Church. Natives of Ireland. Recommended for 12 [pounds]. Bread, weekly, and fuel.

739. Mary Jane Kennedy: in Case 726 to have 12 [pounds] Bread per Week for one Month and 300 [pounds] Coal. 4 Children. Mary Ann 12. Joseph 10. Ann 5. Jane 2 years.

740. Patrick Ryan: in Case 735. To remain in the Outbuilding for a time, and if he behaves himself to be admitted.

741. Mary Hutchinson: rear of No. 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 28 years of age. Her late husband was a sailor, he was drown'd four weeks ago. 2 Children, boy 3, and boy 1 year of age, expects to be confined almost immediately [immediately]. 6 [pounds]. Bread per week, a Coal grate, and when confined a double allowance of Coal and Tea Sugar & etc.

Tuesday Decbr. 11th. 1866.

Present J. Thom Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

742. Ann Duvell: 68 years of age. A widow. Colored. Methodist Church. respectable old Woman, recommended for relief the same as last year. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week, and Coal when given out.

743. Ann Conlin: 53 Duchess Street. Visitor found her sitting by the remains of a fire in an empty House. every article of furniture (miserable enough of their kind), having been seized for rent and turned into the yard. Husband appeared a very decent looking respectable Man, who has been suffering from from a very bad arm all summer, which he declared was so bad at one time that the Doctors thought they would have been obliged to amputate it. They did not know where to go for the night Bitter cold as it was, the Landlord would not allow them to remain there for the night, so that both Man, and Wife,

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and their two children one an infant a few weeks old, had all to turn out into the Street. Visitor gave them a trifle to get a nights lodging, and promised [promised] to report their Case to the Committee.

744. Mary Ann Blackmore: 25 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Not Married but has a child (a girl) 14 months old. Was sent by the Police Magistrate with a Note stating that she represented herself as having no means of support, and is unable to support herself and Child, while the child is sick: if she is such a person as the institution assists or protects, would recommend to receive her.

745. The following 3 Children were Baptized by the Revd. Mr. Baker of St. James Cathedral, Mary Patterson in case 696 in 1865. John Butler aged 3 years, see Case 749 in 1865. Harry Bond aged 8 Months, see Case 539 in 1866. Decbr. 12th.

746. Penelope McMillan: 84 Elizabeth St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 70 years of age. A steady respectable woman in bad health and Eyesight. Recommended 4 [pounds]. Bread weekly. No coal.

Friday 14th December 1866.

Present, No Committee present.

747. Jane Curran: 33 Camden St. A Native of Ireland. Widow, 57 years of age, is a thoroughly respectable Woman, and anxious to gain her own living, but, being afflicted with Rheumatism, is not able to support herself without help. She is well spoken of by her neighbours. Visitor recommends fuel and bread.

748. Jane Crawford: aged 56, a very respectable woman, whose husband 59 years of age has been paralysed for over a year and is quite unable to do anything for his support. Is industrious and does what work she can in the way of washing & etc. No Children with her. House clean and tidy. Is Irish, belongs to the English Church. Recommended for fuel and Bread.

749. Mary Ann Ryan: lives in the passage behind 41 Dummer St. Aged 36. A Widow. Coloured. Has two Children, a girl 9 years old and a boy 11 Months. Has a room to herself, very clean and tidy. Lives by washing and scrubbing, has to leave baby behind when she goes out and finds him about half frozen on her return during this cold weather. A Wesleyan Methodist. Recommended for fuel and Bread.

750. Andrew Robertson: 37 years of age. Native of Scotland. Member of Presbyterian Church, was send here by A. Macnabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of this City. Robertson says he came into Toronto last Wednesday from Scarboro, is a cripple having lost both his feet.

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751. Patrick Conway: 32 Boulton Street. Irish. R.C. Widower. Mr. Tyner (Visitor) received a Note from the Mayor to visit this Man, which Visitor did, and found that Conlay [Conway] had been suddenly taken with some disease in his Knees which prevents him from working at present, would therefore recommend 6 [pounds] of Bread weekly until further orders. Aged 47.

752. Jane Ann Bell: rear of No. 34 Terauly [Terauley] St. Irish. Chof Engl. Married, 27 years of age. 6 Children, boy 12, boy 9, boy 5, girl 11, girl 7, girl 3, husband a labourer, wages [dollars] 4 per week. eldest boy earns [dollars] 1 1/4 per week delivering papers. Husbands two sisters live with them, aged 65 and 67 years of age, each almost Blind and unable to to anything for a living. To have Coal when given

out, and 8 [pounds] Bread per Week, and soup for 10, and to have tea sugar [etc.] when Mrs. Bell is confined, and an order for a grate.

753. Ezra Cummer: No. 11 Dale Street. Canadian. Methodist Church. Married, 35 years of age. 7 Children, girl 13, girl 11, girl 7, boy 9, boy 5, boy 3, and boy 1 year of age, all at home, ill with the hooping [whooping] cough. Commer was taken ill while at fort Erie in June last with the Volunteers and has not been able to work since. he appears a steady industrious Man The family will require all the assistance the house can allow.

754. Sarah Moore: 19 Maria St. Nearly 60 years of age. Husband somewhat older and at present very ill. Has one boy 12 years old who does what he can to help his parents, who are apparently very respectable people, so far at least as Visitor could judge from the husband's appearance & the state of the House, the Wife being out. Moore himself is a labourer, but is now too infirm for hard work, his Wife he says has occasional work. Irish. Ch. of England. Recommended for Coal.

755. Elizabeth Doyle: 60 Dummer St. aged 24, husband is 30, and has just left the Army. Says he cannot get work. Both apparently hearty and robust. 2 small Children. Apparently live well as there were excellent Mutton chop, potatoes [etc.] [etc.] [etc.] being prepared for dinner when Visitor called. Not recommended but left to Committee.

756. Mary Hickling: Borden St. off College St. opposite Mr. Barber. Regular pensioner receives Bread, recommended for Coal.

757. Ann Sawtell: 37 Nassau St. an old pensioner receives Bread, to have Coal also.

758. Jane Wingham: 280 Queen St. west. Recommended for Coal, has been usual for last two years.

759. William Merritt: Borden St. First House off College, opposite Mr. J.A. Barbers. A weakly old Man, with an infirm wife. His Case well Known at the House. Recommended for 1200 [pounds] Coal, and Bread when he can come for it.

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760. Ann Pettit: receives Bread, Recommended for 1200 [pounds] Coal at one time. She is one of the old and deserving Cases.

761. Ann Lloyd: 119 Adelaide St. west. An old pensioner, receives bread, is now recommended for her allowance of Coal. 900 [pounds] to be sent all at once.

762. Sarah Anderson: also an old pensioner receiving bread, recommended for 1200 [pounds] Coal.

763. Mary Gillon: No. 5 Richmond St. East. A Widow with 2 Children, Girl 11 & Girl 7 Irish. Ch of England. To have 6 [pounds] Bread per week & Coal ^3 times^ when given out.

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Present. No Committee.

764. Sarah Burns: Lane between McMahon and Berkely [Berkeley] Streets. A Widow with two young Children. Her husband died a few Months ago, he had been a soldier in the 16th Regiment for nearly 20 years and only got his discharge last year. Mrs. Burns has been suffering from a very bad leg which nearly incapacitated her for work of any Kind, but she has been doing some washing for a Mrs. Macdonald the Wife of Captain Macdonald Staff-Officer of Pensioners who having been in the same Regiment has been very Kind to her. I would recommend her for Bread for the Winter and Coal 3 times.

765. Bridget Dowd: in Case 528, was taken out by her Mother Ellen Dowd.

766. Frank Hartry: was also taken out by his Mother Margaret Newman. See Case 528.

767. Robert Humphrys: who went on trial with William Dent, was returned to the Institution Debr. 18th. Not giving satisfaction to his Employer. See Case 766 in 1865.

768. Catharine Campbell in Case 720, was called for and taken out by her husband, who brought a Note from A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] ordering that she be given to her husband.

769. Maria McKenny: 187 Centre St. Colored [Colored]. Methodist Church. Widow 34 years of age. 3 Children, boy 8, girl 4, girl 3 years of age, all at home, supports herself and family by charwork. Visitor was informed that she is a steady industrious woman. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread Weekly with an allowance of Coal and Soup.

770. Rebecca Baker: 187 Centre St. Coloured. Baptist Church. Married 23 years of age. 2 Children, a boy 4 years, and a boy 1 Month old. Husband a Sailor has sent her no Money since he left last spring, has heard that he was in Buffalo. Visitor believes her to be a steady industrious Woman, and would recommend a Weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread with Coal and soup.

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771. Eliza Forsight: 83 Albert St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married. 40 years of age. Husband left her some years ago. 4 Children, boy 15, boy 13, girl 9, and girl 7 years of age. The Boy 15 works at Boxalls at [dollars] 4 a Month and board. the boy 13 lives with a Milk Man for his board, the girls are at home. Mrs. Forsight appears to be a lazy dirty woman, fond of whisky, but visitor would recommend assistance for the sake of the Children.



772. Mary Sturgeon: 57 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow 50 years of age, one Child a girl 9 years of age. Mrs. Sturgeon is in bad health, having disease of the heart. Not able to work, Keeps a very small store where she sells tape pins and [etc.] Visitor recommends relief in the shape of bread and Coal.

773. Catharine White: rear of 253 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married. 40 years of age. 2 girls 7 & 3 years, eldest a cripple in the foot. Husband a labourer, both in excellent health and well able to support themselves and Children, Not recommended.

774. Catharine Gibbs: rear of 32 Agnes St. Canadian. Methodist Church. Aged 26 years. A Widow with 3 Children, boy 5, girl 3 and girl 1 year old. Respectable clean industrious sewing woman. To have weekly 8 [pounds] Bread, and 1200 [pounds] Coal for the Winter.

775. Mary Scott: rear of 178 Centre St. To have bread and Groceries. Husband in a dying sta{te}

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Present Revd. E. Baldwin. J. Tyner Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

776. Grace Slaving: 17 Agnes St. Irish. R.C. A Widow. 50 years of age, 2 Children girl 7 and girl 9 years of age. Supports her family by Knitting, is in bad health. Not able to do hard work. To have 6 [pounds] Bread per week with Coal and soup.

777. Julia Flanagan: 81 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. A Widow aged 65. One daughter in Service. Mrs. Flanagan appears not able to do much to earn her own living. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread Weekly with Coal and soup.

778. Ann Cook: 44 Louisa St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Husband went to the States 15 Months ago, sends her no Money. 7 Children. The eldest girl in the States a boy 14, and boy 12 in Service who assist her a little, boy 10, boy 9, girl 7 and girl 3 years of age at home. Appear very poor no furniture except the Stove, all the rest was taken for rent. A Charwoman. 8 [pounds] Bread weekly, Coal and soup.

779. Sarah McBride: rear of 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married. 28 years of age. 2 Children, boy 6 and girl 1 year old. Says her husband left her 18 Months ago, has not heard from him since. Very dirty both room and person. Visitor believes she lives by begging. Cannot recommend. Confirmed by Committee.

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780. Mary Gartland: or Gartly lives in the same room (a dirty cellar) with the last Case. was not at home when Visitor called, but her son a Married Man who lives in the same dirty cellar with his wife and

Children, informed Visitor that she was Irish. Roman Catholic Church. A Widow 50 years of age and lives by begging. Not recommended.

781. John Campbell: 28 Centre St. Scotch. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. Married. 37 years of age. 3 Children, boy 11, boy 9, girl 6 years of age. Campbell at present is almost blind but hopes that he will shortly recover his sight. His wife and Children appear clean and respectable but very poor, he will produce a doctors certificate. To have 12 [pounds] Bread per week, with Coal and soup.

782. Margaret Wright: 32 Centre St. Irish. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. Spinster. 2 Children left with her by a drunken brother who is in the states, and has sent her no Money for the last four Months. Girl 8 and girl 9 years of age. She is a clean industrious woman who supports herself and Children by sewing. To have 4 [pounds] Bread weekly, Coal & Soup.

783. Jane Burke: 32 Centre St. Canadian. Ch of Engl. Married 26 years of age. 2 Children, boy 6 in "Boys House", boy 18 Months at home. Husband went to the states 18 Months ago, since which time she has not heard from him. Works as a Charwoman but not able to scrub on account of a bad Knee. To have 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal for 2 Months.

784. Sarah Jones: 72 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 60 years of age. Girl 14 works in a Tobacco factory, wages [dollars] 1,50 per week all they have to live upon the Mother says, who is not able to work. To have 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal 3 times.

785. Judy Mullen: 72 Centre St. was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed by Sarah Jones that Mrs. Mullen is Married. Irish. R.C. about 60 years of age, Husband works in the Country as a labourer. No family. Visitor suggests that she go in the Country and look after her husband.

786. Theresa Thoroughgood: 115 1/2 University St. Canadian. Methodist Church. Married. 33 years of age, herself and husband very ill. 6 Children, boy 10, boy 7, boy 3, girl 8, and girl 5 years, and a baby 4 Months old. To have 12 [pounds] Bread per week for the present, with Coal, soup. Tea, Sugar [etc.]

787. Catharine Turner: 115 University St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married 28 years of age. 2 Children, girl 7 and boy 3 years of age. Says her husband left her two years ago, does not Know where he is, supports herself and Children by washing and scrubbing. 4 [pounds] Bread per Week and Coal for one Month. Visitor will call again.

788. Ann Connell: 26 Centre St. is about to move, when she will leave her new address.

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789. Catharine Martin: rear of 10 Edward St. Irish. R.C. Widow 44 years of age. 5 Children, girl 21 in the States, boy 17 in the Hospital with fever, girl 14, girl 12, girl 10. They live partly by work and partly by

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begging. No claim on the House for relief as the girls ought to be in Service. Appear very poor & very dirty.

790. Henry Jones: 217 Sayer St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Married. 55 years of age. 5 Children, boy 10, girl 8, girl 6, girl 4 and girl 1 year old. Jones says he is not able to wo{rk} being much troubled with Rheumatism. If the Doctor confirms his statement they will require relief.

791. Mary Edmonds: 207 Centre St. Coloured. Chof Engl. Widow 39 years of age. 4 Children girl 14 in Service, the others at home, a very industrious woman, and well deserving of assistance. To have 6 [pounds] Bread per week with Coal and soup.

792. Julia Brierton: 221 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow 40 years of age. 2 Children boy 8 and girl 2 years of age. She appears very poor and in bad health unable to work. To be reported upon by the Doctor.

Doctor examined Julia Brierton, told him she had the piles very badly. Her pulse rather weak and frequent. She is rather weak and debilitated but otherwise healthy for her age.

793. Ann Bowles: 201 Centre St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Married. 49 years of age. 2 Children, girl 12 and girl 9. Husband stated to be in bad health, unable to work. To see the Doctor and if in bad health, Visitor would recommend relief.

794. Mary Moffett: 230 Sayer St. Coloured. Methodist. Widow 55 years of age. lives with a Married daughter whose husband is said to be in bad health. 4 [pounds] Bread weekly

795 Bridget Hayes: Rear of Cartys soap factory George St. Widow. 3 Children. A decent enough person. does what she can to earn her living, but in this bad weather requires a little assistance. Recommended for Coal 3 times and a small allowance of Bread for 2 Months.

796. Johanna O'Brien: 102 George St. An old Case. A very decent respectable Woman reported upon from year to year, she seldom applies until the severe weather sets in, and a little Coal, and a small allowance of Bread for the Winter would be well bestowed.

797. Ellen McDonnell: living in the other half of 102 George St. She has a husband, but he is quite incapacitated for work or indeed for going outside the House in Winter, as both lungs are pretty nearly gone. Recommended for Coal 4 times, and a little bread if she asks for it. To have 8 [pounds] Bread per Week.

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800. Catharine Carberry: opposite 102 George St. See last report in Case 243. in this Case there is a sickly weak husband. also, although not nearly so unfit for work as the fore going Case McDonnell. Visitor

would recommend them for Coal once, and a little bread for a few weeks, and would then have the Case referred to him again.

801. Margaret Donovan: 83 George St. An old Widow woman. without Children or friends or connexions of any kind. Peddles, Apples and Cakes in Summer. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of Bread during the Winter Months.

802. Margaret Otley: 53 Duchess St. This Case will be found reported upon in previous years. No change has taken place in their circumstances. The husband is now nearly deaf as well as blind. Recommended for Coal for the Winter.

803. Margaret Bryan: 12 Duchess St. Widow. No family. Can do nothing in Winter. old and very infirm. Recommended for Coal and a little bread for the next two Months.

804. Catharine Kelly: 10 Duchess St. Mrs. Kelly's husband is in the House. Visitor believes the Case is pretty well Known to the Board. Would be disposed to recommend her for Bread and Coal say twice.

805. Ellen Reardon: 75 Sumach St. Case much the same as above, except that she is more helpless in consequence to an accident to her hand. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of Bread for two Months.

806. Bertha Stinson: 122 Duchess St. On going into Mrs. Stinson's house, Visitor found her lying under the table! having been knocked down (according to her own account) by her Scape grace Nephew. What has brought about the change Visitor does not Know. but from being a neat tidy old woman, with her Cottage all in good order, she has now become dirty and wretched both in person and her House. Thinks (Visitor) the best place for her would be the "House of Industry", and she would then be out of the reach of the Scapegrace who seems to be the chief source of her trouble and misery now.

807. Mary McCarty: 27 Pine St. Widow, with two Children. Scrubs and washes. Was out when Visitor called, but the people with whom she lodged assured him (Visitor) that she was a very decent industrious Woman. Would therefore recommend that she have Coal once, and Bread for a fortnight, and then that the Case be again referred.

808. Margaret Ryan: 26 & 27 Pine St. An old Woman, 3 Children only one living with her. Mrs. Ryan injured her back sometime ago and is quite unfit for work. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a little bread for the Winter. Weekly allowance of 4 [pounds] bread.

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809. John O'Neill: 307 Queen St. East. O'Neill is nearly blind and of course unfit for almost any work. His wife is a stout healthy person but they have a large family, 5 Children the youngest a mere infant and

can scarcely therefore go now without some assistance during the severe weather. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a little Bread. To have 8 [pounds] Bread during the Winter Months.

810. Bridget Driscoll: 325 Queen St. East. Widow with one child. Case reported upon in previous years. A very respectable old woman. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a little bread for a Month

811. Sarah Clements: 17 Pine St. An old woman living with her daughter a dressmaker. Case was reported upon last year when she was living in Duke St. She has been getting an allowance of Bread from the house, Visitor would recommend Coal twice, beginning in a fortnight.

812. Johanna McDonell: 10 Duchess St. was out when Visitor called, reported upon her Case last year, and as far as can be learned her circumstances are much the same requiring a little help during the severe weather, would therefore recommend her for Coal.

813. Mary Ann Wright: 301 Queen St. East. Widow. 2 small Children. Husband was in the Canadian Rifles. Has been suffering from sore Eyes herself and one of her Children, and been under treatment at the Hospital. Seems a very decent little woman. Recommended for Coal twice, Bread for 6 weeks. Bread 6 [pounds] per week.

814. Ellen Ryan: Lane back of Ramsay's Berkely [Berkeley] St. Case reported upon last year. Husband left her with two young Children. Recommended for Coal twice, and Bread for 6 Weeks.

815. Mary Gallagher: No. 17 West side of Pine St. 3 or 4 doors from North Park St. Husband and 6 Children. Husband goes about gathering ashes when he is able, but has very bad sore legs, and in the Winter can do nothing. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for a couple of Months. To have 8 [pounds] Bread per week.

816. Mary Finnigan: rear of 139 Queen St. west. Widow aged 48. R.C. Irish. 2 Sons, one aged 16 learning a trade gets [dollars] 5 per Month, boy 12 at School. Recommended for 6 [pounds] bread per Week and Coal 3 times.

817. Ann Ryan: rear of 139 Queen St. west. Widow aged 72. R.C. Irish. Wants no bread, to have Coal 3 times. Old as she is tries to help herself by peddling.

818. Catharine Hunt: 30 Boulton St. and Mary Morrissey 36 Boulton St. Visitor will make further enquireys into these Cases before he can recommend.

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819. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. Spinster. R.C. Irish. Aged 69. Lives rent free. gets 4 [pounds] Bread per week from her Clergy. To have Coal twice.

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820. Ellen Sullivan: 87 Richmond St. west. R.C. Irish. Husband not able to work, sick for a long time. 6 Children, 5 Girls aged 2, 4, 6, 8, 10 respectively, one boy aged 3 years. This Family stands in need of all the Committee can give. To have 12 [pounds] bread for the Winter and Coal 4 times, likewise soup.

821. Mary Pollard: 261 1/2 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 63. Ch of Engl. Irish. To have 4 [pounds] bread per Week and Coal 3 times during Winter.

822. Ann Kirk: 273 Queen St. west. Irish. R.C. A widow aged 57. Coal only twice for the season, bread 4 [pounds] per week, and soup.

823. Bridget McCabe: 273 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 72. Irish. R.C. 4 [pounds] Bread per week, Coal twice, and soup.

824. Sophia Monroe: 1st House North of 48 Bathurst St. aged 46. has been a Widow 8 years, a Methodist. Native of Nova Scotia, no means of support except what she earns by washing and scrubbing. No family. Asks for Coal and Bread. 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal 3 times.

825. Jane Redditt: rear of 33 Camden St. Husband 72 years of age, and can do but little. No fire or fuel in the House. Washes when she can get Employment, but can not earn sufficient Irish. ChofEngl. To have 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

826. Ann Myers: lives in back part of 33 Camden St. use the same stove with above Case. Has been a Widow 25 years. Complains of Rheumatism. Has one Son in Sarnia, but gets no help from him. R.C.

827. Ellen Siddon: 155 Tecumseth St. a Widow, Native of Ireland, a Roman Catholic. No family. has been in Toronto since 1853. very poor, no fire. well reported of by her neighbours. wants Coal and bread. has not been well lately. To have Coal.

828. Ellen Kamousky: 489 Richmond St. west. R.C. two Children, aged 6 and 1 1/2. Husband formerly a Carter, was hurt by a fall about 18 Months ago, since which time his limbs have been partially paralyzed. was in hospital 2 Months but received no benefit. Right leg is utterly useless.

829. John Tracey: and Wife reside at 125 Tecumseth St. Native of Ireland. R.C. no Children 60 years of age. not able to do much, An old Soldier ought not to be allowed to suffer. To have a Weekly allowance of 6 [pounds] Bread, and Coal, Soup if they like to come for it.

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830. Mary Harrison: 479 1/2 Richmond St. west. has been a Widow 5 years. 2 Children, boy aged 14, and Girl 9. Son earns 17 Dollars a Month. does washing. Nothing allowed.



831. Johanna Spelling: 520 King St. west. A Widow. Irish. R.C. 3 Children aged 12, 8, and 6. lives by Knitting. calls herself 60 years of age. appears about 40. Coal 3 times, and 4 [pounds] Bread.

832. Mary McKenzie: 29 John St. no such house. Visitor could not find the woman.

833. Mary Ann Caulfield: 74 Portland St. 3 Children, Eldest 10 years. Native of Ireland. Ch of Engl. In 1860 husband met with an accident by which he was rendered almost blind. able to do very little. Has been 17 years in Toronto. asks for coal and Bread. Receives a weekly allowance of 8 [pounds] Bread from the House, to be allowed Coal for the winter.

834. Barbara Armstrong: West side Tecumseth St. 2nd door South of Richmond St. has been a widow 3 years. 6 Children at home. one boy aged 14 able to make a living but home at present by reason of a sprained foot. Native of Ireland. Protestant. Visitor found the children huddled round a small fire made of a hand ful of chips which they had picked up in the Street. Asks for Coal & Bread.

835. Fanny Verrall: 7 Camden St. a most respectable woman. deserted by her husband. two daughters both widows living with her. Eldest daughter afflicted with Epilptic fits. 10 in family, poor and deserving of help. Asks a grant of Coal and Bread.

836. Julia Smith: a Widow 5 years, resides with her daughter 137 Peter St. They are employed in the Clothing department of Walker's, and can manage to meet their expences in Summer, but in Winter are unable to do so. she appears a deserving woman. asks for a grant of Coal.

837. Elizabeth Simmonds: 29 Garrison St. Native of Newfoundland, has been two years in Toronto. A Protestant, aged 43. No family. lost her husband in October last, has nothing but what she can earn, as is not able to do much as she suffers from pain in the side and dropsy in the legs. Asks a grant of Coal and Bread. Appears a worthy woman. To have Coal and 4 [pounds] Bread, and come and see the Doctor.

838. Sarah Gilmor: No. 3 Elizabeth St. (west) Not at home when Visitor called. Daughter says she is 50 years old, a Widow for four Months. Lives in a Cold dirty house, and very uncomfortable. Has 4 Children, one girl 13 just recovering from sickness, & 3 boys 11. 7. 4. Has had good work till lately but it is now grown slack. Irish. Roman Catholic Recommended for Coal and Bread. 8 [pounds] Bread & Coal

839. Mary Black: 213 Bishop St. A well Known Case often reported on. Recommended for help as usual. 6 [pounds] Bread weekly, and 1200 [pounds] Coal.

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840. Mary Finnigan: No. 3 Elizabeth St. (west) Not at home when visitor called. ~~Daughter says she is 50 years old.~~ A Widow ~~4 Months~~ Has one boy 3 years old. Lives with a family named Halligan, and supports



herself by washing &etc. apparently quit & sober people. Irish. R.C. aged 32. wants coal only for two Months until she can get work. Recommended.

841. Jane Pollard: rear of 60 Denisons [Dennison's] Avenue. about 55 years of age. Husband same. has a room rented from Pollards Brother, in bad repair and very cold. Husband a labourer and can get but little job work. Not strong. Has one girl 12 years old, at shool [school], apparently very poor and deserving. Wishes for one Months Coal and Bread for the winter. Recommended. Irish. R.C. To have Coal once.

842. Precilla Ann Cook: a widow aged 47. Has one boy 10 years old. Lives over Dunns Butcher shop (Entrance by Laidlays lane) room clean but cold and uncomfortable house being badly out of repair, is in delicate health. Lives by plain sewing & ironing. Unable to do hard work, English. Chof Engl. To have Coal and Bread.

843. Julia Burton: 27 Renfrew St. Not at home when Visitor called. A Widow & has 3 Children 2 Girls and a boy, lives by begging. Has been lodging now for nearly a Month with an Irish family in a dirty filthy house. Her Case left to the Committee.

844. Hannah Ellis: 20 Renfrew St. A Widow. 52. Lives with a family named Burns. No Children, unable to work & lives by begging. Has 25 [cents] a Month from the Church. The house is very dirty and uncomfortable. Irish. Ch of England. Coal and bread.

845. Margaret Gartland and)

846. Ann Quinn): 86 Dummer St. have sepearte apartments up stairs. Mrs. Gartlands Girl is just recovering from small pox. Old pensioners recommended for usual help.

847. Ellen Ward: 5 Renfrew St. aged 62. Husband 61. Both have been in bad health lately, wife has a disabled arm, and the husband was in Hospital a few Months ago. A taylor [tailor] by trade. Have a Comfortable tidy house. English. Ch of England To have Coal and Bread.

848. Alice Torphy: 366 Adelaide St. west. A Widow aged 45. Has 3 Children, all Girls, 13, 10, and 3 1/2. has a couple of rooms up stairs. A Charwoman getting only occasional work. Very poor. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

849. Mary Nolan: 16 Dummer St. a Widow. 65. No Children. In Summer sells Eggs [etc.] for a living, but now her occupation's gone. lodges with a family named Healy, sober respectable people. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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850. Catharine Cowan: 50 Dummer St. aged 48. Husband troubled with Rheumatism 3 Children at home, a girl 19 obliged to leave service on account of sickness & now does a little plane sewing. Two boys 9 & 7. Husband is a Tanner by trade but is now obliged to look after job work which he says is hard to get. Coal twice and Bread. Irish. Ch of England. Committee want husband to see the Doctor.

851. Catharine Thompson: lives with above. A Widow 46, one boy at home 12 years old, Washes and scrubs and sews for a living as she can get work. Her employment is irregular. Has no stove of her own. Coal alternately with above, and bread. No relief, able to earn her own living.

852. Elizabeth Sibbett: aged 35. Widow with 4 Children, 1 boy 6. 3 girls 13, 11, & 8. the eldest of whom sews at Finches, and the second in Service. Supports herself by sewing. Has a couple of rooms not over comfortable, for which she pays [dollars] 2 1/2 per Month. Irish. Ch of England. Coal and bread.

853. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. Not at home when Visitor called, but an old pensioner and recommended for usual help.

854. Martha Smith: 118 Strachan St. A Widow 36 years of age. Has five Children at home 4 Girls 10. 8. 6. 4. one boy 12. No furniture worth mentioning in the house. bed on floor, cold and wretched. says she can get work. Is of bad reputation, but in a miserable state. English with a leaning to the English Church. Recommended for help.

855. Phoebe Carling: lives with a Mrs. Hull Dummer St. has been with her about a week. about 60 years old. Husband in States but seperated for a long time. Very Rheumatic, begs for a living. Irish. Chof England. Recommended for Bread, question of Coal left to Committee, perhaps better have it once or twice.

856. Margaret Oliver: 62 Dummer St. Could not be found.

857. Isabella McAdams: 27 1/2 South Park St. See report of previous years. Daughter at Service. Eldest boy works at Rolling Mills. 3 Children living with her. Recommended for last Winters allowance.

858. Catharine Mooney: 28 Frederick St. See previous reports, lives still with her old crony Elizabeth Smith. Daughter at Service pays her rent. No Material Change in other respects. Recommended last years allowance for each.

859. Bridget Efferson: 89 Ann Street. A Widow aged 66. Irish. R.C. Has two Grandchildren living with her, a girl 8, and a boy 6. To have 8 [pounds] Bread weekly, and Coal.

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860. Elizabeth Doyle: in Case 755. Committee refused relief. both young and able to work.

861. Margaret Hunter: rear of 45 Elizabeth St. Irish. Chof Engl. Married 35 years of age. 2 Children boy 4 years, and a baby 4 Months old. Husband in the Lunatic Asylum. Mrs. Hunter appears a very respectable woman, unable to work. 6 [pounds] Bread per week with Coal and Grate. A little Rice & Tea & Sugar.
862. George Mott: 145 University St. Coloured. Chof Engl. Married. 43 years of age. Confined to bed with Rheumatism. By trade a Shoemaker. Wife a white woman. No Children. to have Coal for one Month and Visitor will report again.
863. Mary Carter: 150 Centre St. English. Ch of Engl. 70 years of age. Husband 85 very infirm, very respectable but unable to do without assistance. 6 [pounds] Bread per Week & Coal.
864. John Thomas: 15 Shuter St. English. ChofEngl. Thomas and his wife are very aged people not able to help themselves. To have 6 [pounds] Bread per Week, 1200 [pounds] Coal & rations.
865. Rose Walsh: 18 Stanley St. 23 years of age, has 3 Brothers. Thomas. Samuel. Charles. aged respectively 11, 9, and 6 years of age to support besides a child of her own. Her husband has gone to the States. Members of the Ch of England. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal.
866. Jane Malone: 22 Stanley St. 60 years of age and helpless, with one daughter and a grandchild aged 8. Daughter 20 years of age. Roman Catholic's. Irish. Recommended for an allowance of 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal. ^Refused on learning husband working^
867. Bridget O'Brien: 31 Stanley St. 45 years of age. Husband same age. one child a boy 12 years old. Husband is engaged working with Butchers. Recommended 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal once.
868. Mary Anderson 35 Stanley St. a Widow 62 years old, resides with her daughter, unable to support herself. Scotch. Presbyterians [Presbyterians]. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal.
809. [869]. Susan Martin: 37 Stanley St. 24 years of age. Husband dead. one Child 3 years old. Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
810. [870]. Eliza [Elisa] Burns: 40 Stanley St. A Widow 70 years of age. ~~Husband 60. one Son 12 years old,~~ resides with her daughter. R.C. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal.
811. [871]. Bridget Halloran 62 Stanley St. 50 years of age, husband 60. one Son 12 years old, Palsied. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
812. [872]. Mary McCarty: 62 Stanley St. 40 years of age, a Widow with one Child 5 years old. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

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873. Margaret Sherlock: 62 Stanley St. 36 years of age. A Widow. Roman Catholic. Irish. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread per Week.

874. Margaret Sweeny: 62 Stanley St. 50 years of age. A Widow. one Son 14 years old. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

875. Mary Stuart: 64 Stanley St. 40 years of age, husband 42. 2 Children. James 11. William 9. Natives of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

876. Catharine Roach: 67 Stanley St. 44 years old. 2 Children, Sarah 6, and Catharine 11. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

877. Mary Carroll: rear of 77 Stanley St. A Widow 40 years old. 3 Children, Catharine 9. Michael 5 and John 3, is suffering from Rheumatism Roman Catholics. Recomd. 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

878. Mary Coulter: 8 Stanley St 52 years of age, husband 63, unable to work. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

879. Ann Dunn: 81 Stanley St. A Widow 40 years of age, 2 Children, Jane 10. Daniel 9 years of age. No means of support. Roman Catholics. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

880. Bridget Conley: rear of 82 Stanley St. 40 years old. Married. 4 Children Edward 12, Patrick 9 Mary 8, Michael 5. Roman Catholics. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

881. Catharine Foley: rear of 84 Stanley St. A Widow 40 years of age. 3 Children Catharine, Mary and James are respectively 11, 7, and 5 years. R.C. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

882. Mary Brothers: rear 84 Stanley St. 70 years of age. 35 years in Toronto, resides with a Mrs. Courtney [Courtney] quite unable to work. Roman Catholic. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread.

883. Mary Courtney [Courtney]: 84 Stanley St. A Widow 27 years old. 2 Children Michael 10, John 8 years of age, Roman Catholic. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread & Coal.

884. Dennis Shea: rear of 93 Stanley St. 50 years of age and Wife 30, Children Mary Ann 6, Honora 3. Husband has only one leg. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal. R.C.

885 Mary Rutherford: 35 Queen St. East. 55 years of age. Member of African Church. Recommended for Bread, and Coal.

886. Bridget Ketts: 23 Queen St. East. 65 years of age. Supports herself as best she can by Knitting, a Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

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887. Catharine Edwards: rear of 108 Adelaide St. East. 55 years of age, 2 Children, Caroline 14, and George 12. R. Catholics. Recommended for 4 [pounds] bread and Coal.
888. Martha Kenny [Kenna]: rear of 108 Adelaide St. East. 54 years of age, unable to work, a Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
889. Margaret Dunwoodie: 108 Adelaide St. East. 40 years of age. Husband 57, suffering from Asthma. 3 Children, James, Charles, and Henry aged 15. 6 & 4 years respectively. the eldest earning [dollars] 1. per week. Chof England. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
890. Bridget Fleming: 48 Bond St. 45 years of age. supports herself by washing. 2 Children Barney 11, Joseph 13. Roman Catholics. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
891. Mary McCrann: 48 Bond St. 60 years of age, suffering from Dumb Ague & Rheumatism, and her sister Palsied, unable to work. R.C. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per Week, Coal & Sugar, Tea [etc.]
892. Catharine Hughes: 71 Richmond St. East 54 years of age, a Widow. her daughter is 21 years old in Service. Member of the Church of England. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal once.
893. Mary Duffy: 73 Richmond St. East. 29 years of age, husband in the States, one Child 3 Months old. A Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
894. Agnes Hogan: 96 Richmond St. 44 years of age. A Widow with 4 Children, James 13, Jonas 11, Wm 9. and Mary 6 years of age. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 8 [pounds] Bread & Coal.
895. Catharine Nugent: 17 Shuter St. 65 years of age, Daughter 20 a Tailoress. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal. Members of Ch of England.
896. Ellen Doyle: 33 Shuter St. 65 years of age. unable to work. A Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
897. Ann Carr: Church St. 42 years of age, a Widow, has but one leg, a daughter in a Decline. quite unable to work. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for Coal, Tea, Sugar Oatmeal &ctr.
898. Ann Watson: Hayden St. 44 years of age, A Widow, 2 Children, George 18 years, & Sarah Ann 12, George is confined to his bed by sickness, as is also his Mother. Members of English Church. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread and Coal.
899. Alice Murphy: 44 Ann St. 32 years of age. Husband 40, a Laborer. Have 7 Children. Sarah Ann 14, Ann Jane 13. Wm John 9. Thomas James 8. George 7. Eliza 3. Frances 18 mth. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 10 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

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900. Margaret Conley: 93 Ann St. 36 years of age, 2 Children, Mary Ann 9. Ellen 10. Husband dead 8 years. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

901. Mary Cooper: 98 Ann St. 45 years of age. A Widow. 3 Children, Ellen 11. Ann 9. & Michael 7. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

902. Bridget Efferson: 89 Ann St. Not at home when visited. Has a Son a Baker who earns [dollars] 10, a week. Not recommended.

903. Ellen Connell: 64 Stanley St. Has a crippled Son. Receives 8 [pounds] of Bread weekly from the House is also Recommended for Coal. Irish. R.C.

904. Mary Boylan: 83 Stanley St. 60 years of age. unable to work, nearly blind. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal once.

905. Bridget Ward: 64 Stanley St. 28 years of age, Deaf & Dumb. 3 Children, Bridget 9. James 4 Ellen 3 Weeks old. illegitimate Children. Recommended 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal & Tea & Sugar.

906. Archibald McLean: A Man about 45 or 50 years of age, who seems to be not in a sound state of Mind, was sent by Mr. McNab [MacNabb] P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admission into the house. It appears he has the falling sickness. As far as I can learn from McLean, he was born in the Lower Province Township of Finch, 2nd Concession, Lot. 17. Says his parents are still alive, that a Brother of his brought him to Toronto and then left with a promise to come back.

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Present Mr. J. Tyner and Mr. E. Hobson.

907. Mary McKenzie: No. 2 Grogg Lane. Aged 30. Husband 48 but apparently broken down from want or hard living. A Labourer without Employment. One boy 6 years old Neither husband or Wife can get Employment. Very poor. Say they had to borrow a little food in the shape of Potatoes to put them over Sunday. Irish R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

908. Elisa McMillan and)

909. Jane Heeney) live together 17 Oxford St. Mrs. McMillan A Widow has five Children, two boys 12 & 11, the elder of whom earns [dollars] 1,50 per Week. 3 girls twins 8 years old, the youngest 3 Months. Is an industrious Woman with 1 1/2 day regular work in the week. Irish. R.C. Mrs. Heeney a Widow 39. with 3 Children, 1 boy 2 years old & 2 girls 10 & 8. A Charwoman without regular work. Irish. Ch of England. A very untidy Couple of woman. Recommended for Coal alternately and Bread.

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910. Mary Green: 57 Maria St. (west) Widow with one Girl 8 years. Has a Couple of rooms from a family named Callaghan. washes &c for a living. lately has been laid up with a burnt hand. apparently very poor. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

911. Ann Franklin: 37. Has two Children, Girl 8 and a boy 9. Lodges with a family Murphy apparently not the most orderly House. Has 1 1/2 days work regular per Week, & generally more. Recommended for a little bread. Irish. R.C.

912. Mary Doherty: 28 Frederick St. See report, January 1st 1866. Husband not yet heard from, and likely will never again be heard from in this world, thinks he was Killed in the "Yankee war". Daughter Margaret aged 14. rather underzised for her age, has often tried to get a place but ladies think she is not sufficiently strong. is subject to bleeding at the Nose. Meanwhile goes to School, as does also her brother, aged 9. Recommended last seasons allowance.

913. Elizabeth Shanahan: 149 Queen St. west in the rear. Widow. R.C. aged 69. Recommended for Coal twice only, and no bread.

914. Mary Daley: 51 Boulton St. Deserted by her husband. 4 Children, girl 11, girl 6. boy 9, and boy 12 Months. regular beggars, filthy and dirty. Case left for Committee. No relief.

915. Ellen Cradicotte: in a lane rear of 89 Adelaide St. west. Married. Aged 50. Irish. R.C. one Son 14, works in Tobacco factory and earns [dollars] 1,50 per week. Husband paralyzed. A filthy place, regular beggars. They want everything, but Visitor doubts if they are deserving, leaves the Case to Committee.

916. Ann Connell: 183 Yonge St. York St. not Yonge. Was not in when Visitor called. Coal twice.

917. Mary OBrien: 71 Boulton St. up stairs, an old Pensioner, gets 4 [pounds] Bread per week. Has one Grandchild, a girl aged 11. Recommended for Coal 3 times

918. Maria Ray: rear of 331 Queen St. west. Deserted by her husband. Aged 32. Chof England. 2 Children, girl aged 4, baby 15 Months, in great need of assistance. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week, and Coal 4 times.

919. Bridget Ward: 99 Boulton St. No such person there.

920. Elisa Wilson: rear of 331 Queen St. west. Widow aged 55. Chof England. greatly afflicted Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

921. Margaret Whitelock: 117 Richmond St. west. aged 57. Husband 52, 5 Children at home aged respectively 25. 20. 17. 15. 13. Ch of England. Irish.

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922. John & Catharine Fairbanks: 76 Centre St. German. Roman Catholics. Marrd. [married] 4 Children, (Girls) 2 in the States, and 2 at home attending school. Husband a basket maker, in good health. Visitor thinks they have no right for relief from the House of Industry.

923. Isabella Sheedle: or Cheedle: 143 University St. Scotch. Presytarian [Presbyterian] Church. Married 46 years of age, 8 Children, 4 in the States, one in the Country, none of the five out do any thing to assist their Mother. Girl 10, boy 8, and boy 5 at home. Supports herself by washing husband a Blacksmith near the Asylum does nothing for his family. Recommended for 6 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal.

924. Elizabeth Black: 144 Elizabeth St. not Elizabeth but Centre St. in the basement. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 64 years of age, No family. Mrs. Black is in bad health not able to do much for her own support. appears a clean respectable woman. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal.

925. John Goosberry: rear of 92 Agnes St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Married. 50 years of age. No family, he appears very ill with a bad cough, quite unable to work. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal.

926. Agnes Slavin: 17 Agnes St. Canadian. Methodist Church. A Widow 28 years of age. one Child a boy 2 years old, supports herself and Child by charing. Visitor thinks she has no right to any assistance from this Institution.

927. Emma Handy: 98 Agnes St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Widow 73 years of age. No family. A very decent old woman, but on account of her great age is not able to work for her own living. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread per week and Coal if she can burn it.

928. Charlotte McCan: 22 Elizabeth St. Married, 75 years of age. A very decent old Woman, husband a labourer 65 years of age. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

929. Bridget Mularky: 70 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. Works in the Tobacco factory, Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread, and Coal once.

930. Bridget McDonell: 99 Richmond St. East. Not worthy of relief.

931. Julia Bonner: 76 Richmond St. East. Must be a mistake in the Number cannot be found.

932. Catharine Johnson: 96 Richmond St. East. 80 years of age. Lives with her daughter. Roman Catholic. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal once.

933. Sophia Shaw: 96 Richmond St. East. 60 years of age. Blind and friendless. Canadian. Chof Engl. 2 [pounds] Bread & Coal. A Noted disorderly, was sent to Gael the day after Visitor called.

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934. Mary Dunlop: 23. Visitor thinks her unworthy of relief.

935. Elizabeth Clark: 12 Queen St. East. 59 years of age. A Widow unable to work. Wesleyan [Wesleyan] Methodist. Recommended for 2 [pounds] Bread and Coal.

936. Margaret McCabe: 23 Queen St. East. A Widow 50 years of age. Has two Sons. {Fraces} 14, William 11 years of age. Works at a Cigar factory. Recommended for 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal. No relief, all able to work.

937. James Wheeler: 20 Stanley St. 49 years of age. Wife 45. have 4 Children. James 12, Anne 9. Thomas 6. and Baby 10 Months. Member of the Ch. of England. Bread 6 [pounds] & Coal.

938. Ellen O'Grady 29 Ann St. 86 years of age. lives with her Son. Roman Catholic. Recommended for Coal once.

939. Mary Cody: 89 Ann St. Visitor does not consider her worthy of relief.

940. Sarah Collwell: next 130 Nelson St. 52 years of age. supports herself by washing, has an adopted boy a Protestant 10 Years of age, is herself a Roman Catholic. Recommended for 4 [pounds] & Coal.

941. Mary Dillon: 46 Caroline St. Was not at home when visitor called, but the Woman of the House said that she was a widow, who earned her living by scrubbing and washing, and that she was much in want of fuel.

942. George Dunning: Lane between McMahon and Berkely [Berkeley] St. back of Ramsays. Husband and Wife and two children, only one child at home. Dunning is a jobbing Gardener, and appears to be a very steady respectable Man, he has lately been working for a Neighbour of Hon. G.W. Allan's, who has promised him work again, so soon as the weather is sufficiently open. He has lately had a job of pork packing, and appears ready to turn his hand to anything he can get to do, Might be allowed Coal once, they would require no further assistance this Winter.

943. Ellen Stephens: 76 McMahon St. Widow. no Children. goes out to scrub & wash but cannot earn enough to Keep her in fuel. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

944. Ellen Thompson: 10 Duchess St. Widow. No Children. an elderly Woman goes about peddling in Summer. a very decent old body. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

945. Bridget Carroll: living in the same house Duchess St. No. 10. Reported upon last year. Widow. 2 daughters, one Married, the other in place helps to pay the rent for her Mother. Recommended for Coal twice.

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946. James Muirhead: rear of 57 Duchess St. An old Man and his Wife. No Children. Case reported upon last year. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and Bread if they ask for it.

947. Catharine Kearney: rear of 53 Duchess St. Widow. or at least as good as one!. husband having gone to live with a daughter out at Collingwood, Mr.{s} Kearny [Kearney] might be allowed Coal twice, and a small allowance of Bread.

948. Honora Hogan: rear of 52 Duchess Street. Very old and very infirm. husband equally so. one little Grandchild living with them, Recommended for Coal at once, and bread during the Winter Months.

949. Catharine Keating: 328 Queen St. East. An old Case reported upon in previous years. She and her husband are still the same dirty wretched old couple. they would probably starve if they have not some assistance for the winter. Recommended for Coal and a small allowance of Bread.

950. Mary Ann Murray: 328 Queen St. East. A Case of desertion. Husband left her and went off to New York 9 Months ago. She has one child living an infant 4 Months old. She had placed it out to be taken care of, so that she might go to work, but it was badly cared for, and she has brought it home again. She is a young and healthy woman, and if her infant could be provided for, could go out to service. In the mean time she might have Coal once, and bread for a Month, and by that time she might be able to shift for herself.

951. Rachel Brown: 114 Duke St. See report of last year. The husband still appears to be in a miserable state of health, which unfits him for steady work. He is now getting advice and Medicine at the Hospital, and Visitor has desired him to take up a certificate from there in reference to his state of health as it may be satisfactory to the Committee to see it. See Case 291.

952. Eliza Holland: 28 Duke Street. This was the number sent, but it happens to be the number of Mr. F.D. Haynes' house.

953. Mary Ann Meredith: 107 Beech St. This Case was reported upon last year. It is quite one which calls for relief in winter. She is an industrious Woman and does all she can to support her family. Recommended for Coal & bread for 6 Weeks.

954. Ellen Gallagher: and)

955. Mary Stuart:) 118 Pine Street. Two "old Cases" who came regularly upon the House every winter. Visitor would recommend that they be allowed Coal turn about, and a small allowance of Bread during the Winter.

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956. Eliza O'Regan: rear of 105 Nelson St. Widow. No family. A decent enough but very complaining old body. can only earn a little by Knitting; but not enough to Keep her in fuel and food. Recommended for Coal 4 times.

957. Mary Rogers: 115 Nelson St. Widow, suffers from sore Eyes, has one little boy a weakly lad. Her Case has been reported upon for one or two years. She cannot go out and sell papers &ct. when the snow is on the ground on account of her eyes. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of bread during the winter.

958. Ann Bagly: 81 George St. A hard working industrious woman. Her Case has been reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Bread and Coal during the Winter.

959. Catharine McKew: Lane next 100 George St. Husband gone to the States, leaving her with 3 young Children to support. She goes out to wash and scrub, but gets not sufficient employment to Keep them all. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a Month, and if there is any more required the Case might be referr'd to Visitor again.

960. Mrs. ^Ellen^ Courtney: 115 Nelson St. Husband an old Man 70 years of age, can do but little work. one Child a little boy. Recommended for Coal twice.

961. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 61. To have Coal twice.

962. Ellen Cooper: 45 years of age. A Widow. Irish. R.C. Has a broken ankle. Was brought before the Police Magistrate for threatening, Magistrate sent her to this Institution for admission.

963. William and Mary Turner: aged say 4 & 7 years of age. Coloured. Were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother a white woman having been sent to Goal as a disorderly person. December 27th.

963. Sarah McVey: in Case 690 was sent to No. 2 Police Magistrate on account of her general bad behaviour to the Inmates, who are all afraid of her.

Friday 28th December 1866.

Present Mr. E. Hobson & Mr. J. Tyner.

964. Jane Smith: rear of 129 Tecumseth St. has 3 Children, eldest 9. has been deserted by her husband, who is dissipated. In Toronto 19 years. English. Ch of England. Recommended for bread and Coal.

965. Nancy Mitchell: 122 Duke St. deserted by her husband. Irish. Chof England. 2 Children. Visitor recommends Coal to be given 3 times.

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966. Ellen Griffin: 57 1/2 Terauly [Terauley] St. English. Ch of England. A Widow 59 years of age. Lives with a widowed daughter who has one child. They appear very clean respectable people support themselves by sewing. Work is scarce. To have 900 [pounds] Coal for the season.

967. Jane Tweedy: 28 James St. Spinster 81 years of age. Native of Scotland. Methodist Church. To have the same amount of Coal as last year. 1200 [pounds].

968. Ann Conners: 29 Centre St. A Spinster 68 years of age. Roman Catholic Church. Irish. Recommended for the same amount of Coal as last year. 900 [pounds].

969. Mary Pilbrick: 34 Louisa St. A Widow aged 41. A German. R.C. To have the same as last year, Coal 3 times.

970. Peter Gehar: 80 Sumach St. Has left the House and visitor could not find ~~her~~ out where he had moved to.

971. Catharine Gorman: 78 Sumach St. Husband and five children all young, the youngest an infant in the arms. The husband says that he has been without any regular work since the summer. That he was employed for two or three weeks at Leslies nusery [nursery] Gardens during the early part of the Autumn, but with the exception of an occasional job has been out of Employment ever since. All they ask for is a little fuel. To have Coal once, and if they should require it again, their Case may be referred to Visitor again.

972. Ellen Rearden [Reardon]: 75 Sumach St. A Widow woman. No Children. living with a family by the Name of Powell. cannot do any work at present in consequence of a broken wrist. Recommended for an allowance of Bread and Coal twice.

973. Ann Robins: lives opposite the Cemetery Gate, 3 doors from the North. When Visitor called the father and mother were both out, only 3 very young and very miserable little Children in the house, the youngest apparently about 6 Months old. Asking the eldest child where they got the wood they were burning in the Stove, he said father got an old Barrell and broke it up. Visitor therefore supposes that their great want is fuel. Might receive Coal once, and Visitor will ascertain their Case.

974. Julia ^Sarah^ Monk: 96 George St. Husband at one time one of the pew openers at St. James Cathedral, a very decent worthy Man, has worked frequently for Visitor who always found him an industrious and steady person, he has lately had a very long and severe illness, and it is doubtful whether he will ever be fit for anything again. On the old Mans account Visitor would recommend Coal once, has not a very high opinion of the wife.

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December 28th 1866.

975. The Committee for accepting Tenders for the supply of "Groceries," "Meat", "Bread", and "Milk", for the ensuing year met this day (Friday) at 12 O'clock P.M.

Present.

Messrs. E.H. Rutherford, J. Tyner, and E. Hobson.

The following Tenders were opened –

"John Wickson" offering to supply the Institution with soup meat for ensuing year at the rate of [dollars] 2 90 [cents] per 100 [pounds].

"Hutty and Gray" offering to supply the same for [dollars] 2,00 per 100 [pounds].

Hutty and Gray's Tender was accepted.

"Frances Riddell" offering to supply the Institution with Bread for the ensuing year at the rate of 13 [cents] per 4 [pounds] loaf.

"David Bee" at the rate of 12 1/2 [cents] for 4 [pounds] loaf.

"W. & G. Cales" at the rate of 12 [cents]. per 4 [pounds] loaf.

The latter Tender was accepted being the lowest.

The Bread Tender will be on the same conditions as it was last year.

See Case 999 in 1865.

Margaret Harper's Tender for Milk at 5 [cents] per quart was accepted being the only Tender in.

Dodgson Shields & Co.'s Tender for Groceries for the ensuing year was accepted, being the only Tender in.

976 Mary Smith: Husband & 2 Children, came from the Lower province, intend going to Brantford, seek a few days shelter to rest themselves. Irish.

977. Isaac Gager: 49 years of age. Canadian. Chof England. Bad with Rheumatism had shelter for some time in building for casual poor, begs to be allowed to remain another week or two.

978. George Smith: 20 years of age. English. came from England to this County by way of New York about 3 weeks ago, spend all his means, and cannot get any Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days until something turns up.

979. Mary Smith: Husband and two Children, say they came from Port Hope and intend going to Hamilton where they have some friends. They ask for a few days shelter. Irish. R.C.

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980. Catharine Caulfield: 35 years of age. ~~Canadian~~ Irish. R.C. Church. Says she came from Port Hope with a view of getting into General Hospital, but could not get admission there, Came to this Institution for shelter, having no means of support, seems hardly able to walk, far gone in Consumption. admitted

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981. Julia Brierton: in Case 792 went to General Hospital, and her boy Joseph aged 8 years was admitted into this Institution. R.C.

982. John Taylor: says is 99 years of age. Irish. Chof England. from the Township of Monmouth, County of Durham, was told by his Minister to go to Toronto and get admitted into the Poor House. Has at present shelter in Building for Casual poor.

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Tuesday 1st January 1867

Present W.J. MacDonell Esq. & E. Hobson Esqr.

1. Elisabeth Keely: Maria St. west, 2nd door from Queen. An old pensioner, whose case is well known. Poor & Deserving, in delicate health, with two little girls 11 and 7. Wants only coal.

2. Ann Downs: behind 82 Dummer St. aged 32, says her husband is very weakly. It is recommended that the Doctor see him. The wife has been long known to be a systematic beggar. Has 7 Children, 2 boys 10 & 3, 5 girls 13 (bound to a trade) 9.7.4. and a baby 4 Months old. Irish. R.C. This Case left to Committee. Husband to cut wood.

3. Catharine Cox: 27 Grogg Lane. Husband in the States last 3 years. Has two children, both girls, 8 and 3 1/2. Lives with a family named Watson. Has not got regular work, but obtains a day now and then. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread.

4. Ellen Lee: rear of 60 Dummer St. aged 27. Husband away 7 Months. Has one little girl 2 years old. Says she is sick but appears active enough. Visitor can see no Valid reason for recommending her, as he did not like her appearance & demeanour.

5. Bridget Clark: 282 Queen St. west. A Widow 30 years of age. Has one boy 15 Months old. Lives with her brother who has been for some time afflicted with asthma, and she has now no means of support,

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the child being also ill. Was obliged to burn an old bedstead yesterday from want of fuel. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal.

6. Mary Sullivan: 35 Esther St. Aged 40. Husband went to the States 3 Months ago, and left her with 6 Children, 3 boys, 8.6 and 5. and 3 girls 10.4. and 2. Lives in a cold miserable house, and has very little Employment. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

7. Margaret Keating: 37 Esther St. Parted from her husband for 5 years. Aged 50. Has 4 Children all boys, 10.8.6. and 4. Lives by quilting and charwork when she can get it. Has a dirty uncomfortable house, and is apparently in great poverty. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

8. Margaret Lennon: a Widow 67. Lives with the above, unable to work but receives considerable help from the Church and sundry friends. Irish. ChofEngl. recommended for bread.

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9. Rebecca Nelson: 27 Oxford St. A Widow 54. Lives with a daughter who is parted from a dissipated husband and has 3 small Children. Is now sick and unable to work. very poor. An admonition from the Committee to keep her house clean might be of use in this and other Cases. Scotch. Presbyterian. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

10. Bridget Kearney: 22 Grogg lane and

11. William Kearney: do [ditto] Father in Law of above. Bridget has 4 Children a boy 5, and 3 girls 10.3. and 1. Husband unsteady and very poor, which appears ~~which~~ to be the only reason for her applying. The husband was out at work when Visitor called. Left to Committee. The old Man being inform is recommended for Coal once or twice, and bread.

12. Maria Pierpoint: 17 St. Patricks square. not at home when visitor called but known to him from previous visits. A widow. Visitor was told by an respectable neighbour that she had a bad leg and was unable to work. In great want. A boy 15 usually in place is now at home for a short time, and another 12 is with a Butcher earning a dollar a week. English. Ch. of England. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

13. Edward Mair: a pensioner 64 years of age, has 9d [pence] a day, but is paralyzed and quite unable to do anything. Has a room from a family named Coulter. Irish. Ch. of England. His address is 215 Hope Street. It is recommended that some Coal be sent to him.

14. Phoebe Carling: No more Coal for her, she lived with Mrs. Hull on Dummer St. She said she could not die in peace in Dummer St. and so has removed to Stanley Street.

15. Honora O'Neill: living on Pine St. west side a few doors south of Oak St. A Widow, was not at home when visitor called, but has seen her since, appears to be a very decent and respectable woman, would

therefore recommend her for Coal 3 times, and bread for the Winter. She has one little girl living with {her}.

16. Mary Mustard: 21 Camden St. A widow has been in Toronto 3 Months. 4 Children. Eldest a girl of 12, very poor having nothing but what she can earn. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

17. Sarah McPhail: 316 Richmond St. west. Widow. Native of England. 3 Children. eldest 17 but dumb and almost helpless, others aged 10 & 8. Receives Bread. Recommended for Coal.

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18. Mary Tracy: 487 Richmond St. west. 2 Children. 9 and 10. Widow. Husband killed on railway. Earns 20 [cents] a day. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread & Coal.

19. Bridget Rogers: 89 Pine St. Widow. One child at home, Case reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal only 3 times.

20. Susannah Thornton: 89 Pine St. Widow. 2 small Children. husband was a printer in the Globe Office. Appears to be a very respectable decent woman, works hard to support her two children but cannot manage to keep them both in food and fuel. Recommended to be allowed Coal only 3 times.

21. Mary Maddon: 110 Pine St. Visitor could not find any such person.

22. Ann Boland: 11 Sydenham St. Single woman. Not in good health. See report of last year. To be allowed Coal twice. Refused able to earn her own living.

23. Jane Scarlett: 59 Ontario St. Husband. 1 Child (of a former Marriage). Mrs. Scarlett was formerly living in Service and has most excellent testimonials from those she lived with. Visitor would say that she was a very worthy hard working industrious woman, but in an evil hour for herself, she married this Man Scarlett, a widower, formerly in the Police force, who does not seem to have been able to keep his wife from want. From what she said, it is to be imagined his unsteadiness cost him his place in the police force, but she says that since her Marriage, he has not given away to drink in the slightest degree. Howsoever he has been out of Employment for the last 3 Months, and on Christmas day they had not a particle of fire in the House, so that she was obliged to go to her former Mistress, to get permission to roast the piece of Meat they had for their dinner in her kitchen. It seems strange that the husband would not have got work if he was really in earnest about it, nevertheless on account of the Wife Visitor would strongly recommend that they be allowed Coal once.

24. Johanna Shea: lane in rere of 26 James St. East. Occupies a room in the same hovel with the McQuiggans, whose Case was reported upon last year, and there is nothing new to add. She has a very

bad foot, and is quite incapable of doing anything to support herself. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small loaf for a couple of Months if she asks for it.

25. Sarah McQuiggan: in the same House as above, is an old Case. Visitor believes she received her Coal, would recommend that it be continued during the Winter Months.

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26. Eliza Waters: 61 Pine St. a single woman taking in sewing &ct. for a living she formerly went out to service but her health became bad, and she left her last place in consequence of Erysipelas in the head. She asks for Coal only, as her earnings are not sufficient to keep her in firewood in consequence of the high price. Recommended for Coal twice.

27. Mary Weyms: 63 Pine St. an old applicant. Reported upon for several years past, her children are no [now] growing up, and after this year should be able to do something for her. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

28. Bridget Geroe: 377 Queen St. East. Widow with two Children living with her, both young, goes out to wash and scrub. They neighbours all say that she is industrious and does what she can to support her family, they have been suffering very much for want of fuel. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and Bread if she asks for it.

29. Elizabeth Mundy: 32 Boulton St. Could not be found at that Number.

30. Sarah Enright: 160 King St. West, up in one of the Attic rooms, a widow with 2 Children boy 8, girl 5. Irish. R.C. late from Kingston, of course she has no claim on this Charity, but she cannot get back at this season of the year. She appears a respectable person. Recommended to the Committee.

31. Jane McIntee: 140 York St. not in when visitor called. Coal twice & 4 lbs. Bread.

32. Sarah Bloomer: 21 Melinda St. Widow. Ch of Engl. Aged 63. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per Week and Coal 3 times.

33. Bridget McNurtney: 36 Boulton St. Widow aged 40. two Children, girl 10. boy 8. The Girl is broken backed not fit to go to service. Recommended for a weekly allowance of 6 lbs. Bread, and Coal 3 times, and soup.

34. Mary Morooney: 36 Boulton St. Same house as the above, upstairs. Widow aged 55. R.C. Irish. two Children boy 10 & girl 6, the boy is very small for his age. Visitor considers her a decent person. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread per week, Coal 3 times and Soup.

35. Ann Corrigan: 19 Melinda St. Husband in Gaol. She is a smart looking woman, only 30 years of age. Visitor cannot say what her Character may be, but be it what it will she has 4 helpless Children, girl 9, girl 7, boy 8, and boy 4. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread per week for one Month. Coal once, or twice. Visitor could not learn at what time the husbands term in jail will expire.

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36. Johanna Strang: rear of 118 Adelaide St. west. Spinster aged 55. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per week. Coal 3 times and soup.

37. Catharine McCauley: the same house as above, down stairs. Chof. England. aged 40, one boy at home. The husband R.C. has been sick for a long time, as might be seen by the report of last year. She says that he was taken to the "House of Providence to die there had taken the Children with him, 3 in number 2 girls, and one boy. The boy came back to her. Also says that during her absence one day the husband took and sold all the household furniture even to the stove, and put the Money in his pocket. Visitor would recommend that if Mrs. MacDowell comes to the House to be asked to enquire at House of Providence into the truth of this womans story.

38. Julia Brown: rear of 57 Queen St. west, a Widow aged 60. Ch of Engl. quite a respectable old lady like person lives by herself. Saw better days. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per week, and Coal 3 or 4 times as the Committee might think best. To be sent without her calling.

39. Mary O'Brien: 28 Ann St. 54 years of age. Widow. Has 2 Children, John and Susan, aged respectively 10, & 8 years. No means of support. R.C. Recommended to have 4 lbs. Bread and Coal.

40. Elizabeth Burns: 91 Ann St. 38 years of age. Husband 52 years. 8 Children, Patrick 20, earning [dollars] 4 per week, John 18 assists his father sawing wood. Michael 15. James 13. Mary 9. Elizabeth 7. Margaret 5. and Catharine 3 years of age. Mrs. Burns is at present in the Hospital suffering from inflammation of the lungs, and Chest. R. C. Recommended.

41. Sarah McGregor: 44 Ann St. 78 years of age. English Church. Recommended.

42. Mary Cody: 89 Ann St. unworthy of relief.

43. Rebecca Ivory: 19 Shuter St. 40 years of age a Widow. Has 5 Children. William 14, earning [dollars] 1.50 [cents] a week. Ellen 11. Edward 9. John 7. Frances 2 years of age. Has resided 20 years in Toronto. R.C. Recommended 10 lbs. Bread & Coal.

44. Bridget Cahill: 18 Stanley St. 50 years of age. Her husband has been living for 2 years past with another woman. She has two Children to support, Mary 15 and Michael 9 years old. She suffers from a diseased leg. R.C. Irish. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread and Coal.

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45. Bridget Hart: 18 Stanley St. 42 years of age. Husband 50. 4 Children. Thomas 13. John 10. Henry 8. Joseph 4. Eldest Boy earning about [dollars] 1 a Week sawing wood. Husband unable to work by reason of a sore leg. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread and Coal.

46. Mary Doyle: 62 Stanley St. 40 years of age, Husband 42. 5 Children, Sarah Jane 11, John 7. Elizabeth 6. Patrick 2. William 3 Months old. Recommended 6 lbs. Bread and Coal.

47. Mary McKew: 84 Stanley St. 68 years of age. Husband 67. Have one daughter 30 years old, but unable to work from constant illness. 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

48. Julia McCarty: 49 Stanley St. 60 years of age a Widow unable to work. R.C. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread and Coal.

49. Elizabeth Hastings: 5 Court St. Basement of the York Chambers. 32 years of age. has 5 Children depending upon her for support. Emma 13. Celina 10. William 8. James 5. & Lillian 2 years of age. Has ceased to live with her husband on account of his drunken habits Wesleyan Methodist Recommended 10 lbs. Bread & Coal.

50. Mary Ann Bennett: 97 Richmond St. East 60 years of age. a Widow unable to work. R.C. Recommended 2 lbs. Bread and Coal.

51. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. Suffers from a sore leg. R.C. Recommended 2 lbs. Bread and Coal.

52. Sarah Cavanagh: 93 Richmond St. East. 56 years of age, a Widow unable to work R.C. Recommended Bread & Coal.

53. Catharine Norton: 93 Richmond St. East. 40 years of age. A Widow. 5 Children Bridget 12. Hannah 10. Mary 8. Catharine 6 Patrick 5. Washes and scrubs for their support. R.C. Recommended 10 lbs. bread & Coal.

54. Mary Pine: 93 Richmond St. East. 26 years of age. unable to work from continued ill health. R.C. Recommended 2 lbs. Bread and Coal.

55. Margaret Greaney: 99 Richmond St. East. 40 years of age. Husband Dead these 8 years. 3 children Michael 13. John 11 & Mary Ann 7. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. Bread & Coal.

56. Cecilia Edmonds: rear of 23 Queen St. East. 67. Husband 70 years of age. unable to work. Roman Catholic. Recommended 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

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57. Bridget Hunt: 100 Richmond St. East. 45 years of age. A Widow has 4 Children. Margaret 11. Bridget 9. John and Thomas (twins) 6. R. Catholic. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread and Coal.

58. Mary ~~Douglas~~ Dunlop: 23 Queen St. East. 46 years of age, husband same age. 2 Children John 13, Elisa 7. Husband a labourer. Presbyt. Church. 4 lbs. Bread and Coal.

59. Ann Wilson: 23 Queen St. East. 50 years of age. A Widow has one Child 8 years old. Irish. Ch of England. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

60. Mary McLean: rear of 61 Victoria St. 70 years of age. A Widow. Chof England. Recommended for bread and Coal.

61. Rose Clohassy: rear of 37 James St. west. Irish. R.C. Widow 40 years of age. 2 girls 10 & 8 years old. Charwoman, appears industrious but finds much difficulty in supporting herself and Children. 6 lbs. Bread per week and Coal.

62. Margaret Murray 37 James St. (west) Irish R.C. Spinster 60 years of age. has been in Service, until of late she has been obliged to leave on account of ill health. Visitor thinks she is worth of some assistance.

63. Catharine Wilson: rear of 17 Albert St. Irish. Ch of Engl. A Widow 40 years of age. one Son 15 works at a Tobacco factory. Mrs. Wilson goes out washing and scrubbing, being in good health they ought to support themselves.

64. Mary Ann Whealan: rear of 17 Albert St. Irish. R.C. Widow 55 years of age. 2 Children, boy 21 confined to bed. Consumption. Girl 20 years of age in Service, who does what she can to assist them. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week with Coal, and a ration of tea Sugar & etc.

65. Julia Malone: rear of 11 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Widow 40 years of age. 4 Children. Girl 17 in Service, boy 12 in Service. boy 11. boy 9 at home. The two in service do nothing for their Mother. Lives by Knitting and sewing. 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal.

66. Mary Lea: 42 Elizabeth St. Irish R.C. A Widow. 50 years of age. 3 Children. all away and do nothing for their Mother. Trouble with asthma. Bread & Coal.

67 Catharine Smith 143 University St. Coloured. Methodist. 22 years of age. one Child 7 Months old. Husband left about 6 Months ago to look for work has not heard from him since, appears a clean industrious woman. Coal twice.

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68. Mary Shannon: Breadalbane St. second door west of Yonge St. Irish R.C. Married 38 years of age. 6 Children, boy 17 wages [dollars] 2 1/2 per week. Girl 14 in Service at [dollars] 3 per Month. girl 12 11. Girl 10 and girl 6. Husband an old man. Recommended for same allowance as last year.

69. Johanna Hinchy: 5 Edward St. Irish. R.C. widow 35 years of age. A girl 9 years of age. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread and Coal.

70. Margaret Wilson: 7 Emma St. Not at home when visitor called. The case being known. Recommended for same as last year.

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Present Messers W.J. MacDonnell. E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

71. Alice McKenna: No. 10 Elliotts Row King St. West. Deserted by her husband. aged 27. R.C. 2 Children. She works hard, visitor was told, thinks it would be as well to allow Coal twice and 4 lbs. Bread per week.

72. Elizabeth Dower: 13 Elliotts row King St. west. A Widow aged 38. Irish ChofEngl. 5 Children, boy 16 learning the Printing Business has [dollars] 2 per week. boy 14 earns [dollars] 1.50 per week, a boy 10 girl 7 ad boy 1 1/2 years old. She appears to be a respectable person. Recommended for 900 lbs. Coal and no Bread.

73. Susan Charbott: 28 Melinda St. Widow. aged 58. ChofEngl. 3 Children. girl 16, girl 14 and boy past 12. She says the children help her all they can. If the Committee think proper they may allow her 4 lbs. Bread per week for two Months, and Coal twice during the Winter.

74. Martha Kerr: 32 Boulton St. Widow aged 70. ChofEngl. Irish. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

75. Mary Eagan: 39 Duchess St. An old Pensioner, nothing new to report of her this year. Recommended for Coal 3 times and a small allowance of bread.

76. Mary Clark: 186 King St. East. Widow with 2 Children and a very old Mother 76 years of age living with her. Mrs. Clark used to go out to scrub & wash, but hurt her leg a year ago, and can now only sew. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread for the winter, a very decent woman.

77. Fanny Connally: 24 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married, 25 years of age. and Child 15 Months old. Husband left her 15 Months ago. Seems a industrious Woman. Coal 3 times.

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78. Mary Dyson 40 Louisa St. to have Coal 3 times.

79. Margaret Tansey 25 Elizabeth St. to have Coal?

80. Ann Robins: in Case 973 in 1866. Recommended to have bread in addition to Coal recommended before.

81. Frederika Low: 155 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Married, 34 years of age. 4 Children boy 7. girl 4. Boy 3. and a girl 1 years old. The husband is quite unable to work as his mind seems to be affected, the wife a very clean industrious woman sews for the support of herself and family. Recommended for 12 lbs. Bread per week, and 900 [lbs.] Coal for the winter & Soup.

82. Eliza Grantham: 159 Centre St. Coloured. ChofEngl. A Widow 40 years of age. 4 Children, girl 16 attending her sick Mother, boy 15 works 3 days in the week in a Tobacco factory and earns [dollars] 1 per week. boy 10 and girl 9 years of age. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread per week, and a ration of Tea Sugar & etc.

83. Honora Neill: West side of River a few doors south of Oak Street. She is an aged woman, and very decent and respectable, Recommended for Coal and Bread.

84. Mary Ann Joselin: 103 Sumach St. received 8 lbs. Bread weekly Visitor also recommends her for an allowance of Coal.

85. Mary Black: rear of 115 Berkely St. The Case is well known to the board, having been reported upon for the last two years. Her husband who never was of much good to her, has lately broken his arm, and under all the circumstances, and considering how respectable a person Mrs. Black is herself. Visitor would recommend her for Coal 3 times.

86. Margaret Quigly: 116 Pine St. Widow and 4 Children all young at home. her Case was reported upon in former years. She is an industrious woman and deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

87. William Turner: 104 Pine St. An old Man and his wife, very aged and infirm, and very decent worth people, just fit objects for relief. Recommended for the same assistance as in previous years, Coal and Bread for the Winter, and Visitor would be very glad if a little Tea & etc. could be added once, by way of a treat for the old people.

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88. Mary Mason: 1st House on the west side of Pine from the Corner of North Park St. Widow with 3 Children. goes out to scrub and wash. was not at home when Visitor called, but the eldest child a very intelligent Child, gave all the information required. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

89. Ellen Casey: 117 Pine Street. The Case was reported upon in previous years and there is little to add now. just as dirty in person and house as ever. Visitor believes though that she requires assistance, and undoubtedly wood at present prices is utterly beyond her reach.

90. Catharine Edwards who lives with the above and just such another Case. Visitor would recommend them for Coal turn about and a small allowance of Bread each. Casey to have Coal first.

91. Bridget Cruse 115 Pine St. A widow with two Children. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

92. Mary McIntammeny: 96 Pine St. Husband and wife who have seen better days. The husband was a hard working industrious Man, and able enough to support himself and his wife until sickness came upon them, he is now very much broken down and unfit for work, and Visitor would cheerfully recommend them for Coal and Bread for the winter.

93. Mary Forster: Rear of 96 Duchess St. See report of the last two or three years, nothing new to add to them. She is a very worthy woman and very deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal for the winter.

94. Ann Farrell: Rear of 92 Duchess St. Another old Case, asks for Coal only. Recommended that she receive fuel 3 times.

95. Margaret McGill: 8 James St. East. was not at home when Visitor first called. Would recommend her for Coal 3 times.

96. Johanna Hanrahan: first shanty below King St. on Niagara St. Husband went to the states 3 years ago, has not been heard of since, suffers from diseased leg. 2 Children aged 7 & 9. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread & Coal.

97. Bridget Murphy: resides in same House as Johanna Hanrahan rear of 617 King St. (west) Widow. husband killed 7 years ago. Two Children boy 12 and girl 8, has nothing but her earnings when she can get work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Bread (Coal?) Hanrahan and Murphy use the same stove.

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98. Ann Goldring: North east Corner of King and Bathurst Street. 5 Children. Husband a sailor. has been ill. out of employment. away from home in search of it. very poor in want of everything. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for bread and Coal.

99. Margaret Dorrart: next No. 9 South Park St., is not known in that neighbourhood.

100. Elizabeth Dusty: 296 Palace St. Turns out to be Cydonia Lusty, who keeps a small shop at 229 Palace St. From a cursory enquiry into this Case, Visitor thinks that a half price Coal Tickett will suffice for the present. Mrs. Lusty will soon make the nescessary application.

101. Rebecca Fitzsimmons: adjoining Newbigging House, Front St. with Mrs. O'Neill. Widow, originally from Waterford in 1848, came here from Kingston 3 years ago, 3 sons remained in Kingston. R.C. Lost use of her right hand by a jam. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

102. Hannah Asher: behind 17 Maria St. Not at home when visitor called. Her husband has not been heard from for 2 years. Has 4 Children. 2 boys 11 and 1 yr. 7 Months, 2 girls 9 & 4. Washes and scrubs for a living, has 2 days in the week, and has to pay [dollars] 1.50 per month for a very poor house. Well spoken of by a neighbouring woman. Irish. Methodist. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

103. Mary Morris: rear 17 Maria St. a lone widow 63 years old. Very weakly and has been ill for a couple of Months. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and bread.

104. Johanna McEvoy: 63 Esther St. Has a dissipated husband who went to the States in a spree and left her destitute. Has 6 Children, 4 Boys 11.10.8 and 2. and two girls 7 & 5. very poor and wretched. Does what char work she can get. Irish R.C. Recommended for Coal and bread for a Month, as her husband may send some money before the expiration of that time.

105. Ellens Kearns: a Widow) 27 Strachan St. A House of ill fame

106. Ellen Mooney: do [ditto]) The Case speaks for itself.

107. Margaret Richards: 181 Centre St. Coloured. Methodist. Widow. 71 years of age. No family earns a [dollars] 1.00 per Week. A worthy old Woman. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

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108. Susanna Baldwin: a Widow 76. very poor has an old sister living with her over 80. Knits and sews for a living, but being infirm can accomplish but little. English, goes to Church or chapel according to

circumstances. It is recommended that some Coal be sent the beginning of the week. The address is Top of Lumley St. (near Bloor) She can send for Bread if it be allowed.

109. John Clepper is not known at 157 Centre St.

110. Mary Wardrobe: rear of 38 Centre St. herself and husband are in good health, both well able to work, they have 4 young Children, her Mother Margaret Kane lives with them. Irish. R.C. Widow. 67 years of age, appears very infirm, is therefore recommended for 4 lbs. Bread and Coal twice.

111. Mary Smith: 31 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Spinster 50 years of age. Has been in Service, says she has Rheumatism in the hand, but able to work. Visitor got her a situation, but did not go to it, can therefore not recommend her for assistance.

112. Ann Jackson: 104 Edward St. Coloured. Methodist. Widow 49 years of age. Boy 18, pays her rent, girl 14 has been in Service now at home, boy 12 at present doing no work, and a boy 7 years of age. A very industrious Woman. Coal once.

113. Ann Kane: rear of 11 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. Married. 40 years of age. 2 Children boy 7, girl 5 years of age. Husband and Wife both able to work. Not recommended.

114. Mary Ann Lock: in Case 689 in 1866, left the House on her own account, as well she did so, as most likely she would have been discharged by the Committee for disobedience, and general bad behaviour.

115. Bridget McDonald: 99 Richmond St. East. 40 years of age. Husband in the City of Buffalo. 2 Children, Bridget 9, Elizabeth 1 year old. Recommnd. for 4 lbs. Bread.

116. Margaret Slattery: 67 Stanley St. 38 years of age. A Widow. 2 Children. Mary 9 & Bridget 3 Months. Irish. R.C. Coal twice, and 4 lbs. Bread.

117. Jane Clark: 39 Stanley St. 36 years of age, husband 45 years old in the Country. 3 Children. Andrew 6, John 4, and James 1 year old. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

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118. Jane Nolan 37 Stanley St. 40 years of age, a Widow with 2 Children, Mary 9. and Bridget 3 Months. R.C. 4 lbs. Bread. & Coal.

119. Ann Nolan 37 Stanley St. 40 years a Widow. 2 Children, John 12, Richard 10 years old. R.C. Irish. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread, and Coal once.

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120. Mary Kelly: 31 Stanley St. 35 years of age. Husband 40. 7 Children, Thomas 13, James 11, Timothy 9, Maria 8. Jane 4. John 2 and Daniel 5 years. R.C. Recommended for 10 lbs. Bread & Coal.

121. Ann Dunleavy: 18 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Husband 55. one Child 1 year old. Brother in Law 80 years of age to be supported by them. suffers from a sore leg & quite unable to work. Members of the Church of England. Recommended 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

122. Thomas Hall: rear 86 Adelaide St. East. 70 years of age, Wife 63. 3 Children in the United States. Methodist. Recommended for 5 lbs. bread and Coal.

123. Charles Anglesea. Carlton St. 2nd Cottage E. of Church St. 65 years of age, wife 53. 3 Children, Charles 16. William 10, supports himself by sawing wood. Wife suffers from Rheumatism. Members of the Church of England. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

124. Bridget Kelly: 88 Victoria St. 35 years of age, a Widow with 3 Children. Mary 9, Catherine 7. Margaret 5 years of age. Roman Catholics. Irish. Recommended 6 lbs. Bread and Coal.

125. Ann Dawson: 117 Queen not in St. James Ward.

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126. Rebecca Nelson: 27 Oxford St. A Widow aged 54 in bad health. Scotch. Presbyt. To have coal, 4 lbs. Bread and a ration of Sugar Tea & etc.

127. Catharine Corcoran: Corner of Bathurst and Richmond St. aged 40. Wife of John Corcoran who is 65 years of age, a labourer but not able to get work. Irish. In Toronto 14 or 15 years. No family. R.C. Recommended for Coal twice.

128. Peter Cahr: 72 South Park St. came here about 11 years ago, from Rhenish Germany. Jobbing Shoemaker, or cobbler, but cant earn enough to keep his family. Lutheran aged 46. Wife Sarah, Irish, aged 24. 2 Children Margaret 6, Catharine 4, Christopher 1. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread and Coal 3 times.

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129. Maria Tiffin: 30 Frederick St. Not visited being North side of King St. and consequently not in St. Lawrence Ward.

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130. Elisa Littledale: Silvesters Yard King Street East. See report May 15th 1865. Called twice at this place, first time saw a girl who said that Mrs. Littledale lived there, but was out at work, next day saw a man, who said that Mrs. Littledale had not been there for two days, and he thought she did not live there. Mrs. Littledale must get a fixed abode if she expect relief to be sent here.

131. Ellen Armstrong: 51 Boulton St.)

132. Mary Stuart: do [ditto]) both of them Widows, and both about the same age 51. both living on the same floor, no family but themselves. Visitor does not know anything of their former History but as they had relief last year something will be known about them at the House. The Case left in the hands of the Committee.

133. Mary Power: Reeses Wharf, bottom of Simcoe St. This family came recently from Quebec, Wife 37, Husband 40. R. Catholic. Irish. Husband cannot get much to do. 7 Children 3 boys 14 yr. 12 yr. and 13 Months. 4 Girls 9.7.5 and 3 years. Of course they have no claim on this Charity, but in some shape they must be assisted during this Winter. Committee will please do what they can for them.

134. Lucy Rooney: 83 Stanley St. not at home.

135. Julia Fraser: rear of 83 Stanley St. 32 years of age. Husband 31. one Son 6 years old. Husband ill. R.C. 4 lbs. Bread and Coal once.

136. Martha McCormack: 85 Stanley St. 50 years of age a Widow. R. Catholic 2 lbs. Bread and Coal once. To see Doctor. Relief if all right.

137. Bridget Mulreany: 47 Stanley St. 40 years of age a Widow. 1 Child 15 years old. helpless on account of a sore Knee. R.C. 2 lbs. bread Coal once.

138. Jane Bows: 44 Stanley St. 40 years of age. 2 Children, Henry 15. Mary 5. Husband lives in Brantford these 18 Months past. Applicant works in rag factory. English Church. Bread and Coal once.

139. Ann Smith: 44 Stanley St. 40 years of age. Husband 50. 7 Months suffering from Dropsy. Methodist. Bread. and Coal once.

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140. Bridget McCarthy: 33 Stanley St. 55 years of age a Widow. Washes and Scrubs for her support R.C. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread and Coal once. Committee think she is able to get her own living.

141. Ellen Sloane: 84 Adelaide St. East. 56 years of age. A Widow. 2 Children John 13. Elisa 14. John earns [dollars] 5 per Month. Applicant confined to bed by illness ChofEngl. 4 lbs. bread per Week and Coal.

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142. Mary Dalton: 6 Frances St. Door was Locked, apparently no person was in.
143. Mary Soomers: 114 Nelson St. 50 years of age a Widow. 2 Children James 17 John 11. R.C. 2 lbs. Bread and Coal once. To see the Doctor.
144. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St. East. 35 years of age. 5 Children Mary 11. James 8 and Ann 4, Catharine 7. And Thomas 12 Months old.
145. George French: 20 Victoria St. 70 years of age, quite helpless. English Church. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread and Coal.
146. Ann Hare: 108 Adelaide St. East. 60 years of age, a Widow. unable to assist herself. Recommended for Bread and Coal once.
147. Resden Bacon: Queen St. first door west of James St. Coloured. 63. ChofEngl. a Wife and 4 Children. boy 16 no work at present, girl 13 in Service at [dollars] 2 per Month. girl 8 and girl 5 at home. The Man is nearly Blind, unable to work, appear clean tidy people. Recommended for Coal twice.
148. Joseph Clefford: rear of 157 Centre St. was not at home when visitor called, but accertained that he went about cutting wood, if he is able to do so he requires no relief.
149. Margaret Potts: 38 Louisa St. Keeps a disorderly House.
150. Samuel Gray: 90 Agnes St. English. Congregationalist, is Married and 60 years of age. 2 Children, boy 16 in Service at [dollars] 5 1/2 per Month. Girl 18 apprenticed no wages. Gray is a Shoe Maker but not able to earn much his Eyes being bad. Recommended for Coal once.
151. Mary Durand: 43 Esther St. A feeble old Woman aged about 60, her husband aged 66 is very inform, almost decrepit & quite unable to work, Lives in a miserable cold, wretched looking & dirty place with but little furniture and no comfort of home. Lives by begging since the old Man was incapacitated for work. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for Coal Bread and Soup.

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152. Rose Canley: 79 Sumach St. an old couple, Man and Wife, no children. Decent respectable old people. Sadly reduced now. The husband a martyr to Rheumatism for these five years past, and quite incapable of doing anything in the way of work. Visitor would recommend them for Coal 3 times, and Bread.
153. Ellen McKean: 83 Sumach St. says that she and her husband came over here from Fort Erie, he being summoned as a witness on the Fenian trials. but that he has not yet been paid for any of his expences, and had gone out to the Country to look for work. They have only one Child. She is quite a



young woman, and altogether the Case is not one that Visitor could recommend for anything more than a little temporary assistance in the shape of bread, until her husband gets into work.

154. Ellen Simpson: 112 Pine St. It is not often that Visitor finds a good Scotch tongue begging. but her case is sad enough. Her husband was a Tailor living on Pine Street for many years; and doing a good deal of work at one time. Latterly he took to drinking, and finally ended his life by being found stiff and cold one winters night on the road side, some six weeks ago. Mrs. Simpson has 2 young Children. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and bread.

155. Bridget Hayes: 87 North Park St. An old Case reported upon in previous years, a very decent little body, only applies for assistance during the severe weather. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

156. Elisa Jolland: 54 Duchess St. an elderly woman living with her daughter both of them widows. three Grandchildren. Mrs. Jolland herself is pretty well past work except a little knitting. The daughter takes in sewing. Visitor thinks it quite a Case for assistance. Coal 3 times and bread for 6 Weeks.

157. Catharine Ryan: 89 Nelson St. Muttons Yard. Widow. Aged, and very feeble, one little Grand Child living with her. Reported upon in previous years. Recommended for bread and Coal for two Months.

158. Sarah Quinn: rear of 109 Nelson St. Husband in the 100<sup>th</sup> Regt. No Children. Visitor recommended her to go out to Service. She might have a little temporary assistance in the shape of bread but nothing more.

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159. Mary Conners: Rear of 109 Nelson St. Not at home when visitor called but her Case will be found reported upon last year. She has 2 Children, and goes out to wash & scrub. Visitor thinks she might be allowed bread for a few weeks, and Coal twice.

160. Richard Warwick: 105 Sumach St. Husband and Wife and 2 young Children Warwick appears to be a very respectable Man but is in poor health and his sight is very bad. His wife tries to do all she can to help in their support, by scrubbing and washing, but with all they cannot keep themselves in fuel and sometimes not in food. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times, and bread for two Months.

161. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. An old Case. Recommended for Coal twice and a small allowance of Bread for 2 Months.

162. Johanna Ryan: 75 Caroline St. Not at home when visitor called but was informed by the above Case (Mrs. Burns) that she had broken her arm and wrist, and had gone up to the Hospital to have it attended to. Of course she will now be unable to earn anything for some time, and Visitor would therefor recommend her for coal, and bread for a Month.

163. Cecily Conway: 75 Caroline St. has been reported upon in previous years. Visitor would recommend her for Coal, say 3 times.

164. Elisa Death: 84 George St. A very respectable industrious woman, a Widow. Visitor reported upon her Case last year when she lived on King St. East. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

165. Margaret Martin: 310 Queen St. East Not at home when Visitor called. visitor saw Mrs. Martin since and recommends her for bread only for 2 Months.

166. Bridget Purcell: 10 Duchess St. Not at home.

167. Susan Robinson: opposite 9 Sydenham St. could not find any such place.

168. Mary & Elizabeth Rodgers: in Case 482 in 1865 were taken out of this Institution by their Mother who is gone to live in Girls Home, and will be allowed to take her children also. Jany. 10th.

169. Thomas Boland: in Case 711 in 1866 ran away from the Institution gave Notice at the Police Stations. Jany. 10th.

170. Ann Davis: rear of 157 Centre St. (Coloured) a Widow. Recommended to have 4 lbs. Bread for Week, and Coal.

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171. Frampton Ames: 57 Elm St. English. Ch of Engl. Married. 47 years of age. 5 Children, boy 12, girl 10, girl 8, boy 6, and boy 4 years of age. A Tailor by trade, is now very ill not expected to live, has been confined to bed for some time past. To be allowed 12 lbs. Bread per week, soup daily, 600 lbs. Coal per Month, an order for a grate, and full ration of Tea Sugar, Oatmeal & etc. Mrs. Ames appears a very clean respectable woman.

172. Catharine Dawson: 31 Centre St. Irish. Spinster, 28 years of age. Not able to work on account of bad Eyes. Lives by begging. The Case left to the Committee to judge.

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173. Emma Beatty: 99 1/2 Sayer St. Irish. Ch of Engl. A Widow 28 years of age. 2 Girls 7 & 1 year old. Visitor was informed that she was an industrious Charwoman. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread per week and Coal.

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174. Mary Ann Thompson: 137 Sayer St. Not at home, Visitor called twice.

175. Mary Cromley: 14 Elliott row King Street (west) Widow aged 47. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. 3 Children at home, girl 12, girl 10 & boy 7. She is a deserving person, is doing the best she can to bring her Children up to be useful when they grow up. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

176. Martha Devany: 152 King Street (west) up stairs. Coloured. Baptist. an American, but long time in this City. 4 lbs. Bread per week & Coal 3 times.

177. Ellen Cole: 132 Richmond St. West. Married aged 30. Husband 40. Natives of England. Ch of England. 3 Children. boy 7. girl 5 and girl 3. Husband sick in bed, has worked but very little for several Months, likely wont be able to do much during the Winter. She appears to be a decent woman. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread per week, or the Committee may give 12 lbs. per Week if they think proper, and double rations of fuel and Groceries until further orders.

178. Lucy Mooney: 26 years of age, Husband 40, 3 Children, Johanna 8, Patrick 6, James 18 Months. Husband labourer, leg broken last summer still lame, R.C. 4 lbs. Bread and Coal once.

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179. Mary Dalton: 6 Francis St. 49 years old. 1 Child in the House of Providence 9 years old. Cant get work. R.C. Irish. Coals once.

180. Margaret Brennon: rear of 108 Adelaide St. East. 56 years old. not able to work. Irish. R.C. Coals once.

181. Bridget Berrigan: 77 Stanley St. 30 years old. Husband 30. 2 Children Mary 3 years and baby 2 Weeks. Husband cant get work. Labourer. R.C. 2 lbs. Bread and Coal once. To see Doctor and if able to come & work.

182. Patrick Carroll: rear 81 Stanley St. 50 years old. paralyzed in one leg. not able to work. Labourer. No family. R.C. 2 lbs. bread and Coal once. Committee offered to admit Carroll into the House, but he prefer's living out if coal and bread could be allowed to him.

183. Bridget Henning: 97 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. Husband dead, one boy 14 years old, with a sore leg. R.C. Irish. 2 lbs. bread and Coal once.

184. Margaret Sheridan: 42 Dummer St. Widow. Husband died 8 or 9 years ago. 4 Children, eldest a boy about 14, employed in a Tobacco shop. Irish. R.C. Mrs. Sheridan was not at home when visitor called. The above information was given by Mrs. Graham, who thinks her very poor and very deserving. Recommended for Coal and bread.

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185. Margaret Douglass: 222 Queen St. west, up stairs. Lost her husband about 4th February 1866. 2 Children aged 7 years and 18 Months. Native of Toronto. R.C. Recommended for bread and Coal.

186. Catharine Deary: 69 Strachan St. Widow. 5 Children. eldest a boy 19 or 20 who is hurt by a fall and is unable to do anything. A stout Girl of about 16 remains at home to take care of him. 2 are at service earning respectively [dollars] 4 & [dollars] 3 per Month. Irish. 13 years in Toronto. R.C.

187. Ann Donnelly: 106 Strachan St. Not at home. A Neighbour who appears a very respectable man reports that two widowed Sisters live together, that there in all are 8 young Children, the eldest of whom earns enough to clothe himself. One of the sisters takes care of the Children, while the other is at work. Recommended for coal and bread. Irish. R.C.

188. Mary Morooney: 36 Boulton St. all relief to be stopped by order of Visitor, until further orders.

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189. Mary Carroll: 40 Scott St. next to Corner of Colborne St. upstairs, with Mrs. Dunbar. See report of January 1865, but present story differs from then, she now says she is not a widow, but has not seen her husband these 18 years. Her sons are grown up and gone, no one knows where. The two boys formerly mentioned are her nephews. She seems in a state of bewilderment and will very likely have a still different story next time. Has nearly lost use of one hand, Mrs. Dunbar keeps her from charity. The Committee if so disposed, might allow 4 lbs. bread and Coal trice.

190. Margaret Dunard: next to 6 South Park St. age say 34. husband 32 did not see the latter. Originally a Machinist, now a labourer, wife says he caught a bad cold, working in a ditch. Husband English, wife Irish, both Ch of Engl. Wife about 11 years in Toronto, 2 Children Richard aged 5. Joseph aged 2. This is evidently a Case of great destitution. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread and Coal 3 times.

191. Elisha Connell: 42 Duchess St. 41. Married. Natives of Ireland. Family of 6 Children. Ch of England. Visitor recommends Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & etc. on account of the Children who are ill with Small pox.

192. Jeremiah Taylor: Native of Ireland. Ch of Engl. says he is 97 years of age. No settled home for years, worked about from place to place for his board, cant do so any longer. No means of living, applied for admission into this Institution. Brought a Note of recommendation from Mr. Chs. [Charles] Magrath. Admitted on account of his age.

193. Henry Howard: an Inmate aged 78 died this day Jany. 13th. See his Case of admission in 1860 Case 399.

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194. Mary Maloney: 73 Richmond St. east. 35 years of age. Husband in the States. 2 Children. Elisa 11 years old & Dennis 2 Months. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread. Coal twice.

195. Jemima Clements: 105 Yonge St. 68 years of age. A Widow has a Daughter aged 23 (who is crippled) living with her. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for bread & Coal. To have 6 lbs. Bread weekly and Coal 3 times.

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196. Gertrude Briggs: 53 Ann St. 18 years of age. Her husband who is a Soldier and stationed in Halifax sends her [dollars] 1 per week. She is quite alone, and apparent near her confinement. English church. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread & Coal.

197. Mary Connell: 48 Bond St. 40 years of age. A Widow, has 4 Children. Mary 11. Elisa 5. John 7 and Catharine 9 years old. R.C. Irish. Recommended to have 8 lbs. Bread and Coal.

198. Margaret Hunter: Esplanade, foot of Caroline St. See report of previous years. No change worth of Note. Husband not yet heard from. She seems a hard working industrious woman. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice during the season. See Case 149 in 1866.

199. Catharine Ellamonge: 50 Front St. basement. See previous reports. doing as well as can be expected, with 3 small boys who have great appetites. Recommended for Coal twice and 6 lbs. Bread per Week.

200. Mary Grace: 31 Andersons Lane off Dummer St. Not at home. Philip Deane, a neighbour, informed Visitor that she has not heard from her husband for 1 1/2 years. Employed (when she is able to work) at Mrs. Ashall's. Irish. Roman Catholic Church.

201. Ann Donnelly: 120 Strachan St. Widow, 2 Children, 7 and 9 years of age. Employed 1 1/2 days in the Week. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal.

202. Hannah Stanford: 104 Strachan St. has been 3 years a Widow. 1 Child at home, seems a tidy respectable woman. English. Methodist. Bread & Coal.

203. Ellen Kearns: 118 Strachan St. 4 years a Widow. 3 Children. 1 at home. Earns 20 [cents] a day. Native of Ireland. Already reported by Revd. Mr. Broughall.

204. Margaret Newman: 61 Pine St. Widow. 2 Children at home. Mrs. Newman goes out to wash and scrub, but in coming home the other Evening fell and injured her wrist, which has prevented her from

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working the last week or 10 days. Visitor recommends bread for a Month, ought to get on after that without help, or at all events have the Case referr'd again.

205. Mary Grashaw: 48 years of age. Widow. Say's came from Rochester U.S. where she left her 4 Children with a Aunt, arrived in Toronto about 6 Weeks ago to look for a Niece, but who she finds had left for Montreal. Was sent by P. [Police] Magistrate to House of Industry, having been arrested as a Vagrant. R.C. French Canadian.

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206. Bridget Hogan: Lane running from Sydenham to Beech St. between Parliament and Berkely St. An old Case. Matters are not likely to improve much with them. There are 6 Children at home now! and neither Father or Mother have had much to do lately in the way of work. Recommended for bread for a couple of Months, and as a Neighbour has made them a present of a little wood, they might be allowed Coal at the end of the Month, and once more after that.

207. Maria Tiffin: 30 Frederick St. There must be some mistake, as Visitor could not such a person in his district.

208. Catharine Kelly: 26 James St. a single woman living in the same house with Mrs. McQuiggan. Is in bad health, having suffered very much from ague. seems really unfit for work at present, and Visitor would recommend her for bread for a couple of Months. If she and Mrs. McQuiggan continue to live together, and made use of the same Stove, they might after this, arrange to have the Coal turn about.

209. Bridget Malarky: Duches [Duchess] St. if she applies, Visitor would like her to have a little Coal and bread. Say Coal twice. Visitor has lost her Number, has been reported upon in previous years.

210. Elizabeth Mundy: 49 Boulton St. Deserted by her husband. Aged 40. 3 Children. Girl 12 at Service, boy 7, boy 4. R.C. Irish. Lives in with two others on the same floor, a hard looking lot, one of them had a black Eye. She is in all respects poor enough to want assistance, but Visitor fears she is unworthy of it. Perhaps something might be known about her at the House. The Case is left to the Committee.

211. Elizabeth Lepsett: 118 Adelaide St. west. Irish aged 54. Husband 54, a Shoemaker, has had assistance then two seasons back, made out at that time that her husband could not do much on account of bad health. Visitor thinks Lepsett must be very slow or lazy if he cannot supply for his own living, works on Ladies boots, get [dollars] 1,05 per pair for the bottoms alone. Some Man can make 12 pair a week, most Men make 9 pair a week and be he ever so slow he ought to make 3 or 4 pair per week, and then the wife can make about [dollars] 1,50 per week putting in elastic in Boots. This is the Case, the Committee will please judge for themselves. They are very decent people, and visitor would be sorry to see them suffer, but thinks they should provide in summer for the Winter.

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212. Mary Marooney: 36 Boulton St. See Case 188. To be restored to her regular allowance from the House, as Visitor has made enquiries, and is now satisfied as to her character.

213. Anastasia Hanton: rear of 15 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow aged 50. one Son a labourer 19 years of age, works at Carrolls factory, both able to work for their own living.

214. Bridget Williams: at Larkens Lane, corner of Sayer and Louisa St. Irish. R.C. A Widow 40 years of age. 2 Sons, 10, & 9. Reported upon 2 years ago when Visitor found she was living with a man at the time, both great drunkards, found on enquirie that she is not better now. Not recommended.

215. Frederika Cline: 102 Agnes St. German. Lutheran Church. Aged 45. 2 Children, boy 9 & girl 7. Husband works in a store on Queen St. and earns 37 [cents] a day and board. Ought to to [do] support themselves.

216. Mary Ann Thompson: 137 Sayer St. Irish. Ch of England. Widow aged 40. 2 girls, one 16 in Service at Kingston, the other 18, at home, assists' her Mother to sew, gets very little work, appear very poor, Neighbours say they are steady and industrious. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

217. Catharine Potts: 135 Centre St. Irish. Ch of England. Aged 40. Married. 4 Children, girl 16 in Service [at] [dollars] 2.50 per Month, girl 13 at home, says she works 3 days in the week at a rag store at 20 [cents] per day, a boy 10 and a girl 5 at home. The girl 13 ought to be in Service. To have 600 lbs. Coal this Winter.

218. Samuel Reid: rear of 154 Centre St. English. Ch of England. aged 45. Married. Confined to his bed with Consumption. 5 Children, girl 10, girl 7, girl 5, girl 4 years of age, and a baby 7 Months old. He has a pension of 25 [cents] per day, but on account of his bad health and large family Visitor would recommend 8 lbs. Bread per week with a ration of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & etc. and Coal.

219. Elisa Spears: is not known at 90 Centre St.

220. Elizabeth Young: rear of 16 Terauly St. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Church a Widow aged 40. A very respectable industrious Charwoman with 5 Children. daughter 15 learning the Fur business. girl 12, girl 10, girl 5 and a boy 8 at home. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread per week and nine hundred pounds of Coal to be sent at one time.

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221. Margaret Martin: 88 Edward St. Irish. Presbyt. Church Widow. 55 years of age. one daughter 18, works at the Hoop skirt factory, earns [dollars] 2 per week. Mrs. Martin appears to be a decent industrious woman. Recommended for Coal.

222. Henry Johnson: 232 Sayer St. Coloured. Baptist Church. Married aged 54. 2 Children, girl 11, girl 8, and a girl 5 years of age, all living with a Neighbour. Johnson says he is not able to work on account of Rheumatism. To see the Doctor and if ill to have Coal.

223. Mary Ann Fogarty: 314 1/2 Richmond St. west. Widow. Husband killed on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] 2 Children, one aged 6, the other an infant. Native of Canada. R.C. Church. Recommended for Coal and bread.

224. Mary Gorman: 382 Adelaide St. west. Widow. No family. rents a room in a house where she seems to be a sort of servant. Irish. R.C.

225. Ann Hood: rear of 43 Esther St. Widow. Married daughter and Grandchild aged 6 live with her. Daughter has been ill 2 years. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal & Bread. The sick daughter needs special attention.

226. Sarah Tomlie: York Street second Shanty south of Wellington St. Widow aged 45. Irish. R.C. 4 Children, girl 13 has been in Hospital for 3 Months, is now getting better and looking for a place. Boy 11, girl 9, and girl 7 years of age. Mrs. Tomlie does the best she can, and is worthy of assistance. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread per week, Coal 3 times & soup.

227. Mary Williams: 47 Agnes St. (west) lives with a family named Dowling. Not in when Visitor called, was told that she has two Children who are seldom with her, but stay with some acquaintance. Has a very bad leg which incapacitates her for work, but Visitor would say, that no one would employ so dirty a woman. Lives apparently by begging. Irish. ChofEngl. recommended for a little bread and soup.

228. Robert Brown: 115 Elizabeth St. Coloured. Ch of Engl. Married, 60 years of age. ill with consumption. A Grand daughter aged 10 years with them, to have Coal and a grate 6 lbs. Bread weekly and an allowance of Sugar, Tea, & etc.

229. Elisa Barber: 116 Sayer St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow aged 83. does a little Knitting. A married Son has been paying her rent, he is now ill and unable to do so. To be allowed 4 lbs. Bread per Week and Coal.

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230. Ellen Rutherford: lives with above named family. aged 47. A Widow. No Children, knits and mends Clothes for a living. apparently very feeble. Irish. Ch of England. Recommended for a little bread and soup.

231. Mary Coleman: No. 5 Lane off Nenfrew [Renfrew] St. to the East. Is the wife of a private of the 17th. Lives in a miserable cold though clean house, without stove. No furniture to speak but a good bed on the floor (supplied them by the Kindess of the Captain of her husbands Company). Has one child a boy 3 years old. Not on the strength of the Regiment and has no aid from the Military authorities. Her husband dissipated. Says she has a bad head, brought on by hardships and thus is unfit for service else she would seek a place. 26 years old. Irish. R.C. Appears in a wretched state of want. Strongly recommended for a little help to put her over the cold weather.

232. Thomas Doyle: 60 Dummer St. aged 30. Failed to obtain work anywhere. Says the Mayor sent him to the House. No furniture of his own. a stove chair & table being supplied by the Landlor. Visitor found a baby dying of small pox on the only miserable bed in the House. There is one other Child a boy 3 years old. Irish. R.C. Recommended for a little temporary relief as their distress appears great.

233. Ellen Clune: 62 Grogg Lane. Not well for last 10 weeks. Used to work for Jaques & Hays, not able now. Has 3 Children, a girl 14 learning her trade at Jaques & Hays's, and 2 boys 7 & 5. Apparently respectable and deserving. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

234. John Murphy: aged 67. Native of Ireland. Widower. Wesleyan Methodist. applied for admission Jany. 11th and was admitted. See Case 361 in 1866.

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235. Susan Wood: an old Widow who receives assistance every Winter. Aged 66. Coloured & Church of England. Lives with a family named Cole west of Spadina Avenue (in Common) and considerably north of Judge Wilson. Very deserving and industrious. Her Coal recommended to be sent all at once.

236. Mrs. Histed: and her two Children. Mrs. Histed is Mrs. Nelsons Married daughter deserted by her husband and is obliged to nurse her Mother. Visitor would recommend to have some bread allowed her & Children.

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237. Charlotte Quinn: Shanty next South of 37 1/2 George St. See report of last year, a very destitute Case. Husband in jail, where he spends most of his time Shanty is a mere hovel, a heap of straw at one end serves as bed for herself and 3 daughters, aged about 7. 5 & 3, all of whom are afflicted with the itch, which their Mother says they contracted in the "Girls Home". If Dr. Ogden visits Out side patients, a call upon Mrs. Quinn would not be amiss. Meanwhile Visitor recommends 6 lbs. Bread per week and Coal twice.

238. Elisa Littledale: boards 1st House in Sylvesterss Yard King Street East. Has 3 rightfull Children who are in the House of Providence, but she has one extra one, a little girl, contributed by a young Man who has since left Toronto. All she asks is some Coal, which Visitor recommends the Committee to allow.

239. Rose Fagan: 81 Stanley St. 60 years of age, her husband abandoned her about 5 years ago, leaving her quite destitute. R.C. Irish. Bread & Coal.

240. Mary Sullivan: 80 Stanley St. 37 years of age. Husband same age, 4 Children Philip 10. Michael 7. James 4. Ellen 12. Husband cannot get work & Wife ill. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once.

241. Bridget McCarty: 31 Stanley St. 60 years old, a Widow, one Child Bridget 11 years of age. Unable to support herself R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

242. Mary Ann Graham: Stephensons store corner of Elizabeth & Albert St. Irish. Ch of England, Widow 56 years of age, 2 daughters aged 16 & 19 years. both at home, sewing girls, one is stated to be very ill unable to work. If Coal could be allowed they would be able to do without further relief. Visitor was informed they are respectable industrious people, would therefore recommend them for Coal.

243. John Thomas: rear of Charles St. near St. James Cemetery. A very old and very respectable Man. He was not in when Visitor called, but his Case will be found ^reported^ upon last year, more over from a Lady living on Charles St. who has occasionally assisted him since the beginning of the Winter Visitor learned all he wished to know about his present condition, and has no hesitation in recommending him for Coal during this Month and the next, and a small allowance of bread if he asks for it.

244. Louise Clark: No. 60 Corner of Caroline & Duke St. is a widow with 2 Children goes out to wash & scrub, but has a bad hand at present which incapacitates her for work. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for a Month.

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245. Jane Oxly: No. 60 Corner of Caroline & Duke St. has 4 Children, appears to be a hard working woman but in spite of all her efforts cannot manage to Keep her family in food and fuel. Recommended for Coal twice & bread.

246. Maria Tiffin: No. 30 Frederick Street. Found this Case. Reported upon last year. Husband in the States. Has one child. supports herself by sewing. Visitor thinks she might have Coal sent to her once.

247. Bridget Colwell 375 1/2 Richmond St. west. No such House.

Friday 25th January 1867.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

248. Elizabeth Keely: 85 Stanley St. 33 years of age. A Widow has 3 Children, Richard 12 Thomas 10 and John 8 years old. Washes & scrubs to support herself & family R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

249. Ann Linch: 49 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. aged, she says 59, looks more like 50. 2 boys 11 & 7 years of age. Lives in a wretched place, has no stove, but wants Coal to burn with the people down stairs who have a stove. Visitor does not know how she gets a living, presumes she begs. Case left to Committee.

250. Mary Kearney: No. 2 Grogg Lane. Has 4 Children, 1 boy 6 and 3 girls 10, 5 & 1 year. Husband has more or less work, & so has she. Visitor can see no good reason for granting assistance.

251. Margaret Kennedy: behind 60 Dummer St. Widow 60 years of age. No Children. Visitor feeling assured that she did not live at above address made enquiry of a neighbour who confirmed his (Visitors) view of the Case. A Vagrant living by begging of a dissipated character. Irish. R.C. The Committee may see fit to give a little Bread & soup occasionally.

252. Mary Gormley: behind 60 Dummer St. Widow 47. has two Boys 11 & 7. Invalided by Rheumatism in right hand & Erysipelas in the head, apparently very sober & respectable. Ireland. Ch of England. Coal, bread & soup.

253. Mary Barclay: 92 Pine St. A single woman who has been nearly for 2 years in the Hospital under treatment of some affection of the leg and foot. She has been out Hospital for about 2 Months, and is now living with a poor family on Pine Street, and endeavouring to learn the tailoring business, as a means of supporting herself. Recommended for bread for a month.

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254. Ellen Gallanty: Lane in rear of Carty's Soap factory. George Street. Deserted by her husband just before her confinement a couple of months ago. and now left with her infant and another child, a little boy, without any means of support. Her husband was in good work as a journeyman shoemaker, and able to support his wife and children very comfortably, when he suddenly took to drinking, went utterly to the bad, and at last took himself off without any warning, and his wife has not the least idea where he is. Her things were all seized upon for rent in the house she was living in, and she has now moved into one of those hovels off George Street, which are a disgrace to the City, and the Landlord of which ought to be indited [indicted]. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks, she might also have a little soup. Name is Delanty not Gallanty

255. The Misses Smith: 46 McMahon Street. The Case was reported upon last year. The two old Ladies have seen very much better days but are sadly reduced now. Visitor would be glad if they could have some Coal sent them, (twice). and if instead of their coming for bread, the same arrangement could be adopted as last year, viz, sending them some flour. it would be a great kindness not to compel them to come up to the house.

256. Catharine Kelly: 26 James St. to have Coal with Sarah Mc Quiggan turn about. See Case 208.

257. Mary Stewart: 118 Pine Street. Visitor recommends that she have Coal turn about with Ellen Gallagher, as they are living in the same House.

258. Mary Ann: Bennett: Lane in rear of Cartys Soap factory off George St. in the same house with Ellen Galanty, receives Coal from the House. Visitor would like to recommend a little bread also. Mrs. Bennett was refused by the Committee bread, on account of several Complaints having come to the House that she sells it to get Whisky.

259. William Booth: Living in the rear of the House by Mr. Berry on the South west Corner of Duke and Caroline Streets. The Case will be found reported upon in previous years - Booth occupies part of the basement by special agreement between Mr. Berry and the former occupant, of whom Booth was a sort of pensioner. Mr. Berry speaks highly of him as a very industrious and deserving person, but as no longer able to get through the Winter without a little assistance, Visitor would therefore recommend Coal twice.

260. Elisa West: A Widow aged 61. Irish. ChofEngland. Seeks shelter for a time some years ago she used to get relief from the House, was an Inmate in 1864.

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261. A Mrs. Glisson: Made application to Committee for the admission of a Child 3 Months old, says the father of the child agreed with her for so much to Keep it, but has left without paying. Was sent by Mrs.

Grasett with a few lines. Committee can do nothing in the Case, if people will make bargains they must abide by it.

262. David Brady: aged 78 years. Native of Ireland. English Church. Widower. Commuted Pensioner, receives 4d [pence] per day from Government. His Children have all left him. Is not able to earn his living has no other means of support. Troubled with Rheumatism seeks admission into House of Industry. Admitted.

263. William Dunn 22 Years of age. English. ChofEngl. about 4 years in Toronto. In General Hospital for the last 15 Months on account of a fall into the Hold of a vessel which injured his spine and consequently crippled in both legs and also the control over his Bowells. was recommended by Revd. E. Baldwin for admission. Committee agree to admit Dunn for a time until some other arrangement can be made for his support, being a proper Case for an incurable Institution.

264. Harry Bond: in Case 745, died this Morning at 10 Clock AM. aged 9 Months.

265. John Bainborough: 68 Years of age. Native of England. Methodist Church. Commuted pensioner. Tries to earn his living out in Summer, but cannot earn sufficient to support him through the winter, seeks admission into the House during the Winter Months. Admitted.

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Present J. Doel Esqr.

266. Mary Kearney: No. 2 Grogg Lane off Renfrew St. A Widow. No Children. Has a room rented from a family named Gray without a stove. Works at a Tobacco factory, earning sometimes [dollars] 1.25 a week, sometimes half that. Irish. R.C. Coal twice and bread.

267. Sarah Gustard &)

268. Jane Tupper) Visitor could not find them, No such adress as No. 6 Clare Town.

269. Mary Dobson: 27 Melinda St. A Widow aged 40. R.C. Irish. Has one daughter aged 22 who has a little girl aged 3 years. Being as she says a Married woman but deserted by her husband. The applicant seems to be a smart decent woman, and the room warm and comfortable. The Question is should not the Widow of 40, and the Mother of 22 be able to support themselves and one Child.

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270. Jane Tremble: 88 Duchess St. A very steady good woman. The Case has been reported upon in previous years, but has not received assistance from the House for some time, as she has been able to go to service her aged Mother taken charge of her two children. Now however she is at home again, having been obliged to leave her last place from illness, and Visitor would strongly recommend her to be allowed some Coal, as she will not ask for anything when she is strong and well again.

271. Johanna Jones: Living Corner of Duke and Caroline Street. Husband died while she was in the Lying-in Hospital, leaving her with one Child and the newly born infant. Recommended for Bread and a little soup and Coal once. The Bread for one Month only.

272. Ann Steel: brought an infant (Male) 8 days old, wants the Institution to take it of her hands. Says she lives 16 Miles up Yonge St. near Richmond Hill, and the Child belongs to a poor Orphan girl who works for her living out at Service. Advised to apply to her own County Council for support.

273. Mathias Gough: 48 years of age. Native of England. Out of Employment at present. Has had shelter in building for casual poor, is asking to be allowed to remain a few days longer.

274. Daniel Fahey: aged 46. Irish. R.C. was brought here by the Police, having been found on the street in a helpless condition. The Man has a wooden leg, and having stepped on a grate on Queen Street he slipped through and broke it, was consequently left helpless, says he only came that day out of the General Hospital where he has been for the last three years on account of his Eyes, one of which was taken out altogether, and with the other he can see a little. Lived formerly at Waterdown. No way of supporting himself.

275. Joseph Brierton: was taken out of the Institution by his Mother.

Friday 1st February 1867.

No Committee present.

276. Ann Barber: 191 Sayer St. Irish ChofEngl. Married 26 years of age. 2 Children, baby 4 Months old, and a girl 2 years of age. Husband worked at Jaques & Hayes, but unable to work for the last two Months and now confined to bed not expected to live. A steady respectable Man. To have a full ration of Tea, Sugar, Rice and Oatmeal, 8 lbs. Bread per week, and 600 lbs. of Coal, and a grate for the stove.

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277. Elisa Mc Keon: rear of 43 Duchess Street A Widow aged 47. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal once.

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278. Ellen Kearns: 118 Strachan St. lives with a Mrs. Smith who receives help. Widow 51. Has one girl 10 years old. Lives by plain sewing is very poor. Irish. Ch of England. Perhaps the Committee had better allow her one Months Coal and bread, as she "flits" pretty often.

279. Dorothy Ross: behind 15 Renfrew St. aged 54, her husband is 59. During Summer time deals in fruit. Husband a delicate Man, but saws wood when he can get it. One grandchild a girl 6 years. Apparently respectable people. A very cold house. English. Ch of England. Coal and bread.

280. Edward Muir: Hope St. has not received his Coal yet.

281. Martha Laughlan: 169 Venauly [Van Auley] St. to have another Months Coal.

282. Bridget Calwell: in Case 247, was highly recommended for assistance by B. Homer Dixon Esqr.

283. Catharine Caulfield: See Case 980 in 1866. An Inmate aged 35 years, died this day (Fbry. 3rd) at 10 OClock A.M. of Consumption.

Tuesday ~~Friday~~ 5th February 1867.

Present The Revd. Dr. Green.

284. Mary Wheeler: 30 Albert Street. Irish. Presbyt. Church. Married. 34 years of age. 3 Children, girl 12 with Mr. Tyner for board, girl 8, and boy 6 years of age. A respectable industrious woman, husband sent to Gaol for abuse of wife. To have 6 lbs. Bread per week and Coal.

285. Elisa Patterson: 36 Czar St. Irish. Ch of England. 44 years of age. 4 Children, boy 12, boy 10, boy 9, and girl 4 years of age. Says her husband a Gardener in bad health is at present with a brother 4 Miles from Toronto, the Children she said when Visitor called were with a friend on Bloor Street, said she was well Known to Mr. & Mrs. Givins, but on enquiry she appears not to be Known to them, at least not by that Name. Cannot recommend the Case until more is Known about her.

286. Ann Tovey: Duchess St. Visitor has not been able to see her, but her Case was reported upon last year. She might have temporary relief until visited.

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287. Jane Clark: 58 Duke St. Corner of Duke and Caroline Streets. Widow, 3 Children. Goes out to scrub and wash - cleans offices & etc. cannot get through the winter without assistance, and as Visitor believes her to be both hardworking and industrious, would recommend her for Coal twice and Bread for 6 weeks.

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288. Willie Addison: 149 Tecumseth St. Coloured. A very decent old Man. Visitor has known him now for 40 years, he has a little place of his own, as there is no rent to pay, but he cannot earn anything just now, therefore recommended for Coal once, and 4 lbs. Bread per week.

Friday February 8th 1867.

No Committee.

289. Clarinda Warren: rear of 145 University St. Coloured. English Church. Widow aged 49. 2 girls 7 & 9. appears an industrious Charwoman, very poor Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per week & Coal.

290. Ann Oakly: say about 11 years of age, ran away from her place, a Mr. Brownscombe who keeps a Shoe store on King St, and whose private House is on Church St. She was taken charge of by the Police at No. 2 Station Saturday evening, and sent here by order of the Police Magistrate.

291. George E. Lee: 13 years of age Coloured. was sent here by Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant.

Tuesday 12th Febry. 1867.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Wilkes.

292. Mary Raven: 482 Queen St west, widow with one Child. Native of Ireland Protestant. Recommended for Coal.

293. Bridget Collwell: rear of 479 1/2 Richmond St. west. Widow, one Son aged 13 years. Not strong. Receives Bread, recommended for Coal. The Committee consider the boy should be out earning his living, cannot grant Coal if he is Kept at home.

294. William Partridge: 176 Spadina Avenue. Visitor wishes this Case brought before the Committee & ascertain whether anything can be done for him. He is suffering from a Carbuncle & cannot work. His daughter is out of regular Employment at present, and his boy can do little more than pay the rent, while his wife does what sewing she can get.

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295. Catharine Sheady: next to 89 Nelson St. Mrs. Sheady has a husband and 3 Children. The husband goes out to saw wood, and according to her own account, he does not find much difficulty in getting work. The excuse that she makes for applying to the House is, that she has a bad leg which incapacitates her for work, and moreover is near her confinement. Visitor cannot say that the Case impressed him as a very necessitous one, but leaves it to the Committee to judge, from the facts stated, whether she ought to have relief.

296. Margaret Leahey: 75 North Park St. In this Case it is the husband who has the bad leg! Mrs. Leahey however is an old Woman, and can do little else than peddle Cakes and Oranges in Summer. Visitor told her however, that her husband must take a certificate from the Doctor who had attended him, to say whether he had really sprained his ankle [ankle] so badly, as to incapacitate him from working. If he produces the certificate Visitor would then recommend them for Coal once.

297. Mary Mc Carty: 27 Pine Street, reported upon and relieved before. Recommended for Coal once more. She appears to be doing her best to earn a living for herself and Children.

298. Ann Tovey: 25 Duchess St. See report of previous years. Mrs. Tovey had been tolerable well employed in the early part of the Winter but she met with an accident a few weeks ago. a very bad sprain. so that she has been out of work ever since. Recommended for Coal once.

299. Jessie Thompson: in Case 531 in 1866 returned to the House.

300. Robert Humphrys: in Case 767 in 1866, was taken away on trial to day (Febry. 15th) by William Witherup of Nottawasaga. To be apprenticed if he suits.

Friday February 15th 1867.

Present Mr. E. Hobson

301. John Goosberry: to have an extra allowance of Coal, and a double allowance of Tea Sugar & etc. on account of sickness.

302. Janett Muir: aged 56 years. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. She is the Wife of a Man (who lives at Hyland [Highland] Creek Scarboro) indicted for bigamy, destitute. Recommended for Shelter by John McNabb Esqr. County Attorney. Admitted for a time, will make herself useful.

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303. Ann Rutledge: 60 Bathurst Street. Widow. 4 Children, eldest boy of 10 years. Native of Ireland. R.C. Recommended for Coal.

304. Louisa Sutton: rear of 479 Richmond St. (west) Widow. 4 Children. born in Lower Canada. R.C. Eldest Child 10 years. Recommended for Coal.

305. Louisa Miller: rear of 479 1/2 Richmond St. (west) Widow. Native of Canada East. R.C. In Toronto 4 years. 5 Children. Coal once.

306. Louisa Sullivan: 479 Richmond St. (west) no such person residing there or in neighbourhood.

307. Catharine Thompson: 40 Dummer St. Widow. 2 Children. Lives with Mrs. Cowan paying rent for room. Native of Ireland. Chof England. Able to get very little work. No relief former Committee having refused on account of begging and bad habits.

308. William Potter: say aged 7, and Mavin Potter aged about 3 years of age, Sent here for admission by A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] The Mother of the Children Margaret Potter having been sent to Gaol for 3 Months for Keeping a disorderly House.

Tuesday 19th Febry. 1867.

No Committee.

309. Lucy Vose: No. 3 Charles St. Spadina Avenue. Aged 38. Husband is gone to Portland in search of Employment. Has six Children, 2 boys 11 & 4. and 4 girls 10, 8, 6 and 1 1/2 respectively. Very poor but respectable and deserving. Can get but very little work. English. Chof England. Recommended for bread.

310. Catharine Carberry: 102 George St. Visitor saw her husband, the Woman was out. He still represents himself as unable to work from Rheumatism and is certainly a miserable looking fellow. Was told to go to the House so that our own Doctor may certify as to whether he is unfit for work and if so then they may have Coal once more.

311. Sarah Moak: 96 George St. Her husband is dying, and under the circumstances, Visitor recommend them for Coal once more.

312. John Bainborough: aged 68. English. Methodist. died to day.

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Friday February 22nd 1867.

Present Revd. H.J. Grasett. E. H. Rutherford Esqr. & Revd. Dr. Green

313. Caroline Lane: and her husband reside at No. 4 Maria St. with Mr. Gillespie. Husband has been ill for several Months. 2 Children at home. English. Protestants. Recommended for Coal & etc.

314. Margaret Lowry: (Coloured) 421 Adelaide St. west. 76. Husband 86 years of age. Not able to work, formerly had an eating house near the Market. Means exhausted. In Toronto since 1843. Native of Virginia. Baptist. Recommended for Coal.

315. Rose McKenna: 280 Queen St. west. Widow. Son a Soldier in New Zealand has nothing but what she earns. Has been troubled with a sore finger which prevented her sewing. Recommended for Coal once.

316. John Grant: 46 years of age. Irish. R.C. 25 years in Canada, used to Lumber at Ottawa. Lately in Toronto Hospital with sore Eyes, discharged from there incurable. Was sent to this Institution by the Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant. To be allowed shelter for a Month.

317. John Watts: 66. English. ChofEngl. 21 Years in Canada. Lived at George Town, but has been in Toronto General Hospital for the last ten weeks. Seeks admission for a Month. As the House is full at present, he is to have shelter as best he can.

318. Mary Fitzgerald: 69 Irish. R.C. Says that she lived in New York for 9 Years. Came to Toronto a few days since. No friends or means of support. Seeks admission To have shelter for a time.

319. Margaret Milford. Mary Fitzgerald, and Mary Ann Blackmore, all of whom had shelter in Building for Casual poor, are to leave the premises, as they not feel inclined to make themselves useful.

320. Nancy Thompson: 78 McMahon St. She has a husband and seven Children. The husband has sprained his leg, and cannot work at present, and Visitor therefore thinks it a Case for temporary relief, as the family is so large, and fuel is so dear. Coal once, Bread for two week. Irish. Presbyt.

321. Mary Jane Huggard: aged about 3 years, see Case 661 in 1865. Was taken on trial by Wm. McClellan of Darlington, previous of being apprenticed.

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Present Revd. Mr. Darling.

322. Susan Burns: 22 Renfrew St. Her husband and two Children are very bad with the small pox. Has 3 Children in all. 2 boys 11 & 9 and one girl about 10 Months old. This seems a distressing case, and relief for one Month is recommended, also a little tea & Sugar & etc.

323. Ann Montgomery: College St. second door east of St. Stephens Church. A respectable deserving woman in greatly reduced circumstances. Her husband who used to make baskets, has been paralysed & is unable to work. His daughter 16, not at all a strong girl, has been trying hard to supply his place, while

the Mother does what she can for her family, but can get only about one days work in the week. Besides the above named girl there are four Children a boy 7. and 3 girls 9, 4 & 1. Scotch, but belong to Church of England. Recommended for an allowance of Coal & Bread for a Month.

324. Elizabeth Meredith: 75 Queen St. west. Aged 56. Ch of England. Irish. A Spinster. Coal once or twice, and Groceries for two Months.

325. Sarah McBride: Living near the Corner of Duchess & Caroline Streets. Has two young Children, the youngest 15 Months old, her husband left her 16 Months ago, and she has never been able to obtain any tidings of him since. She has supported herself and her Children by her own labour hitherto, but her youngest Child has been ill for some weeks past, and she has not been able to leave it to go out to work. Visitor thinks it a Case where temporary relief of Coal once, and bread for a fortnight or three weeks would be well bestowed.

326. Mary Jane Carlton: aged 46. Was born in the States, Methodist Church. A Widow with one Child, Elisa Jane aged 5 years. Lived in Canada 15 years. Appears to be a very decent respectable woman. She was sent here for admission by the Police Magistrate. Admitted on condition that she make herself useful.

327. Robert Johnson: A Mute, say about 16 years of age, was sent here for admission by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a vagrant. Admitted.

328. William and Mary Turner the two Coloured Children in Case 963 in 1866. were to day (Febry 27th) taken out of this Institution by their Mother.

329. Andrew Robertson: in Case 750 in 1866, left the House on his own account.

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Friday 1st March 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Darling.

330. Catharine Burns: 20 Renfrew St. Says she has 2 Girls one 16 with small pox, another 12. Visitor was told immediately after "Visiting" her that she has only the former who unhappily is given to drink & licentiousness: that the old woman has just recovered from a "spree" & that recently she drew [dollars] 1.50, out of the Bank for fear of the Fenians. She lives on the benevolently disposed. The Case might speak for itself. The old woman informed the Committee that her husband is an aged Man not able to work, and the Girl 12 was with a Neighbour but came home last night sick, fears will be the small pox. Coal once, and 8 lbs. Bread, a little Sugar & Rice.

331. Phoebe Carling 62 Stanley St. 62 years of age, abandoned by her husband two years ago. suffers from partial paralysis. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread & Coal once.

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332. Mary Bray: 40 Stanley St. 29 Years of age, a deformed head and partial loss of sight render her almost helpless. 2 lbs. Bread and Coal once.

333. Daniel Fahey: in Case 274 asked leave to go out to see Dr. Rosenburgh on account of his Eyes, got drunk and was sent to Gaol.

334. Anne Eagan: an Inmate died this day March 1st of debility at the advanced age of 85 years. She was admitted in 1842, was therefore an Inmate of the Institution for 25 years.

Tuesday 5th March 1867.

Present Revd. S. Givins & Hon. R. Spence.

335. Sophie Barry: 66 Palace St. Lives with Moses Jackson and is a French Canadian, in poor health, without any friends in the Country. Recommended for Coal once, and 4 lbs. Bread.

336. Jane Fraser: 331 King St. Derbys Lane. Visitor called trice at her house, but found the door padlocked and no one in occupation but a yellow cat.

337. Charles Jones. 34 years of age. Lived at Windsor C.W. [Canada West] for the last 3 Months in Toronto General Hospital with sore Eyes, discharged from there. Seeks admission into House of Industry for a time, says that if he could go and see Dr. Roseburgh once or twice every day that Gentleman would cure his sight in about 3 Weeks. The Committee will admit him if he brings a Note from Dr. Roseburgh confirming his statement

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Friday 8th March 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Givins

338. John Lafferty: 45 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Sore Eyes. says made application for admission into General Hospital, was told they had no room for him at present. Seeks admission into this Institution as he is destitute of means to support himself. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor, until room in the House.

339. Mary Barry: 30 Centre St. Doctor visited and reports that the family consists of herself, husband, two Men and one boy about 15 years of age, all in perfect health, with one child convalescing from small pox. They all show the effects of an abundance of dirt & whiskey.

340. Martha Kerr: 32 Boulton St. aged 70. ChofEngl. Had Coal twice during the Winter. Visitor recommends Coal once More. A worthy old Creature, her weekly allowance of bread to be continued.

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341. Mary Moore: living at 54 James St. East, has applied for assistance in the shape of a little fuel under the following circumstances. She is an English woman a Widow. several sons in England, one in this Country with whom she is living, and another in the united States. The Son with whom she is living has a wife and two Children, and was lately confined, they lost one infant, and the Doctors Bills and additional expence incurred has left him very short of means although he has steady work in the Linseed Oil Company Mill. It is under these circumstances that Mrs. Brown applies to be allowed fuel, and Visitor now submits her Case for the consideration of the Board. To have 300 lbs. of Coal.

342. James Walsh: 76 McMahon St. Visitor found him living in a couple of miserable rooms, there was no fire and no furniture beyond a chair, table and bed. How he continued to keep himself from freezing during the severe weather with the scanty covering on the Bed is a Marvel. He appears to be a very respectable Man, expresses himself extremely well and yet why he should be reduced to his present condition Visitor does not quite understand. He obtains his living such as it is, by selling Newspapers. He has no family, or no relations or connexions in the place, all he asks for is a little bread for a Month which Visitor would recommend. To have 4 lbs. Bread per Week.

343. Elizabeth Scott: an Inmate died this day March 10th at 5 OClock P.M. Aged 85 Years. See her admission in Case 254 in 1865.

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Present Messrs. J. Tyner & S. Rogers & Revd. Mr. Topp.

344. John Corklan: 33 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Sore fingers through frostbite, had shelter in building for casual poor, allowed to stay a little longer until the frost is of the ground.

345. Ann Morrish: 209 Elizabeth St. Recommended to have 300 lbs. Coal once more on account of her daughters illness.

Friday 15th March 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Topp and Mr. S. Rogers

346. Susan Wood: Spadina Avenue, who is very ill, is recommended by Visitor for an allowance of Tea, Sugar & etc.

347. Rebecca Nelson: of 27 Oxford Street also recommended for a ration of Tea, Sugar & etc. on account of illness.

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348. Bridget Cahill: 18 Stanley St. Recommended to have bread but no more Coal, She is in receipt of 4 lbs. Bread per week.

349. John Breckenridge: 81 Caroline St. A very decent elderly Man, an old resident here, and very well Known to Mr. Thom, one of our Managers. Breckenridge goes about selling muffins & Cakes, but he is now both old and feeble, he gets a little assistance from the St. Andrews Society, but was asked by Mr. Thom to apply for some fuel. Visitor told him that we were discontinuing the fuel now, but that nevertheless his Case should be reported to the Board. A most respectable worthy person, and if the Board could stretch a point and allow him one load of coal, it would be all he would require this year.

350. Margaret Kennedy: A step daughter of the old Man Beatty who used to be in the House. This daughter has lately suffered from some neuralgic affection of the head, which has almost affected her mind, and Hon. Mr. Allan does not think therefore that she is altogether accountable for her flighty odd ways. Mr. Allan has made an arrangement for her with Mrs. Grasett, to allow a small sum from the Church fund towards paying for a room for a Month, if during that time she could be allowed bread and perhaps a little Tea from the House but no longer.

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Tuesday 19th March 1867.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay & Thos. Storm Esqr.

351. Patrick Devlin: aged 67. Irish. R.C. says that he has been 23 years in the States and Canada, Plasterer by trade, has been blind for the last 18 years. Was an Inmate for 9 years in Chicago Poor House, and latterly 5 Months in Buffalo Poor House from which place he was sent by the Authorities to Toronto, and sent to this Institution by the Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of this City. The Weekly Committee refer his Case to the General Board and would recommend that means be furnished to send Devlin back to Chicago.

352. A Cripple say about 30 years of age, was sent here by the Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant. The Man seems not altogether right in his Mind, he either cannot or will not speak. The Case is also referred to General Board by weekly Committee

353. Daniel Fahey: in Case 333 was sent here by the Mayor for readmission To be allowed to stay in Building for casual poor until 1st April.

354. Francis Watson: Corner of Duke and Caroline St. 20 years of age, 2 Children, deserted by her husband. Canadian. Methodist Church. Recommended for a little Bread. To have 6 lbs. Bread per Week until April.

355. Margaret Kennedy: rear of No. 25 Elizabeth St. has left there, telling the people that she would take a furnished room at [dollars] 4 per Month for which her sister would pay, the woman she lived with

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thinks there is not much the matter with Margaret Kennedy. Visitor will enquire more into the Case before he can recommend her for relief.

356. Jane Shipp: tells Visitor that her 3 eldest Children are in the Country and do nothing towards her support, the eldest girl at home about 18 years of age is learning Cap making, three other Children at home 2 girls 7 & 6 and a boy 9 years of age. Visitor is of opinion that they carry on the trade of begging. She certainly is not so bad in health as she wishes people do believe, She may be allowed 6 lbs. Bread for this Month.

357. Elizabeth McCawley: 32 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. Aged 67. To have 4 lbs. Bread for one Month. that is 4 lbs. per week.

358. Martha Laughlan: to have Coal once more 300 lbs.

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359. John Watts: in Case 317, left the Institution and went to George Town [Georgetown].

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Present Revd. Dr. Barclay and Thos. Storm Esqr.

360. Patrick Devlin: in Case 351 was sent back to Chicago as ordered by general board. House paid [dollars] 2.50 for him towards his passage, 25 [cents] for conveyance to station and 50 [cents] to help him on the road.

361. Elizabeth Davis: 40 years of age. Widow. No Children. Native of London, England. 8 years in Canada, was formerly an Inmate, See her Case 665 in 1865. Her Knee is bad again, seeks admission into the House. Admitted for a time.

362. Catharine Jamison: aged 21. Irish. ChofEngl. From Orangeville, came to Toronto to get admission into General Hospital, refused admission there. Says she has not been able to work for the last 3 years on account of bad legs, which the Doctors at Orangeville pronounces incurable. She came here for shelter says she would like to get back to Orangeville but has no means. Revd. Dr. Barclay wrote a Note to the Mayor, for her to take and see whether he (The Mayor) could give her a pass to carry her back.

363. Jemima Clements: 105 Yonge St. An Out door Pensioner, made an application for the admission of her daughter who is 27 years of age, of a weak intellect & constitution. The Case was referred by Weekly Committee to the Ward Visitor and Doctor

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Present The Revd. Mr. Baldwin

The Committee for revising List of Inmates and Out door poor also met this Morning at 0 OClock.

Present Messrs. J. Tyner, S. Rogers & J. Thom.

364. The Board are willing to give some maintenance to Fanny Clements the daughter of Jemima Clements in Case 363, if Kept by her Son in law, but cannot admit her into the House without the consent of the General Board. In the mean time to have 6 lbs. Bread per week and Groceries.

365. Catharine Jamison in Case 362 went and applied to the Mayor for a pass to Orangeville showing the Note of Revd. Mr. Barclay, but was told that nothing could be done for her. The Committee now order that she be sent back by the House, and her expences paid. was sent April 2nd.

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The Committee ordered that all Out door Poor be struck of the relief List by 1st of April, and Cases who are in need of assistance after that date to be revisited.

The following In door poor to be dismissed from the Institution

366. Hannah Moodie: in Case 354 in 1866, to prepare herself with a place by the 1st of May as she will have to leave by that time.

367. Margaret Mc Donnell: and her two Children in Case 691 in 1866 is to get up to Chicago where her husband is, as she will have to leave by 1st of May

368. Daniel Fahey: in Case 353 in 1867 is to leave the House by 1st of May.

369. Janett Muir: in Case 302 in 1867, to provide herself with a place by 1st of May, as she cannot remain here after that date.

370. John Grant: in Case 316 in 1867. Not to remain here later than 1st May.

371. Mary Jane Carlton: and Child in Case 326 in 1867. Laid up with a bad Knee at present, to leave the Institution as soon as she is well.

372. Charles Jones: in Case 337 in 1867. To leave the House as soon as his sight improves a little more, at all events to leave before the 1st of May.

373. John Lafferty: in Case 338 in 1867. To remain until the warm weather sets in, however no later than 1st of May.

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374. John Corklan: in Case 344 in 1867. To leave by 1st of April.

375. George Smith: in Case 978 in 1866. To leave in two weeks time.

376. Isaac Gager: in Case 977 in 1866 To provide himself with a place by 1st of May, as he cannot remain here after that.

377. Mary Fitzgerald: in Case 318 in 1867. To be admitted.

378. Robert Johnson: in Case 327. Enquiries to be made at the Police Court whether anything is Known there about his parents.

379. George E. Lee: Coloured, in Case 623 in 1866, to be sent of [off] by the 1st of May.

380. James Dogherty: who applied last December to the General Board for admission into the House and was refused, had shelter in Building for Casual poor, is to leave as soon as the warm weather sets in.

381. Ann Pettit: to be continued on the Bread until further orders for an allowance of 10 lbs. Bread per Week.

382. Ann Lloyd: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. Bread continued during Summer.

Friday 29th March 1867.

Present E. H. Rutherford Esqr. Revd. E. Baldwin & J. Doel.

383. Fanny Clements: in Case 364 ^admitted^ temporally, and to be reconsidered by the General Board.

384. Jemima Clements: the Mother of above Case to have an allowance of 4 lbs. Bread per Week during the Summer Months.

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385. Mary McLean: recommended for the continuation of her bread during the Summer Months by Mrs. Grasett. Committee consider she ought to support herself.

386. Matilda Mitchell: 101 Sayer St. Canadian. Ch. of Engl. Married. aged 33, 3 Children, boy 10, boy 1, and girl 3 years of age. Husband a Moulder, worked for Mr. Mc Gee until the strike, when he left with the other men, he also left his wife and children 2 weeks ago (so says his wife) they came from the country in December last. They appear very poor, by the wifes account the husband is not a steady man. No relief

387. Mary Scott: 178 Centre St. Visitor called there this Morning, when Mrs. Scott came to the Window to see who was there but neglected to open the door, so after waiting some time visitor left without being able to let her know his business, but by what the neighbours say she ought to support her family, herself and the dumb girl go out charing, and two other children work at a Tobacco factory. This is the third time visitor called at the House without being able to obtain an interview with the Lady.

388. Bridget Dr. Driscoll: 325 Queen St. East. Visitor recommends Bread for two weeks longer.

389. Ellen Cole: 132 Richmond St. west, had relief from the House but were cut of some time since. The family are in great distress, as the husband has no work likely will not for a week or two. Visitor recommends 300 lb Coal, and 6 lbs. Bread for 2 Weeks longer.

390. The Soup Kitchen to be closed as usual on the 1st April.

391. Mrs. Borland: is very ill and confined to her bed. Mr. Hobson recommends a full ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal, and Rice, and to be continued Monthly until further orders. Rachel Borland.

392. Mary Gillon: No. 5 Richmond St. west. Recommended by Mr. Tyner to have her ration of 6 lbs. Bread continued until further notice.

Tuesday 2nd April 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Robinson & Mr. J. Tyner

393. Mary Morris: 17 Maria St to have 4 lbs. Bread during the Summer Months.

394. Mary Hickling: off College St. her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. to be continued.

395. Margaret Quigly: to have her allowance of 8 lbs. bread per week continued until 1st May.

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396. Alice Allan: Lane next College Avenue, her allowance of 4 lbs. Bread continued.

397. Ann Duvall: Coloured. 99 Sayer St. ration of 4 lbs. Bread continued.

398. Penelope McMillan: 84 Elizabeth St. 4 lbs. bread continued.

399. Ann Davis: Coloured. 257 Centre St. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

400. Thomas Blaney: 186 Elizabeth St. ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

401. Edward McConkey: 187 Sayer St. an allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
402. Ann Morish: 289 Elizabeth St. 6 lbs. bread per week continued.
403. Margaret Kelly: 17 1/2 Agnes St. her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
404. Rebecca King: Coloured. 92 Agnes St. to have an allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week
405. Mary Hutchinson: rear 25 Elizabeth St. 8 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
406. Grace Langley: 116 Sayer St. a ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
407. Charlotte Parker: 46 Centre St. allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
- 458 [408]. Clara Stain: 68 1/2 Elizabeth St. to be continued on the List for 10 lbs. bread per week.
- 459 [409]. Jane Corcoran" 65 Hayter St. 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer.
- 460 [410]. John Thomas: 15 Shuter St. allowed 4 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
- 461 [411]. Emma Burke Coloured. 32 Centre St. ration of 4 lbs. Bread continued.
412. Mary Ann Bell: next to Ramseys Tavern. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
413. Ann Silver: 208 Sayer St. her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.
414. Eliza Gunson: 43 Albert St. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
415. Joseph Parrett: Alice St. To have 6 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
416. Jane Aimes: 51 Elm St. To have a ration of 10 lbs. bread per week, and when confined, to have a full ration of Groceries, and 600 lbs. Coal.
417. Ana Barber: 191 Sayer St. To have a weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread.
418. Eliza Barber 59 Centre St. her allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week to be continued.
419. Isabella Philipps: 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer Months.
420. David Smith: rear of 71 Centre St Visitor called, but no such person was Known there, no relief until more is Known about them.
421. Rebecca King: in Case 404 is also to have Groceries for one Month.
422. Margaret Eaton: recommended to be continued on the List 4 lb per week
423. Amelia Delaney: in Case 327 in 1866, left the Institution on her own account
424. Elizabeth Moore: in Case 397 in 1866, gone to service.
425. Isaac Gager: in Case 376, Left the Institution and gone to work.
426. George E. Lee: Coloured, in Case 379. Left the Institution
427. Charlotte & Sarah Evans in Case 643 in 1866, were taken out of this Institution by their Mother.
428. John Cochrane: in Case 674 in 1866, was taken out by his Mother.



429. Precilla Ann Cook: (Leadlays Lane) is very ill from rheumatism & has been for some time. Recommended for Groceries & bread till further Notice.

430. Ellen Ward: Visitor does not see why she should receive aid, but will look into her case.

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Friday April 5/67.

Present Revd. Mr. Robinson & J. Tyner.

431. Mary Toomey: 80 Stanley St. 70 years of age, quite helpless, incapable of making the slightest effort to support herself. Recommended 2 lbs. bread during Summer.

432. Patrick McKew: 84 Stanley St. 68 years of age, wife same age, one daughter 34 years old, all helpless. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread during Summer

433. Mary Rutherford: 35 Queen St. East. 55 years of age, also unable to support herself. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread per week during Summer.

434. Elizabeth Balsam: 32 Queen St. East. 32 years of age. A Widow. 3 Children. Sarah 9. Mary 4. Emma 2, a Tailoress. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week, on account of her young family Committee will allow 8 lbs. bread per week until the 1st of May next.

435. Elizabeth Johnson: Coloured. 49 Victoria St. Not at home when Visitor called, The Case being so well Known at the House that the Committee will allow her 4 lbs. bread per week during summer.

436. Rebecca Ivory: 19 Shuter St. 40 years of age. Widow. Has 5 Children. William 14. working in Messrs. Jaques and Hay's Establishment, Earning [dollars] 1.75 per week. Ellen 11. Edward 9. John 7. Francis 2 years of age. A Washerwoman herself. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread per week.

437. Elisa O'Regan: 105 Nelson St. 62 years old. A Widow. Quite helpless, Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread per week.

438. Sarah Anderson: 40 Ann St. 40 years of age. Husband 54 years. 5 Children. Lizzie, 15. Mary Ann, 12. Robert, 10. Charles, 8. William 5 years old. The two eldest working at the Tailoring business. Wife washes. Husband helpless from sickness. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread.

439. John Culinan: East of Beatty's Hotel. 34 years of age. Wife 23. Can't get employment, and very poor. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread.

440. Mary Madigan: 141 1/2 Adelaide St. west. Widow. R.C. Irish. Aged 60. No incumberance. Not strong. cannot work. To have 4 lbs. bread during Summer.

441. Ann Doyle: 37 James St. Recommended to be continued on the List for 6 lbs. Bread per week until 1st of May.

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442. Ellen Laughlan: to be continued on the List for two Months longer at the rate of 8 lbs. Bread per week.

443. Sarah Mc Gregor: 15 Albert St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 78 years of age. No family, lives by begging and a little Knitting, but Visitor suspects more by begging than any other way, thinks it would be best to take her into the house. preferr's staying out. To have 4 lbs. bread per week

444. Sarah Mc Quiggan: 26 James St. East. to have 4 lbs. bread per week till 1st May.

445. Caroline Ryan: aged 106 years, to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

446. Elizabeth Burns: To have an allowance of 2 lbs. bread per week during the Summer Months.

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447. Mary Morrow: King St. East. Visitor recommends her for bread until the middle of May. She certainly can do nothing for herself at present. In the warm weather she may possibly earn a few pence by going about with a basket.

448. William Turner: 104 Pine St. Hon. Mr. Allan strongly recommends that this old Man and his wife be allowed bread all the year round, they are a very decent respectable couple, but quite past supporting themselves without assistance. To have 4 lbs. bread per week.

449. Elizabeth Knight: came from Clinton last Thursday with the intention of improving her condition says she is a widow. Has two little girls. (Twins) which she carries about with her one in each arm, apparently begging with them. The Committee cannot entertain her Case, was advised to go back to Clinton.

450. Maria Ray: rear of 79 Sayer St. She is better Known in St Andrew's ward having lived there during the winter. 2 Children, a boy 18 Months and a girl 5 years of age. Visitor thinks by a little industry she ought to provide for herself and Children during Summer. Committee allowed 6 lbs. bread per week until further Notice.

451. Frederick Low: 155 Sayer St. to have 10 lbs. Bread during Summer Months.

452. Margaret Hunter: 24 Centre St. allowed 4 lbs. bread per week during summer

453. Martha Kerr: 32 Boulton St. 4 lbs. bread per week.

454. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west, her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.

455. Francis Evitt: still ill in bed recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughall for a little bread and an allowance of Tea, Sugar & etc.

456. Ellen Ward: in Case 43 to get nothing.

457. John Corklan: in Case 374 left the Institution

458. Mary Balfour: an Out pensioner for many years, aged 69. A Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. She was admitted on the 21st January last, but no Minute was made of the Case at the time. She left the Institution again on her own account this day April 6th.

459. Patrick Conroy: 79 years of age. Irish. R.C. A pensioner in receipt of 1/ [shilling] 3d [pence] per day, lived with a Married daughter in Aurora. Came to Toronto last Tuesday 2 inst. and drew his pension which amounted something over [dollars] 22, and was brought to this Institution by the Police with 50 [cents] in his possession He is perfectly blind. A Cripple on two Crutches, and otherwise afflicted Had also a severe fall the day before he was brought here.

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460. Margaret Kenny: 29 years of age, 2 Children with her, David 4 ^yr.^ and Thomas 18 Months old, says she came from New York to look for her husband whom she expects to find in Canada. Irish. Presbyt. Church, was sent here by the Police Magistrate until some other provision can be made for them.

Tuesday 9th April 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Young, Mess. W.J. MacDonell & J. Tyner

461. Margaret Taylor: 28 McMahon St. Is both paralytic and her mind in some degree affected, and Visitor thinks she is one of those Cases which ought to be continued on the list through the Summer.

462. Eliza Jolland: 58 Duke St. Corner of Duke and Caroline. Mrs. Jolland and Mrs. Clarke live together Mrs. Clark being her daughter. Visitor recommends Mrs. Jolland to have her bread continued to her as she is very old and incapable of working. Hon Mr. Allan does not intend Mrs. Clarke to have an allowance as well, because if her Mother receives help that is quite sufficient for the Summer.

463. Catharine Kelly: 12 Duchess St. Recommended for bread until the end of this Month.

464. Sarah Gilmor: 9 James St. East. Visitor thinks this is another Case in which the bread should be continued. Mrs. Gilmor is an old and feeble woman and can do little or nothing for herself - and her two daughters living here have enough to do to support their own families. Her only son in the 47th Regt. sends her now and then what help's to pay the rent.

465. Mary Percival: No. 5 Gerrard St. 69 years of age. Daughter Bridget 40 years old. suffering from Neuralgia. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per Week

466. Eliza Wheat: No. 71 Richmond St. East. 70 years of age. To have 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer Months.

467. Ann Sawtell: 37 Nassau St to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

468. Margaret Kenny: in Case 460, was sent to her husband by the Police Magistrate, it appears that Mr. McNabb had received word from Acton that the Womans husband was there.

469. Catharine Campbell: See Case 768 in 1866. Blind. was sent here by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested on the Public Streets of this City for Vagrancy.

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470. Mary Jane Carlton in Case 371. Left with her Child. April 10th.

Friday 12th April 1867.

Present Revd. G. Young & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

471. Mary Morrow: an applicant for bread for the Summer. Visitor thinks she ought to have it now, but would rather report on her Case from time to time, therefore recommended to be allowed this Month, and visited again.

472. Rose Clohassy: rear of 37 James St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 35 years of age. Charwoman. 2 Girls 10, & 11 years of age. Visitor thinks she ought to get them into service as nurse girls, and if she does not she is quite able to support them if she is industrious. Cannot therefore be recommended for relief, and even next winter she must provide for herself and Children.

473. Mary Hurley: North of Clover Hill, Visitor wishes her to be continued on the bread list during the Summer Months. She is 91 years of age.

474. Catharine Kearney: to have 4 lbs. bread for a Month, and after that to be again referred to Visitor.

475. A Man: say about 35 years of age, only one leg, a Cataleptic, was sent here by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a Vagrant. The Case was brought before the General Board 19th March last, and admitted by them into the Institution. Nothing is Known about him, as he cannot or will not speak. Found that his Name is John Bright, Native of Scotland. Tailor by trade.

476. Patrick Conroy: in Case 459, died at 1/2 past 11 OClock P.M. April 15th.

Tuesday 16th April 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

477. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St East. 33 years of age. has 5 Children, Mary 11, James 9. Catharine 6. Sarah Ann 4. & Thomas 14 Months old Husband in the United States. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread.

478. John O'Neill: 307 Queen St. East Visitor recommends that the bread should be continued in this Case. The Man is nearly blind and in a miserable state otherwise, and they have a large family of young Children. 6 lbs. bread.

479. Sarah Hardiman: 46 James St. A very old and infirm woman. Visitor recommends that she be continued on the list during the Summer Months.

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480. Mary Hudson: Czar St. to have 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

481. Mary Balfour: to have an allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer.

482. Edith Webb: Coloured. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.

483. John O'Neill: 6 lbs. bread per week during Summer Months.

484. Alice Allan: Coloured. Aged 74 years. Methodist. Has been an Out door Pensioner for many years, is now very infirm and has no means of support, seeks admission into House of Industry. Brought a Note from the Mayor. Admitted.

484. Patrick Moore: in Case 684 in 1866, returned from General Hospital, seems has not improved for being there. Seeks readmission. Admitted. ChofEngl.

485. Ellen Connell: to have her weekly ration of 8 lbs. bread continued on account of her crippled Son.

486. Emily J. Duggan: to be continued on the list for 12 lbs. bread per week.

487. Elizabeth Davis: in Case 361 left the House to go to service.

488. Mary & Bridget Camp: in Case 524 in 1866. were taken to House of Providence by W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

489. George Smith: in Case 375 left the Institution.

490. James Dogherty: in 380. has left the House and gone to work.

Friday 19th April 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

491. Oliver Ruth: Blind. 65 years of age. R.C. Church. Irish. Lives at Kingston left there last July and went on tramp, has since been in a Poor House in the States, and lately in House of Providence, Toronto. He is anxious to get back to Kingston where he has relatives, has an order from the Mayor for half fare, but was refused passage not being able to pay the other half. Was sent here by the Police Magistrate. Superintendent to send Oliver Ruth back to Police Station as the Man has no claim on the Institution.

492. John Grant: in Case 370, left the House, has work now. April 20:

493. Janett Muir: in Case 369. left the House.

494. Joseph Arnett: Wife and 6 Children, came from the United States looking for work, a weaver, intends to go to Streetsville where he expects employment. In the mean time seeks shelter for himself and family for a night. was sent by Mr. Hobson who recommends them for a nights shelter. April 22nd

494 1/2. Daniel Fahey: in 368 Allowed to remain until his Eyesight is better.

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Tuesday 23rd April 1867.

Present B. Homer Dixon Esqr. J. Thom Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Boddy.

495. Margaret Douglass: Widow aged 64. Has Rheumatism. Visitor recommends that she have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread during the Summer.

Friday 26th April 1867.

Present B. Homer Dixon Esqr & J. Thom Esqr.

496. Honora Gillon: 115 Nelson St. Very old and destitute, and quite a Case for the bread to be continued. To have 4 lbs. bread during Summer Months.

497. Honora Hogan: 53 Duchess St. She and her husband are both old and feeble and they have a little grand Child living with them, and dependent upon them. Recommended that their bread be continued through the Summer.

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498. Margaret Kennedy: Recommended for the last time, to have a large loaf say this week and next, says that she is to get work on Tuesday next at Jaques & Hay's.

499. Robert Evans: in Case 708 in 1866, Has procured work outside, consequently left the Institution.

Tuesday 30th April 1867.

Present J Doel Esqr & Revd. Mr. Dewart.

500. Mary Pennicott: next to 97 Boulton St. Widow. Aged 36 years. ChofEngl. ~~Irish~~ English Lately from near Cooksville. Has 6 Children, Boy 14. who earns [dollars] 1 per week at a Tobacco factory, boy 11, boy 6. boy 4. boy 10 Mths. and a girl 8 years of age. Has neither Stove or furniture. Although she has no claim on this Charity. (she says she could not live where she came from) must not be allowed to starve in the midst of us. Recommended for 10 lbs. bread per week until further Notice. To have as recommended.

501. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. is to be struck off the list.

502. Charles Jones: in Case 372, left the House. Having procured Employment

Friday 3rd. May 1867.

Present J. Doel.

503. John Lafferty: in Case 373, on account of his usefulness to the Institution. The Committee will allow him to stay on until his sight improves somewhat more.

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May 3rd 1867.

504. Margaret McDonnell: and her two Children, in Case 367 will be allowed to stay in the Institution for some time longer. Mrs. McDonnell makes herself very useful in washing and scrubbing, very few female Inmates are able to do any of that sort of work on account of age and infirmities.

505. Mary Campbell: near her confinement. Made application for admission, brought a Note from Mrs. Grasett. Was refused by Committee, it being contrary to the rules and regulations of the House to admit such Cases, and more over this being the third time that she came to Toronto, and made application here under similar circumstances. See Case 502 in 1863.

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Tuesday 7th May 1867.

No Committee present.

506. Mary Ann Bell: 83 years of age. Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. Has been an out door Pensioner of this Institution for many years. Now so feeble that she cannot take care of herself, was therefore recommended for admission by Revd. Mr. Darling.

Friday 10th May 1867.

Present Revd. Dr. Green.

507. Mary Morrow: 188 King St. East. was recommended for bread up to the end of last Month. Visitor see's no help for it but to allow her bread for the remainder of the year, as she really has no means of earning a livelihood, and is old and infirm.

508. Elisa O'Regan: Visitor recommends that she receive 4 lbs. instead of 2 lbs. Bread per Week, and also a little Oatmeal.

509. William Dalton: in Case 656 in 1866 left the House on his own account.

510. Mrs. Wright of 23 Dummer St. applied here for the admission of a Female Child 3 Months old. She state's having taken the Child from Lying in Hospital, where the Mother (Margaret Edwards) had been confined, was promised [dollars] 5 a Month for the Nursing of it, with an assurance from the Matron that the Money should be paid Monthly. Received one Months Money in advance, and [dollars] 4 from the Corporation, has not received any pay since, the Mother having cleared out of Town. Mrs. Wright is desirous that the House should take this burden of [off] her hands. The Committee cannot entertain the Case.

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Tuesday 14th May 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

511. William & Mavin Potter in Case 308, were applied for by their Uncle James Dunlop who will take the Children and their Mother (whose term in Gael has expired) to the States to some relatives who will take care of them. The Children to be given up.

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512. David Brady: in Case 262, wants to leave the House, allowed to do so with the understanding that he will not be admitted again, as he really has no claim here.

513. John Hickie: 56 years of age, a deposed Clergyman of the Episcopal Church, was arrested for disorderly conduct, and being brought before Alderman Sheard was sent here, as Hickies Wife and family live at Delaware near London C.W. [Canada West] and having no claim on this Institution he was refused admittance, and advised to go back to his Wife and family.

514. Ann Doyle: as she represents matters to the visitor she is certainly not fit for work, but without her representations being corroborated by the Medical Man Visitor scarcely likes to recommend that the bread should be continued all summer. If the Doctor however, confirms what she says, then she may certainly be allowed bread through the Summer. Doctor states she has slight affection of the heart may do light work, but not fit to do heavy work.

515. Catharine Kearney: Caroline St. recommended for a continuance of bread during the Summer

Friday 17th May 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

516. Mary Long: made application for her two Children Elizabeth & John (See Case 682 in 1866.) will take them in the Country to her friends. Children will be given up to her.

517. Janett Muir: in Case 493, seeks again admission for a short time, Admitted for a time.

518. Mary Smith: 50. Spinster, Ch of Engl. Irish. Seeks admission until Monday when she will go into the Country. Allowed to stay until Monday.

519. John Lee: an Inmate, see Case 680 in 1865, left the Institution on his own account.

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520. Johanna Jones: Widow aged 24. Irish. R.C. one Child, William Henry 5 Months old. She received relief from the House last Winter, applies for admission, brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her to the House. Promises to make herself general useful. On Account of the House requiring a few strong persons to do the work, the Committee will admit her for a time.

Tuesday 21st May. 1867.

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Present Revd. H.J. Grasett

No Applications

Friday 24th May 1867.

No Committee

521. Jane Horan: was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admission May 25th the same Night about 10 OClock she broke 5 panes of glass in the Outbuilding for the purpose of being sent back to Gael, in which place she had been I believe for the last 6 Months, turned her out of the gate, and gave information next morning at No. 2 Police station of her conduct. Jane Horan is a most vicious violent Woman, was at one time an Inmate in this House, but discharged by order of the General Board on account of her bad behaviour, has since spent her time in the Magdalen Asylum and the Gael.

Tuesday 28th May 1867

No Committee

Friday 31st May 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Darling

522. Rebecca Baker: 187 Centre Street. Deserted by her husband. 29 years of age. 2 Children, boy 4 years, and a boy 7 Months old. She is herself in bad health not able to do anything for a living. Coloured. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread weekly & a small ration of Tea, Sugar, Rice &etc.

523. Catharine Roach: 12 Regent St. An old Case, whose wretched husband never would do any work. He has gone altogether. Mrs. Roach herself has been pretty close to death's door, and visitor thinks is now really an object of charity. Would therefore recommend her for a small allowance of bread, and a little Oatmeal for a fortnight. To have 4 lbs. Bread for 2 Months.

524. Rose Cauley: 79 Sumach St. neither husband nor wife capable of supporting themselves. To Continue the bread.

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Friday 31st May 1867.

525. Sarah Burns: Lane off Seaton St. A very deserving Case. has been very ill, is getting better, willing to work when she can. will only require bread for 3 weeks.

526. Margaret Quigly: must be a mistake in the adress.

527. Ellen Watson: Corner of Duke & Caroline St. was recommended for relief last Winter. Visitor is puzzled about her case and would much prefer that the Medical man at the House should see her and report upon her, would recommend a loaf this morning, and if the Doctor confirms her statement as to her state of health the bread might be continued for a week or two. Doctor examined and states that she has small pox just breaking out.

528. John Taylor: in Case 982 in 1866. applied to Committee for means to get back to his Wife and family who live in the Township of Monmouth in the County of Durham. Committee think it would be perhaps the cheapest way for the Institution to do so.

529. Samuel Craig: in Case 525 in 1865. in bad health, got admission into General Hospital on June 1st.

Tuesday 4th ~~May~~ June 1867.

Present. Revd. S. Givins, Hon. R. Spence & H. Rowsell Esqr.

530. Hannah Symons: Canadian, from Aldsville near Dickinsons landing C.E. [Canada East]. 27 years of age. Married. Say's deserted by her husband. Came to Toronto with a view of getting into Lying in Hospital, but as her confinement will not take place until sometime next Month she cannot be admitted there at present. Has no means of supporting herself, seeks admission for a time. Committee will allow her to stay until Friday next when they will reconsider the Case.

531. James Dunwodie: 202 Adelaide St. west. Sick. To have a loaf of bread for the present, and to be visited.

532. Timothy Harrington: An old Case, recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per week.

533. John Taylor: in Case 528. left the Institution this day June 6th.

Friday 7th June 1867.

Present Revd. S. Givins

534. Ann Pannell: an Inmate asked permission to leave the House for a few weeks intends visiting a Sister who lives in Hamilton

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Friday 7th June 1867.

535. Hannah Symons: in Case 530, to come and get her Meals in this Institution and sleep at Night in Lying in Hospital until her confinement.

536. Delaney: a Man whose admission was requested by the Police Magistrate, was refused admittance, by the Committee, the Doctor having reported that Delaney is a perfect Lunatic. Superintendent to write to Mr. MacNabb stating the grounds of refusal.

537. Margaret Quigley: 116 Pine St. Visitor thinks she might be allowed a loaf of bread through the Summer as the price of it is so very high.

538. Mary Jane aged 7, and William Turner aged 4 years were sent here by the Police Magistrate, the Mother having been committed to Jail for 6 Months for keeping a disorderly House. See Case 328.

539. Ann Bollingbroke: aged about 16 years was sent here on the 6th June, by John McNab Esqr. County Crown Attorney for admission, she only staid until 9 OClock next Morning, and has not returned yet.

Tuesday 11th June 1867.

Present S. Rogers Esqr.

540. Samuel Craig: an Inmate, see Case 311 in 1866. left the House and went to General Hospital being in a bad state of health.

541. Elizabeth Gibson: 420 Queen St. west, Recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughall to receive bread for a Month.

542. William Dunn: an Inmate left the House, having obtained an order from the Mayor for admission into General Hospital. June 13th.

Friday 14th June 1867.

Present. S. Rogers Esqr.

543. James Dunwodie: in Case 531 Visitor could find no such person or Number about that quarter.

544. Christine Drybread: aged 4, and Levey Drybread: aged 2 years, born in Canada, of German parents. They were sent here by the Mayor for admission, having been deserted by the Father, and the Mother being in ill health was sent by the Mayor to the General Hospital. Protestants. June 17th.

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Tuesday 18th June 1867.

Present. Mr. Thomas Storm.

545. Ellen Laughlan: Visitor recommends that she receive her allowance of bread for a Month longer, as her husbands health is still bad.

546. The Children Drybread in Case 544 to be admitted.

547. Martha McCormick: 55 years of age. Widow. ChofEngl. She was sent here by the Police Magistrate for admission, having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of this City.

Friday 21st June 1867.

Present. Mr. Thomas Storm.

548. Mary Ann Bell: in Case 506. has quite recovered again, and left the Institution on her own accord.

549. Jeremiah Taylor: in Case 192. left the Institution, intends to go to Albion where he has Brothers (Farmers) well to do.

550. Martha McCormick: in Case 547. to see Doctor, and if a proper Case, to be admitted for a time on condition that she make herself general useful.

551. Moses Harris: in Case 198 in 1865. died this day (25th June) at 1 OClock P.M. aged 8 years

552. Thomas Halloran: a Man utterly helpless with Palsy, was sent here for admission by the Police Magistrate June 21st. Hallorans Wife came next day and claimed her husband, saying, that she was able to support him, and that he had been sent without her knowledge.

553. David Lawrence; 12 years of age. Canadian. Presbyt Church. says came from Bedford near Montreal where both his parents died. He was sent here by the Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of the City. The Boy ran away from the Institution shortly after he was brought by climbing the fence. June 24th.

Tuesday 25th June 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

554. Hannah Goldthorpe: says she is an Orphan, aged 18. Born in Port Credit, where

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her parents died, lived with a family at Brampton for the last 4 years for her board and clothing. Came to Toronto to look for a place, was sent here by the Chief of Police having been found in the Streets of Toronto being a stranger. June 26th Hannah Goldthorpe made a agreement with Mrs. Samuel Hill of St. Catharines at [dollars] 2 1/2 per Month.

555. Mary Jane Barrett: in Case 696 in 1866 was sent here by the Chief of Police for admission, she being without friends or means of subsistence.

556. The Children Drybread in Case 546 were taken out of the Institution by their Mother without acquainting Supt. of her intentions. June 26th.

557. Catharine Campbell: in Case 469 died this Morning at half past 6 OClock of Consumption. June 26th.

558. Ellen Dowd: and daughter Bridget recommended for a Nights shelter by Mr. Jarvis Sheriff, Dowd having a pass to leave the town.

559. James Cameron: in Case 608 in 1866, left the place on his own account, must have climbed the fence, as he was not let out by the Porter at the gate. Returned 27th June.

Friday 28th June 1867.

No Committee present.

560. Samuel Wedge: an old Out door Pensioner recommended for an weekly allowance of 4 lbs. Bread.

Tuesday 2nd July 1867.

Present J. Tyner Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Robinson

561. Mary Jane Barrett: in Case 555. The Weekly Committee refer this Case to the General Board.



562. Ann Tooner: an Inmate, See Case 568 in 1866, would like to leave the House with a view of getting into General Hospital. Allowed to do so, but not to come for readmission.

563. William Brown: A Blind Man, has been an Inmate for 7 years, seeks permission to see Dr. Rosebrugh to ascertain if that Gentleman can do anything for his Eyes. Allowed to do so.

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Friday 5th July 1867.

Present, Revd. Mr. Robinson & Mr. J. Tyner.

No Applicants

Tuesday 9th July 1867.

Present. Revd. G. Young & W. J. MacDonell Esqs.

564. James Cameron: in Case 559, again left the place without leave.

565. Henry May: in 357 in 1865, left the Institution with intent of getting admittance into General Hospital.

Friday 12th July 1867.

Present Revd. G. Young & W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

566. Patrick Meehan: 44 years of age. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. 13 years in Canada, working about from place to place, never no settled home, has been blind for the last 7 years, and during that time lived by begging. Was sent to this Institution by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a Vagrant in Toronto. Admitted.

567. William McKay: 30 years of age. Irish. R.C. Tanner by trade, has a bad foot, came last from Chippawa seeking Employment, asks for a few days shelter, to enable him to mend and wash his clothes. allowed to do so.

Tuesday 16th July 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

568. Catharine Keating: Visitor is inclined to believe that Mrs. Keating is now really in that state as well as her husband, that they can do nothing for themselves. under the circumstances therefore, would be disposed to recommend that their bread be continued through the Summer. To have 4 lbs. Bread per Week.

569. Peter O'Grady: 63 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. Came from Port Hope intends going to Niagara where he has a daughter, He is footsore and tired, seeks shelter for a few days, to rest himself.

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Present E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

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Tuesday 23rd July 1867.

Present. B. Homer Dixon Esqr. J. Thom Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Boddy.

570. Mary Norie: aged 71. Irish. R.C. Church. Widow, was formerly an Inmate, seeks admission again for a Month as the people she lived with have gone in the Country for that time. Committee will admit her on Condition that she conduct herself in a proper manner when coming home from Church on Sunday's, having a habit of taking a Drop rather too much.

571. Johanna Jones: in Case 520. Committee recommend that she go and try to go to service, or procure Employment outside to support herself and child being a strong able woman, and Superintendent to pay 25 [cents] at a Register Office where she may perhaps be assisted to a suitable place.

572. Mary Pennicott: 96 Boulton Street. See Case 500. She is in bad health, her children are away from her having been taking into the Boys & Girls Home, Visitor recommends that her allowance of Bread be reduced to 6 lbs. and that she receive an allowance of Groceries, a double portion of Meal & Rice.

Friday 26th July 1867.

Present J. Thom Esqr.

573. William Dalton: Irish. R.C. See Case 509. Applies for readmission. His leg is broke out again, and very offensive. Brought a Note from Mr. Rice Lewis. Allowed to day in Outbuilding until his leg gets better.

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574. Elizabeth Evans: 36 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. says her husband deserted her and is, she knows not where, he often goes on a spree and does little for his family, she has four Children, and is near her confinement, intend's going to Lying in Hospital. Applied for the admission of her two eldest Children, Charlotte aged 12, and Sarah aged 10 years respectively, is willing to have them apprenticed from the Institution. Committee will receive them on those terms.

575. Gerald Flood: 66 Elizabeth Street. Irish. R.C. Church. Married. 45 years of age. 2 Children, Girl 9, and Boy 7 years of age, the wife says she goes out washing occasionally. Husband partly confined to bed through Rheumatism. The Doctor is to report upon the Case before relief can be given.

576. Johanna Jones: in Case 571 left the Institution.

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Present J. Doel Esqr.

577. Ann Simpson: 64 years of age. Spinster. Native of Ireland. Presbyt Church. Palsied, which incapacitates her from doing anything to support herself with. Has been living in, and near Markham, for the last 6 years, being now so completely helpless she came to Toronto with the intention of getting into the "Poor House" was sent by the Police Magistrate for admission, and a Note stating that the Woman had been arrested as a Vagrant. Committee consider she has no claim on the charity, but recommend that she receive shelter until the General Board meets, when he Case is to be brought up again.

578. John Lattimer: an Inmate aged 73, and William Weire also an Inmate aged 81, had some slight quarrel about the using of a pail, when Lattimer struck the Latter with a stick and made his head bleed. Lattimer received a severe reprimand from the Committee, and was told, if he does the like again to be dismissed.

579. A Male Child (Coloured) aged 9 Months was admitted into this Institution on application of Revd. Mrs. Darling, the Mother Rebecca Baker (Coloured) being apparently in the last stage of consumption. Husband deserted them. The Child being rather young for the House, it was sent out to nurse for a time with a Coloured woman name Johnson, at [dollars] 4 per Month.

579 1/2. Patrick Meehan: in Case 566, was sent back to his own Township on 27th as ordered at the last General Meeting of the Board. Procured a free pass to Ingersoll, and gave Meehan 50 Cents to help him on his road.

580. Ellen Laughlan: in Case 545, Recommended for a continuation of her weekly allowance of 8 lbs. Bread.

Friday 2nd August 1867.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

581. Archibald McLean: in Case 906 in 1866, was yesterday sent back to his friends at Sault St. Mary's [Sault Ste. Marie], as ordered by the General Board at their last meeting.

582. Peter Donnally: aged 57. and his Son Thomas aged 8 years, Natives of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Lately from the States. Donnally is seeking Employment, is without means to pay for his night's lodging, asks shelter for himself and boy for a night or so.

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583. Archibald Cowan: 44 years of age. Irish. Presbytarian Church. 9 years in Canada, for the last 14 Months in General Hospital with a sore leg. was sent by the Mayor for admission in House of Industry.

Tuesday. 6th August 1867.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

Friday 9th August 1867.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

584. Peter Donally: 57 years of age, and his Son Thomas aged 8 years, applied for shelter, having come from the States, no money. Donally expects employment in a day or two. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Entered before see Case 582.

585. Elizabeth Mulally: Widow, 47 years of age. 2 Children, Mary Jane 6 years, and Catharine 14 Months old. Canadian R.C. They were brought by the Police for shelter, having been found sitting about the Union Station this day (Sunday) they came from near Detroit and intend going to Montreal if they can procure a pass from the Mayor to morrow.

586. William Madigan: 30. Catharine his wife 29 years of age, and two Children, John aged 8, & Mary aged 5 years. Irish. Roman Catholic church. From London C.W. [Canada West] where they lived 14 years, they are now on their way to Montreal where they have friends, want shelter until to morrow.

587. John Hamilton: 47. Irish. Presbyt Church. Came from Malden Canada West with the intention of getting into General Hospital with a very sore leg, found that the Hospital is closed, is asking shelter in House of Industry for a few days rest and to find means to get back to Malden.

Tuesday 13th August 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. per A. MacNabb P.M. [Police Magistrate]

588. Martha McCormack: in Case 550, left the Institution last Thursday the 8th August.

589. John Hamilton: in Case 587 left the Institution.

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Friday 16th August 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. Per A. MacNabbs Esqr P.M. [Police Magistrate]

590. Jeremiah Brown: Aged 60. English. Presbyterian Church. Last 9 Months in General Hospital with bad Eyes & Rheumatism, discharged from there, Eyesight better, but still bad with Rheumatism. Seeks admission into House of Industry, had a few days shelter in building for casual poor. Lived for some years in York Township. Committee advised that he be sent back & Superintendent to write a Note to his Reeve.

591. Archibald Cowan: in Case 583, to be allowed to remain in the Institution until able to travel.

592. Sophia Shaw: 96 Richmond St. East. To have a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. Bread.

593. May Ann Frein: A Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. She came from Mariposa with the intention of going into Service in Toronto, was in place 5 days when she was taken ill, spent what little she had and is now destitute. Was sent by Dr. Tempest who recommends her admission for a few days. To be admitted temporally. Left to go to her friends August 20th.

593 1/2. Ann Simpson in Case 577, died this day (Sunday) August 18th at 20 Minutes past 10 OClock A.M.

Tuesday 20th August 1867.

No Committee present.

594. Jeremiah Brown: in Case 590 was sent back to his own Municipality as was ordered by Weekly Committee.

595. Henry May: in Case 565, returned from General Hospital. seeks readmission into the House.

596. Daniel Fahey: in Case 494 1/2 had leave to see Dr. Rosebrugh last Monday, it appears he got himself into Gael by being found drunk, this is the second time that he behaved like that.

597. Charles Hewitt: 53 years of age. Native of Sommersetshire, England. Ch of England. 18 years in Canada, 4 years in Toronto, has been in the General Hospital for the last 18 Months with sore legs, he is not cured, but had to leave in consequence of that Institution having closed. was recommended for admission by John Macdonald Esqr. & The Mayor.

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Friday 23rd August. 1867.

No Committee present.

598. Henry Harkins: aged 21 years. Canadian. ChofEngland. Came from Montreal where he had been a patient in the Marine Hospital. Seeks shelter for a day or two, will try to get an order from the Mayor for Hamilton to which place he belongs.

599. Sarah Ranshaw: 43. Widow. English. Chof England. She lived in Hamilton, came to Toronto to get into General Hospital with bad legs. Has a boy in the Boys Home she says, and two Children in Port Credit. She brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her admission.

600. Robert King: 67 years of age. Scotch. Presbyt. Church. was formerly an Inmate, when through his insubordination he was discharged from the Institution. See Case 520 in 1864. King was again admitted by the General Board on 20th August, promising that he will behave himself in future.

Tuesday 27th August 1867.

Present. No Committee.

601. Caroline Sanders: 188 Queen St. west. Her husband now in work. As he was ill for a few days and did not know how long he might be laid up she applied in anticipation of probable want. Does not require aid and now declines with thanks.

602. Harriett Pepper: 399 Adelaide St. west. Ann [an] old Woman living with her daughter and comfortable provided for. The Mother applied without any knowledge on the part of the daughter who

was very indignant at her action and thought the old woman might be content with the same fare as herself.

603. Sarah Burns: living in a lane between Seaton and Bercly [Berkely] Street, whose Case was reported upon before, and who has been getting bread from the House, is now lying in a very wretched state, and were it not for the kindness of a Mrs. Macdonald in whose husband's Regiment Mrs. Burn's late husband was she would almost have been in entire destitution. Visitor thinks her Case a very pitiable one, and would strongly recommend that she should be allowed Tea, Sugar, and Oatmeal in addition to the Bread, until she so far recovers as to be able to do something for herself.

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Friday 30th August 1867.

No Committee present.

604. William Johnson: in Case 497 in 1866, died this Morning at half past 9 O'clock, in the 78[th] year of his age. Debility. Septbr. 1st

605. Julia Brown: 57 Queen St. west, Recommended by Mr. Tyner that she receive a ration of 4 lbs. bread per week until further orders.

606. Charlotte Clements: aged 55. Scotch. ChofEngland. Came from Providence Road Island. U.S. to look for some relations in Toronto, but it appears they have moved away as she cannot find them. Seems a very respectable Woman, now without means. recommended for a few day's lodging by Mrs. Grasett.

607. Catharine Ray: Irish. ChofEngland. And Mary Jane her daughter aged 9 years, from Oswego, looking for work in Toronto. They ask shelter until Monday.

Tuesday 3rd September 1867.

Present Revd. Saltern Givins & Hon. R. Spence.

608. Michael McDonell: has just come out of the Hospital. He is suffering from a double rupture, and is apparently unfit for work. His only relation here is a Mrs. Hefferon, a Widow Woman on George St., who get relief every year herself from the House and is of course unable to do anything for McDonell. Under these circumstances he is anxious to be admitted into the House, and if there is room, his Case is one which The Hon. Mr. Allan thinks deserves consideration. Irish. R.C. Church. Aged 66 years. Admitted for the present, and his Case to be reconsidered by the General Board.



609. Sophia Shaw: Widow. Aged 37. Canadian. Ch of England. Weak Eye sight. Made application for admission, her Case is well known to the Committee. To be admitted with the understanding that she make herself General useful, to be obedient, and conform to the rules of the House, and if not to be dismissed.

610. Janett Muir: in Case 517 left the Institution on her own accord, she is going to live with a Son of hers who lives on Louisa St.

611. Elisa Lothian: aged 22. Scotch. Presbyt. Church. Not Married, has a Child, a Boy 16 Months old. She came from Cobourg where she lived with a Sister, came to Toronto with a view of placing her Child in some charitable Institution, was brought here by the Police for shelter. The Magistrate will see what can be done to morrow.

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Friday 6th September 1867.

Present Revd. Saltern Givins.

612. Elizabeth Dempsey: Widow of the late County Crown Attorney. Aged 47 years. Canadian, born in Toronto. She is paralysed on the left side. No means of support, is desirous of becoming an Inmate in House of Industry. Revd. Mr. Givins wrote her a Note to some Ladies in whose parish they had been living, to see whether they could collect enough to get her a room and a little furniture and the House would perhaps ^give^ the usual allowance. ChofEngl.

613. Patrick Ryan: in Case 740 in 1866, left the Institution on his own accord, and without leave. Septbr. 7th.

Tuesday 10th September 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Topp, & S. Rogers Esqr.

614. Robert Evans: 58 years of age. Irish. Ch of England. Carpenter by trade, was formerly an Inmate, see Case 499. Made application for readmission, Recommended by the Mayor. Admitted.

615. Ann M. Edwards: 18 Elizabeth St. Coloured. ChofEngland. Married. 42 years of age, one daughter aged 10 years. Came from Boston U. [United] States a Month ago, husband a Barber by trade, appears in very bad health not able to work. Wife a Laundress, apparently a clean industrious Woman. Visitor thinks they should have temporary relief as strangers, say 6 lbs. bread per Week for a Month, which wold give the Wife time to find work for the support of her family.

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616. Elizabeth Dempsy: a Mrs. Robinson will she thinks give her a room, she is to apply to the House when settled and the Committee will grant the usual allowance.

617. Basil Wood: aged 47 years, originally from London, England. Chof England. has been 8 Months in Toronto. Ulcerated sores about the legs and body. Brought a note from the Mayors Office, recommending his admission.

618. William Mitchell: 72. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. The County Council of Oneida Township, sent him to Toronto, it appears with a view of getting the old Man of [off] their hands, he has been a Schoolmaster, and was acting as such in Oneida and it's vicinity for many years, his board was paid for him in Toronto by his Township for a few weeks, and then neglected altogether. The Mayor sent him to House of Industry to see whether he could be admitted here.

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Friday 13th Septbr 1867.

Present. Mr. Samuel Rogers

619. William Mitchell: in Case 618, his Case referred to the General Board.

620. Basil Woods: Case referred to the Doctor, and if a proper Case he is to be admitted.

621. Sarah Ranshaw: in Case 599, who was sent yesterday by the Police Magistrate for admission will be allowed to remain in Building for casual poor until she is perfectly sober, and then to be sent about her business, as she has no claim in Toronto.

Tuesday 17th September 1867.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay & I. Shea Esqr.

622. Sophia Shaw: in Case 609, left the Institution on her own account.

623. John James Baker: Coloured. Aged 11 Months died this 17th Sept. out at Wet Nurse with Ann Johnson. Diarrea [diarrhea]. See Case 579.

Friday 20th Septbr 1867.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay. & Thos. Storm Esqr.

No Applicants

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Tuesday 24th September 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr for E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

624. Margaret Killally: 53 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. Wife of Thomas, who was formerly an Inmate in this Institution, but now in "House of Providence." Mrs. Killally has been in Service, but on account of a very bad leg not able to work just now, seeks shelter for a few days until she gets better.

Friday 26th Septbr 1867.

Present Revd. E. Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr. For E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

625. Mary Ryan; A Letter was read [read], from Mr. A. L. Lehman of the Township of Morrisison, complaining of the Child Mary Ryan who is at present on trial with him previous of being apprenticed. The Committee consider it best for the Child to be returned to the Institution. Supt. to write to Mr. Lehman to that effect.

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626. Edward Allan: 16 years of age. Native of Essex, England. ChofEngl. 14 Months in Canada. No friends out here. Was for the last 3 Months with John B. Mathers Grocer on Yonge St. Allan is now in bad health, apparently in a decline. Mr. Mather made application for his admission, referred to Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted. admitted.

627. Sarah Skelton: Colored. 20 years of age. Say's her Birthplace is Simcoe, came to Toronto last fall with a Sister. Has sore Eyes. Was sent here by the Police Magistrate, having been arrested as a vagrant in the City.

628. Fanny Walls: and Child recommended for shelter until Monday.

Tuesday 1st Octbr 1867.

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

629. Sarah Skelton's Case referred to the Doctor.

Friday 4th Octbr. 1867

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

630. Samuel Craig: in Case 540, was discharged from General Hospital, seeks readmission into this Institution.

Tuesday 8th October 1867

Present J. Doel Esqr. for Revd. Mr. Young. & W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

631. John McMillan: 30 years of age. Native of Ireland. Ch. of England. has been 6 Months in Canada. Came to Toronto 2 days ago, looking for Employment. Is bad with the Bowell complaint, as he has no money or friends out here, he seeks admission for a few days until he gets better.

Friday 11th October 1867.

Present W.J. McDonell Esqr.

632. Ann Tooner: See her Case in 1866 no. 586. She left the Institution on her own account.

634. George Mack: say 8 years of age, was sent here by Mr. MacNabb P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested as a Vagrant. The Boy says, his father is dead, and his Mother in Penitentiary for stealing clothing. ChofEngl. Seems to be rather simple. Admitted.

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635. Susan Cosgrove: 21 years of age. Native of Detroit. Came to Canada with her family last August, the husband has since died, It appears that she made application to Dr. Smith (who superintends the Poor House at Lewiston) for assistance, Dr. Smith instead of sending her and family back to Detroit where they have a claim, sent them on to Toronto, and told Mrs. Cosgrove that her Children would be received in Toronto Poor House and herself could go to Service. Has two Children, Joseph 3 years of age, and Sarah Jane 9 Months old, also a Sister aged 13 years. Allowed Shelter in Outbuilding until Monday.

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Tuesday 15th October 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

636. William Dunn: in Case 542, had to leave the General Hospital on account of it's closing, made application for readmission into this Institution, he is one of four patient's recommended by our Doctor for admission. Admitted.

637. William Baker: 72 years of age. Irish. Ch of England. 14 years in Canada came lately from Amherstburg where he lived for some time with a Cousin, appears to have had no settled length of time at one place. To be admitted. Left on his own account Octbr. 17th.

Friday 18th October 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

638. Richard Hoare: 66 years of age. English. Ch of Engl. Resident in Toronto for many years, has been lately discharged from General Hospital. in feeble health. No means of supporting himself. Wants a home. To be admitted.

639. Alexander Howard: Coloured. 55 years of age. Native of U. [United] States. Methodist Church. 6 years in Toronto. For the last 14 Months in General Hospital. Blind, seeks admission. Admitted.

640. Benjamin Boosey: aged 33 years. Native of London England. Ch of Eng. Machinist by trade. 3 years in this Country. 10 Weeks in General Hospital with bad Eyes, had to leave that Institution on account of it's closing. No Means. seeks admission. Admitted.

641. Archibald Cowan: in Case 591, to leave the House, and apply to his own Municipality. Left on 21st.

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642. Elizabeth Hunter: 21 years of age. English. Baptist Church. was an Inmate in Magdalen Asylum, from there sent to Gael as a Lunatic Came out of Gael on Monday, was arrested by the Police, and sent here by the Police Magistrate for admission as a vagrant. The Committee advise that she be examined by the Doctor to ascertain whether she is a proper Case for this Institution. Doctor say's more idiot than Lunatic. admitted.

643. Hannah Moodie: in Case 366, Left the Institution, is gone to live with some friends in the Country. Octbr. 19th.

644. Edward Allan: in Case 626 left the House on his own account having now quite recovered from his illness.

Tuesday 22nd October 1867.

Present, B. Homer Dixon Esqr. Revd. Mrs. Boddy & J. Thom Esqr.

646. ^See Case 512^ David Brady: an old Commuted Pensioner, who has been living for many years in this Township of York, was picked up by the Police in Toronto, and arrested as a Vagrant, sent to this Institution by the Police Magistrate for admission. The Committee referred his Case to the Reeve of his own Township, as he has no claim on this Institution.

646. David Livingston in Case 588 in 1864. Left the Institution, to live with one of his Sons.

647. Michael McDonnell: in Case 608. Left the House on his own account will take up his abode with a Niece of his.

Friday 25th October 1867.

No committee present.

648. Elizabeth Gibson: No. 420 Queen St. west. Recommended for the usual allowance of Bread. 6 lbs. per Week. See 541.

649. Mary Jane Turner: Coloured. in Case 538. gone as Nurse Girl to Mrs. Brett No. 110 Queen St. East. Approved by Committee Octbr. 29th

Tuesday 29th October 1867.

Present Revd. Mrs. Dewart & J. Doel Esqr.

650. Mary Norie: in Case 570, asked leave to go to Church on last Sunday Morning, she has not returned since.

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651. Basil Woods: in Case 620 had leave to go out on Monday last. appears he got helplessly drunk, was picked up by the Police and taken to the station House.

652. Elisa Gardner: 37 years of age. Say's has been a Widow these 4 years. Irish. Ch of Engl. one Child a Girl 6 years of age, in "Girls Home". Mrs. Gardner says she can not work at present on account of Rheumatism, seeks shelter for a few days. Dr. Ogden to examine her Case Doctor is suspicious her being pregnant, but as she strongly objects being examined, he can not say for certain whether she is or not.

653. James Pyden: 48 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Crippled in the legs through a spine disease. 27 years in Toronto. No friends to provide for him. Wife died last Winter. Would like to be admitted for a time. Dr. Ogden to examine, Doctor says there is nothing about Pyden preventing his becoming an Inmate.

654. Williame Weire: (In Case 324 in 1858) died this day Octbr. 30th at half past Eight OClock P.M. Aged 82 years.

Friday 1st November 1867.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

655. Mary Jane Turner: in Case 649, was returned to the House, was not able to be of much assistance on account of being so very young.

656. Joseph Heroux: 26 years of age. Canadian. Presbyterian Church. In Consumption. Was in the General Hospital until it's closing up, No friends in Toronto. Not able to work. Strongly recommended by Dr. Jennings as a proper Case for admission.

657. John Power: 28 years of age. Nova Scotian. Roman Catholic Church. Sailor. Has been sailing for the last Month in Toronto Vessels. Was wrecked last Sunday night off the Light House in the Schooner Admiral. The Man is sadly bruised about the face, hands, and body (which he received after the Vessel broke up) amongst the Lumber with which she had been laden. Lost all his Clothes, and having no means to pay his board, he was advised to come to this Institution. A few days will most likely bring him round again. Novbr. 5th

657 1/2. Michael McDonell: in Case 647, seeks readmission. Brought a Note from the Mayor.

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Tuesday 5th November 1867.

No Committee present.

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658. Margaret Taylor: Aged 65 years. Spinster. Presbyterian Church. Native of County Down, Ireland. Came to Toronto when the Prince of Wales did. Feeble and helpless on account of paralysis. No friends to support her. Seeks admission, brought a recommend from Mrs. Grasett. Admitted by Mr. Hobson & Mr. Tyner.

659. Harriet Maria Barker; Widow. Aged 44. Born in England. came with her parents to Canada when only a Child. Lived at Port Perry for some years. Came lately to Thornhill to see her father and some brothers, but on arriving there found that her father has been dead for some time, and her Brothers gone to the States. She is looking for Service now, would like to be sheltered in the House (having no Money) until she gets a place, which she will soon get, being apparently a very respectable woman. Gone to place Novbr. 8th

Friday 8th November 1867

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & J. Tyner Esqr.

660. Margaret Sturgess: 35 years of age. Canadian. ChofEngl. Deserted by her husband, who is a Coloured Man, and lives with another White woman, in Yorkville. Margaret Sturgess has made a complete wreck of herself through Vice and intemperance. She is now partially paralysed. Seeks admission. To see Doctor, and if nothing affectious about her to be then admitted.

661. Mary Norie: in Case 650. Made application for readmission. The old Woman when an Inmate before, used to have leave to go out to Church whenever she asked for it, but invariably used to come home more or less intoxicated, the Committee will therefore admit her this time on condition that she have no more leave to go out.

662. Joseph Heroux: in Case 656. Cannot be admitted, Not belonging to Toronto he has no claim on this Charity.

663. James Cameron: in Case 564 in 1866 died this morning at 1 O'clock A.M. at the age of 61 years. Softning of the brain. Novbr. 11th.

664. William Johnson: aged about 6 years. See his Case of admission 651 in 1865. Johnson is gone on trial with Thomas Richardson of Markham, if he suits, will be apprenticed.

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Tuesday 12th November 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & Robert Wilkes Esqr.

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665. Elisa Gardner: in Case 652, to see the Doctor again, and if, on his report she is a suitable Case for admission, to be then admitted.

665 1/2. Elizabeth Gradwell: recommended to have 4 lbs. Bread per Week. Widow. Aged 44. English. Ch of Engl.

Friday 15th November 1867.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

666. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 612, is the widow of the late Mr. John Dempsey and not the County Crown Attorney's as stated. Seeks admission into the Institution, having no friends to provide for her. Admitted.

667. John Thomas: 67 years of age. Native of Devenport. West of England. Ch of England. 43 years in Canada, most of the time in Toronto. Badly ruptured. Sail Maker by trade. Seeks admission as he has no means and no friends to provide for him. Admitted.

668. Matilda Bagley: 207 1/2 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. Aged 40. 6 Children, boy 13, girl 12, boy 10, boy 7, boy 5, & girl 3 years of age. Recommended for 12 lbs. Bread per Week.

Tuesday 19th November 1867.

Present. Revd. Dean Grasett.

669. Caroline Sanders: No. 5 Grogg Lane. 36 years of age. Married. Husband sick in bed, ailing for a very considerable time. Has five Children, all girls, ranging between 7 Months and 12 years. The eldest is learning the trade of Chair making but earns nothing. The Wife is tied down by the small family so that she can ^do but little^ to earn anything. Apparently respectable and deserving people. English. Baptist denomination. Recommended for bread and groceries. To have 8 lbs. Bread per Week, & rations.

670. John Havlind: 72 years of age. English. Ch of Engl. 11 years in Canada. Carpenter by trade, worked 5 years for Mr. Robinson who has a Match factory near the Don Bridge. Havlind has been paralysed since last May, and was from that time in General Hospital until it's closing. Says has no friends, and no means to support himself, is anxious to become an Inmate in House of Industry.

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No Committee present.

671. Mary Ann Anderson: Widow aged 36. Irish. Presbyterian. Is an industrious respectable woman. Very poor and not able comfortably to support her Children, of whom she has four, two boys aged 5 & 3, and two girls 10 & 7 years. Recommended for bread, also a grate for her Stove as a few friends purpose getting her a little Coal. Lives at 58 Ontario St. west. 6 lbs. Bread per Week for the present.

672. John McDonnell: 55 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Came from the Lower Province, to look for Employment in Toronto. Not in very good health just now, seeks a few days shelter to recruit himself.

Tuesday 26th November 1867.

No Committee present.

673. Mary Jane Corrigan: 46 James St. East. Widow. Chof England. 3 Children. Girl 12. Boy 6. Girl 3 years of age, the eldest recovering from a mild attack of small pox. Allowed 6 lbs. Bread for the present.

674. John Havlind: in Case 670, was admitted into the Institution by Mr. Hobson.

675. Jane Ames: in Case 416. Recommended for a double ration of Tea, Sugar, & Rice, and a Box of Coal 300 lbs., on account of sickness in the family.

676. Sarah Lake: aged 26 years. Methodist Church. Says her husband died in July last. She was born in Madoc and lived there until about 5 Weeks since, when she came to Toronto to look for a Sister, but on arriving her the Sister had gone to the States. Mrs. Lake say's, she left one Child at Madoc, and has one with her, a boy 2 years old, and expects to be confined again in about 2 Months, lived in lodgings for two weeks, and was 3 weeks in the "Boys Home" doing sewing, could not be kept any longer, was brought there by Mrs. Grasett, to have her Case brought before the Weekly Committee.

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Present J. Tyner Esqr.

677. Jane Mullen: 65 James St. 30 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. 2 Children. Girl 5, and girl 3 years old. Husband in bad health. Recommended by Mr. Wilkes. Committee will allow 6 lbs. Bread per week for the present.

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678. Robert Hoare: in Case 638. left the Institution yesterday morning to live with his Sister in Law. The old Man is very ill and cannot live long, his Wife made application this morning for firing. Committee will allow a quarter Cord of Wood, Bread and some Tea & Sugar, being a Special Case.

679. Mary Jane Corrigan: in Case 673. to have 8 lbs. bread weekly on account of illness of her two youngest Children.

680. Johanna Johnson, 5 Months in Toronto, from Port Sarnia. A widow with 3 Children. Recommended for relief by Mrs. R. Wilkes. To have a loaf for the present.

681. William Bell: in Case 605 in 1864, Left the Institution last October on his own account.

682. Mary Jane Barrett: in Case 561. Was sent to Gael for one Month, for braking [breaking] Window panes in Building for casual poor, and General bad behaviour. Monday Debr. 2nd.

Tuesday 3rd. December 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Givins

683. Joseph Smallwood: 219 Sayer St. Coloured. Baptist Church. Married. 45 years of age. Had a paralytic stroke 7 weeks ago. Unable to work. 4 Children. boy 10, boy 6, boy 2, and girl 4 years of age. Wife in bad state of health, said to be the dropsey, quite unable to do the work of her own house. before sickness befell them they were steady industrious people. To have a Box of Coal (300 lbs.) 8 lbs. bread per Week, & single rations of Sugar, Tea &etc. Doctor to report on her Case. Doctor says Mrs. Smallwood has not the dropsey, does think there is not much the matter but Constipation and a little debility.

684. William Mitchell: in Case 619, died this day at half past Seven OClock P.M. Debility. Aged 72 years. It was ordered by the General Board in September that he should be sent back to Onida [Oneida] where he came from, but the Man being ill at the time, and the nearest place to his home he could be sent to by Railroad being Hamilton, 20 Miles away from Onida [Oneida], the resolution of the Board could not be carried out.

685. Sarah Lake: in Case 676. was brought before the Committee, Revd. Mr. Givins being the only one present, would rather let the Case stand over until next Friday, when some of the Gentlemen may be present to assist.

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Friday 6th December 1867.

Present, Revd. Saltern Givins.

686. William Cordingly: say's, was born in 1762, at the age of 44 Sergeant of Marines, in the Revenge at the Battle of Trafalgar in 1805. Hardy Hale old Man looks about 75. Native of England. Chof England. Is anxious to become an Inmate of this Institution. Has a pension of lbs. 18 Sterling a year, which he is willing to pay to the Institution with the exception of about [dollars] 8 which he owes to some people at Yorkville, was recommended by the Revd. Mr. Givins who has known him for some time. To be admitted. Left again on the 6th January.

687. Sarah Lake: in Case 685, Mr. Givins being again alone on the Committee does not like to decide on the Case, but would refer it to the next weekly Committee, in the mean time he (Mr. Givins) would recommend that Mrs. Lake be sent back to Madoc as she has no claim on this Charity.

Tuesday 10th December 1867

Present Revd. Mr. Topp & S. Rogers. Esq.

688. Mary Ann Blackmore: and Child a Girl 2 years old, were sent here by the Police Magistrate, she being in a destitute condition, she is one of 3 other's who were considered improper Cases for admission by the General Board in December 1866. She is now lame, says it is inflammatory Rheumatism. To see the Doctor, and her Case to be brought again before the Board on Friday. To have shelter in building for casual poor until then.

689. Sarah Lake: in Case 687. Committee are of opinion that she has no claim. Mr. Rogers will make enquiries by next Friday of the St. Georges Society whether she can be sent back by them, as her Parents are English.

Friday 13th December 1867.

Present Revd. Mr. Topp & S. Rogers Esqr.

690. Sarah Lake: in Case 687 her Case to be referred to General Board.

691. Mary Coleman: a Widow, lived in Toronto for 15 years. says her husband was killed by the fall of a Tree, 3 weeks before her ~~eldest~~ youngest Child was born, a boy now 6 years of age, she has two more

boys, aged 10 & 12 years. Would like to have the eldest boy taking [taken] care of for the Winter, but not apprenticed out. brought a Note from Revd. Dr. Fuller. Was to [too] late for Committee.

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692. Mary Ann Fitzgibbon: rere of 224 Sayer St. English. Ch of England. 30 years of age. Has been living with a Coloured Man, a White washer, Named Duckett who now lives in the States but comes to Toronto during Summer Months to do White washing. She has two Children, (Coloured) a boy 10 & a boy 4 years of age. She is at present in a bad state of health, has had inflammation in her bowells. To have one single ration of Groceries, 4 lbs. Bread per Week for a Month & Coal once, when Visitor will call again.

693. Ellen Cradicott: ) 44 Louisa St.

694. Charlotte McCan: ) 22 Elizabeth St. &

695. Richard Ballard: ) rere of 44 Louisa St. Visitor will report upon those Cases after New Year.

Tuesday 17th December 1867.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay, Messrs. Thos. Storm & J. Shea.

696. Susan Spence: 139 Lumley St. Widow aged 29. Canadian. Has 2 Children, a girl 5 and a boy 3. Lives by knitting and sewing. Has a cold uncomfortable house. Is apparently respectable. Chof England. Coal & Bread recommended.

697. Margaret Wells: No. 5 Renfrew St. Not at home when Visitor called. Is a widow aged and infirm. One Girl 14 years old, delicate and earning a dollar and a quarter a week. Takes a room from a Mrs. Mack. No Stove. Lives by alms from a Number of Ladies and others. An Irish. R C. To have bread

698. Mary Stuart: 28 Dummer St. Is a Widow about 67 years of age, by her own account 97. Born in Troy N.Y. State. No Children. Lives by her Needle but the Cold Weather is against her working, and the house is rather uncomfortable. R.C. Church. (See next Case)

699. Mary Nolan: lives with above, the House being taken between them. Knits for a living, cant sew. In fine weather carries a basket. No Children. A Widow aged 57. Irish. R.C. Coal recommended between these two, and Bread to each.

700. Jane Kingham: 280 Queen St. west. Widow aged 65. Irish. Ch of Engl. Recommended that Coal be sent as in previous years.

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701. Johanna Conners: Widow 72. lives with Mary O'Brien, rere of 32 Dummer St. Rheumatic and therefore finds it hard to get on, Irish. R.C. Only Bread recommended.

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702. Mary O'Brien: rear of 32 Dummer St. Her Husband who was a Carter has been taking [taken] to the Asylum, but there are hopes of his recovery. Has 5 Children, 1 boy 6 years, 4 Girls, 11, 5, 2, and a baby. Dirty, uncomfortable house, works as far as possible to support her family. Visitor told her she must make some arrangement to live upon her horse & Cart by letting it out. Irish. R.C. Coal twice & bread.

703. Edward Irvin: 180 Lumley St. is a discharged patient from General Hospital where he had both legs amputated, Is now awaiting a further operation in a miserable cold house. His Wife old & dissipated & cant support him. Recommended for Coal and bread, also a Grate for Stove No. 2. and a regular allowance of Tea & Sugar &etc until further Notice.

704. Thomas Evitt: and Wife lives with above, has been paralysed since last December. Recommended for Coal in addition, to bread and Groceries they are receiving now.

705. Bridget Wheeler: rear of 32 Dummer St. Not at home when Visitor called A Widow with 2 Children, a boy 3, and a Girl 9 years of age. Takes Lodgings. Has no furniture. Gets washing & char-work. Irish. R.C. Recommended only for bread.

706. Mary Armstrong: 432 Queen St. west. a respectable old widow aged 60. Her husband was a pensioner, and she has now a Dollar and a half a Month, from the Military authorities which pays her rent for a neat tidy little room that she has got. No Children. Irish. Ch of England. To have Coal, as her work will easily supply bread.

707. Bridget McGuire: 87 Richmond St. East. 38 years old. Says husband is dead. Has 3 Children, Andrew 9, William 5, Mary Jane 14 Months, Irish. R.C. It appears she came lately from the Country. To have 6 lbs. bread per week, and no Coal.

708. James McCabe: 90 Victoria St. 75 years old. Wife 71. Irish. Chof England. Not able to work, and no friends. To have Coals, & 4 lbs. bread per week.

709. Bridget Kelly: 88 Victoria St. Aged 40. 3 Children, Mary Ann 10. Cathr. 7. and Margaret 4 years. Irish. R.C. Living by washing. Coals & 4 lbs. Bread per Week.

710. Elizabeth Balsam: 20 Victoria St. Widow aged 32. English. Chof England 3 Children, Sarah 10. Elizabeth 5. Emma 3 years old. Works at the tailoring. No friends. Coals, and 6 lbs. Bread per week.

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711. Mary McLean: Lane back of Baptist Church, Victoria & Bond St. Aged 71. Native of Ireland. Ch of Engl. Not able to work, & no friend to assist her. To have Coal, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

712. Bridget Hart: 44 Stanley St. 50 years old. Husband 65. Irish. R.C. Church. 4 Children, Thomas 16. John 10. Henry 8. and Joseph 6 years of age. Mrs. Hart does some washing. Recommended for Coal, & 6 lbs. Bread per week.

713. Julia Malone: 44 Stanley St. Not at home.

714. Mary Norie: 81 Stanley St. 75 years of age. Not able to work. No friends. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for Coals, and 4 lbs. Bread per week.

715. Mary Anderson: foot of Church St. opposite John Boyd & Co.'s This House is being pulled down. Visitor did not enquire particulars of case, but told Mrs. A. that she must get other Lodgings before anything could be done for her, Her daughter, living with her, bears a doubtful character among the neighbours.

716. Isabella McAdams: 27 1 /2 South Park St. See previous reports. Recommended for last Winters allowance.

717. Mary Pollard: 268 Queen St. west. Widow. Age 68. Chof Engl. Has one little Granddaughter. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per Week, and Coal 3 times for the season.

Keeps her place nice and tidy. Not to Commence till the first week in January 1868.

718. Elizabeth McCauley: 19 Emily St. Widow. Age 67. R.C. Lives with her daughter who was a widow with one Child, but is now married to a Soldier, who was there at the time Visitor called. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread weekly, and Coal twice during the Season, if Superintendent Knows nothing against her Character. Not to begin till first week in January.

719. Mary Madigan: 141 1 /2 Adelaide St. west. Widow aged 61. R.C. Irish. Has tender Eyes which prevent her from working or doing much. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per Week, and Coal twice for the season. She lives with another person, but not one of our pensioners, and uses the same Stove. To commence the first week in January.

720. Mary Gillon: 5 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 44. Irish. ChofEngl. Has two Girls, one 12, the other 8. The girl of 12 is in poor health. Receives 6 lbs. Bread per week. To have Coal 3 times. To Commence as soon as they begin to distribute to the poor.

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721. Mary Parrott: rere of 46 Alice St. to have her usual allowance of 1200 lbs. Coal sent all at one time.

722. Nancy Steadvent: 40. Irish. R.C. Widow. from Port Hope. Came to Toronto looking for a place. Seeks shelter for a few days to enable her to wash and clean up a bit.

723. Ann Sawtell: 37 Nassau St. Old infirm Widow. Aged 76. English. ChofEngl. Recommended in addition to her bread, for her usual allowance of Bread Coal.

724. Four Boys Named "Gillispie" [Gillespie] were brought here by the Police, to be cared for until sent for by the Police Magistrate who will endeavour to place them somewhere. The two eldest ran away the same Eveing [evening], the other two the next Evening by climbing the fence. The father a Tailor by trade, and a Pensioner lives on Boulton St.

725. Sarah Lake: in Case 690, Sent her to Bellville [Belleville] as ordered by General Board. procured a pass for half fare from the Mayor, Institution paid the rest.

726. Mary Coleman: in Case 691. The Boy can not be taken into the House on the Mothers terms, but may remain until next Tuesday, when by that time she will be enabled to get a place for him.

727. Amelia Partridge: 176 Spadina Avenue. Visitor hopes that this Woman who is very painfully circumstanced in consequence of a dissipated husband, may receive from the house temporary relief in the shape of Coal and bread, She is miserably badly off and is no [now] seperated from her husband.

728. Mary Percival: No. 5 Gerrard St. Widow aged 75. Irish. R.C. One daughter aged 30 in bad health, at home with her. Is in receipt of a weekly allowance of bread, recommended to have Coal 3 times during the Winter season.

729. Jane Ames: No. 51 Elm St. Widow with 6 Children, receives bread to have Coal also.

730. Isabella Philips: Widow. Blind. Lives at No. 55 Elm St. receives bread, to have Coal likewise.

731. Elizabeth Reid: rere of 154 Centre St. 4 Children. Receives bread, to have Coal on account of her husband who is in bad health.

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Friday 20th December 1867.

Present Revd. Dr. Barclay. Messrs. John Shea & E. Hobson.

732. Mary Ann Caulfield: 98 Portland St. Husband partially blind & feeble, was employed 3 or 4 Weeks during the Summer but his infirmity prevented his securing constant employment. 4 Children at home, aged 14, 11, 7, 5. eldest is blind. Recommended Coal & Bread.

733. Ann Wallace: No. 100 Portland St. Irish. in Toronto about 4 years. Husband in Quebec, seperated about 2 years, gets no help from him. 2 Children, a very sore hand disables her from work. Recommended Coal and bread for 6 weeks.

734. Ellen Stephens: No. 86 Ann St. Visitor considers her unworthy of assistance.

735. Mary Rutherford: rere 35 Queen St. East. 56 years of age. Quite feeble. Irish. Member of Ch of England. Recommended for Coal twice and an allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week.

736. Bridget Mularky: No. 70 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. Works in a Tobacco factory. Suffers from a very sore finger, which however does not prevent her from working. Irish. R.C. Recomd. Coal once, & 4 lbs. bread.

737. Julia Malone: in Case 713. No. 44 Stanley St. 44 years of age. 3 Children, John 14, Joseph 12, James 9, Joseph earns one dollar per week. Husband abandoned her. Scrubs and washes for a living. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended Coal twice, & 4 lbs. Bread per week.

738. Clarinda Warren: Widow. (Coloured) aged 50. A sober industrious Woman, washes for a living, takes a room from a Mrs. Churchwell, House very uncomfortable being a mere shell & in bad repair, Has two Girls 10, & 7, the latter being a foundling for whom she receives nothing. Recommended for Coal & Bread. Lives on College Street 3 doors East of St. Stephens Church.

739. William Kearney: 22 Grogg Lane off William St. Aged nearly 80 years. Lives with his Son who is able to work, and in employment, wants anything he can get, but is recommended only for a little bread. Irish. R.C. Church.

740. Mary Hickling: North of St. Stephens Church, Receives bread from the House recommended for Coal also.

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741. Margaret Hickie: Widow aged 23. (15 Renfrew St.) Husband dead only 5 Weeks. Has 2 Boys, 3 years and 15 Months respectively. Has a clean and tidy little tenement. Sews for a living, not being able to go out to work. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for Coal and bread.

742. Margaret Sheridan: 42 Dummer St. A Widow aged 46. Not very strong and therefore not able to work out as much as heretofore. Has 3 Children at home a boy 17 who supports himself, earning 1 /2 a

Dollar a day generally, and two Girls 8 & 6. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Case recommended to the favourable consideration of the Committee.

743. William Merritt: Borden St. Immediately North of Mr. Barbers, College St. An infirm old Man. Wife also infirm. Visitor recommends that Coal be sent to him the same as last year.

744. Patrick Mulrade: Aged 25. Irish. R.C. Church. Belonged formerly to the 16th Regiment. Had his two big toes frozen lately, driving the Street-Carr's [streetcars] Not able to work on account of it. Seeks shelter for a while.

Tuesday 24th Dcbr 1867.

Present Revd. E. Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr.

745. Ann Downs: rere 82 Dummer St. Aged 35. Husband a labourer, but sickly. She is a hard working woman but rheumatic. Has 6 Children. Two boys 12 & 3, and 4 Girls, 11, 10, 6, & 2. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal & bread.

746. Sarah Gilmore: A Widow 51 years old. No. 3 Elizabeth St. Denisons [Dennison's] Avenue. Has 4 Children, 3 boys 12, 7, & 5, and a girl 15 who is learning a trade. Very poor and in a wretched house. Is a charwomen, but suffers from rheumatic pains, and so prevented from much hard work. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread.

747. Jane Pollard: rere of 60 Denisons Avenue. She and her husband live with his brother who appears to be comfortable off. Mrs. Pollard knits and has good Employment, her husband (aged) is a labourer but has not been well for the last 3 Months. To have bread and Coal for a Month.

748. Catharine McNulty: 27 1/2 Renfrew St. Not at home when Visitor called. a Widow who (a friend says) is willing but not very able to work, owing to a sore leg. Has a girl 13, and a boy 11. A neat and clean house. Nova Scotian. R.C. Left to Committee.

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749. Mary Curran: rere 36 Charles St. out when Visitor called. A Widow about 45. Subject to fits and being in delicate health is unable to work hard. Has two Girls 9 & 7. Lodges with a family who are apparently very respectable. No furniture of her own. Bread allowed.

750. Mary Finnigan: next door to above. Also out when Visitor called, was told she is poor and deserving. Is a widow woman with two Children, a boy 4 and a girl 1. Case left to the Committee to decide when she appears before them.

751. Mary Sullivan: 35 Esther St. an old Case. Husband away for 2 years. Still lives in a miserable dirty House, which is to be removed next week, on which account as well as because she has a pretty fair stock of wood in one of her rooms Coal is not allowed at present. Bread for herself and Children 6 in Number is recommended.

752. Ann Flood: rere of 43 Esther St. A Widow about 50 years of age. Has an apartment from a family who occupy a miserable filthy house. Cares for a daughter who is deserted by her husband, and is very ill, being quite unable to help herself. Latter has a boy 7 years old. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread with an allowance of Tea &ct. for the sick daughter.

753. Catharine Burns: 20 Renfrew St. an old woman still suffering from the effect's of fever; her husband is an old man and asthmatic. They have a good stock of pigs &ct. which occupy one apartment of the House. A daughter lives with them 16 years of age who is a disreputable character and has a young friend of the same description who Keeps her countenance in the house. The place has a very bad name, requiring frequently the intervention of the Police.

754. Hannah Ellis: a Widow 53, infirm, lives with the above people. She might have a little bread, but Visitor will not undertake the responsibility of recommending anything.

755. Susan Benns: 13 Maria St. A very respectable old Widow, Aged 70. Has a couple of rooms up stairs: unable to work owing to age and a broken arm. Her daughter who helped her died this summer. English. Chof England. To have bread and Coal.

756. Sarah Moore: 19 Maria St. A respectable widow woman, whose Case was reported last year. Still badly off, and deserving of help. To have Coal and bread.

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757. Precilla Ann Cook: 49 Maple Lane. Not at home when visitor called. A Widow with one boy 11 years of age. Takes a couple of rooms up stairs from a friend, apparently comfortable. A Charwoman, but suffers from Rheumatism. Usual help recommended.

758. Elizabeth Sibbitt: 3 Renfrew St. A Widow 39 years old. Has four Children 1 boy 5. 3 Girls, 15, 9, and 12. The eldest has the trade of Vest making, and helps to pay the rent. Mother very industrious, sewing or working out as she can get employment. House poor and uncomfortable looking. Irish. Ch of England. Bread and Coal allowed.

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759. Margaret Slattery: 52 Dummer St. A Widow aged 39. Lives with a family named Hull. Has 2 Children, a girl 9 years, and a baby 15 Months. Husband Killed nearly 2 Months ago. Cannot work, she says, owing to a broken wrist. Well spoken of by Hull and his Wife, Irish. R.C. Case left to the Committee, but recommended for bread. Committee refer Case to Doctor. Doctor examined, and states that Mrs. Slattery appears to have had a fractured wrist, but is apparently well now, the motions of the joint are perfect. It may be a little weak, but there is no other defect.

760. ^see 560^ Samuel Wedge: 52 Dummer St. Lives in above family. Aged 83. Wife 67. both unable to work. English. Ch of England. Recommended for bread.

761. Ellen Clune: a Widow apparently very respectable. Aged 40. Has 3 Children, A girl who works at Messrs. Jacques & Hay's aged 13. and two boys 8 & 6. Washes for a living, does pretty well in Summer but badly in Winter. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread and Coal. Lives at what is marked 62 Grogg Lane.

762. Mary Grace: next to above marked 31 Grogg Lane. Deserted by her husband 3 years ago. 45 years old. No Children. Cold uncomfortable House. Industrious & respectable apparently. Irish. R.C. Coal and bread.

763 Mary Ann Ryan: 60 Dummer St. Coloured. A respectable Widow whose Case was fully reported last year. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

764. Margaret Douglass: rere of 60 Dummer St. Kept bad Girls all summer. has a Child but rumour says no husband. Not recommended.

765. Margaret Gartland: 86 Dummer St. Case same as last year, has received help for some years. Left to Committee. To see Doctor.

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766. Celia Edmunds: No. 21 Queen St. East, 66 years of age. Husband 72 years. R.C. Irish. Recommended 8 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

767. Ann Wilson: rere 21 Queen St. East. 60 years of age. one Child Jeremiah 9 years old. Ch of England. Irish. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

768. Margaret Gale: 21 Queen St. East. 74 years old. Chof England. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

769. Catharine White: 23 Queen St. East. 63 years of age, Roman Catholic. Recommended 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

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770. Bridget Lyons: 21 Queen St. East. 30 years of age. A Widow. 2 Children Michael 4, Margaret 7 years old. R.C. Recommended 8 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

771. Mary Duffy: 73 Richmond St. East. 43 years of age, Husband in the States, 1 Child 18 Months old. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

772. Sarah Kavanagh: 97 Richmond St. East. 60 years old. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

773. Catharine Hughes: 71 Richmond East. 56 years of age. Ch of England. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

774. Margaret Goodwin: 71 Richmond St. East. 50 years of age. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times.

775. Mary Shanahan: 77 Wood St. 38 years of age. Husband 62. 6 Children, Michael 17, earning [dollars] 4 per week, William 11, Margaret 10, Ann 7, Jane 13. Irish. R.C. Husband helpless from the Palsy. 8 lbs. Bread & Coal 3 times.

776. Alice Murphy: 98 Ann St. 33 years of age, Husband 48. 8 Children, Sarah 16, subject to fits, Ann 14, William 12, Thomas 10, George 7, Eliza 4, Frances 2, and Mary 6 Months. Husband saw's wood, Irish. R.C. Recommended for 12 lbs. Bread and Coal 3 times.

777. Mary Cooper: 98 Ann St. 48 years of age. Husband dead. 3 Children, Elisa 12, Annie 10, Michael 7. R.C. Recommend 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

778. Catharine Roach: 98 Church St. 44 years of age. 2 Children, Catharine 10 Sarah Ann 7. Husband dead. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

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779. Elizabeth Clark: 12 Queen St. 60 years of age. Wesleyan [Wesleyan] Methodist. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

780. Bridget Ketts: 23 Queen St. East. 65 years old. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

781. Honora Boyle: next to 113 Queen St. East. 66 years old. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

782. Elisa O'Regan: 9 Victoria St. 60 years old. Widow. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

783. Ann Dunn: 81 Stanley St. 50 years old, a Widow. 2 Children, Jane 9, Daniel 8. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

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784. Catharine Foley: 84 Stanley St. 39 years of age, a Widow. 3 Children, Catharine 12 Mary 8, James 6. Tailoress. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

785. Michael Courtney: Mary not Michael. 84 Stanley St. Widow aged 28 with 2 Children, Michael 11, & John 9. She is suffering from a very sore finger. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

786. Margaret Burns: 81 Stanley St. {8}0 years of age, Husband 74. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

787. Bridget Connolly [Connally]: 82 Stanley St. 40 years old. Husband dead. 4 Children, Edward 13, Patrick 10, Mary 4, Michael 3 years of age. Maintains herself by scrubbing and washing. R.C. Irish. Recommended 8 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

788. Mary Carroll: rere 77 Stanley St. 45 years old, a widow. Has 2 Children. Michael 7, and John 4. Peddles Fish. Irish. R.C. Recommended 8 lbs. bread per Week, and Coal 3 times.

789. Elizabeth Burns: 22 Stanley St. does not live there.

790. Ann Cook: 45 Stanley St. deserted by her husband. Has 4 Children, James 13, earning 10 [cents] per day carrying papers about, John 11, Annie 7, Dolly 5. Chof Engl. Irish. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

791. Thomas Halloran: 62 Stanley St. 50 years of age. One Son, James aged 15, earning [dollars] 1 per week. Suffering from Palsy. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

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792. Timothy Harrington: 40 Stanley St. 84 years old. Irish. R.C. Recommend 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

793. Bridget McDonnell: 77 Stanley St. 40 years old. Husband in the States, Has two Children, Bridget 11, Elizabeth 2. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice. Told the Committee the youngest Child has the Measles.

794. Elisa Shea: 93 Stanley St. 40 years old. Husband 43, has but one leg, 3 Children, Mary 7, Honora 4, Catharine 9 Months, Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

795. Ann Nolan: South side of Stanley St. second door from Church St. Visitor omitted visiting this applicant.

796. Mary Doyle: 62 Stanley St. 35 years of age, Husband 33 a Labourer. 5 Children, Sarah Jane 12, John 9, Elizabeth 7, Patrick 2, William 1 year. R.C. Irish. Recommended 8 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

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797. Martha Kenny: 108 Adelaide St. East. 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

798. Catharine Edwards: 108 Adelaide St. East, 55 years old. Has 2 Children, Caroline 12, and George 10. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

799. Margaret Brennan [Brennon]: 88 Adelaide St. East. 60 years of age, A Widow, has a very sore hand. Irish. R.C. Coal twice and 4 lbs. bread per Week.

800. Eliza Hastings: No. 5 Court St. 39 years of age. 5 Children, Emma 13, Celina 11, William 9, James 6, Lillian 2. derives no support from her husband, Wesleyan [Wesleyan] Methodist. Recommended 10 lbs. bread per Week and Coal 3 times.

801. Mary Cogan: 46 King St. west. This person to be sent to Visitor as he could not find her, being dark before he came to the house.

802. Elisa Barrett: 265 Queen St. west, A Widow aged 33. Ch of England. 5 Children, Girl 14 at Service, girl 8, girl 3, boy 12 & boy 4. She is a person seemingly worthy of all the rules will allow, she is highly recommended by the Baldwin Family. Committee will be able to judge by the appearance of the Woman.

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803. Mary Monahan: 136 Richmond St. west. Aged 33. Ch of England. 4 Children, Girl 12, girl 9, girl 3, & boy 7. Recommended for the rations of the season.

804. Ann Kirk: 273 Queen St, west. Widow. R.C. Aged 58. an old pensioner, 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice during the season.

805. Bridget McCabe: 273 Queen St. west. Widow. R.C. lives in the same room with the above. To have the same allowance.

806. Ann Duvall: 132 York St. An old Coloured Woman, receives Bread, to have Coal 3 times.

807. Isabella Carr: 216 Adelaide St. west, in the rear. Late from the Eastern part of the Province. Widow, aged 29. Ch of England. 4 Children, two at the "Orphans Home". She has no claim on this Charity, but cannot be allowed to starve, she is in the greatest need. Visitor recommends her Case to Committee to do all they can for her, or to send her where she came from.

808. Margaret Quigly: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west, in that den of filth in Palmers-Yard. Widow aged 45. She says Church of England, Visitor thinks she does not trouble any Church. An awful looking creature at

home. Will be Known at the house. Wants every thing, but Visitor fears it would not do her any good, but encourage her to do evil. Committee to decide.

809. Mary O'Brien: 69 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. Aged 67. Has a little Grand-daughter living with her. Decent old body. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

810. Celia Edmonds: 21 Queen St. west. No such person.

811. Alice Torphy: 267 Queen St. west. could not be found.

812. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Not at home when Visitor called.

813. Johanna Strachan: 118 Adelaide St. west. Spinster aged 60. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, Coal 3 times during Winter.

814 Ann Ryan: rere of 139 Queen St. west. Widow aged 73. R.C. Irish. Coal 3 times, no bread, a decent old body.

815. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. west. Spinster aged 70. R.C. No family to have Coal twice. Gets bread from House of Providence, & pays no rent.

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816. Catharine Winchester: Adelaide Street, in a lane opposite Ritchies Terrace. Widow aged 44. Ch of England. (She said once before she was a Widow when her husband was in Gael) Visitor thinks she is a Widow now. Has 4 Sons, 17, 15, 14, and 9. The Committee will judge from the respective ages, both of the Widow, and Sons, what their character must be, to ask for charity. Cannot recommend.

817. Ann Pettit: No. 40 Nelson St. west. To have 1200 lbs. of Coal sent by Nichols Cart. Does not want any bread.

818. Ann Lloyd: upstairs in the rere of 116 Adelaide St. west --- receives bread. To have 900 lbs. Coal sent at once.

819. Jane Redditt: Native of England. Ch of England. rere of 33 Camden St. Husband upwards of 70 years of age, is able to do very little work. In Toronto since 1836. Recommended bread & Coal.

820. Jane Curran: 33 Camden St. Irish. Widow. 58 years of age. Rheumatic. pays [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month for rent. Recommended for Coal & bread.

821. Jane Crawford: Irish. Husband paralytic, dependant on her labour. Daughter at Service allows [dollars] 1,00 per Month. Aged 57. 36 years in Toronto, Recommended for Coal and bread.

822. Ann Conners: Aged 42. Widow. Irish. one Child Richard aged 9 years, came for shelter, was burned out on York St. Last Saturday night. would like to stay a few days being bad with the Bowell Complaint. Debr. 24th

823. James Gorley: in Case 658 in 1866. Left the place without leave on 25th has been apparently on a spree, came back to day 28th refused admission, to apply to weekly Committee.

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Present Revd. Mr. Baldwin & Revd. Mr. Williams.

824. Bridget Williams: 50 Dummer St. A Widow aged 40. Takes a room from a Mrs. Price with permission to cook at her stove. No Stove of her own. Has two boys, eldest 11, is a Cripple, the younger is 9 years old. Irish. R.C. To have bread.

825. Mary Kearney: 5 Grogg Lane. A Widow without Children. Said by a Neighbour Mrs. Sanders to be a quite deserving person. Irish. R.C. To have Coal.

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826. Mary Philbrick: 222 Queen St. west. Has a room up stairs. Not at home when visitor called. Is a Widow and has one boy 8 years old. Spoken of by neighbours as a steady deserving woman. Is a German, Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. The usual relief recommended.

827. Mary McKenzie: 29 Grogg Lane of [off] John St. Aged 30, says it is hard to get work. Husband is feeble and has a frozen foot. Lives in a miserable den of a place & very wretched. Has one boy 7. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal.

828. Ann Donnally: 106 Strachan St. Husband has been away in the States for four years. Has five Children, 2 boys and 3 girls. Visitor could not get the ages as she was out when he called. The Case was reported last year. Said to be a very industrious woman. Irish. R.C. Coal & bread allowed.

829. Jane Burns: 106 Strachan St. remains with the above temporarily. Has scarcely any furniture of her own, no stove; A Widow about 30. Has 3 Children: 2 Girls 8 & 6. and a boy 3. Works and begs for a living; but says she can get little to do, her appearance probably being against her. Recommended only for bread. Irish. Ch of England.

830. Ann Montgomery: Hope St. in a line with College St. near Mr. McCuddy's house, A Widow aged 40. Very poor but respectable, industrious and deserving. Her eldest Girl who was an assistance to her (aged

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17) is laid up with felons on her fingers. Has 4 other Children, 3 Girls, 11. 4 & 2. and a boy 9. English. Ch of England. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal to be sent at once.

831. Ann Donnally: 120 Strachan St. A Widow. Has a boy 9, and a girl 12 who was out scrubbing when Visitor called: the Mother was also out at work so that two apparently are able to earn money. Takes a room from a Family named Kelly. No Stove. To have bread.

832. Ellen Thompson: 10 Duchess St. Widow. No family. Supports herself by peddling fruit and cakes in Summer. She is an old pensioner on the House for relief in Winter, her Case and that of –

833. Johanna McDonnell: rear of 10 Duchess St. and

834. Margaret Donovan: rear of 10 Duchess St. and

835. Margaret O'Brien: rear of 12 Duchess St, May all be disposed of pretty much in the same way. They are all old Woman, have no one to look to for assistance, rub along pretty well in Summer, and come regularly upon the House every winter! There is no doubt that they can do little or nothing to support themselves during the Winter Months, and Visitor therefore recommends them for some small allowance of bread, and some Coal for the next two Months.

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836. Bridget Carroll: No. 10 Duchess St. Another old applicant for relief. She has however a good stout Son, a lad of 16 years old. at present out of work from a severe hurt to his foot and ancle [ankle], but when he gets over this, he ought to be able to Keep his Mother. In the meantime Visitor would recommend her for Coal and bread for a Month.

837. Catharine Norton: 115 Nelson St. Has been receiving temporary relief from the House, which Visitor recommends to be continued for another Month, as she is quite incapable of working just now in consequence of a very bad hand, from which she is suffering a great deal. However she has four young Children at home.

838. Mary Rogers: 115 Nelson St. Like many others has been in the habit of receiving relief each winter. Her case has been frequently reported upon. She is a very decent respectable woman, but suffers very much from sore Eyes, and can do little or nothing in Winter. Her only Child a little boy is still very ill with an attack on the Lungs. Recommended for bread and Coal for January, February and the first part of March.

839. Ann Moons: 113 Nelson St. A very respectable industrious woman. Does all she can to support herself without applying for relief. Visitor gladly recommends her for a small allowance of bread and Coal for two Months.

840. Mary Bennett: 81 George St. She is an old applicant, and the Case will be found reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal and a small allowance of bread for two Months.

841. Jane O'Neill: 307 Queen St. East. This is another old Case, She has been receiving bread through the Summer. Recommended Coal for two Months.

842. Margaret Martin: 79 Pine St. Recommended for Coal once. Visitor will report upon her Case again.

843. Margaret Bruen: 86 Ann St. 36 years of age. Husband 55. 4 Children Mary 12, Michael 11, Teresa 9, Sylvester 4. Husband ill with dropsy. Irish. R.C. Recommended 8 lbs. Bread and Coal 3 times.

844. Mary Wardrobe: rear 91 Ann St. 67 years of age, a Widow unable to work herself and depending upon her Son in Law who is out of employment. English. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, twice Coal.

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845. Ann Carr: Church St. opposite Cameron's, 43 years of age, a Widow, has also lost one leg. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times.

846. Jane Black: 34 Victoria St. 55 years of age. Cannot live with her husband. Supports herself by washing. Ch of Engl.

847. Bridget Hunt: 100 Richmond St. East. 44 years of age. A widow with 3 Children, Bridget 11, John 7, Thomas 5. Supports herself by washing and scrubbing. Irish. R.C.

848. Mary Kelly: 31 Stanley St. Not at home when visited.

849. Mary Colter: 80 Stanley St. 60 years of age, husband 61. sells Matches for a living. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

850. Margaret Phaylin: 90 Adelaide St. East. 45 years of age. A Spinster. washes and scrubs for support. Irish. R.C.

851. Agnes Hogan: 102 Adelaide St. East. 44 years old. 4 Children, James 14, Thomas 12, William 10, Mary Ann 7. Thomas earns [dollars] 1 per week. James suffers from sore Eyes. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times.

852. Mary Spence: 84 Stanley St. 60 years of age. A Widow. Scrubs & washes for a livelyhood. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times.

853. Patrick McKew: 84 Stanley St. 68 years old, Wife 69 years of age. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

854. Ellen Stephens: in Case 734. To have Coal allowed her twice, on account of statement made by Revd. Mr. Baldwin.

855. Julia Smith: rear of 136 Richmond St. West. Married. Aged 24. Husband 26. Two Children, 5 years & 14 Months. Recommended Nothing.

856. William Robins: 234 Richmond St. west. The Number and Name is correct but says no one applied from there. Likely did not expect such scrutiny [scrutiny] and backed out.

857. Rose Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. Irish, R.C. Husband John Tracey an old Soldier of 43d Regiment. No pension. In Toronto since 1840. A decent Couple. Recommended for bread & Coal.

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858. Julia Shannon: 518 King St. ~~East~~ W. Irish. R.C. Lost her first husband who was a pensioner about 3 years ago. Married a second time, but was deserted by her husband. Two Children, boy 8, and girl 7. both at School. pays [dollars] 3, a Month rent.

859. Ann Boyle: 421 Richmond St. west. Widow. Husband dead 3 Months. R.C. In Toronto 14 years. Washes. Lives in the House of one Fitzpatrick to whom she pays [dollars] 1,50 rent. Husband was a pensioner, visitor did not see her, but took report from Fitzpatrick. one Son at home aged 9. Recommended for Coal & bread.

860. Johanna Spelling: 520 King St. W. Irish. R.C. A Widow. One Son 8 years. In Toronto about 12 years, afflicted with Rheumatism and able to do but little.

861. Elizabeth Keely: 391 Adelaide St. west. Irish. Wesleyan [Wesleyan]. Husband away 9 years. Not heard from him for 3 years. 2 girls 9 & 12 years of age. Lives by her needle. Pays [dollars] 2,50 rent. 12 years in Toronto. Seems a very respectable woman. House tidy. Recommended for bread and Coal.

862. Mary Tracey: 487 Richmond St. west. Widow 7 years. 2 Children 7 and 12 years old. R.C. Husband Killed on Railway. Picks rags when able, has been in delicate health. Lives with Bridget Corcoran, pays [dollars] 1,00 a Month rent or did when she was able. Recommended Coal and bread.

863. Ellen Cairns: rear of Mr. Bells Bathurst St. Lane North of St. Marys Church, Irish. Widow 5 years. 3 Children, 1 girl, 2 boys. 2 elder at School. Lives in upper part of Mrs. {Lunys} house. pays 75 [cents] rent. sews when she can get work. Recommended Coal & bread.

864. Ann Myers: 33 Camden St. Irish. R.C. Widow 20 years. Washes. Lives with Jane Curran, and pays a [dollars] 1,00 rent. Bread. Coal once.



865. Ann Golding or Goldring: rear 522 King St. west. Side Entrance. Irish. R.C. Husband an Englishman. Sailor. not steady. 4 Children Girls. In Toronto upwards of 20 years. very poor.

866. Margaret Lennan: 123 Tecumseth St. Irish. Aged 67. Rheumatic, not able to work. Pays 60 [cents] rent. A respectable woman. Coal & bread.

867. Catharine Cowan: rear of 46 Camden St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Aged 40. Husband a labourer, out of work two Months. Not steady. Two boys at home, 12 & 8. One girl 20, ill lately, confined. Pays [dollars] 3,00 a Month rent. Very needy.

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868. Dorah Welsh: 520 King St. west. Irish. R.C. Felon on finger. Husband in the States 2 Months. 2 Children, boy 8, girl 5.

869. Catharine Mooney: and )

870 . Elizabeth Smith: ) 28 Frederick St. See previous reports. These Woman still room together. Visitor recommends continuance of relief formerly granted.

871. Bridget McHenry: 29 Wellington St. opposite Exchange. Has removed to other quarters, unknown to Visitor.

872. Mary Mandeville: 29 Wellington St. Born in Sligo, came to Canada while a child. Lived till last year at Gaspé Basin. Came here in quest of her husband, but has not yet succeeded in finding him. R.C. 4 Children, Matthew aged 9. Ann 5. Michael 3. Ellen 2. Goes out as Charwoman, when a job can be had. Might have 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

873. Mary Doherty: 28 Frederick St. See previous reports. No change to note. Recommended for renewal of former relief. Coal after New Year.

874. Julia Brierton: 10 South Park St. Widow of Joseph. Says she is well Known to Supt. having been visited while a resident in another part of the City. R.C. Children, Joseph 8. Fanny 3. Coal after New Year, and 4 lbs. bread.

875. Ann Jane McLean: 10 South Park St. Wife of John, Labourer out of work, whom visitor did not see. Native of York Township, 3 years in Toronto. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. 4 Children, Margaret 9. Mary 7. John 4. Ann Jane 2. Might have formed a better judgment of this Case, had husband been visible. Recommended Coal after New Year & 6 lbs. bread.

876. Susan Woods [Wood]: Coloured, an old Case. To have her usual allowance of Coal 900 lbs. sent all at once.

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877. Honora Hogan: 44 Duchess St. Ann aged Woman with a still more aged and infirm husband. Has one little Grandchild living with her, See report of previous years. Visitor recommends her for Coal, (she is getting bread), for the next two Months – The Coal to be given without her coming to the House again.

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878. Nancy Mitchell: Duke St. Mrs. Mitchell's Case is well Known to the Committee, she is a thoroughly respectable good woman, and one in whom Visitor has always great pleasure in recommending for relief. Coal and bread for the Winter. Coal to be sent without her coming to the house.

879. Martha Dyer: rear of Dr. Ross' house on Caroline St. Entrance by a lane running from Duchess St. Widow 1 child a boy. gains a living in Summer by peddling. Recommended for Coal next two Months – and a small allowance of bread for 6 Weeks.

880. Mary McTammany: 96 Pine St. Mrs. McTammany and her husband are an old couple whose Case was reported upon last year. Visitor found Matters pretty much the same visiting there this time. The husband manages to do a little work during the Summer; but can do little or nothing now. They are recommended for Coal during January and February, and bread for six weeks.

881. Ellen Rearden: 87 Pine St. A Widow. No family. Suffers from the effects of a broken arm. Case reported upon last year. A small loaf for six weeks and Coal 3 times.

882. Mary Wyms: 63 Pine St. An old Case, nothing new to add this year. Coal twice & bread six weeks.

883. Mary Mason: 1st House from the West side of Pine, Corner of North Park St. The Case was reported upon last year – she has one daughter out at Service, and two Children at home. The daughter assist's her occasionally, but she has hard work to get on through the winter. Coal recommended 3 times.

884. Ann O'Neill: 27 Pine St. Husband very ill. 2 Children both young. Has never applied for assistance before. appears to be an industrious hard working Woman. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a little bread if she asks fo{r i}t.

885. Mary McCarty: Has a room in the same house with above. Her Case was reported upon last year, but visitor could not make her out this year, and strongly suspects that she drinks! would recommend her to be allowed a little bread for the present, and Visitor will report again.

886. Isabella Dunbar: 29 Pine St. Left the House.

887. Sarah Clements: 17 Pine St. Not in St Davids Ward.

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888. Ellen Perkins: 168 Berkely [Berkeley] St. Widow. A very respectable Woman, who has had a great deal of trouble and many difficultys to encounter. She goes out still occasionally as nurse, but is at present in very bad health, and in very reduced circumstances. Scarcely enough fuel left to Keep her over to day. Visitor would therefore recommend her for Coal 3 times, and bread for six weeks.

889. Mary Ann Joslin: No. 5 Sumach St. Widow. 3 Children. She is an old pensioner having received relief and been reported upon a year ago. Recommended for Coal and bread for the next two Months.

890. Margaret Martin: 79 Pine St. Widow. one little girl at home. washes and scrubs. an industrious woman on the whole. Visitor would recommend her for Coal twice and a little bread for a Month or six weeks.

891. Bridget Dean: 27 Grogg Lane. (off William St.) Aged 48. Husband 50. Lives by gathering rags, used to work in a rag shop, but hands dismissed owing to slackness in the business. Irish. R.C. 4 Children, 3 Girls 11, 10 & 6, one boy 7. Says she applies reluctantly and only wants temporary relief. Visitor recommends her Case. Not to be put on the books.

892. Sarah Bloomer: 125 Catharine St. off Peter St. near Judge McLeans gate. Widow. Aged 30. Chof Engl. Say 4 lbs. Bread per Week and Coal 3 times.

893. Elizabeth Monday 30 Bolton [Boulton] St. Deserted by her husband. Ch of Engl. 3 Children Girl 15 at service. Girl 11, and boy 5. A hard looking lot. Visitor thinks it would be as well to give them Coal for one Month, and he will again further enquire about them, fears they are all bad, they live with Johnson and his daughters and Mrs. Hunt lives in the lower part of the House.

894. Mary Moroney: 36 Bolton [Boulton] St. Widow aged 58. R.C. Has one boy rather delicate in health, going to School. A decent old Body. To have Coal twice & 4 lbs. bread.

895. Ellen Rutherford: 49 Bolton [Boulton] St. Widow aged 65. Goes to no Church, when she did go they gave her nothing, so she dont go to any now, an awful looking specimen of humanity. Visitor presumes she goes begging. Lives with another person something the same as herself. Coal once only.

896. Margaret Dunwoodie: No. 9 Emily St. Married. ChofEngl. Aged 45. Husband 56. Very sickly. Has 3 Children at home, 15, 7, & 5 respectively, the boy of 15 has been at a Tobacco factory, but there will not be any work for him for a long time to come, Therefore the 3 boys and the sick husband will be dependent. ^over^

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897. on what the poor Woman can earn at the washtub. Visitor recommends 10 or 12 lbs. bread per Week, and 1200 lbs. Coal for the season, and also Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal &ct.

898. Mary Anderson: 13 Melinda St. Widow aged 63. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. She lives in a small place with her Son in Law. 4 lbs. bread per Week & Coal twice.

899. Julia Brown: 27 Queen St. west, in the rear. Aged {2/5}7. respectable person, receives 4 lbs. bread per week, to have also 900 lbs. Coal sent at once.

900. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 68. R.C. Church. Lives rent free. To have Coal twice and Soup.

901. Sarah Brooke: 69 1/2 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 36. Has 6 Children, boys 15, 13, 4 & 10 Months, Girls 11 & 8. English. W. Methodist. The two eldest work at McGees Foundry, and herself washes. She is doing the best she can, but cannot get long without help. Recommended for 10 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 or 4 times.

902. Jane Moffatt: Lane next to 108 Adelaide St. East. Place could not be found.

903. Mary Ann Lock: 70 Richmond St. East. 30 years of age. Spinster. Suffering from Rheumatism. English. Ch of Engl. Recommended 4 lbs. bread per week Coal 3 times. Relief for the present and to be referred again.

904. Elizabeth Shannahan: 73 Richmond St. East. 75 years of age. A Widow. Supports herself by Quilting. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal once.

905. Margaret Sweeney: 82 Stanley St. 48 years of age. A Widow. One Son John 15 years old, who cannot get work. She peddles Apples. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

906. Mary Eagan: rear 81 Stanley St. 56 years of age. A Widow. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

907. Ann Hara: 108 Adelaide St. East. 64 years of age. A Widow, peddles Apples for a livelihood. Irish, R.C. 4 lbs. bread weekly, & Coal twice.

908. James Gorley: in Case 823. Readmitted.

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909. John McDonnell: Aged 23. Native of Antiga West Indies. Chof Engl. had to leave his Employment on account of sickness. Seeks a few days shelter.

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910. Thomas Sellett: Irish. Chof Engl. says 20 years of age, looks more like 30. says came from Weston looking for Employment. No Means seeks shelter until he can procure work.

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Present E. Hobson Esqr. & J. Tyner Esqr.

1. John Mullen: 65 James St. East. Has gone away to Montreal leaving his wife and children in a state of great destitution. Mullen had been suffering from some chronic disease, which required Hospital treatment and there being no place into which he could be taken here, some charitable individuals helped him off to Montreal. Mrs. Mullen was ill the Visitor called to see her and in very great distress. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for six weeks.

2. Sarah Mc Quiggan: 26 Queen St. East. One of two Sisters. very old Woman, and old pensioners on the House each Winter. Visitor has nothing new to add, except that as they are growing older and more feeble, they stand in greater need for assistance. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a full allowance of bread.

3. Johanna Shea: Also on old pensioner. case a very similar one to the McQuiggans. lives in rear of the same premises. coal 3 times and a small allowance of bread for 6 weeks

4. Mary Jane Carrigan: 44 James St. Husband left her some years ago, does not know what has become of him. Children have all had the small pox, and she has lost her work in consequence, appears to be and the Visitor believes an industrious woman. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

5. Ann Conlin: 78 Sumach St. Husband out of work and in bad health. Visitor would allow Coal once and bread for a Month if further relief required, the Case to be referred again

6. Mary Frazer: 49 Sumach St. Widow with two children and an old Grand Mother nearly 100! Mrs. Frazer works at the tailoring but is out of work just now, she is industrious and hard working.

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Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread if she asks for it. As she will not take bread, the Committee allow 1200 lbs. Coal

7. Richard Warwich: 105 Sumach St. Husband wife and two Children. Husband's sight very bad, and is also in feeble health, being very many years older than his wife. She is pushing and industrious and if they had Coal allowed them, say three times they will do very well.

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8. Rose Cauley: 79 Sumach St. an old couple. Husband a cripple. Recommended Coal and bread for two months.

9. Elisa Kelly: 188 King St. East. Widow. broken arm. goes about peddling in Summer. Recommended for Coal twice.

10. Mary Clark: 181 King St. east. Widow. 2 small Children, has an aged Mother living with her 76 years old- a very respectable industrious person. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for 6 Weeks.

11. Ann McNab: 29 Pine St. Husband in bad health. 3 Children, Visitor thinks they might have Coal once, and bread for a Month. after that to be referred again, as the husbands health may have improved.

12. Catherine McNamara: 254 King St. East. Widow. Works at the American Hotel. Where she is paid by broken victuals. She has gone to live in a Cellar in a House occupied by one

13. Thomas Hale: and Wife, Hale is a paperer, printer & is doing little odd jobs of the Kind. His case will be found reported upon last year. Mr. McNamara might be allowed some Coal say twice, and the Hales Coal and bread for 6 Weeks- The latter are really industrious people but he is in bad health and out of work

14. Catharine Keating: corner Queen and Pine St.

15. Mary Stuart living in the same house. Both these old Cases- often reported upon before. Mrs. Keating has had a quarter of a Cord of wood from the House of Providence, so that if she has coal a week since, the wood will be exhausted by that time. She and her husband are both incapable of work, and so is the wretched old creature Mary Stuart who lives with her. Visitor would allow bread to all but make one allowance of coal as there is no reason why they should not continue to use the same stove.

16. John Pass: 572 Queen St. East. No such person or Number could be found.

17. William Turner: 301 Queen St. East. An old couple. Case reported upon before. Very deserving. They received bread all the Summer, Recommended for Coal during the ~~Summer~~ Winter

18. Margaret Ann McGill: 377 Queen St. East. Husband gone to the States, 2 Young Children. Seems a very respectable woman, and willing to do any work she can get. Recommended for Coal and bread for a couple of Months.

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19. Bridget Gerve: 379 Queen St. East. See report of last year. Allowed Coal twice, bread for 6 Months.

20. Catharine Gorman: 303 Queen St East. Husband is bad health and suffering also from a sprained wrist- The Children have all had the small pox = five of them! Recommended them for Coal twice and Bread for six Weeks. Husband to see the Doctor at 3 OClock.

21. Catherine Edwards: 309 Queen St. East. 2 Children. one half witted. See previous reports. Coal twice, bread for 6 weeks.

22. Ellen Casey: 309 Queen St East. An old woman. living now in a hovel only fit for a pigsty. She has got a little wood from the House of Providence. Recommended for bread for 6 weeks, and Coal twice.

23. Phoebe Smith: 204 Seaton St. Reported last year, a very aged and feeble but very respectable old woman. Coal 3 times, bread for the Winter.

24. James Welsh: 74 McMahon St. Another Case of last year, a very decent old Man. Sells papers and trys to make a living, only asks for a little bread. Recommended to be allowed for a couple of Months.

25. Mary Morrow: rear of 40 Duchess St. See previous reports. Recommended for Coal 3 times, bread for 6 weeks.

26. Margaret Otley: 53 Duchess St. Husband. deaf and blind. one little Girl. Recommended for Coal 3 times. bread 6 weeks. Cases reported upon last year, nothing new to add.

27. Ellen Ryan: rear of 200 Parliament St., and)

28. Jane Dobson: 200 Parliament St.) Visitor could not make them out.

29. Merciline Hull: a little House immediately east of St Stephens Church, Widow aged 30. Has 3 Children at home. All girls 6 1/2. 4, and 2. A very industrious woman, honest and sober, but with great difficulty can provide for her family. Irish. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal.

30. Sarah Ann Douglass: Lippincott St. 1st House North of College. Aged 18, No Children. Burned out a short time ago and property all lost. Very poor as the husband is out of employment, his department of the Rolling Mills being closed for now. English. Ch of Engl. Recommended for temporary relief.



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31. Barbara Armstrong: 34 Bishop St. A Widow 52. Has 5 Children at home two boys the elder of whom (14) earns a Dollar a week, the younger 9. and 3 Girls, 11,5, 8 respectively. Lives by scrubbing washing and Knitting. Always very poor. ~~Irish. Methodist.~~ Ch of England. Coal and bread recommended.

32. Sophia Monroe: rear of 476 Queen St. west. A Widow 46. Charwoman, industrious but Rheumatic. A Nova Scotian. Wesleyan. Coal to be sent all at one time, and bread.

33. Mary Green: 54 Maria St. West. Not at home when visitor called. but aided last year. A widow with one Girl 10 years old. Lives by washing and scrubbing but can get very little employment. Irish. R.C. usual relief granted, but she should be told to Keep her house clean.

34. Rebecca Nelson: 27 Oxford St. An old Case reported several times. Aid granted.

35. Sarah McPhail: 47 Maple Lane. No change from last year except that she finds it somewhat more difficult to gain a livelihood.

36. Margaret Bray: over 222 Queen St. west. A Widow without Children. Lives in a very small room with another woman, occupying the same bed. They go out working alternatively. Irish. R.C. Aged 55. Fuel recommended.

37. Margaret Keating: No. 1 Elizabeth St west. Husband in States 5 years. Has 4 Children all boys 10,9,8,6. A Charwoman. Irish. R.C.

38. Johanna Henrican: No. 1 Elizabeth St west. Husband in States 4 years. Crippled. Both this woman and the above with their families lodge with a Mrs. Sullivan who has a number of Children herself, and as might be expected the place a perfect sty. Both to have bread.

39. Mary O'Brien: next 29 Ann St. 54 years old. A Widow. 2 Children, John 11. Susan 9. Irish. R.C. To have 6 lbs. Bread, and Coal 3 times.

40. Catharine Nugent: 17 Shuter St. 66 years old. 1 daughter 25 years of age, a Tailoress. Irish. Church of England. Recommended for Coal twice, and 4 lbs. bread.

41. Mary Hatfield: 110 Richmond St. East. 40 years old. A Widow. Supports herself and sick sister by sewing. English Church. Irish. Coal 3 times and Tea & Sugar.

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42. Mary Jones: 19 Richmond St. East. Does not live there.
43. Bridget Cahil [Cahill]: 18 Stanley St. 50 years old. 2 Children. Mary 15, Michael 10. Supports herself by selling Apples in summer. Recommended 4 lbs. bread weekly, and Coal twice.
44. Mary Carroll: rere 52 Stanley St. Does not live here.
45. George French: 67 Stanley St. 60 years old. quite helpless. Ch of Engl. Recommended for a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.
46. Mary Boylan: 68 Stanley St. 45 years of age. A Widow. Peddles about Cakes and Apples. Irish. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.
47. Ann Connell: 142 Adelaide St. west. Was not in when visitor called but saw her afterwards, says she cannot work. To See the Doctor. Doctor examined, says Mrs. Connell makes many complaints, but thinks without foundation, she is however, a little weak, but Doctor thinks about as well able to work as most woman of 60. of course of her age she cannot be expected to be a very robust woman.
48. Hannah Asher: rear of 261 Queen St. west. Deserted by her husband (a Colored Man) has Children 2 boys 11 & 3. 2 Girls 9 & 5. Methodist. Aged 29. Place somewhat tidy. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.
49. Farrell Gallagher: 49 Boulton St. upstairs, an awful looking place, filthy, dirty & smokey, not fit for pips to live in, yet there are seven human beings living or rather just existing in the one filthy room. The Man aged 41, the Wife 40. 5 Children Girl 15 boy 13, girl 9. Girl 6 & 4 years of age. Irish. R.C. Visitor leaves the Case for Committee, as they came from St. Davids Ward would refer to Mr. Allan's report.
50. Alice Torphy: rear of 267 Queen St. west. Widow. R.C. 2 Children. Girls 12, boy 5. The place tolerable tidy. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.
51. Alice McHannan: 11 Elliotts Row. Deserted by her husband R.C. 2 Children boy 5 & 3 herself 29. Visitor thinks she is doing the best she can. Gets [dollars] 2 a Week for attending a publick amusement place. Pays [dollars] 3.50 per Month rent. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.
52. Margaret Gilkinson: 13 Elliotts Row. Aged 30. R.C. one Child aged 2 years, Husband in the Country at work, Visitor cannot recommend relief.

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53. Isabella Izard: 11 Elliots Row. Married. Husband in Montreal, does not help her much, he has been in the Army, and generally are poor husbands, 2 Children, girl 3 and baby 2 Months. Presbyterian. Cannot do much an account of the young baby. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per Week. Coal 3 times.
54. Elizabeth Dower: 12 Elliots Row. Widow. Ch of England. Aged 39. 5 Children boy 16, boy 14, boy 10, boy 2 and girl 7. The two eldest boys at work, the Globe Office, 2 at School, she washes and seems a very respectable person. Coal 3 times does not want bread.
55. Charlotte McCan: 22 Elizabeth St. her case is well known, an old pensioner. Visitor thinks it would be well to let her have the usual allowance after the 1st January. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.
56. Richard Ballard: rear of 40 Louisa St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married. Aged 52 some time ago he had a paralytic stroke which partially unfits him for work. Wife a Needle woman, 2 boys 10 & 7 years of age. Visitor thinks it would be well to assist them a little, he can work for it if we get wood.
57. Ellen Laughlan: 77 Hayter St. Canadian. M. [Methodist] Church. Married. Aged 34 appears a clean respectable person. Husband in Consumption unable to work. Children, boy 5 and boy 2 years of age, will require Coal 3 times & 6 lbs. bread.
58. Sarah McGregor: 15 Albert St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. 78 years of age. No Children, works at Knitting, she has had bread all Summer. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times.
59. Elizabeth Forsight- 83 Albert St. Her husband earns [dollars] 6 per week. But she can spend all in drink.
60. Mary Sturgeon: 57 Elizabeth St. Visitor recommends a half price ticket.
61. Margaret Latoiry: is not known at 68 Sayer St.
62. Caroline Arnold: 67 Centre St. English. Baptist Church. Widow aged 43. A clean industrious Woman. 4 Children, boy 18 works at Jacques & Hays at [dollars] 2 per week. Girl 1. Girl 8 and Girl 4 years of age. Recommends for 4 lbs. bread per Week, and Coal 3 times.
63. Phoebe Gray: rear of 155 Centre St. English. Ch of Engl. Widow. aged 61. A very decent old Woman. No Children to assist her. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and 4 lbs. bread per Week.

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64. Elizabeth Black: in basement of 144 Centre St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow 65 years of age. Lives by Knitting. Coal 3 times, & 4 lbs. bread weekly.

65. Sarah Jones: 72 Centre St. Irish, R.C. Widow 61 years of age. One girls work at the Tobacco factory earns [dollars] 2 per week. House and person clean. Mrs. Jones appears well able to earn her own living. To have Coal twice

66. Margaret Walsh: rear of 155 Centre St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow aged 56. Children all away from her, except her Son aged 19 who works at the Broom factory. She is very decent industrious woman. Visitor thinks she ought to do without assistance this Winter.

67. Mary Scott: rear of 178 Centre St. (Coloured) M.C. Widow aged several Children, not at home when Visitor called, but was informed by a neighbor that she and her Children are very industrious, and from all that is said they may do without assistance.

68. Mary Moffet: 221 Centre St. (Coloured) Methodist. Widow. 56 years of age, lives and works with a Married daughter who appears to do a good business as a Laundress. She had bread last winter, but Visitor will leave the Case with Committee. To have 4 lbs. bread Weekly.

69. Emma Burke: 26 Christopher St. She is a very worthy Coloured Woman in very bad health. Her case is very well known at the House. Recommended Coal 3 times, and 6 lbs. bread per Week.

70. Catharine Martin: rear of 10 Edward St. Visitor is sorry to say they are a drunken lazy family. All able to earn their own living.

71. Mary Martin: 88 Edward St. A respectable woman with one daughter 16 years of age, who works at a hoop skirt factory, earns [dollars] 3 a Week. Visitor thinks they may earn their own living. To have a half price ticket.

72. Jane Heeny: 215 Elizabeth St. Visitor was not able to gain any information of the family no person being at home when he called.

73. Ann Sale: no such Number as 60 Emma St and she is not Known at 62 or 66.

74. Caroline Daley: 287 Sayer St. The highest number in the Street is 231.

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75. Catharine Potts: rear of 155 Centre St. Her case is well known. Eldest daughter in Service, second in London leading a bad life Visitor is afraid as she did the same in Toronto. 2 young Children at home. To have 600 lbs. Coal for the season.

76. Ann Conner: 17 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Spinster. 49 years of age. Now in bad health. Recommended her usual allowance of Coal 900 lbs. to be sent at once.

77. Jane Sullivan: rear of 23 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Married. 22 years of age. Boy 16 Months. A sober industrious woman. Husband left her and gone to the States. To have Coal one Month, and be again visited.

78. Mary Hutchinson: rear of 25 Elizabeth. A most industrious Woman. Her Case is the same as when last reported. Coal for the season, receives 8 lbs. bread.

79. Mary Ann Thompson: 27 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of Engl. A Widow aged 41. one daughter 19 years of age a sewing Girl. Mrs. T says she is troubled with Rheumatism and unable to do much work. Visitor cannot recommend until she sees the Doctor.

80. Julia Flannagan: 81 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Aged 65. One daughter works at a Tobacco factory, and at the same time has a great many visits from Colored Men. Cannot be recommended. No one was in when Visitor called.

81. Mary Gormley: rear of 44 Louisa St. Not at home when Visitor called but was informed by a respectable neighbor that she is a great drunkard. Not recommended.

82. Catharine Wilson: 13 Albert St. Says she will try and do without assistance if she could have a half price ticket. To have a Ticket.

83. Mary Ann Wheeler: 13 Albert St. Irish. R.C. Widow 56 years of age. No Children to do anything for ~~them~~ her. A respectable industrious Woman. Coal recommended for the season.

84. William Young Hebdon: rear of 12 Terauley St. Not able to burn Coal, will get his stove altered and apply again.

85. Margaret Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. whose Case is well Known. Recommended for her usual allowance for the season. Coal 3 times & 4 lbs. bread.

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Present W.J. McDonell Esqr. Revd. G Young & E. Hobson Esqr.

86. Bridget Efferson: 58 Duke St. Not at home when Visitor called, but the woman of the house says that Efferson was an industrious old Woman, who barely managed to support herself by doing little odd jobs at various houses where she is Known, but is often very badly off for fuel and food. Visitor thinks from all he can learn, that he may safely recommended her for Coal twice, and bread a small allowance for one Month.

87. Mary Hartnett: and Mary Broderick: 178 North Park St. No such Number.

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88. Bridget Cruise: 71 Pine St. Husband killed at Petrolia last year. 2 Children. Mrs. Cruise knits socks and appears to be an industrious Woman. Fuel is the great want, and Visitor would recommend her for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

89. Bridget Hayes said to be opposite Pine and North Park Street. Could not be found there, but she is, if Visitor mistakes not, an old pensioner whose Case will be found reported upon, in previous years.

90. Alice Boulton: 36 Brittain St. Mrs Boulton is a very respectable old Woman, her husband, in his lifetime, was the Sexton of St. James Cathedral. Mrs. Boulton has been allowed a small pension from the Church funds since his death, but in Winter she cannot always manage to provide herself with sufficient fuel, and is therefore recommended to have Coal twice.

91. Catherine Kearney: 57 1/2 Duchess St. Could not find any such Number.

92. Catherine Nixon: 6 Stone Cutters Lane. Duchess St. Not at home when called upon, but her daughter informed Visitor that the family consisted of the Father and Mother, and six Children, that the Mother worked at the Tobacco Factory and the father was a journeyman Shoemaker, and that two of the daughters, one worked at the factory, and the other one is learning a trade.

93. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. and

94. Cecely Conway: Same Number, These are both Cases have been reported upon from year to year, and there is nothing new to add now. For this Winter, Visitor would recommend Mrs. Burns for Coal only three times, and Mrs. Conway for Coal 3 times, and bread for six weeks.

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95. Mary Ann Bailey: was sent in one list as 37, and in another as 137 George St. 37 is not in St David's Ward, & 137 is a vacant lot.

96. Ann Conlin: 78 Sumach St. Since Visitor reported upon this Case last week, Mrs. Conlin has been prematurely confined in consequence of an accident, and her life was only saved, by the sacrifice of the Child. Recommended that Coal will be sent at once, as they are really in want of fuel, also a little Oatmeal & Tea. Sent 600 lbs. Coal, 2 lbs. Sugar ½ lb Tea, 4 lbs. Oatmeal, 4 lbs. Rice, and some bread.

97. Bridget Driscoll: called at Visitors house but did not leave her address. She is an old pensioner, a decent respectable woman deserving of relief.

98. In the Case of Richard Warwick (See Case 7). Visitor recommends him to be allowed some bread for a Month. His wife has been confined within the last few days, and they will stand in need as well for bread as for Coal.

99. Jane Malone: 316 Little Richmond St. Irish. R.C. Widow 4 years. Aged 60. One Son in the States- Another Son aged 20 pays the rent for her but does not live with her. A daughter aged 18 or 19 is not able to go out to service because of her defective sight. Recommended Coal.

100. Anne Haslem: 24 Douro St. Aged 23. Married. English. Ch of Engl. 2 Children, boys aged 5 & 1. Husband was formerly a Fireman on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] but has had no regular employment for 5 Months. She is approaching her confinement and therefore recommended for Coal and bread. Without this assistance it will go hard for her.

101. Ellen Sedden: 48 Douro St. Irish. R.C. Aged 54 Widow 4 years. Husband was a Soldier in the 74th. In Toronto 14 years. No family. Lives by washing when she can get it. Rumour says she married a pensioner (one Stephens) last Saturday. She is now married to a pensioner named Stephens,

102. Bridget Murphy: Shanty behind 617 King St west. Irish. R.C. Widow. 7 years in Toronto. Husband Killed on Railway. 2 Children, boy 12 & girl 8. Recommended Coal and bread.

102. Margaret Goldsmith: Old Hospital Niagara St. Widow 5 years. Aged 53. Born in Toronto. Ch of Engl. 2 Children, boys 11 & 13. youngest at school. Eldest at work when he can get Employment. Recommended to have Coal and bread.

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104. Louise Mc Carthy: 48 Douro St. French. Aged 44. R.C. Widow 3 years. Husband in R.C. Rifles. Says she has one child(?) a girl 8 years old. In Toronto 5 years. Lives in same house with & uses same stove as Ellen Sedden.

105. Bridget Mulloy: 17 Stanley St. 44 years of age. A Widow. Has 3 Children Patrick 16. Michael 11. John 7. The eldest is ill with inflammation of the lungs. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

106. Rosanna Walsh: 18 Stanley St. 24 years of age. Husband 25, living in Detroit United States. 2 Children Walter 5 years and Thomas 10 Months and 3 Brothers Thomas 12, Samuel 10 and Charles 8. Parents dead. Ch of Engl. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

107. Mary Dunlop: rear 23 Queen St East. Visitor does not consider her worthy of relief.

108. Mary Cogan: 46 King S. West, upstairs. Widow. Ch of Engl. Has 4 Children, girl 11, girl 9, boy 7 and baby 18 months. Visitor did not see herself but received report from the daughter aged 11. The Children appear to be proper taken care of. Recommended 8 lbs. per week, and Coal 3 times.

109. Susan Charbotte: 28 Melinda St. Widow Ch of Engl. Aged 60. 3 Children. Girl 17. Girl 15. Boy 12. All at home, working in their own way no doubt, would be better if they were at service. Visitor allows nothing for the Children, but recommends 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times for the Widow.

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110. Martha Carr: Widow aged 72. ChofEngl. Lives at 32 Boulton St. A feeble old Woman which Visitor recommends to get 4 lbs. bread per Week both Winter and Summer, Coal 3 times.

111. Catharine Moore: Corner of Simcoe & Front St. Married. Aged 50. and husband 54. Chof Engl. England. One daughter at home 14 years, Recommended the usual relief.

112. Elizabeth Gradwell: Graces Yard Queen St. Has been for some time confined to the house with sore Eyes. Receives bread, recommended for Coal to be sent to her as she cannot go before the Committee.

113. Catharine Ellamonge: 33 Church St. upstairs. See previous reports. Her condition some improving. Visitor thinks 4 lbs. bread for week and Coal twice will be quite sufficient.

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114. Rebecca Fitzsimmons: 34 Front St. See last years report. No Change to Note. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

115. Richard Taylor: Kellys Cottages. East St. Lately from London, England. Family; Wife Selina, just recovering from confinement. Children, Richard 10 1/2, James 9. Rosa 5. Alice 2 1/2. Ch of England. Was brought up a Bookkeeper, or clerk & hopes soon to find Employment in some capacity. Meanwhile recommended for Coal and 8 lbs. bread. Might have some tea & Sugar on his Wifes account.

116. Ellen Gallagher: 102 South Park St. in basement,. A well Known Case, though not before reported upon by Visitor. Widow 16 years. Coal and 4 lbs. bread per week.

117. Peter Gear: 123 South Park St. See report of January 5th 1867. Seems to have retrograded since; is a cobbler by trade, says he can get no work and people wont trust him with leather. Wife recovering from confinement; child still born. 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

118. Richard Broderick: 78 South Park St. Labourer, 17 years in Canada, from Queens Co. Ireland. R.C. Never applied before, and would not now, but for sickness. Married. Children, daughter, 22 at service in the Country John 19. Ann 16. Ellen 14. Richard 12. Martin 9; the 3 boys now laid up with measles, and daughters just recovering. 8 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times, also an allowance of tea & sugar.

119. Mary Collins: Kellys Cottages, East St, Husband William, Children 2, Rosa 12, Sarah 10. Chof Engl. From Maidstone Co. Kent, England about 6 weeks ago. Expects soon to get Employment, but mean time requires a little assistance, 6 lbs. bread and Coal. This and the Taylor family seem to be of a class that would not ask or take relief if they did not really want it.

120. Agnes McGregor: 31 South Park St. Visitor called twice & found no person in.

121. Mary Smart: 52 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. Aged 56. From Barbadoes. Has no incumberance, say 4 lbs. bread per Week, Coal not more than twice. There is another Widow in the same house, {illegible struck through} though they have two rooms, and two stoves, they are a good deal together at the same fire.

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122. Ellen Armstrong: the Widow mentioned in Case 121, R.C. Aged 56. No family. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice only.

123. Charlotte Pearson: Rees' Wharf. Widow aged 63. Methodist. English. An old Lady that has seen better days. Wants no bread. Recommended for 900 lbs. Coal, and to have it sent all at once.

124. John Teasdale: Rees' Wharf. Married. Aged 39. Wife 28. One boy aged 8, disabled in the hip which unfits him for hard labour. He is the Son of the above Widow, Visitor would recommend 900 lbs. Coal to be sent at once, he wants no bread.

125. Mary Dollinson: 139 Queen St. west. Married. Aged about 30. Ch of Engl. England. Not long in the Country, is therefore poorly prepared for a Canadian Winter. Husband 49 years old. 4 Children. 2 boys 10 & 5, and two Girls 12 & 2 1/2. Husband has [dollars] 5 a Month and the Wife earns some days 25 [cents]. Visitor recommends them strongly to the Committee.

126. Richard Bell: 24 Centre St. Irish. Ch of Engl. Married. Aged 69. in bad health quite unable to work, a grandson 6 years of age lives with them. they appear a very decent old Couple but poor and require some assistance. Recommended Coal for the season and 6 lbs. bread per week and soup, also a small ration of Suger [Sugar] Tea [etc.]

127. Catharine Deary: 69 Strachan St. Auld Case. A Widow with two Children at home, a boy 19 sick for last 6 years, and a girl 16 who is Kept at home to attend to her brother when the Mother is out working [etc.] A steady industrious woman. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread.

128. Maria Pierpoint: 17 St. Patricks square. A Widow with no Children 56 years old. English. Ch of Engl. To have Coal as before.

129. Rose McKenna: 36 Charles St. Denisons [Dennison's] Avenue. A Widow aged 60. Takes a room from a respectable well to do family with permission to use their stove, not steady but industrious. Irish. R.C. Church. To have bread; question of Coal left to Committee.

130. Mary Fogarty: No 1 Charles St. Not at home when Visitor called. Is a Widow with two small Children under 8. Washes & Scrubs for a living. Irish. R.C.

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131. Ann Crow: No. 1 Charles St. also out when Visitor called. A Widow with 3 Children. She and Mary Fogarty live together in a small tidy house of two rooms. Irish. R.C. To have Coal between them, and bread.

132. Rebecca Ivory: 19 Shuter St. 40 years of age. A Widow. 5 Children. William 15, earning [dollars] 2 per week, Ellen 12. Edward 9. John 7. Francis 3. Irish. Roman Catholic's. Recommended 8 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

133. Jane Moffatt: rere 108 Victoria St. 45 years of age. Husband 43. Cannot get Employment. 6 Children, James 11. Robert 9. Elizabeth 7. Joseph 6. William 4. Mary Ann 2. Members of Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. Recommended for 12 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

134. Johanna Riley: A house South of Cruikshank St. on Mutual East side. 40 years of age. A Widow, 2 Children, Philip 10, John 8, Very poorly off. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

135. Ann Dunleavy: 18 Stanley St. 45 years of age. Husband 68. unable to work, 1 Child 2 years old. Appears an old applicant. washes & scrubs. Irish. ChofEngl. Recommended 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

136. Jane Roach: 40 Stanley St. 38 years old. A Widow. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week.

137. Jane Davis: 83 Stanley St. Does not live at that Number.

138. Ann Bagley: 81 George St. was not at home when visitor called. Mrs. Bagley however has received relief from the House for some years, and is a very industrious deserving person. And if she calls Visitor would recommend her for the same relief as usual.

139. Ellen Courtney: 115 Nelson St. Living in the same house with Mary Rogers They use the same Stove, and Visitor would recommend them for a little extra allowance of Coal to be used between them. Mrs. Courtney is a very decent respectable old Woman, and Mrs. Rogers Case has been before reported upon. The poor Woman has a little boy very ill with inflammation of the lungs, and wholly unfit for work herself. Bread for both for 6 Weeks.

140. Mary [Bridget] Driscoll: Lives on the Corner of Duke & Berkely [Berkeley] Streets . She has one Child, and is an old and feeble person herself. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for six weeks.

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141. Mary ^Ellen^ Ryan: in a lane between Parliment [Parliament] & Berkeley Streets. Not at home when Visitor called, but learned all about her from a family living in the same House, and saw also her two Children one of whom is a cripple. Mrs. Ryan goes out to work and scrub, and appears to be hard working and industrious. She got some wood from the "House of Providence" which will be exhausted in a day or two. when visitor recommends that she be allowed Coal twice & bread 6 Weeks.

142. Jane Clark: 58 Duke St. Widow. 3 Children. An industrious respectable Woman. Case reported last year. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a Month.

143. Louisa Clark: 58 Duke Street. Living in another part of the same House, but not at home when Visitor called, imagines her Case much the same as her Namesakes although no relations.

144. Jane Oxley: rear of same Number 58 Duke St. not at home either, works at a Tobacco factory it appears.

145. Ann Carrigan: 85 North Park St. Husband broke her head last week, and then ran away! Two Children. Very badly off for firing. Visitor believes it a real Case of distress. Recommended for Coal twice.

146. Mary Harnett: 178 North Park St. Visitor has already reported that there is no such number.

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147. Mary Edwards: 187 Centre Street. Coloured. Ch of Engl. Widow. 41 years of age. 4 Children, girl 18 in Service who does nothing for her Mother. girl 13, boy 10. & boy 6 years of age, the three last at home. Visitor recommends Coal for the season, 4 lbs. bread per Week; and Soup.

148. Jane Heeney: 215 Elizabeth Street. Irish. Ch of Engl. Widow. Aged 41. 4 Children, girl 11, girl 9, boy 6, and boy 4 years of age, the boy 6 is in the Boys Home. She appears an industrious Charwoman. Recommended for Coal, and 6 lbs. Bread per Week.

149. Mary Ann Durand: 28 Christhopher [Christopher] St. Canadian. Ch of Engl. Marrd. [married] Aged 26, one boy 9 years. Husband a labourer. All in good health. Able to work for their living.

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150. Mary Stephens: 69 University St. Irish. R.C. Church. Widow. 30 years of age. 3 Children. Girl 12, boy 11, and boy 9 years of age. A Tailores [Tailoress]. Appears an industrious Woman. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal for the season. To be sent all at one time.

151. Jane Cavanagh: rear of 37 James St. west. Irish. R.C. Church. Married. Aged 40. 4 Children, boy 17, girl 15, girl 13, and girl 11 years of age. She was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed by Neighbours that the family could spend any amount in Whisky. Should get their own living, if, industrious.

152. Elizabeth Billings: 158 Terauly [Terauley] St. Irish. R.C. Spinster. 30 years of age. had to leave the Service of the Revd. Mr. Darling on account of sickness, appears a very decent woman. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal, but as she is about to move, the Coal had better not be sent until she gives the Number of her new residence.

153. Esther Bevens: 30 1/2 Centre St. English. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. Married. Aged 45. 2 Girls, 10 & 8 years of age, one at home. Husband a Labourer. Both in good health and in work. The Character Visitor heard of them is bad. Cannot recommend assistance.

154. Margaret Riley: 28 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Widow. 50 years of age. 3 boys, 15, 13, and 9 years of age. They have no work at present, but the eldest expects to have work in a few days. She appears a respectable woman, Recommended for Coal.

155. Agnes McGregor: 31 South Park St. Husband Daniel a Blacksmith, Aged 29: her own age 25: arrived from Glasgow, Scotland, 4 Months ago. free Church. Children, Daniel 6, Jeanie 4, Charles 8 Months. Did not see husband; wife says he expects soon to get work. In Visitors opinion just the class of people who should be assisted, to induce them to remain in the Country. Recommended Coal 3 times, and 8 lbs. bread per week.

156. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane. See previous reports. Nothing special to Note this time. 6 lbs. bread per week, & Coal twice.

157. Ellen Simpson: Corner of North Park and Pine St. was not at home when Visitor called a fortnight ago. Has seen her to day and now recommends her for Coal twice. bread for a Month. She is hard working and industrious, and a little assistance in mid winter will be all she requires.

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158. Catharine White: 89 Ann St. Visitor does not consider her worthy of relief.

159. Ellen McManus: 89 Ann St. 45 years of age. A Widow. 1 Child Margaret 10 years old. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal once.

160. Mary Kelly: 31 Stanley St. 37 years of age. Husband 45: 5 Children, Timothy 12, Daniel 6, John 4, Jane 2, and baby 4 Months old living with her, two more are serving a term in the reformatory at Penetanguishene, another is provided for in House of Providence. They arrive [receive] no assistance from the Father who lives in Collingwood. To have 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

161. Margaret Smith: 240 Lumley St. A Widow aged 38. Has 5 Children at home. 1 boy 15 out at work, and 4 girls 9, 7, 6 & 4 years respectively. Has the rent of a Tavern coming in irregularly, which being insufficient to maintain her is supplemented by her sewing [etc.] English. To have a little Coal & bread.

162. Mrs. Richardson: 1st House on Beverly [Beverley] St. N. of Queen west side. A Widow. Aged 42. apparently very respectable. Takes in washing for a living. Has one Girl aged 9 years. An Irish. Wesleyan [Wesleyan]. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Young. To have Coal.

163. Margaret Densmore: 54 Dummer St. Her husband was badly hurt 6 Months ago. Is now laid up & unable to work. She does what she can for the family but they are in a very bad state this severe weather. Five Children, 2 boys 11 & 6 3/4. three Girls 13, 8 & 2. Irish. R.C. To have Coal, Bread & Soup.

164. Ann Rutledge: 16 Dummer St. out when Visitor called. Lodges with a Mrs. Healey who speaks highly of her character. Her husband died lately in consequence of exposure during the Fenian Raid. Has four Children. 2 Girls 4 & 7. and two boys 10 and a babe in arms. Irish. R.C. To have the usual aid.

165. Julia Burton: 18 Dummer St. A Widow, partially crippled from her birth. "Sold out" lately for rent and now takes a wretchedly cold uncomfortable room from an old friend. No stove but an old Grate in a fire place. Has two Children a boy 12 1/2 and a Girl 10, whose shoulder is crippled from small pox. Formerly worked at bookbinding but now no stated means of livelihood. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. usual relief recommended.

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166. Leonard Wilcox: 7 Renfrew St. 78 years old, very feeble; so also Wife who 76, Makes Band boxes, but unable to earn much, very poorly off. Is an American Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. Recommended for Coal and bread; also an allowance of Tea, Sugar [etc.] as his Wife is so delicate.

167. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. Still a feeble lone old woman, Recommended for same aid as in former years.

168. Julia Hammond: No 8 Power St. A Case of great distress. The old Woman is in a very wretched feeble state, and they have hardly either food or fuel in the House. Visitor recommends them to be allowed Coal three times and bread for 6 weeks, and a little Tea Sugar [etc.]

169. Ellen Davey: one of row of Cottages standing back from Queen St next to No. 388. Reported upon once before, when her Name was Hookway. She was then a Widow, and has since Married a Man of the Name of Davey who went off to the Country some 6 or 8 weeks ago in search of work, but she has not heard of him or received any thing from him for may [many] Weeks. Under the circumstances, Visitor recommends her for Coal once, and bread for a Month, then the Case can be referred again to ascertain if her husband has been heard from. She has a large family of small Children.

170. Ellen Goodwin: next door to Mrs. Davey. Husband dead. 5 Children. 3 at home, Eldest boy working with Mr. Metcalfe. Mrs. Goodwin makes nets for the Fisherman, is an industrious Woman, but cannot manage to Keep her family in food and fuel. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month.

171. Sarah Burns: Lane running from Seaton to McMahon Street, opposite Sydenham St. Not at home when Visitor called, but who has no doubt that she is the same person that was visited last year by him, and who Visitor thinks received some relief also during the Summer. If it is the same person. She is a Soldiers Widow, and is a very decent respectable hard working woman, but has suffered a great deal from ill health. She receives bread Visitor recommends Coal.

172. Mary Foster: 94 Duchess St. an old Pensioner, and most respectable person Recommended for Coal 3 times.

173. Mary McClinchy: 67 North Park Street. Visitor cannot find any such person in that Neighbourhood.

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174. Elisa Death: 84 George St. Visitor will report upon this Case again. called there but could not satisfy himself or the state of things.

175. Ann Doherty: rear of Cartys Soap factory. Husband gone away. several young Children, Recommended for Coal once. bread for a Month, and Case to be referred to Visitor again.

176. Winnefred Curtis: Duke Street, Mr. Hutchinsons buildings, near the Waggon Shop. A very pitiable Case. Husband a poor miserable but perfectly sober Man, had really been almost supported by his Wife. For the last fortnight he was supposed to be working at Smith's & Burks Lumber Yard, and his wife and family relied upon receiving some of his earnings to pay for their rent. He disappeared altogether last week and they cannot hear anything of him and on enquiring at Smith & Burk's, it turned out that he had not been working there at all! The family are in great distress for fuel food and the means of paying their rent. Recommended for Coal and Bread. To have Coal 3 times & 10 lbs. bread per Week.

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177. Maria Pierpoint: in Case 128, To have also an allowance of Groceries.

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178. Mary Jane Douglass: rear of 97 Sayer St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Married 28 years of age. No Children. Husband a Labourer. Visitor understands that he is a lazy fellow, though his wife is in bad health. he is quite able to provide for her by industry. To have no relief.

179. Rebecca Broomfield: rear of 75 Elizabeth St. English. Ch of England. Married. 4 {40} years of age. 7 Children, girl 17. girl 15, boy 13, boy 9, boy 7, girl 2, and a baby a few days old. Both husband and Wife are deaf & dumb, The family appear clean and industrious. he is at this time out of work, Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal for this Month, a full ration of Tea, Sugar [etc.] and 12 lbs. bread per Week for the same time, & Soup. At the end of the Month will Visit again.

180. James Wheeler: and Julia Jones who lives in the House, were not at home when Visitor called, but was informed that they live as Man and Wife, both able to earn their own living. They have no right to have relief from the Institution.

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181. Mary Tucker: 127 Tecumseth St. English. Age 23. Chof Engl. Married. Husband an artillery Man, in hospital. One Child 3 Months old. 5 Months in Toronto.

182. Jane Smith: rear 489 Richmond St. English. ChofEngl. Husband dissipated Age 38. 2 Children, Girls aged 9 & 5. Recommended for Coal.

183. Eliza Walker: 489 Richmond St. west. Irish. Aged 37. Married. R.C. 3 Children, boys 13 & 5, and a Girl 8. In Toronto 18 years. Husband dissipated. Bread, and Coal once.

184. Louisa Sutton: rear 479 Richmond St. French. Aged 30. Married. Husband in 16th Regiment. R.C. 4 Children all boys aged 9. 7. 5. 3. pays [dollars] 2 1/2 rent. in Toronto 4 years. Recommended for Coal.

185. Caroline Lane: (2 houses from burning) Tecumseth St. near Queen St. English. Aged 47. Married. Husband a Tailor but not with her at present, gives her very little help. 4 Children, boys aged 14 & 17. Girls 7 & 3. Tidy but poor. Recommended for Coal.

186. Isabella Reed: Corner of Bathurst & Richmond St. Not at home.

187. Mary Ann Knight: 332 1/2 Adelaide St. west. English. Ch of Engl. Widow, Aged 29. 4 Children. 3 provided for. one boy at home, aged 5. Very tidy.

188. Louisa Miller: rear 479 Richmond St. west. French. Widow. Aged 51. R.C. 3 Children boys aged 9, 8, 5. Recommended for bread.

189. Mary Harrison: 479 1/2 Richmond St. west. Canadian. Widow. Aged 41. Ch of Engl. in Toronto 21 years. Eldest Son once employed on N.R.C. but has done nothing for 9 Weeks. Daughter unable to work. To have Coal.

190. Sarah Tomlie: a Shanty on York St, nearly opposite of Capt. Strachans Gate. Widow. R.C. Aged 46. Has 3 Children at home. Ages respectively 14, 10, and 8. A respectable person. Visitor would recommend her for this time, but as her Children who were quite young when she first got on our books, are now grown up, and some of them Married, and all able to get a living with the exception of the one aged 8. she must try and do without in future. To have for this Winter 6 lbs. bread per Week and Coal twice.

191. Eliza Law: 93 Boulton St. Married. Aged 32. Husband 34. born in Canada. Ch of Engl. has 3 Children. boy 11. boy 4 and boy 7. Visitor did not see her husband says he is in bad health. Should see the Doctor, before relief is recommended.

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192. Rebecca Dean: 60 Boulton St. Married. Ch of Engl. English. Both in the prime of life, Visitor did not see them, got his information in part from another person that lives in the same house. Age 38. Husband 38. No Children of their own but one adopted. They are poor enough, but there must be something wrong. Committee will please judge for themselves.

193. Mary Johnson: 121 Boulton St. Not at home when visitor called.

194. Ellen Cole: 132 Richmond St. west. Married. Ch of Engl. English. 4 Children, girl 8, girl 6, girl 4, and boy 3 Months old. They are in the prime of life. but it is one of these unfortunate Cases that we meet with now and again. he has been a Coachman at home, but here he cannot get a place to suit. Visitor thinks Cole does the best he can. The wife cannot do much having such a young family. Recommended as one deserving the Sympathy of Committee.

195. Jane Dobson: 90 Adelaide St. East. 55 years of age. Suffers from sore Eyes. English Church. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread per week, and Coal twice.

196. Mary Kane: 88 Mutual St. 20 years of age, is in delicate health. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread.

197. Johanna Conners: 80 Richmond St. East. 30 years of age. 1 Child 12 Mos. old. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread.

198. Mary Farrell: 30 Stanley St. 80 years of age. Recommended 4 lbs. bread and Groceries.

199. Catharine Roach: 44 Ann St. 31 years old. Husband 40. 1 Child 8 years old. Visitor cannot recommend them.

200. Jane Cosgrove: 25 Maria St. west. A Widow aged 40. Has 6 Children, 3 boys, 10, 6, 4. 3 Girls 14, 12, 2. Sews for a living. Is now very straitened as her brother who helped to support her, has gone to Chicago. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and bread.

201. Margaret Adams: 49 Agnes Street (off Spadina) A very respectable old Widow aged 50. A Son who used to be her main stay has removed from home. The others can just support themselves. Very poor but deserving, No small Children. Recommended for Coal and bread.

202. Ellen Watson: 37 Caroline St. No such Number or person in St Davids Ward.

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203. Julia Daley: No. 3 Charles St. Aged 21. Husband left her over a year ago. very poor. Sews or washes as she can get Employment. 2 Children a girl 4 and a boy 16 Months. Irish. R.C. Apparently deserving. To have Coal & bread.

204. Mary ~~Knight~~ Wright: is in great distress. Her husband has been ill for weeks, she is obliged to sell the things out of the House to procure food Visitor recommends her for Coal and bread, also an allowance of Groceries. double allowance of Coal sent at one time. She is a very respectable woman, and Visitor has Known her for years.

205. Jane Tremble: 88 Duke St. Old Woman her Mother and 3 Children living with her. Mrs. Tremble is a very respectable Woman goes out to Service. but has been obliged by ill health. to give up her last place. Visitor gladly recommends her for Coal once, then to be referred again. would also recommend her for a little bread for a few weeks, she is very deserving.

206. Bridget Hayes: 4th House from the Corner of Pine and North Park Street West side of Pine. Mrs. Hayes' Case has been frequently reported upon in former years. She earns her livelihood by peddling in the Market [etc.] and once or twice in the depth of Winter, when not earning anything applies for a little Coal. At present Mrs. Hayes has a poor Woman of the Name of Ferguson living with her. Mrs. Ferguson lost her husband from small pox in the States a few weeks ago, and came here with her baby a Month old expecting to find a Brother living in Toronto. He had left however and had gone back to Ireland. Mrs. Hayes took her in as a Matter of Charity. So for the present, Visitor would recommend Mrs. Hayes to be

allowed some Coal for herself and some bread for Mrs. Ferguson for a Month. If further relief applied for after that, the Case to be referred again.

207. Catharine Kelly: 10 Duchess St. Occupies the same room or rather uses the same stove with Mrs. Carroll. Visitor recommends Coal turn about. twice. She is receiving bread. She is an old woman, and can do little or nothing for her own support in Winter.

208. Mary Renaldson: Next 260 Spruce Street. Husband and 5 Children. Visitor did not see the husband, but the wife says he has sore Eyes. and cannot work. The wife was told to take him up to the board to Morrow, and if the Committee were satisfied that his sore Eyes prevented him from using his arms and legs to any good purpose. they would allow her Coal twice. Husband did not call on Committee, Wife says he is not able. Doctor to call on him to see whether he is able or not.

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209. Elisa Death: 84 George Street. Visitor called and saw Mrs. Death again to day. Could not satisfy himself as to whether she drinks or not. Has no evidence of the fact, but does not like the womans appearance, or that of some parties he (Visitor) saw in the House the day before yesterday, would only allow some Coal once.

210. William Hewlett: 206 King Street East. A very respectable old Man once in very different circumstances, but now reduced to great poverty. Visitor has Known him and his Wife (now dead), for many years. He does little odd jobs varnishing furniture carpentering [etc.] but has injured his wrist and in any Case can do little now for his own support. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times and bread if he asks for it for 6 Weeks.

211. William Dudley: Aged 45. Irish. Chof Engl. was in Toronto Hospital for twelve Months on account of a severe burn under his arm which he received at Sault St. Marys [Sault Ste. Marie], when the Hospital closed he was turned out with the rest of the patients, has been trying to make a living by Cutting wood, but it appears his Arm broke out again. Dr. Ogden says, Dudley is not fit for hard work at present. Seeks Admission in the House. To be admitted for a time.

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Present Revd. Mr. Boddy. B. Homer Dixon Esqr. & J. Thom Esqr.

212. Rebecca Dorsey: 21 Sayer St. Coloured. Methodist Church. Married, Aged 36, 3 Children, boy 6, girl 4, and baby 12 Months. Husband a Labourer worked at Beards Foundry until the late fire. Husband and

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Wife in good health, and quite able to support their family without assistance from the House of Industry.

213. Henry Brown: rear of 123 Elizabeth St. English. Ch of England. Married. 32 years of age. 2 Children, boy 1, girl 5 years of age. Wife has been very ill since July last. quite unable to do any Kind of work. Husband a Shoemaker, but can get but very little work. Visitor thinks it would be well to assist them a little, as they seem to be steady people.

214. Bridget McInnes: 36 Boulton St. Widow aged 46. R.C. Church. Has one daughter going on 14, this Girl is somewhat disabled by having a slight hump on her back, but otherwise stout and healthy. The Committee to judge the Case.

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215. Jane Henderson: 47 Boulton St. Lives with another family, says she is 70, perhaps she may be 60, but no great matter what age she is, She is too lazy to wash herself. Has no family. Visitor presumes she lives by begging. The Committee may perhaps allow a little temporary relief.

216. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west, an old pensioner, but a long tonged [tongued] person. Lives rent free. To have Coal twice.

217. Emma Beatty: rear of 60 Dummer St. Has been there for two Months. Widow, aged 28, with 2 Children both Girls 2 & 1 1/2. Does plain sewing for a living, being unable to wash on account of Rheumatism. Irish. Chof England. Spoken favourably of by her Landlord. To have usual relief.

218. Pheobe [Phoebe] Carling: rear of 82 Dummer St. Does not Know whether her husband is still alive. Aged 62. Partly paralysed and apparently a little weak. No Children. Is a bird of passage. Has been a week in lodgings with a Mrs. Downes & owns no furniture. Irish. Chof England. Wants Coal, bread, soup and Groceries. Visitor would recommend the bread and soup.

219. Mary Kearney: Corner of Crookshank and Mutual St. 49 years old. Husband 60 sick in bed. One Son Daniel 10 years old. Irish. Roman Catholic's. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

220. Catharine Eagan: 102 Richmond St. East. 69 years of age, quite helpless. Irish. Roman Catholic. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

221. Catharine Ryan: 76 Stanley St. 40 years of age. One Son, Michael 7 years old. Very destitute. Roman Catholic. Recommended 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

222. Mary Wilkinson: 102 Adelaide St. East. 38 years of age. Husband 59. confined to his bed by sickness. 2 Children, Elizabeth 7. Anthony 4. Lately from Montreal. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

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223. Mary Ann Bailey: 76 McMahon St. Widow. Husband died 4 Months since. Mother a very aged Woman formerly a Nurse in the General Hospital living with her. Two Children the eldest a Cripple. Mrs. Bailey is within a couple of Months of her confinement, and therefore unable to do much work. Visitor recommends her to be allowed Coal twice and bread for six weeks. (She has had a little Coal already.)

224. Mary O'Neill: living in the Lane of the back of Cartys factory. Recommended for Coal once and bread for a fortnight. The Case then to be referred again.

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225. Sarah Enright: 51 Duchess St. Widow. 2 young Children. The Case was reported upon last year. an industrious woman. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month.

226. Mrs. Ganett: 46 Duchess St. Formerly lived in Service. but now too infirm, goes out to nurse occasionally. Is very respectable. Visitor recommends that she have Coal sent to her once.

227. Benjamin Lee: Coloured. 21 years of age. Came from Buffalo on the 18th to look for a brother, who however had gone to Chicago. Lee was sent here the same day by Dr. Tempest for admission as one in bad health and having no home. Committee consider he has no claim on this Charity, and therefore advise that he try and get back to Buffalo, but he may see our Doctor to ascertain what really is the matter with him. Doctor says he is far gone in Consumption. Lee on being more closely questioned about his home, says that he belongs to Kingston, which place he left 3 years ago, that his father and Mother are both dead, and his Brothers and Sisters who are younger than him are in the Orphan Asylum in Kingston.

228. Patrick McGennis: 75 years of age. Irish. R.C. 25 years in Toronto. says, has no friends to provide for him, and is not able to earn his living by labour any longer. Was sent by the Mayor for admission To see Doctor and if nothing infectious to be admitted. Doctor examined, says, there is nothing to prevent McGennis to become an Inmate.

229. James Dogherty: 61. Irish. R.C. was formerly an Inmate, says, is not able to earn his living now on account of having partially lost the use of his left side. To be admitted in Building for casual poor at present.

230. Elisa Gardner: in Case 665. ^1867^ Left the House yesterday. Doctor says she is quite well, and able to earn her own living.

231. Robert King: in Case 600 in 1867 who received a reprimand from the General Board, left the Institution this day (Jany. 23) on his own accord.

232. Ann Hooper: 102 South Park St. Visitor recommends that she be allowed 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal Twice. Will mention her in the next report.

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233. Jane Harding: 201 Centre St. Canadian. Ch of England. Married. Aged 22. Husband a shoemaker. One child a year old. they came from Montreal in August last, he returned to Montreal about 10 days ago to look for work leaving his wife and Child in Toronto for the present. she has not heard from him since he left. They have no claim on the House of Industry, except, temporary relief. Visitor was informed she is a steady industrious woman. To have Coal once, and 4 lbs. bread for a Month.

234. Mrs. Goldstone: 117 Queen St. East. Husband formerly a Carpenter. died very suddenly. leaving his wife with one young child two years old, and a Month after his death an infant was born. Mrs. Goldstone is a very respectable English Woman, and would willingly do any Kind of work to support herself and Children. but with this young baby she cannot go out to work, and needle work at home is very difficult to be got. Her Brother a private in the Rifle Brigade at Ottawa, hearing of his Sister being left quite destitute with these two young Children, got his discharge, and came up here in the hope of being able to support her, but had not been able to obtain any employment, until to day. Visitor obtained a promise of some work for him at the Rolling Mills. In the meantime he had spent the little means he had, in providing fuel and food for his sister. Visitor therefore recommends Mrs. Goldstone for a load of Coal to be sent to her at once, and if she applied for bread. which it appears she will not do if she can help it. she might be allowed some for a Week or two, until her brother has earned enough to prevent any further application.

235. Mrs. McHale: 90 Victoria St. would recommend an extra allowance of Coal to this applicant.

236. Richard Fitzgerald: 29 Stanley St. 40 years old. Wife 39. 2 Children, Edward 13, Mary 9. Wife suffering from the dropsy [dropsy]. Irish. Roman Catholic's. Recommended 4 lbs. bread. Coal twice, oatmeal Tea & Sugar.

237. Mary Basketvale: 24 Frances St. 34 years of age. 2 Children Ellen 7 and William 5. Husband deserted her about 5 years ago. Member of Ch of England. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread, and Coal twice.

238. Mary Coleman: not at 487 Richmond St. west. alias Murphy. alias French, alias Kelly.

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239. Catharine Corcoran: Corner of Bathurst and Richmond St. Visitor did not see her. Reputation not particularly good. See last years report. Committee allowed Coal twice. Husband near 70.

240. Mary Whitaker: 492 King St. west. English. Aged 36. Lost her husband last fall. 2 Girls aged 10 & 12, boys 11 & 5 latter a Cripple, a very respectable woman who from her reduced circumstances finds it very difficult to get on. Recommended bread and Coal. She will not be able to go up to the House. but visitor would be glad if a grant could be made without her putting in an appearance.

241. John Smith: 25. Canadian. ChofEngl. Printer by trade. Was at London C.W. [Canada West.] Nothing doing there. came to Toronto and looked about for work without getting any, having no means he applied here for a nights shelter intending going to Whitby next Morning. When taking his boots off at night, found both his big toes and one heel frozen. Committee will admit him until able to proceed on his journey.

242. Margaret Strachan: Aged 60. Widow. Irish. Methodist Church. Came from Kingston two Weeks ago with a grandchild a boy 6 years old, looking for a Son who it appears has gone to the States. The Grand child she placed in Orphans Home. Brought a Note from Hon. R. Spence who recommends her Case to be brought before the Weekly Committee next Tuesday, in the mean time to admit her in the House until then.

243. Jane Dodds: aged 15. English. Chof Engl. says, her Father and Step mother live at Woodstock. Father is a tinsmith. Was sent to Toronto to see an Uncle who she says used to live in Colborne St. but has now removed away from there. The Girl was brought here by Miss Carmichael who found her wandering about the Streets. Jany. 24th

Tuesday 28th January 1868.

Present Messr [Messrs.] E. Hobson & Rice Lewis.

243 1/2. Mary Kearney: 19 Emily St. No such person living there.

244. Jane Yole: 47 Maple Lane. Widow without Children. Aged 66. Rheumatic & very infirm. Takes a room from a Mrs. McPhail. No Stove, using her friends. Tries to get a living by knitting and sewing. An allowance of Coal recommended to help pay her rent, and bread. Irish. R.C.

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245. Harriett Sullivan: No. 1 Elizabeth St. Denisons [Dennison's] Avenue. A Widow aged 33. Has 5 Children 2 boys 7 & 5, and 3 girls 10, 9, and 3. Washes for a living, good employment in Summer, but little to do in the Winter. Her house ought to be Kept clean as she has now so much time on her hands: it is very filthy. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and bread.

246. Mary Bray: 17 Stanley St. 30 years old. No family. Recommended for 4 lbs. Bread per week. Committee refer her Case to Doctor, to call at 3 OClock.

247. Thomas Halloran: 62 Stanley St. Recommended for Coal & bread.

248. John McDonald: rear of 72 Stanley St. 35 years old. 1 Child 2 years. Bricklayer by trade, lately from London England. Wife in Service. Recommended 4 lbs. Bread per week and Coal once.

249. Mary Carroll: 84 Stanley St. 46 years of age. Widow. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice. Committee consider she is able to earn her own living having no incumbrance, and being herself in good health.

250. Ellen Stephens: 76 McMahon St. Widow. living formerly in St. James Ward. Has got Coal from the House and now applie's for bread. Her niece the only person she has belonging to her, was formerly in Service, but had the small pox a Month or two ago, and has consequently been out of place. She is in hopes of getting into Service again imediately. Mrs. Stephens herself is an elderly Woman and not very strong, but does what washing and scrubbing she can. Under the circumstances Visitor recommends her for bread for one Month and Coal once more.

251. Catharine McKew: Lane rear of Cartys Soap factory, George Street. Widow with 3 young Children. At least if not a Widow, her husband is away, and if alive she has not heard anything of him for a length [length] of time. She scrubs & washes, was not at home when visitor called, but saw the Children and obtained these particulars from them. Would recommend her for Coal once, and bread for one Month.

252. Ellen Watson: Corner of Duke and Caroline St. Reported upon and obtained some relief last year, has had the smallpox since. Visitor recommends her for Coal once, and bread for a Month.

253. John Anderson: Coloured. was sent by the Mayor as a fit Case for admission Anderson came from London C.W. [Canada West] has frozen toes, belongs to Montreal, is desirous of getting there. To try and get a passage from the Mayor. No Claim here.

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254. Jane Ann Bell: rear 36 Terauley St. Married. Ch of England. Irish. 7 Children, 4 boys 14, 10, 7, 1 and 3 Girls 12, 9, and 5 years old. Recommended for 10 lbs. bread per week, and 600 lbs. Coal for the season.

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255. Eliza [Elisa] Nixon: 37 James St. Irish. Ch of England. Married. Aged 50. No Children. Husband left her 8 Months ago for the States, he is much given to drunken habits & ill treated his Wife a good deal. Industrious sober woman but not strong. To have 600 lbs. Coal for the season.

256. Resden Bacon: Coloured. rear 97 Sayer St. Now nearly blind. Aged 64. Married, 4 Children. 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.

257. Margaret Strachan: in Case 242. took her Grandchild George Weeks out the Orphans Home and brought him to this Institution. Mrs. Strachan says she has a Son living at Oshawa, who would be glad to receive her and the Child if she could get there. Supt. to send, and pay her fare. Was sent Jany. 29th paid fare second Class 85 Cents.

258. Jane Dodds: in Case 243 has gone to place. All her statement turns out to have been a fabrication of lies.

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Present E. Hobson Esqr. & Rice Lewis Esqr.

259. Mary Ann Henry: 361 Yonge St. 45 years old. Methodist Church. Recommended to have Coal twice, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

260. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond St. East. 54 years of age. Irish. R C. Catholic. Recommended 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal once.

261. Margaret Kelly: rear 81 Stanley St. 43 years of age. Widow. 2 Children, James 9, and Ellen 7. Also supports her Mother by washing. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

262. Catharine Johnson: rear 88 Adelaide St. East. 60 years old. Husbain [husband] in St. Catharines trying to get Employment. very poor and suffering from cold. Irish. Ch of Engl. Recommended 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice. To see Doctor.

263. Mary Finnigan: rear of 139 Queen St. west. Widow. R.C. Irish. 2 Sons, one aged 20 at a trade gets [dollars] 7,00 a Month, the other boy 15 injured his hand with a planing Machine, if not for the accident she would not apply for assistance Coal twice. Bread 6 lbs. per week.

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264. Ann Flood: in 752 in 1867, No. 58 Dummer Street. Visitor requests that all further relief in her Case be stopped for the present, as he was told that all their earnings go for Whiskey.

265. Ellen Daley: 137 Bishop St. Husband old and infirm. She is now suffering a heavy cold & no wonder for they are in utter wretchedness & poverty. The House is thoroughly wrecked; and the family sleep on straw on the floor. The worst Case Visitor has seen this year. 2 Children a boy 11 & a Girl 3. To have bread and Coal.

266. Ellen Healey: 16 Dummer St. Husband laid up for 7 weeks by pain in Knee and unable to work, when able he can earn [dollars] 1, a day. 5 Children, 3 boys 12, 6 and an infant, 2 girls 14 & 4. apparently respectable. Irish. R.C. to have relief for a Month.

267. Susanna Thornton: 79 Pine St. Widow, with 3 young Children. Husband was a printer died some two years ago. Mrs. Thornton obtained relief from the House last year. She appears to be a very respectable and industrious woman. works steadily when she can get it from the shops. Walker & Sons were her last Employees. Recommended for Coal once, & bread for a Month.

268. Mrs. Harrington: Queen St. Husband a respectable Man but in bad health, and great difficulty in getting any steady employment. Visitor thinks it a Case in which Coal might be allowed once during this severe weather and if the Committee decide upon doing so, would recommend to be sent at once.

269. Misses' Smith's: 46 McMahon St. Visitor would be glad if they could have a bag of flour sent them the same as last year. They are very badly off.

270. Catharine Johnson: in Case 262, Doctor examined and states, that Johnson has an old Dislocation of the shoulder joint, which was never replaced and the Arm is therefore much impaired in its efficiency.

Tuesday 4th February 1868.

Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. J. Doel.

271. Louisa Clark: Corner of Duke and Caroline St. Widow with 3 Children. If Mrs. Clark has not had any assistance from the House before, Visitor would recommend her for Coal now once. She was out nursing a sick woman when called upon before, but is out of work again now, and her eldest boy who was employed cutting ice for the ice Carts has come home with his feet frozen.

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272. Mary McMackin: 160 Queen St. west. out when Visitor called. Takes a couple of rooms from a very respectable woman, a Mrs. Ryan. Has two Children at home, boys 12 & 10. Does Char work but can get little to do in the winter. Recommended for usual relief.

273. Ann Bell: 21 Melinda St. Widow. Aged 45. Chof England. Has one daughter aged 9 years. At present cant get much work to do. She appears to be a respectable person. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and 4 lbs. bread per week, bread say for 5 or 6 weeks until some work begins to stir.

274. Jemima Cornell: 152 Centre St. English. Ch of England. A Widow. 50 years of age. 4 daughters 21. 19. 16 & 12 years of age, all in Service except the one 19 who is a cripple but works at caning Chairs and is the only one who assists her Mother, who is a clean industrious Woman. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal for the season.

275. Henry Jones: 217 Centre St. See last years report. To see Doctor before any relief can be given.

276. Catharine Lawler: 24 St. Albion [Albans] St. Irish. R.C. Married. 40 years of age. 5 Children. boy 11. girl 9. girl 7. boy 6 and boy 4 years of age. Husband a labourer, a strong Man well able to work for the support of his family. Visitor can not recommend this Case, thinks there must be bad management.

277. Margaret Kennedy: 103 Albert St. Canadian. Methodist Church. Spinster. 34 years of age. Canes Chairs for a living. Her Mind is not strong, and appears to get worse as she grows older. Recommended for bread and Coal.

278. Mary or Amy O'Dell: rear of 16 James St. west. Irish. Chof England. A Widow. 65 years of age, unable to work, has been supported by her daughter who worked a sewing Machine, but on account of sickness she has not been able to work for some weeks past. They appear deserving people. Visitor would recommend 600 lbs. Coal for the season.

Friday 7th February 1868.

Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. J. Doel.

279. Margaret Adams: 49 Agnes St. west. See Case 201. She has been too ill to go before the Committee, Visitor recommends that the relief allowed be given to Mrs. McMillen. would also recommend an allowance of Tea, Sugar, [etc.] as she is in great distress.

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280. Elisa Dyer: 121 Adelaide St. west. Widow. Methodist Church. English. 2 Children at home. boy 8, girl 7. A respectable looking person. She thinks she wont require assistance long. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. Bread per week and Coal twice.

281. Margaret Johnson: 73 Boulton St. Widow aged 63. R.C. Native of Ireland would not apply for relief if she could get work, says, earned only two shillings since Christmas. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week Coal only once. Lives with another person and uses her stove.

282. Thomas Burns: 81 Stanley St. 80 years of age. Wife 60. very destitute, R Catholics. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal once.

283. Jane McDonnell: 112 Nelson St. 50 years old. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. Recommended 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

284. Mary McCabe: 67 Stanley St. 40 years of age. 1 Child Mary 9 years old. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week. Committee are of opinion that she can earn her own living. To have a loaf for the present.

285. Henry Jones: in Case 275. Doctor examined, and finds that he has very serious extensions and believes incurable disease of the lungs Consumption.

286. Philip Merson: 27 Ontario St. East. A very respectable Couple Man & Wife and three Children. Did not desire to apply for relief themselves, but had been induced to do so by a Mr. Beatty who visited them, Merson has got a little work now and Visitor promised him some Coal at half price.

287. Bridget Halloran: 115 Nelson St. a very old and infirm woman. No family and none to whom she can look for assistance. I really (Visitor) do not think that she can do anything at this season to support herself, and Visitor would therefore recommend her for bread for a Month or say six weeks and Coal once.

288. James Huston: Row of small Cottages behind 122 Duke Street. A very respectable industrious Man. journeyman [journeyman] tailor by trade, formerly lived in London C.W. [Canada West], but came here about a year ago in hopes of getting more work. His wife has lately been confined, and they have an infant and a little girl about 10 years old. Visitor thinks it a Case most deserving of relief in every way, as nothing but the scarcity of work and the ill health both of himself and wife, would have induced them to make the application. Recommended for Coal once and bread for a Month.

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289. James Lee: Lane between McMahon & Seaton Street, short distance from Queen St. Visitor recommends a Load of Coal to be sent to his family immediately, and will send a full report of them next week.

290. Timothy Harrington: 251 Queen St. the first frame House east of Berkely St. south side of Queen St. Visitor recommends that a load of Coal be sent at once, and will report next week.

291. Ann Wilson: 52 years of age. English. A Protestant of course says she! from Markham. Apparently on a spree. Was sent by the Mayor for Lodgings until Monday.

292. Andrew McLean: 35 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Lately from Hamilton, seeking work in Toronto. Carpenter by trade. seeks shelter for a few days.

293. James McCormack: 50 years of age. Irish. R.C. From Hoggs Hollow. worked in different places on Yonge St. Has a sore leg. Had shelter in building for casual poor. would like to stay a few days longer.

294. Sarah Peacock: A Widow aged 67. ChofEngl. England. In Toronto since 1842. Has been living in Service. She has now a sore leg which interferes with her work. Seeks admission into this Institution, is willing to make herself general useful. Admitted.

Tuesday 11th February 1868.

Present A.F. McCord Esqr.

295. Robert Love: 329 Richmond St. West. Irish. Aged 40. 3 Children aged 6, 4 & 1. Labourer. was thrown back by illness, and now the illness of his wife interferes with his work and increases his expenses. Recommended for Coal and bread. To have Coal once & 8 lbs. bread per week.

296. Ellen Cradicott: 15 Boulton St. Visitor could find no such person and such number either.

297. Mary Crombie: No. 14 Elliotts Row. Widow aged 53. Presbytarian Church. Native of Scotland. 3 Children at home girl 16 & girl 14, boy 7 years of age. Visitor recommends Coal twice and no bread, if she could get work herself she would not ask for help. The girls are at the Tobacco factory earn [dollars] 1.50 each per week. Visitor asks not for the girls, but for the Widow & Boy.

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298. Mary Ann McGrath: No. 9 Elliotts Row, deserted by her husband, this is the person Mrs. Grasett visited. Visitor refers the Case to our Doctor to look into, perhaps the Committee would allow her into the House for a few weeks, if not would recommend her to get rations until further orders, that is, if the

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Doctor says she cannot work, looks stout enough. Doctor examined Mrs. McGrath and finds very little the matter with her, thinks she takes too much whiskey. She is quite able to work. No more relief.

Friday. 14th February 1878

Present, A.F. McCord Esqr.

299. Jane Twomley: 33 Church St. 3rd story. Been 4 Months in Toronto. no Children. R.C. Husband Christopher dangerously ill. Recommended for 6 lbs. Bread, Coal twice, also an allowance of tea & Sugar.

300. Ellen Watson: 36 Caroline St. not known there or in the neighbourhood.

301. Ann Swanton: 25 Erin St. Visitor called twice; nobody in.

302. Ann Hooper: 102 South Park St. Visitor has called at this place 3 or 4 times, and found on each occasion, the gate chained and a big black dog in possession, if Mrs. Hooper expect to receive visitors, she must demolish her fortifications and remove the black guard.

303. Bridget Latham: next 87 Queen St. East. 46 years old. 2 Children John 7, Catharine 4. Husband was drowned about 3 Months ago. R.C. Recommended 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal once.

304. Margaret Wooford: 31 Stanley St. Visitor does not consider her worthy of relief.

305. Mary Gormley: rear of 44 Louisa St. Irish. Ch of England. Widow. 49 years of age, at present confined to the House with Rheumatism unable to attend to herself, a daughter aged 18 years was at Service in the Country at [dollars] 3 per Month, she is now at home attending her Mother. 2 boys aged 10 and 14 years of age out of work. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread per Week and Coal.

366. Thomas Mead: rear of 41 Elizabeth St. Irish. Ch of England. Married. Aged 66. appears quite unable to earn his living. Children married but do nothing for the old people, his Wife is at present with a Married daughter in Hamilton. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal.

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307. Ann French: 195 Centre St. American. Methodist Church. Married. 30 years of age. 4 Children girl 9. Girl 8. Girl 4 and boy 6 years of age. Husband confined to the House for the last two Months with Rheumatism and still appears unable to do anything for himself. Visitor recommends 8 lbs bred per week and Coal.

308. Margaret Wright: 158 Terauly St. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Spinster. 30 years of age. A clean industrious woman. Her brother left her some years ago his 2 daughters now 9 & 10 years of age, and went to the States and neglects sending any money for the Childrens support. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal once.

309. Ann Brown: 207 1/2 Elizabeth St. was not at home when visitor called but was informed that she had one Child, and husband in work, both in good health. Visitor thinks they must be a lazy bad pair to ask for assistance from the House of Industry, cannot recommend.

310. John Anderson: 36 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. A Blacksmith by trade, says, cannot get Employment. Seems perfectly destitute, had Lodgings in building for casual on several occasions. applies again for shelter for a few days.

311. George Jackson: Aged 35. Coloured. Has been at Widder station G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] work failing there he came to look for employment in Toronto, but find's there is none to be got at present, he like the above case, was sheltered here for several days, begs to stay a few days longer.

312. Frederika Cline: 102 Agnes St. German. Married. 46 years of age. 2 Children, girl 10 and boy 9. Husband a tailor. Reported to be great drunkard's. Visitor cannot recommend them.

February 18/68. Tuesday

No Committee present.

313. Margaret Lettore: 71 Boulton St. Widow aged 56. Has two girls living with her, 16 & 17 years of age. A Son in Montreal aged 20. She arrived here a few days since – has no claim on the Charity. Committee will judge for themselves.

314. Mary Leslie: rear of 136 Richmond St. Widow aged 36. R.C. Has four Children, Girls aged 14 & 7, and boys 13 years and 7 weeks old, very delicate at that. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. per week, and Coal twice & soup.

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315. Maria Kinsella: 72 South Park Street. Husband James in the States, looking for work. left Kilkenny, Ireland, 4 years age. been in Toronto about 7 weeks from Colborne. R.C. Children, Mary Ann Leddy (daughter of a former husband) aged 9; Helena 3. Coal twice, all she wants.

316. Ann Swanton: 25 Erin St. Not in saw her husband, James, who report's as follows: has been 30 years in Toronto from County of Cork, aged 53. Wife same age. Chof England: 2 married daughters, was here, the other in the Country. Never before applied for relief and would not now, had he not been out of work since last September. Coal twice all he asks.

317. Henry King: Last House but one north side of Duchess St. before reaching Parliament St. This poor Man was at one time a Mechanic in good work. He is now dying of consumption. He has only himself and wife fortunately to support. She (his wife) goes out every day to wash and scrub and they manage to keep themselves in bread and potatoes &c. but their fuel is nearly exhausted, and Visitor therefore recommends them for Coal once and a small allowance of Sugar Tea &c.

318. Margaret Dunwoodie: No. 9 Emily St. is getting rations, but her husband is very ill, and they are out of fuel, Visitor recommends 300 lbs. Coal extra on account of husband being so unwell. also some groceries.

319. Joseph Lusty: in Case 650 in 1866, was taken out of this Institution by his Son in Law who it appears is able and willing to keep the old man. Febry. 18th

Friday 21st February 1868.

No Committee present.

320. Mary Ryan: 86 Church Street. 40 years of age, husband 49. confined to his bed by sickness. 1 Child 3 years old. Husband is a pensioner with 25 [cents] per day. Family have lately arrived in Toronto from Bermuda. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

321. Philip Riley: Phoebe St. East of School House. Wife has been blind for 11 Months and is in bad health. Has two Children a girl 14 who takes care of her Moth, and a boy 10. Very poor and in a wretched state. Irish. R.C. an allowance of Coal recommended, and bread.

322. Lizzie Morrison: aged about 14 years. whose admission into the House was applied for by Mrs. Buell one of the Managers of the "Girls Home". was admitted by the General Board subject to the Doctors approval. Doctor examined, states the Girl is in Consumption, nothing contagious to prevent her admission. Admitted. Canadian. R.C. Orphan.

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323. Dorothea Rose: 17 1/2 Renfrew St. An old woman in a bad state of health. Her husband is also delicate, and unable to work. Has been obliged to pawn a blanket &c. &c. to procure fuel. Apparently very respectable. No Children, but a grandchild who runs a sewing machine lives with her. English. Ch of England. Recommended for Coal. 4 lbs bread.

324. Patrick McGinnes: in Case 228. Died this day (February 24) at the age of seventy five years.

325. Charles Ryther: 50 years of age. Native of England. Chof England. from the States, intends going to Grafton where he has friends. Seeks shelter for a few days, as he is foot sore and sick.

326. Mary Davis: 41. Native of Ireland. Chof England. Says came from Oakville looking for a place, has the promise of one in a few days, would like to have shelter in building for casual poor until then.

Tuesday 25th February 1868

No Committee present

327. Leonard Wilcox: Renfrew St. recommended by Visitor to have another allowance of Groceries.

328. Mary Ryan: 307 Queen St. East. Widow. 1 Child, a little girl. This womans Case it appears was referred before, when she was living somewhere in the neighbourhood of Parliament [Parliament] Street, but Visitor could never find her out. She is now living in a miserable hovel in the rear of 307 Queen St. She is very destitute having hardly any use of her right hand, and therefore not able to do anything for herself. She was in Hospital until it was closed. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month only.

329. Ann Doherty: Lane rear of Cartys Soap Factory. George & Queen Streets. A Case previously reported upon. Mrs. Doherty has heard nothing from her husband since Visitor called there last, and is consequently in a most destitute condition with her large family of young children. Recommended to have coal once more, and bread for another Month.

330. William Turner: 301 Queen St. East. Visitor recommends that he receive Coal once more.

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331. Catharine Ryan: Lane running North & South between Berkely and parliament Streets, a few doors North of Regent Street left side. A very old and destitute woman. She was not in when Visitor called, having gone to a neighbours to warm herself. She has a Son who could do something for her: but leaves his Mother to starve. The people next door gave the account which may be relied upon. Recommended for Coal once. and bread for six weeks.

Friday 28th February 1868.

Present The Revd. Dean Grasett

332. Margaret Hunter; Esplanade foot of Caroline St. See report of previous years. Husband returned from States last Summer and is now living with her, but at present is out of work. Thinks she can manage well enough if allowed bread and Coal for one Month. Visitor therefore recommends 8 lbs. bread & Coal once. See Case 198 in 1867.

333. Mary Ryan: 86 Church St. in Case 320. To have Coal once and 6 lbs. bread per week.

334. Patrick McConvey: second House east of 51 Boulton St. No such person there.

335. Elisa Law: 93 Boulton Street. Visitor revisited this Case. This is the person which has been recommended by Mrs. Ridout and also by Mrs. A. Crooks. Visitor finds her husband is in good health, did not see him until to day, he did not go and see the Doctor because as he says it would not be of any use, being in good health. appears a respectable person, and if he would have come to visitor in the proper way might have got a half price ticket. See Case 191.

336. Anny Lynch: 11 Emily St. She and her husband each of them, aged 28. R.C. She is a Native of Gibraltar, Husband of Ireland. She has had 8 Children. buried 5, 3 living, boy 5, boy 3, and baby 6 Months. He served 10 years in the 30th Regt. has got an honorable discharge, without any fire but what the neighbours give them. Visitor recommended Coal and 8 lbs. bread.

337. Margaret Charlton: Reeses Wharf. Deserted by her husband. Aged 31, has 3 daughters, 12, 10 & 5 years of age by the Mothers account, the girls were not in, therefore did not see them to judge their age. Appear to be a doubtful lot, theres another family living with them, all a rough lot. The Committee will please judge for themselves.

338. Catharine Dorsey: aged 26. Irish R.C. Bad Eyes. Lives by begging. was recommended by Dr. Adams for a few days shelter in building for Casual poor.

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339. Andrew Scarlett: Aged 56. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. 7 years in Canada, worked for some years in Toronto. Crippled in his hip with Rheumatism, seeks admission for a time To see Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted.

340. Bertha Stinson: 73 years of age. Irish. Chof England. She is an old out door pensioner of the House, now old and infirm. No friends excepting a nephew who cares nothing for her, a dissipated young Man. A Mrs. Crew made application for admission on behalf of Mrs. Stinson. Admitted. Mrs. Crew 78 Richmond St. East.

Tuesday 3rd March 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Darling & Mr. G. Rowsell

341. Elizabeth McDonnell: the Wife of John in Case 248. She has left Service on account of ill health and is now at home with her husband. Visitor recommends Coal once more and an additional 2 lbs. of Bread.

342. Emily Stuart: rear 21 Queen St. east. 30 years of age. Husband 45. 1 Child 6 Months old. Husband is a travelling agent for a Sewing Machine Company. Chof Engl. very poor. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread & Coal once.

343. Thomas Hall: opposite I.H. Camerons, rear of Mr. Rooks Queen St. west. Native of England. Quaker. Aged 44. In Toronto 2 years. Wife and 2 Children aged respectively 11 & 6. Book Keeper by profession but has been out of employment about 9 Months from sickness and other Causes. Recommended Coal and bread.

344. Dora Marks: 5 Renfrew St. sick in bed for six weeks from fever. Husband in the States. one Child a boy 3 years old. very poor. A German. Protestant. Recommended for Coal and bread, also an allowance of Groceries.

345. Ann Shoal: and)

Harriet Mahoney: ) No. 24 Lane of William Street west. Live together and use the same stove, Husband's out of work for Months. They have sold most of their things even some bedding, for which they are now wretchedly off. No Children. English. Chof England.

Usual relief recommended.

346. Margaret Burge: No. 26 Lane of William St. Similar Case to above. very poor and husband out of Employment. Will be taken on shortly by the Northern Railway Company. one boy 2 years old. English. Chof Engl. Coal & Bread.

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347. Margaret Ryan: aged 12 years, and Henry Ryan aged 2 years were sent here by A. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] their Mother Mary Ann Ryan having been committed for trial on a charge of Larceny This Woman had out door relief from this Institution for some years, and one of her Children, Mary, was given up to the House by her, and apprenticed out. See Case 154 in 1866.

348. Ellen Delanty: 36. Irish. R.C. 2 Children, boy 5, & girl 1 year old. They were brought here by the Police for shelter having been distressed by their Landlord. Husband will provide a place again in a day or two.

Friday 6th March 1868.

Present Revd. W. S. Darling & George Rowell, Esqr.

349. Mary Ann Keating: 19 Emily Street. Widow aged 52. German. Lutheran Church has 3 daughters 17.19. & 23. they work at a Tobacco factory. The eldest says she is married but her husband left her. The old Widow is very poorly, was lying close to the stove but no fire in it, appear to be a strange lot. Visitor advised the girls to go to service. would be perhaps as well to relieve the old body for a Month. Committee will judge for themselves. Coal once & bread for a Month.

350. Ann Pulbrook: Queen Street. 2nd door west of James St. English. Chof Engl. Widow aged 69. No one to do anything for her. Recommended for Coal once and 4 lbs. bread per week.

351. Elizabeth Metcalf: 23 University Street. Lane. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. 25 years of age. 5 Children, boy 10 in the Country, boy 8, boy 2, girl 6 & girl 2 years. Husband a blacksmith a lazy drunkard, left his family 3 weeks ago after selling all their furniture. they appear very much to require assistance. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per Week, Soup & Coal.

352. John Bakes: 50 years of age. Native of Cornwall, England. 15 years in Toronto. suffers from a kick of a horse which incapacitates him working for a living. No friends and no means – seeks admission. Admitted. Left April 28th.

353. William McHenry: 18 years of age. Canadian, born in Toronto. Methodist. His Mother the only relation he has lives in Service with Mrs. Forbes (21 James St.) seems to be in a bad state of health. No means of paying his board. Seeks admission. Case referred to Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted. Doctor says both lungs are affected. Nothing contagious. Admitted.

354. Bridget Pine: 71 Richmond St. East. 25 years old. suffers from pains in the back. Irish Roman Catholic. Recommended 4 lbs. bread once.

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355. Ann Anglesea: 47 Caroline St. Not in St. James ward.

Tuesday 10th March 1868

No Committee present



356. Mary Daley: west corner of Sayer & University lane. Irish. R.C. Married. 30 years of age. Husband broke his leg in May last, since which time he has not been able to work. 4 Children, girl 12, girl 8, boy 10 & boy 3 years of age. all at home, appear much to require assistance. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread per week and soup.

357. Sarah Willey: 74 years of age. Native of London, England. Chof England. In Toronto 8 years. was recently an Inmate in the House, is desirous of being readmitted. Strongly recommended by the Revd. Dean Grasett to weekly Committee for admission. Admitted.

358. William Church: 64 years of age. Native of Norfolk, England. Methodist Church. 12 Months from England in Toronto all that time, came for shelter last Saturday would like to remain a few days longer, expects some employment by that time.

359. John Breckenridge: No. 206 King St. East. A very old and infirm Man quite incapable of supporting himself. He obtained a little relief last year. Visitor would recommend him now to be allowed Coal once, and bread for a Month.

360. John Smith: in Case 241, left the House with the intention of going to his friends, having quite recovered from the frost bites.

Friday 13th March 1868.

Present Revd. S. Givins & H. Rowsell Esqr.

361. Ellen Delanty: in Case 348. had shelter ever since. She went to the mayor yesterday and brought a Note recommending the admission of her and Children. Committee will allow her to remain in building for casual poor for a few days longer but cannot admit her in the House. Must try and provide for herself.

362. Mary Wardrobe: in Case 844 in 1867. to have another allowance of Coal on account of being confined to bed by sickness.

363. Margaret Lettore: in Case 315, to have Coal once more, and 4 lbs. bread per week on account of her daughter who is partially insane.

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364. Maria Kinsella: in Case 315, recommended for an allowance of 8 lbs. bread per week and an allowance of Groceries on account of her Children who are sick with the measles.

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365. Winnie McCallum: 28 years of age, Irish R.C. and her daughter Ann aged 5. were sent here by the Police Magistrate for shelter until Monday. It appears Mrs. McCallum husband and Child came from Belville [Belleville] a week since, and took lodgings in Toronto, while the husband was looking for employment his wife and child were forced to leave their lodgings having no money to pay for them.

366. Patrick Mulready: in Case 744 in 1867 went out this day (Sunday) came home the same afternoon outrageously drunk, had to send to No. 2 Police station the Sergeant in charge sent 2 Men who removed Mulready to the station.

Tuesday 17th March 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Topp. Revd. Mr. Ellerby & S. Rogers Esqr.

367. Clarinda Warren: had Coal twice, to have another allowance allowed her.

368. Winnie McCallum: in Case 365, was taking [taken] out by her husband, who has obtained employment at the Upper Canada College Boarding House. March 19th.

Friday 20th March 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Ellerby

369. Charlotte; Queen: 38 years of age. Married. Chof Engl. Canadian. Husband in Gael, and Children provided for one in the County and three in the Girls Home. Brought a Note from Mrs. Buell who recommends Mrs. Queen for a few days shelter as she is bad with a cold. Allowed to remain for a few days in building for casual poor.

370. Mary Ann Lock: to have another allowance of Coal.

[371. to 373. omitted]

374. John Kennedy: Aged 25. Presbyterian Church. From Scotland 6 Months ago. Has had no regular employment, and nothing to do just now. Was sent by the Mayor for admission.

375. Margaret Taylor: 40 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbytarian Church. lived formerly in Toronto and was doing pretty well. Lived latterly at Carlton and kept store, burnt out there, and husband took to drinking & finally left her which brought her to poverty, came to Toronto to get a place. seeks shelter in the mean time. Revd. Mr. Topp knew her when she was better of [off].

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Tuesday 24th March 1868

Present J. Shea Esqr. & Thos. Storm Esqr.

No applicants

The Committee for revising list of Indoor and Out door Poor met here this day Tuesday at 3 OClock P.M.

Present The Revd. Dean Grasett, Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Tyner & J. Thom

376. Thomas Corbeck: an Inmate, Committee advise that he better try if possible to find some light employment during the Summer Months.

377. William Dudley: in Case 211, recommended to find his way back to Sault St. Marys [Sault Ste. Marie] where he belongs.

378. Andrew Scarlett: in Case 339 to leave the House in about 2 or 3 weeks time as the Doctor thinks that he will be able by that time to earn his living.

379. Caroline Ryan: to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

380. Mary Rutherford: to have 4 lbs. bread per week continued during the Summer Months.

381. Edith Webb: her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.

382. Mary Percival: 4 lbs. bread per week during summer Months continued.

383 Ellen Connell: weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued on account of crippled boy.

384. Elisa O'Regan: to be continued on the List during summer, 4 lbs. bread per week.

385. Thomas Halloran: 4 lbs. bread during summer Months, quite helpless with palsey.

386. Rebecca Ivory: weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread to be continued.

387. Elizabeth Johnson: Coloured. allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

388. Ann Lloyd: her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.

Friday 27th March 1868

Present Mr. Thomas Storm.

389. Sarah Peacock: in Case 294 left the Institution, being now well enough to go to Service and earn her own living. March 30th.

390. Andrew McCormack: James not Andrew in Case 293 left with intention of going in the Country.

391. Andrew McLean: in Case 292 left to look for employment.

392. Thomas Woods: left on his own account, is now able to work.

393. James Dogherty: in Case 229, is now able to work. left the Institution

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Tuesday 31st March 1868

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394. Martha McConkey: 55 University St. her allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

395. Charlotte Parker: (Coloured) 46 Centre St. 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

396. Ann Silver: 137 Sayer St. allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week during summer

397. Mary Hudson: 12 Czar St. to be continued on the List, 4 lbs bread a week.

398. Clara Stain: 68 1/2 Elizabeth St. Allowance of 10 lbs. bread continued.

399. Elisa Gunson: 43 Albert St. 4 lbs. bread continued.

400. Elisa Wheat: 43 Albert St. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

401. Margaret Kelly: 17 1/2 Agnes Street. 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

402. Jane Corcoran: 65 Hayter St. allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

403. Mary Parrott: rear 46 Alice St. 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

404. Margaret Eaton: 31 Centre St. Allowance of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

405. {blank} Smalwood: 219 Sayer St. 8 lbs. bread per week continued.

406. Jane Ames: 51 Elm St. 12 lbs. bread continued, and also rations of Tea, Sugar &etc.

407. Ellen Laughlan: 77 Hayter St. 8 lbs. bread per week for one Month & visit.

408. Matilda Bagley: 207 1/2 Elizabeth St. continuation of 12 lbs. bread a week allowed.

409. Elizabeth Metcalf: 23 University St. 8 lbs. bread per week for one Month longer.

410. Mary Hutchinson: rear 25 Elizabeth St. to have 6 lbs. bread per week during summer.

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411. Mary Hurley: Clover Hill, Allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
412. Ann Poolbrock: Queen St. to have 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.
413. Mary Ann Bell: rear 114 Sayer St. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
414. Frederick Low: 206 Terauley St. 10 lbs. bread per week continued.
415. Bridget McHenry: 37 James Street. to have 4 lbs. bread per week and an allowance of groceries on account of her sick son.
416. Richard Bell: Centre Street, weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued, also an allowance of groceries on account of ill health.
417. Isabella Philips: an allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued. being blind and having a crippled son.
418. Bridget McCabe: 273 Queen St. west. allowed 4 lbs. bread per week.
419. Leonard Wilcox: rear 7 Renfrew St. allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
420. Frances Evitt: 180 Lumley St. 4 lbs. bread for two weeks longer.
421. Phoebe Carling: Dummer St. weekly allowance of 4lbs. bread continued.
422. Jane Curran: 33 Camden St. allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
423. Ann Sawtell: 37 Nassau St. her rations of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.
424. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.
425. Sarah Williams: 119 Terauly St. to have 4 lbs. bread per week.
426. Ann French: 195 Centre St. to have bread for two weeks longer.
427. Elisa Barber: 158 Terauly St. to have 4 lbs bread continued.
428. Dora marks: 5 Renfrew St. to have 4 lbs bread continued for one Month.
429. Margaret Densmore: 54 Dummer St. 6 lbs. bread per week for one Month.

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430. Thomas Morgan: 27 years of age. Native of Norwich, Canada, 25 Miles west of Brantford. ChofEngl. Left Home 2 weeks ago and visited some friends in Brantford, proceeded from there to Hamilton, in which place he was robbed one evening of [dollars] 23, and sadly abused. tramped down to Toronto and was obliged to call at the Police station for shelter, was directed to apply to this Institution. In a bad

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state of health at present. Doctor examined April 1st, says that Morgan is in a critical state with severe inflammation on the lungs. Wrote to his friends. April 2nd. His proper name is Thos. Buyar.

431. James Rogerson: 189 Centre St. English. Chof Engl. Married. Aged 33. Labourer. 4 Children. girl 12. girl 10. girl 5, and boy 2 years of age. From England 6 Months ago. has not been able to get Employment yet. To have 12 lbs. bread per week for a Month.

432. Martha Carr: 32 Boulton St. Recommended to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs bread continued.

Friday 3rd ~~March~~ 1868 April

Present Revd. E. Baldwin & E.H. Rutherford.

433. Thomas Morgan: in Case 430. To be admitted for the present. His friends Finley Malcolm of Tilsonburgh has been wrote to, who will most likely come after Morgan or communicate with his parents.

434. Samuel Wedge: to have his ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

435. Mary McClean: rear of Baptist Church Bond Street, to have 4 lbs. bread continued.

436. Margaret Goodwin: 71 Richmond St. East. Visitor does not consider her worthy.

437. Ann O'Niell: 41 Stanley Street. Not worth of assistance.

438. Honora Hogan: 44 Duchess St. weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

439. Sarah Hardiman: 36 James St allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

440. Catharine Keating: 71 Pine St. 4 lbs bread per week continued.

441. John O'Neill: To have an allowance of 6 lbs. bread during summer Months.

442. Penelope McMillen: 84 Elizabeth St. allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

443. Alice Torphy: to have 4 lbs. bread for two weeks longer.

444. Michael McDonnell: in Case 657 1/2 in 1867. made application for readmission into the House, brought a Note from the Mayor. Doctor to report on his Case, and Revd. Mr. Baldwin will call on his Niece and make enquiries about him.

445. Winnie McCallum: in Case 368, Came again to the {blank} with her little girl and a Note from the Mayor recommending their admission. The husband has left his employment and gone away, & she and child were turned out of doors.

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446. Sarah McGregor: rear of 15 Albert St. her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

447. Mary Gillon: No. 5 Richmond St. west. To have 6 lbs. bread per week until farther orders.

Tuesday 7th April 1868.

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

448. Ann Duvall: 132 York St. (Coloured) to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread per Week continued during the Summer Months.

449. Honora Gillon: 87 Queen St. East. to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

450. William Turner: 301 Queen St. East, recommended for a continuation of 4 lbs. bread.

451. Patrick McKew: 84 Stanley Street, allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

452. Elizabeth Burns: rear of 22 Stanley St. ration of 4 lbs. bread

453. Ann Morish: 209 Elizabeth St. 6 lbs. bread per week continued.

454. Michael Mc Donnell: in Case 404, Doctor examined says McDonnell has had double rupture for which he has been operated on twice, believes he is well able to do a good deal of work if not too heavy. Committee cannot admit him, consider him able to earn his living during Summer.

455. William Turner: 301 Queen St. East. Visitor recommends that their allowance of bread should be continued during the year.

456. Elizabeth McCauley: 19 Emily St. to have 4 lbs. bread for five Weeks only.

457. Mary Morrow: 40 Duchess St. recommended that she should have her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued to her, as she cannot do anything of consequence towards her won support.

458. Sarah McQuiggan: aged 71, and Sister aged 68 (sick) two Spinsters who lived at No. 26 Queen Street East, are recommended to have their weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread per week continued for 6 Weeks. longer.

459. Jane Cassell: 40 years of age, and daughter Louisa aged 14, say came from St. Catharines to look up some friends but could not find them, came her for shelter having no means to pay for their lodgings. English. Ch of England.

Friday 10th April 1868.

No Committee present.



460. Elizabeth Andrews: rear of 89 Centre St. English. Congregational Church. Married. Aged 48. 2 daughters 8 & 10 years of age. Husband a labourer, said to be unable to work on account of ill health. To see the Doctor to morrow at 3 O'clock. if found unable to work to be allowed 6 lbs. bread per week.

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Friday. 10th April 1868.

461. Isabella McAdams: 27 1/2 South Park Street. This is a Case rather for the Hospital, then [than] for the House of Industry. The disease in her hands and feet makes her quite incapable of aiding herself, her daughter, for some time past at service, is now obliged to stay at home, to take care of her Mother & the household generally. Visitor recommends Mrs. Adams for any relief the house may be able to grant.

462. Bridget Lloyd: Derby Lane. This Case was visited and reported on, 19th November 1866. the family then lived in Berkeley Street. They have not made much progress since & seem at present to need fuel more than anything else. This, according to the rules of the House cannot now be granted.

463. Frances Evitt: in Case 420, to be struck off the List by order of the Visitor.

464. Sarah Gilmour: No. 3 Elizabeth St. Denisons Avenue. To have her allowance of 6 lbs. bread per Week continued for one Month.

465. Mary Hickling: her allowance of 4 lbs bread to be continued.

466. William John aged 8 years, Elizabeth Jane aged 6 years, Osborne aged 4 years and Ruth aged 2 years, Children of Henry John Medcalfe found yesterday in a destitute neglected state in charge of their Mother who is a drunkard, on Sayer St. The Children were brought here by the Police by order of the mayor, and the Mother arrested for being drunk. They had out door relief from the Institution for some time.

Tuesday 14th April 1868

Present W.J. McDonnell Esqr.

467. Cornelius Connell: Irish. R.C. say about 37 years of age. A crippled Idiot. takes fits. The Case is well known at the House, the Mother of this Idiot had relief from the Institution for years, she is now in the House of Providence. The Cripple was sent here last Saturday by the Police Magistrate having been arrested as a Vagrant on the Public Streets of this City. The Case referred by weekly Committee to General Board.

468. The Children of Medcalf in Case 430, To be admitted for the present.

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469. Sarah Gilmor: 8 James St. East. to have 4 lbs. bread, and be visited .

470. Isabella McAdams: 27 1/2 South Park St. to have her ration of 8 lbs. continued.

471. Catharine Kelly: 10 Duchess St. Visitor recommends bread as usual until the warm weather fairly sets in say, 1st of June, and refer again.

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472. Bridget Efferson: 58 Duke St. Visitor recommends her for bread for the next two Months at all events. Visitor will be at home again then, and the Case can be referred to him if further assistance is required after that.

473. Ann Doyle: Pine Street. If the Medical Man at the House says that Ann Doyle suffers to such an extent from an affection of the heart as to prevent her earning her own livelihood, Visitor would recommend to continue the bread through the year.

474. William Brown: 72 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. 17 years in Canada, 12 years in Cobourg and 5 years in Cartwright. Came to Toronto to get into General Hospital with a sore leg. says the Mayor sent him to this Institution for shelter.

475. William Dudley: in Case 377 left the House, has got Employment.

476. Winnie McCallum: in Case 405 left with her child. Husband has employment.

Friday 17th April 1868.

Present J.T. Smith Esqr. & W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

477. Mary Kearney: Corner of Crookshank & Mutual Street. 49 years of age, husband 60. 1 son 10 years old, Husband is confined to his bed with a running sore of his legs, are very poor. Recommended 4 lbs. of Bread per week and some Tea & Sugar.

478. Michael Conners: 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. 36 years in Canada, for the last 8 years in Toronto. Sore legs. says not able to work. was sent from the Mayors Office for admission into House of Industry.

479. Bertha Stinson: in Case 340 died this day April 19th at 5 1/2 OClock P.M. Aged 73 years.

Tuesday 21st April 1868

Present Revd. J.F. Jamot & E. Hobson

480. Michael Conners: 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. 36 years in Canada, last 8 years in Toronto. Sore legs, says not able to work, was sent from the Mayors Office for admission into House of Industry. To see the Doctor, and if a proper case to be admitted for a time.

481. Sarah Bloomer: to have 4 lbs. bread per week until 1st of June.

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Tuesday 21st April 1868

482. Margaret Douglass: 228 Queen St. west. to have 4 lbs. bread during Summer.

483. Ann Doyle: to have her allowance of 4 lbs bread during Summer Months.

484. Elisa Jolland: to have a ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

485. Ann Barber: to have an allowance of 6 lbs bread during summer.

486. Bridget Efferson: to have 4 lbs. bread per week for two Months.

487. Timothy Harrington: to have 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

488. Sarah gilmor: 8 James St. to have 4 lbs. bread per week.

489. Mary Jamison: 30 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Widow. 3 Children who are in the Country. says has been in Service with Mrs. Isaac Gilmor, but left on account of sore legs. was sent by the mayor for admission. To be admitted.

Friday 24th April 1868.

Present Revd. J.F. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

490. Elizabeth Ann aged 9, Robert aged 7, Sophia aged 4 and Maria aged 2 years. Children of Elizabeth and Robert Wilson, recommended for admission by Mrs. Grasett, the Mother has lately been confined with twins and is in a delicate state of health and her husband away on the lakes, it would only be for a short time until the Mother gets better or the husband returns. Children are Canadians. Ch of Engl. To be admitted.

491. Mary Madigan: 118 Victoria St. her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

492. Margaret Gale: 21 Queen {Queen St.} East, her weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued, and a little Sugar, Tea, [etc.]

494. Catharine Croswell: 28 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. from near Windsor Canada where she lived 11 years, one Child Thomas aged 4 Months with her. Says, came to Toronto 2 weeks ago in passenger carr [car] and husband in fright [freight] carr and somehow missed one another, has not seen her husband since. Was sent here by Police Magistrate as one being destitute and no place to go to. Admitted in building for casual poor for a time.

495. Mary Ann Knight: 332 1/2 Adelaide St. West. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread for a Month longer, and an allowance of groceries on account of bother her and her husband being ill.

496. Mary Ann Blackmore: and Child in Case 688 in 1867, who had shelter in building for casual poor left the Institution, a bad woman, will not work, abusive, and quarrelling with others.

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497. Thomas Morgan: alias Burgar, in case 433. left the Institution. April 27th

Tuesday 28th April 1868

Present Revd. S. J. Boddy, B. Homer Dixon Esqr & J. Thom Esqr.

498. The Children Medcalf in Case 432, to be admitted, and to be apprenticed according to the By-Laws of the Institution.

499. William Dunlevie: 70 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Sore legs. Not able to earn his living. Seeks admission into House of Industry for a Month or six weeks. Resident of Toronto. Admitted.

Friday 1st May, 1868.

Present Messrs. B. Homer Dixon, J. Thom & E. Hobson.

500. William John Metcalf: in Case 466 ran away from the Institution by climbing the fence. They had been taking [taken] out by the Mother, but were sent back here by order of the Mayor with the exception of the youngest child who is with the Mother.

501. Mary Ann Brown: 40 years of age. Irish. Chof Engl. Came from Quebec 5 Months ago, lived in Yorkville since her arrival. Came here for shelter last Wednesday. Seems in a bad state of health. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a few days.

Tuesday 5th May 1868.

Present J. Doel Esqr.

502. Ellen Cole: 132 Richmond St. west, Visitor recommends 8 lbs. Bread per Week for 2 weeks, and an allowance of Groceries, on account of sickness.

503. George Sanders: 62 Adelaide St. East. 60 years of age. 3 Sons. George 25. Edward 17. Alfred 13. The eldest Son on whom the support of the family mainly depends, has been confined to his bed by illness since his arrival in this Country three weeks ago. English Chof England. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Sugar Tea [etc.]

504. John Dolton: 62 Stanley St. Received relief during the Winter. Recommended an allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week.

505. Mary Ann Brown: in Case 465, begun to be very troublesome and unmanageable, was removed from here by the Police

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506. William Turner: Coloured. in Case 538 in 1867, was baptised by the Revd. Mr. Baker of St. James' Cathedral.

507. Elisa Sherkey: and Child left the Institution. See 336 in 1865.

Friday 8th may 1868.

Present E. Hobson Esqr for J. Doel Esqr.

508. Jane Ames: 51 Elm Street. to have Groceries on account of her sick boy.

509. Ann Boles: 201 Centre St. Coloured, to have 8 lbs. bread per week for one Month. Children have the measles.

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510. John Johnston: 31 years of age. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. 14 years in Canada. last 6 years in Toronto. Has a severe cold and stiffness in his limbs. Recommended by Mr. Alderman Boxall for a few days admission. Admitted.

511. Christopher Deacons: aged 57. Labourer, and his daughter Emily aged 15 years, recommended by the Police Magistrate for shelter until Monday. Deacons came from Brantford where he fell from a scaffold and broke his arm, he is now on his way to Georgian Bay.

512. William Turner: Coloured. in Case 538 in 1867. died this day (May 11th) at 5 OClock P.M. of Consumption. Aged 5 years. See Case 506.

513. Jane Lanchester: 41 years of age. Native of England. English Church. 7 years in Canada. lately from Weston. seeks shelter for a few days. came on the 9th and left on the 11th of May.

Tuesday 12th May. 1868.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

514. Mary Jamison: in Case 489. asked leave to go out for a few hours which was granted, when she came home in the evening she was under the influence of bad Whiskey, which so outrageously operated on her that she had to be removed of [off] the premises by a Constable. May 14th.

515. Garrett Flood: 66 Elizabeth Street. Irish. R.C. Married. Aged 51. 2 Children, boy 7 & girl 9 years of age. Says he is in Consumption. Visitor recommends that Flood see the Doctor next Friday.

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Friday 15th May 1868.

Present Revd. Dr. Green

516. Garrett Flood: in Case 515. Doctor examined, and states that Flood has a considerable amount of disease in the right lung, but the left is very slightly affected. He has consumption of the slow form.

Tuesday 19th May 1868.

No Committee present.

517. Garrett Flood: in above Case to have 6 lbs. Bread per week.

518. Margaret Densmor: 54 Dummer St. Now a Widow. Husband died 6 Weeks ago. Aged 41. Irish. R.C. Church. 5 Children. Girls 12. 8 & 2. boys 11 & 5 years of age. To have 6 lbs. bread for a Month.

519. Robert B. Walker: Native of England. Ch of England. 15 years in different parts of the United States, came this Morning from Detroit (May 21st) and was sent to this Institution for admission by the Mayor of Toronto, as one unable to work and perfectly destitute. The Man says he tried to commit suicide at 3 different times, seems to be in a queer state of Mind. stayed about an hour, when he left the Institution.

Friday 22nd May 1868.

Present A.F. McCord Esqr.

520. John Purchase: English. Chof Engl. 63 years of age. 35 years in Canada. Lived some years on the Kingston road and worked at Gardening in Toronto. was in the Gael Hospital for last four Months. brought here yesterday by the Gael Van with a Note from the Police Magistrate requesting his admission. To be received temporarily.

521. Joseph Lusty: 86 years of age. Native of England. Baptist Church. was formerly an Inmate, (see Case 319) seeks readmission. To be admitted.

522. Timothy Harrington: 84 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. Has been several times an Inmate. seeks readmission. Admitted.

523. Mary Norie: Irish. R.C. has been several times an Inmate, but left each time through her drinking propensities. Seeks readmission again. Committee cannot admit her, at least during the summer Months.

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Friday 22nd May 1868.

523 1/2. Catharine Croswell: and Child in Case 494, to be admitted into the House on account of her making herself general useful.

524. Ann Wright: aged 36, and four Children, John 11, Thomas 9, Hannah 7 & Mary Elizabeth aged 5 years. Came from Yorkshire, England, by Steamer Peruvian, arrived in Toronto last week, to meet her husband who came out 6 Months ago, she was at the Emigrant Office since arrival, was sent to day to this Institution by the Mayor for admission with her Children until her husband turns up, who has been advertised for.

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Tuesday 26th May 1868

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

525. Ellen Laughlan: rear of 77 Hayter Street. Doctor visited Mrs. Laughlan's Husband and found him seriously ill although going about. To have 8 lbs. bread per week.

526. Joseph Wilson: 35 years of age. Canadian, born in Toronto. Labourer. says, has a pain in his side which proceeds from a {decaged} rib, in consequence of which he is not able to earn his living, seeks admission. Brought a Note from the Mayor who recommends his admission. admitted.

527. Mary Ryan: in Case 574 in 1866. returned to the House as ordered by Committee.

Friday 29th May 1868

Present Revd. Dean Grasett

528. Mary Ann Bell: 84 years of age. Widow. Irish. Ch of England. An old out door Pensioner, has also been an Inmate several times. Revd. Mr. Darling made application for her readmission. Mrs. Bell is getting now very inform, and not fit to live by herself. Admitted.

Tuesday 1st June 1868.

No Committee present.

529. George Jackson: in Case 311, has been to work at Service, came back to Toronto, brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission into House of Industry.

520. Mary Ann Bell: in Case 528, left the Institution on her own account.

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Friday, June 5/68

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

531. Mary Norie: in Case 523, to have 4 lbs. bread for the present, and to bring her Number, to be visited.

532. George Jackson: Coloured. in Case 529, cannot be admitted, having no claim on this Charity.

533. Wm. John and Ruth Metcalf recommended for admission by the Mayor, The boy ran away from the Institution when here before, and fore the Infant, the Committee considers the Mother (being a young healthy woman) is able to provide fire, the Mother also refusing giving them up to the Institution to be apprenticed according to the By-Law's can therefore not be admitted.

534. Elizabeth Jane & Osborne Metcalf: in Case 500 were taking [taken] out of this Institution by the Mother.

Tuesday 9th June 1868

Present E. Hobson Esqr. for Revd. S. Givins and H. Rowsell Esqr.

535. Patrick Meehan: in Case 579 1/2 in 1864, was left at the Gate by a Cabman who said that Meehan paid his fare and desired to be left there. says was sent by his County Counsel to Toronto to get into the Poor House. Committee cannot entertain his Case as he was last year sent back to his own Municipality by order of General Board.

536. George Watkin: Aged 36 years. Native of Devenshire [Devonshire], England, but in Canada since he was 12 months old, was in General Hospital 2 years and 4 months until it's closing up with a bad ancle [ankle]. Seeks admission having no means or friends. To see the Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted. Chof Engl.

537. Thomas McCann: 61 years of age. Native of Ireland. Chof England. Cripple with wooden stump, has been 5 years in General Hospital, the latter part of which he acted as Hall Porter until the closing of that Institution. Lived last winter in the Country, seeks now admission into the House of Industry. Recommended to go back into the Country, or call again on Friday, as there is no spare bed at present.

538. Patrick Meehan: was brought before Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate and ordered to be sent back to his own Municipality. See Case 535.

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Friday 12th June 1868

Present E. Hobson Esqr. for Revd. Mr. Givins and H. Rowsell Esqr.

539. Mary McKenzie: Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Aged 30. Widow. One son, James, 8 years of age. Seeks admission into the House, says was turned out of her House on account of not paying her rent. Committee advise that she give her boy to some charitable Institution, and go herself to service.

540. William Bell: 68 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. was formerly an inmate (see Case 681 in 1867.) seeks readmission. Not able to earn his living. Admitted.

541. Mary Ann Bennett: 68 years of age, Irish. R.C. Widow. Visitor would be glad if she could continue to receive out door relief. (bread) through the Summer. She is really very destitute and not capable of earning her own livelihood. To have 4 lbs. bread per week.

542. Mary Johnson: Lane between Berkly [Berkeley] and Parliament St. Visitor would recommend some bread for one Month. She is an industrious woman, and able and willing to work, but has been wholly unable to obtain any scrubbing or any other employment for some time past. She has no friends to assist her, and with the little help for a time she would be able to get on afterwards.

Tuesday 16th June 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Ellerby

543. Dorah Marks: 5 Renfrew St. applied for relief on behalf of her sister Mary who has been sick last winter and is still in feeble health. Case referred to Visitor.

544. John Thomas: in Case 667 in 1867, left the Institution, going to work.

545. John Purchase: in Case 520, left the Institution, is gone to Scarborough where he has Children living.

546. Mary Cradock: 367 Queen St west. Married. 47 years of age. 3 Children Girl 15, & 2 boys 6 & 8 years old. Husband 57. Congregational. English. Came out by steamer Hibernia. No employment at present. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week.

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547. William Williams: 367 Queen St. west. Aged 36. Wife 29. 3 Children. boy 8, girl 5 and baby 9 months old. English Chof Engl. Came in the same ship as the afore going Case. To have 8 lbs. bread until he gets employment.

548. Alfred Winscomb: Married. Aged 40. Wife 39. 3 Children. Girl 15, girl 14 and girl 13. English. Methodist Church. Came in the same ship as the two above Cases. To have 8 lbs. of bread per week until he gets work.

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Friday 19th June 1868

Present S. Rogers Esqr. & Revd. T.S. Ellerby

549. Joseph Wilson: in Case 526, left the Institution. June 20th.

Tuesday 23th June 1868

Present The Revd. Dr. Barclay & Thomas Storm Esqr.

No Applicants

Friday 26th Juen 1868

Present Thos. Storm Esqr.

550. Dorah Marks: 5 Renfrew St. The sister is still in nearly as bad a state as regards procuring a livelihood as when previously reported. The granting of relief recommended to be continued.

551. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope Street. Her husband completely invalided and herself unable to do any hard work. They are very badly off. Bread and Groceries recommended.

552. Benjamin Boosey: in 640. 1867. Left the Institution this day (June 27th,) he is now sufficiently recovered to earn his own living.

Tuesday 30th June 1868.

Present J. Tyner Esqr. for E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

No Applicants

Friday 3rd July 1868

No Committee present

558. Louisa Hibbard: aged 42. English. Chof Engl. Spinster. 10 years in Canada. Lived in Toronto and different places at Service. Came from London C.W. [Canada West] a few days ago, expected to find a Brother in Toronto, found he left Toronto. She is in a bad state of health and destitute. was sent by the Mayor for admission.

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July 4th 1868

554. Bridget Hennessy: 27 years of age. three weeks out from Ireland in search of her husband who came to Canada 12 months ago. Arrived today from Montreal with 3 Children, Elisa 5, John 4 and Thomas 1 1/2 years old. seeks shelter for a few days. expects to find her husband in Toronto. R.C.

555. Jenny Hartman: 7 years of age. Chof Engl. Was brought here by Mrs. Grassett for a few weeks admission, the Mother of the child having been admitted into Lying in Hospital. from the Country.

556. George Mack: in Case 663 in 1867. went on trial with James Taylor who lives near Fiskins on Yonge St. will clothe feed and School the Lad and bring him up to Market Gardening.

Tuesday 7th July 1868

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

557. Louisa Hibbard: in Case 553. to see Doctor and if a suitable case to be admitted for a time, and when to make herself general useful.

558. Catharine Kelly: 10 Duchess St. recommended to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during the Summer Months.

Friday 10th July 1868

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

559. Mary Ryan: 39 years of age. Coloured. Methodist Church. in bad health cannot support herself at present, seeks admission. she is the mother of the 3 Children by that name in the House at present. Admitted for a time & to make herself general useful.

560. James Dogherty: 61 years of age. Irish. R.C. Applied for readmission. Committee consider he is able to earn his living cannot therefore admit him. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor until Monday but no longer.

561. Rebecca Broomfield: 75 Elizabeth St. to have 8 lbs. bread per week for one month and a full ration of groceries, on account of smallpox in the family.

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562. Ann Crighton: Aged 40. Scotch. Chof Engl. 4 Children, Abraham 10, Fanny 7, Sarah Ann 3 years, and a baby 3 months old. Came from Owen Sound 9 months ago. her husband a shoemaker deserted her and family in Toronto two

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weeks since, says she has no home for self and Children, being obliged to leave the place she stayed on account of having no money to pay her way. seeks admission with her children until Monday when she will endeavour to get back to Owen Sound where she has friends.

Tuesday 14th July 1868

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

563. Michael Conners: in Case 478, left the Institution intends going to Lindsay where he belongs. July 16th.

564. Henry Ryan: Coloured. Aged 2 1/2 years. Died this day July 16th. At 10 OClock P.M. See Case 347.

Friday 17th July 1868

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

565. Mary Norie: Aged 77. Widow. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Made application again for readmission into the Institution. Admitted, but will not be allowed leave to go out. See case 531.

566. George Thomas: 48 years of age. Canadian. Ch of England. Nearly blind. Resides at Delhi Township of Middleton, left his Wife and Children a week since and came to Toronto to receive treatment for his Eyes, which Doctor Rosebrugh promises free of charge. In the mean time Thomas has no means of supporting himself. seeks admission into the House. Has no legitimate Claim on the House. but still Committee will allow temporary shelter for a Month to see whether he can receive any benefit.

567. Eliza Burns: In Case 471 in 1863 died this day July 18th at 3 Oclock P.M. Aged 53.

568. Thomas Butcher: In Case 338 in 1864 died this day July 20th with Jaundice aged 75.

Friday 21st July 1868

Present E. Hobson, Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell for Revd. Mr. Jamot

No Applicants

569. John O'Brien: a Blind Inmate died this day (July 22nd) with debility. Aged 68. See Case of Admittance, 20 in 1846. Was an Inmate for 22 years.

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570. Ann Crighton: (in Case 562) and Children left here and went to live with friends in the Country.

571. Mary Butler: an Inmate asked permission to leave the House for 2 months to see some friends. July 23d.

572. Catharine Croswell: and Child left the Institution. July 23d.

Friday July 24th 1868

Present E. Hobson Esqr & W.J. MacDonell Esqr for Revd. Mr. Jamot

573. William Fisher: aged 8 years, gone on trial previous of being bound to John Wilson of Oshawa. See Case 462 in 1864.

574. Robert Johnson: Case 327 in 1867. hired himself to John Wilson of Oshawa. July 25th.

Friday 28th July 1868

Present J. Thom Esqr. & Revd. S. J. Boddy

575. Frank Morris: Aged 69. Native of Ireland. Member of Church of England was sent here last Saturday with a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission. Morris by his own account resided in Cobourg for the last fourteen years, but not being able to earn his living any longer, came to Toronto to seek admission into the Poor House. Cannot be admitted, having no claim on this Charity.



576. Benjamin Sweet: Aged 64. Native of Nova Scotia. Ch of England. Came from Miramichy [Miramichi] New Brunswick and intended to go to some friends who live in the State of Michigan, but unfortunately lost [dollars] 20 in Montreal, and for his passage to Toronto his Box of Clothes was retained by the Purser of the Boat, the fare being [dollars] 3. He is now entirely without means. Revd. Mr. Boddy will make enquiries whether his Box can be recovered, and in the mean time the Committee will allow him to remain here until he can communicate with his friends. Address to his nephew. John Sweet, Manister Michigan.

Friday 31st July 1868

Present J. Thom Esqr.

577. Margaret Higgins: 48 years of age. Irish. Ch of England. Seeks shelter for a few days, says was burnt out on McMahon St.

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Tuesday 4th August 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Bishop

578. Donald McPherson: 37 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Nearly blind, from Montreal. Came to Toronto a few days ago. Brought a note from Mr. Mortimer, Clark, Secretary of St. Andrew's Society, recommending his admission for a few days until Dr. Roseburgh operates on his eyes. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a few days.

579. James Bowls: 45 years of age. Not married. Irish. Church of England. Says, has been a resident in Toronto these 27 years. Sore feet. not able at present to earn his living. Was sent here by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate to be received into this Institution as a vagrant. Bowls left again on the 6th will try to get into General Hospital.

Friday 7th August 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Bishop

580. Martha Jones: (Coloured) 217 Centre St. Methodist Church. 5 Children. Husband in Consumption. To have 8 lbs. of bread per Week and a small ration of Tea, Sugar &etc.

581. Andrew Scarlett: In Case 378, left the Institution, will go to Kingston.

582. Mary Sullivan: Aged 26. Irish. R.C. 4 years in Canada. Came up from Quebec and intends going to Hamilton. Seeks shelter until after Monday, when she will be able to procure a pass from the Mayor.

583. Luke Bradney: 50 years of age. From Birmingham, England. ChofEngl. Came to the States in April last. Arrived in Toronto last week, says is on his way to Montreal, where he expects to find two brothers. Seeks shelter for a few days, being very bad with the Summer complaint.

Tuesday 11th August 1868

No Committee present.

584. Mary Wilson: in Case 490 was baptized this day (August 12th) by the Revd. Mr. Baker of St. James' Cathedral.

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Friday 14th August 1868

Present A. T. McCord Esqr.

585. James Bowls: in Case 579, allowed to stay over until Monday next, when he will exert himself to get employment.

586. Luke Bradney: in Case 583. Allowed to have shelter in building for casual poor until he gets somewhat better.

587. Thomas McCann: in Case 537, made application for admission again. To be admitted until he can find some employment.

588. George Mack: in Case 556. Ran away from his place August 17th. Mr. Taylor gave information at No. 1 Police Station. Only strayed, back same day.

589. Maria Lilburne: 32 years of age. Native of Ireland. Ch. Of England. Widow of Thomas. late of the Canadian Rifles. Came from New London and is on her way to Quebec. 6 Children Thomas 13, William 11, John 7, Susan 5, Henry 4 and Robert 11 Months old. Seeks shelter for a day or so until she can secure a pass. August 17th

590. Louisa Hibbard: in Case 557, left the Institution, is now well enough to go to Service. August 17th

591. John Dill: an Inmate died this day (August 17th) at half past eleven P.M. in the eighty third year of his age.

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Tuesday 18th August 1868

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

592. John Bright: the Cataleptic in Case 475 in 1867 found his way out of the Gate yesterday (Monday) was taken up the same night drunken and disorderly and sent to Gaol for 30 days.

593. Luke Bradney: in Case 583 Died this morning (August 22.) Diarrhea [diarrhea].

594. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 666 in 1867, left the Institution this day (August 24th) intends going to Chicago where she has friends, who she says, are able to support her.

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Tuesday 25th August 1868

No Committee present.

595. Robert Gorman: in Case 693 in 1866, Died this day (August 27th) at half past 8 O'Clock A.M. at the age of 85 years.

596. Sarah Willey: in Case 357, died this day (August 27th) at quarter past four O'Clock A.M. Aged 75 years.

Friday 28th August 1868

No Committee present

597. Ellen Shoal: rear of 121 1/2 Adelaide St west. Married. Aged 22 years, Husband 23, but the latter is in bad health. They have no Children. One year in this Country. English. Chof England. To have 4 lbs. bread per Week, but not more than 3 weeks without farther notice, and a little Oatmeal, Rice &etc.

Tuesday 1st September 1868

Present George Rowell Esqr.

598. William Henry Evans: aged 3 years and Thomas Evans aged 12 months, two youngest Children of Alexander & Elisa Evans. were sent here last Friday, by the Mayor for admittance into this Institution. Canadians. ChofEngl. Evans is in Gaol awaiting his trial for shooting his wife Elisa. The youngest Child is not baptized yet. Admitted.

599. Donald McPherson: in Case 578 admitted into the House for some time, as Dr. Rosebrugh promisses him sight if he could get a bed.

600. James Dundas: in Case 481 in 1863 died on 30th of August last. Aged 65 years.

Friday 4th September 1868

Present George Rowell Esqr.

601. Selina Priestly: 47 years of age. Irish. R.C. 13 years in Canada. Widow. Used formerly [to] live in Toronto, but for the last four years lived on Dundas St. four miles from Toronto. In bad health, apparently consumption, was refused admittance to General Hospital, recommended by Dr. Kennedy for admission into House of Industry. To see Doctor and if nothing infectious to be admitted. Dr. Ogden examined, says her Case is Consumption. Left again on 16th September.

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Tuesday 8th September 1868

No Committee present.

602. Paul Clifford: 20 years of age. English Ch of Engl. From England 2 years, lived in the States, came to Toronto two weeks ago, could not obtain steady employment. In a very bad state of health with summer complaint. No means and no friends. Seeks shelter until he gets better; & to be able to go to work again.

603. Mary Wilkinson: 39 years of age. Widow. Irish. R.C. 2 Children. Chof Engl. Elizabeth 8 and Anthony 5 years of age. Seeks shelter for a few days, to clear herself and Children from filth vermin. Has no settled home.

604. Benjamin Lee: (Coloured) in Case 227, left the Institution to look for Employment, is now restored to health, and able to work. Septbr. 8th.

Friday 11th September 1868

No Committee present

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605: Joseph Flower: Aged 26 years. Native of England. Ch of England. 18 Months in Canada. Sore eyes, attends at Dr. Rosebrugh. Seeks shelter for a few days.

606. Sarah Duffy: Aged 29 years. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. Lived in Canada (Montreal) 19 years, left Montreal on account of her husband who is given to drink, has one child with her, John, aged 6 years. Seeks shelter for herself and Child until she can get Employment. Seems a decent body.

607. Thomas Lando: 86 years of age. See Case of admittance 462 in 1858 died this day Septbr. 12th at one O'Clock A.M.

Tuesday 15th September 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Topp, Revd. Mr. Ellerby & S. Rogers, Esq.

608. William Dunn: an Inmate in Case 263 in 1867, applied to Committee for leave to be out during the day, for a few months, says a man on Centre Street will learn him the trade of Shoemaking, and pay him likewise a dollar a week for his work, which Dollar Dunn is willing to pay the Institution for his support. The Committee consider the Case an exceptional one, and will grant the leave, Dunn to pay the Dollar a week to Superintendent, and when he has learned the trade and able to earn his living by it, he is then to receive the money back to be enabled to buy Clothes and tools.

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Tuesday Septbr. 15th 1868

609. Mary Wilkinson: in Case 603, to be allowed to remain in building for casual poor until some arrangement can be made for her Children.

610. Hannah Marie Dimond: Aged 20. Husband (who is paralyzed) 50 years of age. Canadian. Presbyterian Church. 2 Children, girls, aged 8 & 5 respectively. Seeks relief. To have a loaf for the present, and to bring her Number.

Friday 18th September 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Topp & Revd. Mr. Ellerby

611. Louisa Hibbard: in Case 590, made application for readmission into this Institution, finds she cannot do the work required of her in Service. Admitted, with the understanding that she make herself general useful.

612. Mary Wilkinson: in Case 609, begs to be allowed to remain with her Children in building for casual poor until Monday, when she will leave for Montreal.

Tuesday 22nd September 1868

Present Messrs. Thos. Storm & E. Hobson

613. Catharine Brown: Sydenham Lane. Brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending the admission of a Child 12 months old, named William Henry Hughes, whose Parents Mrs. Brown says have gone to the States and deserted their Child. To come again on Friday, enquiries will be made in the mean time, and if her statement proves correct the Child will then be admitted.

614. Joseph Flower: in Case 605, to be admitted for a time.

Friday 25th September 1868

Present Mr. Thomas Storm

615. William Henry Hughes: in Case 613 to be admitted. Mr. Thomas Storm made enquiries and found Mrs. Browns statement correct.

617. Patrick Moore: in Case 484, rather dirty in his habits, when told about it, left the Institution in consequence. Septbr. 22d.

618. Catharine Lowler: 24 St. Alban Street. 41 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. 6 Children, the Father and two Children in House of Providence with fever. the rest at home and one sick with fever. To have 8 lbs. of bread per week & a small ration of Tea, Sugar &etc. "Error" Husband and Children in General Hospital not House of Providence.

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Tuesday 29th September 1868

Present Revd. E. Baldwin & E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

No Applications

Friday 2nd October 1868

Present E. Hobson Esqr. for E.H. Rutherford Esq.

619. Hannah Maria Diamond: 98 1/2 Ann St. 40 years of age. Husband 48. A shoemaker by trade, is suffering from diseased legs & diarrhea. 2 Children Ann 8. Mary 5 1/2 years old. Irish. Church of England. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week. See Case 610.

Tuesday 6th October 1868

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

620. Robert Evans: an Inmate left the Institution, and is now on a drunken spree. See Case 614 in 1867.

Friday 8th October 1868

Present J. Tyner Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Pitcher

621. Louise Hibbard: in Case 590 made application for readmission into House of Industry. Admitted on condition to make herself general useful.

622. William Dollon: in Case 573 in 1867. Went to General Hospital. Septbr. {illegible}

623. William Dunlevie: in Case 499, went to General Hospital. Octbr. 5th

624. Ann Wilson: Widow. Aged 39 years. Native of Scotland. Chof England. One Child with her, Sarah, aged 7 years. came from Niagara, intends going to Lachine where she has friends. No means to pay her way, seeks shelter until she can procure a pass from the Mayor.

Tuesday 13th October 1868

Present W.J. MacDonnell Esqr. & J.T. Smith Esqr.

625. Margaret Densmore: 54 Dummer Street. A widow since last spring, aged 39. Has one boy at Penetanguishene in the Reformatory and 4 at home, a boy 7 years old and 3 girls 14, 9 and 3 respectively. Apparently poor. An old Man, a Tailor lives in the House, she supports herself by washing & etc. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Wants bread. She is to apply herself and see Committee who want to know, why the eldest Girl is at home.



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Tuesday 13th October 1868

626. Daniel Mulloy: an old Pensioner in receipt of 8 pence per day, formerly an Inmate, applied for readmission, appears he has spent his pension for this quarter, which was paid on the 1st October. Committee consider Mulloy should live on the means at his command, but may apply again on Friday. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church.

627. Patrick Moore: in Case 617, made application for readmission. Committee refer his case to Dr. Ogden. Dr. examined and states, he is certain that Moore will never recover his sight and that it is perfectly useless for him to go out with that expectation.

Friday 16th October 1868

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

628. Daniel Mulloy: in Case 626 will have to bring a note from Major MacDonald Staff Officer of Pensioners, certifying that Mulloy's pension will be paid to this Institution, if, admitted as an Inmate.

629. Patrick Moore: in Case 627 to be admitted, may be allowed to go to Dr. Rosebrugh say, once a month or every 6 weeks, to see whether there is any hope of improving his sight.

630. Catharine Cox: say 6 years of age. was sent here by Alderman Riddle for admission, the mother having been sent to Gaol for 30 days.

Tuesday 20th October 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

631. Daniel Mulloy: in Case 628, brought a note from Major MacDonald as suggested by Committee on Friday last. To be admitted, with the understanding that he behave himself in a proper manner, and make himself general useful.

632. Robert Evans: in case 620 to be readmitted. Promised to drink no more whiskey in future.

633. Catherine Cox: in Case 630 to be admitted.

634. Rebecca Burgess: brought here by a Police Constable from No. 2 Station having been found wandering about the Streets. About 9 years of age. says a Woman brought her into Toronto and left her. Admitted.

635. Samuel Wedge: ^760 in 1867^ says is 84 next Christmas day. English. Chof Engl. Has been an Outdoor Pensioner of the House for many years. Seeks admission. To be admitted.

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Tuesday 20th October 1868

636. Mary Jane Turner: (Coloured). In case 655 in 1867 was taken out of the Institution by her Mother.

637. Ann Maria Henderson: 56 years of age. Irish. Ch of England. Widow. Lived in Toronto about 6 years. Suffers from a fall into a cellar which happened about 2 weeks ago. Not able to earn her living at present. The Case was before the General Board who referred her to the Doctor &, if considered a proper case, to be admitted. Doctor saw Mr. Henderson and reports she may be admitted.

Friday 23th October 1868

Present Revd. J.F. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

638. Ann McArgue: An old woman aged 74 years, was sent here on the twentieth by the Police Magistrate for admission, having been arrested by the Police of this City. Mrs. McArgue says, she came from Quebec a few days ago, where she lived for the last 53 years. A native of England. Ch of England. The Committee offered her admission, but she preferred going out, looking up her friends.

639. James Blakey: aged 46 years. A paralytic Cripple. Begged about the City for many years. Was sent here for admission by Alexd. Macnabb Esq. P.M. [Police Magistrate] Irish. R.C. Church. Admitted.

640. Mary Norie: in Case 565 died this day (Octbr 23rd) at 2 Oclock P.M. General debility. Aged 77.

Tuesday 27th October 1868

Present B. Homer Dixon Esqr.

641. James McHale: 72 Stanley St. applied for relief. To have temporary assistance for the present.

Friday 30th October 1868

Present Revd. S.J. Boddy and J. Thom Esqr.

642. John Taylor: an old {stager} see Case 676 in 1866. About 79 years of age, says 99. English. Chof Engl. was sent here for admission by Mr. Alderman Baxter having been arrested by the Police for Vagrancy. Admitted until his friends, who have been enquiring after him, can be communicated with.

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643. Margaret Densmore: in Case 625, applied says her girl 14 is in bad health has been for that reason at home, the girl to see our doctor at 3 OClock, and if the statement's found correct, then she may have a casual loaf.

644. Peter Courtney: Aged 84 years. Irish. R.C. Church. Was an inmate formerly but was taken out by his Son last spring, applies for readmission. Blind. Committee recommend Out door relief, if his friends will keep the old man on those terms, and if not to be admitted.

645. James Cooley: 76 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. From Dunnville, says, came to Toronto to see the Doctor, no means to pay his lodgings. seeks shelter until Monday when he intends going back to Dunnville.

646. Thomas Howard: Aged 23. Irish. R.C. from Montreal a few days ago. expects to get Employment in Toronto. Seeks shelter until Monday.

Tuesday 3rd November 1868

No Committee present

647. Catharine Hadley: 60 years of age. Widow. Native of Ireland. Ch of England, two years in Canada. Lived with a Brother at Stanfold who behaved rather badly to her, so that she was obliged to leave. For the last twelve Months in Toronto in Service at different places. Not able to earn her living any longer, seeks admission. Recommended by Mrs. Grassett.

648. Elizabeth Read: 137 Centre St. 35 years of age. Irish. Ch of England. Husband an old Man not able to work. 4 Children, Girls 12, 9, 7 and 5 years of age respectively. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, and a ration of Sugar, Tea &etc. during her confinement, which she expects shortly to take place.

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Present J. Tyner Esqr. for Revd. Mr. Bishop

649. Ann Maria Henderson: in Case 637. seems to be under the impression that she ought not to work here. was advised by Committee, that as long as she remains an Inmate of this House, to be agreeable towards the other Inmates, and to make herself general useful, which the Doctor says she is able to do.

650. Mary McMackin: 45 years of age. Widow. Irish. Ch of England. was sent here by Mr. Alderman Boxall for a few days admission, until her face gets better, which is badly burned through the explosion of a Coal Oil Lamp. Will make herself useful. Admitted. Left Dcbr. 10

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Friday Novbr. 6th 1868

651. Catharine Hadley: in Case 647, to be admitted for a time, to make herself useful while here. Left Novbr [November] 17.

Friday 10th Novbr. 1868

Present A. T. McCord Esqr.

652. Catharine Gunn: aged 28 years. Canadian Presbyterian Church. 2 Children with her, Henrietta 8, and James 2 years of age. They came from Brighton and intend going to Caladonia [Caledonia], seek shelter for a few days, to rest.

653. Donald McPherson: an Inmate, see Case 599, was out during the day to see Dr. Rosebrugh, came home intoxicated, made use of foul Language, and spoke in a very insulting manner to one of the Female Inmates. Novbr 11.

Friday 13th Novbr. 1868

No Committee present

654. Thomas Heazle: 22. Native of Quebec. Lately from Montreal, seeks shelter for a few days, says not able to do heavy work on account of an accident last year at Flamborough, by which he broke his left arm & left leg. Intends going to Flamborough again after a few days rest.

655. Charles Earles: 39. Wife 40. 6 Children. Patrick 12, Thomas 10, Mary 8, John 7, William 4 and Mark 2 years of age respectively. Ch of England. Natives of Newfoundland. They were wrecked on their passage from Labrador to Quebec where they intended to winter. Lost all their effects, and barely escaped with their lives. The Emigrant Agent sent them on to Toronto where they arrived yesterday Novbr. 12th. Sent to this Institution by the Mayor for admission.

656. Jenny Hartman: in Case 555 was taken out of this House by her Mother.

657. Catharine Cox: in Case 663 was taken out by her Mother. Novbr. 14.

658. Mary Ellis: 30. Irish. R.C. 3 Children. David 12, Catharine 5 and Thomas 2 years of age. From Montreal, seeks shelter until Monday when she will proceed on her way to Buffalo.

659. Ann Marie Henderson: in Case 649, is now quite well and able to work. considers herself imposing on the Institution if she remained any longer. Left this day. Novbr. 16th.

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660. Alfred McMackin: aged 13 years. Methodist Church. Canadian. Son of Mary in Case 650. The Mother is anxious to have the boy admitted into this Institution until a place can be procured for him. Left Dcbr. 10th.

Tuesday 17th November 1868

No Committee present

661. Charles Earle: in Case 655. Has taken 2 rooms on Sayer St. into which he will remove himself and family to morrow. Made application to general board for a little assistance until he gets employment. To have 12 lbs. of bread per week, 300 lbs. Coal for the present, and some assistance in bedding.

662. Donald McPherson: in Case 653, received a reprimand from the Chairman, and if the like takes place again, to leave the Institution.

Friday 20th Novbr. 1868

No Committee present.

663. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. Has no family, lives rent free, aged about 60. R.C. Irish. She may get rations about New Year but not just yet. Coal twice.

664. Elisa Donaldson: 13 Emily St. Widow aged 37. Has 3 children, girl aged 14 is nursing for some party gets [dollars] 4 per month, but boards at home. Girl 8, boy 6. She has no claim having only lately come from Hamilton. only wants temporary relief. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week until she gets into employment.

Tuesday 24th Novbr. 1868

Present Revd. Dean Grasett

665. Roseanne McDonnell: say between 45 and 50 years of age. Irish. No particular Church herself, but her friends belong to Church of England. Has been in Canada since a Girl, lived in St. Catharines & Niagara. Having been 3 or 4 times in Toronto Gael, considers she has a claim on the "House of Industry". Was sent her by Mrs. Edward Blake for admission. Novbr. 25th.

Friday 27th Novbr. 1868

No Committee present

666. Thomas Banes: 50 years of age. Native of England. Presbyt. Church. From St. Catharines, looking for Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days.

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Tuesday 1st December 1868

Present G. Rowell Esqr.

667. Margaret Densmore: in Case 625, to have 4 lbs. bread per week.

668. Roseanna McDonnell: in Case 665, appears to have no claim on this Charity, would rather apply to her own County Counsel than stay in this House, allowed to do so.

Friday 4th December 1868

Present G. Rowell Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

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669. John Morgan: aged 30. Canadian. Has a wife and child. A Moulder by trade, came from Hamilton last October. Cannot get Employment in Toronto on account of the trade unions. Applied to the House for an advance of money to pay his rent and little debts, which he promises to repay when he gets Employment. No funds for such a purpose. Advised by the Committee to go back to Hamilton, where Morgan thinks he might get employment.

670. Samuel Barnes: 47. Native of England. Chof Engl. Has been in the Bombay Fusiliers for 20 years and receives now, a pension of 9d [pence] per day. Four years in Canada, no settled place of residence. Not in very good health, would like to become an Inmate, and pay his pension to the House, and would also make himself general useful. Admitted.

671. Ann Gibson: 44. Irish. ChofEngl. 14 years in Toronto. Widow. 2 Children who are out in the Country with farmers. Slept in a cold house and had her toes partly frozen. Seeks shelter for a time. May see the Doctor and remain in building for casual poor for a time.

672. Mark Stephens: 50. Canadian. ChofEngl. A Cripple had shelter in building for casual poor. Made application to Committee for admission, but as the man has no claim on this Institution, he was advised to apply to his own Municipality where he has a claim.

673. William Nixon: 30 years of age, James Alexander say 13, and Sally Rennick say about 45 or 50. Came here yesterday for shelter, stated they had been turned out by their Landlord. It is impossible to make a correct statement of them, at one time they declare that no relationship is between them, again, that the man and boy are brothers, and the Woman their House Keeper, and again that the Woman is the Mother of both the others, however the Committee consider all able to work and wont allow shelter after tomorrow.

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674. Mary Mandeville: rear of 57 Elizabeth St. A Widow with four Children. Matthew 10, Ann 7, and Ellen 3 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. seems a very industrious hard working woman, her children look healthy and clean. To have 8 lbs. Bread per week and Coal about New Year.

675. Mary Buckley: 29. Husband 33, and one child Thomas aged 7 years. They live with the above Mrs. Mandeville and make use of her stove. Husband expects work soon. To have 4 lbs. bread per Week and Coal about New Year alternately with Mandeville if they still use the same stove. About four Months out from London England. ChofEngl.



676. Charlotte Fielding: says 25 years of age, more likely 45, thinks it must be the hard times that make her look old. Native of England. All Churches alike to her. Travels through the country and turns up occasionally in Toronto. Was sent here by the Mayor for admission. Left again on the 7th.

677. Flora McDonnell: Aged 30. Native of Scotland. Methodist Church. 18 years in Canada, came from Fergus, came to Toronto to hire herself out. seeks shelter for a few days.

678. James Davis: 35. English. ChofEngl. seeks shelter until Monday, when he intends going in the Country looking for work.

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679. Laurie Scott: 13 Emily St. Married. aged 22. Husband 25 a School teacher. Not long from England. Will take charge of school at Newton Brook about Christmas. Respectable people. Two children, girls aged 3 1/2 and 2 years, Mrs. Scott is near her confinement again. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, and the Committee will allow 600 lbs. Coal, if, he can use Coal.

680. Eliza Denmudge: Aged 38. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. Widow. Has been in Service with Mr. Henry Nightingale on Yonge St. but had to leave on account of ill health. Seeks shelter for a few days, until she can procure a pass from the Mayor to take her to London C.W. [Canada West] where her Mother and one of her Children reside.

681. Melinda Smith: rear of 68 Sayer St. Coloured. Lives in the same House with a Grandson (who seems to be comfortable off) seeks relief. might have 4 lbs. Bread per week. Baptist.

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682. Annie Mack: aged 42. Husband 44. Live at No. 69 Elizabeth St. Irish. Chof England. Husband confined to his bed with severe cold and Rheumatism. 4 Children, William 17, learning a trade with Mr. Potter, Optician, gets [dollars] 2 per week and boards at home, George 11, rather delicate, 2 twins, Albert Edward & Mary Ann aged 6 years. Seem a respectable family reduced to great want on account of Husbands illness. To have 600 lbs. Coal a Grate, 8 lbs. Bread per week, and a full allowance of groceries.

683. Clarinda Warren: 51. A widow. Coloured. 2 children Alcinda 11 and Georgina, Past 9 years of age. Seeks shelter until next Tuesday when she expects to get the two Children into the Girls Home.

684. Bridget McGuire: an old Case, brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending the Admission of her 2 children Andrew and John. McGuire stayed in building for casual poor until next morning, and left, taking the Children with her.

685. The 3 persons in Case 673, left the Institution as ordered by Committee but returned again on the 9th with a Note from the Mayor recommending their admission.

Friday 11th December 1868

Present Revd. Mr. Givins and Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. Henry Rowsell

686. Caroline Gibb: 66 Terauley St. Widow aged 28 years. Canadian Methodist Church. 3 Children, William 7, Sarah 5, and Ann 3 years of age. Very respectable, but very ill. To have 6 lbs. bread per Week, 600 lbs. Coal and a large allowance of groceries.

687. James Jackson: 27 years of age. English. Chof Engl. Served 6 years in the 47th Regt, bought his discharge 2 years ago. Has been sailing on the Lakes of late, was on board the Schooner Jane Ann March who was wrecked on the Island last Saturday night. Says is not well seeks shelter for a few days.

688. James Barrie: 63 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Shoemaker. An old resident. It appears Barrie and his wife quarreled, and he came here for a few days shelter.

689. Melinda Smith: in Case 681 might have 4 lbs. Bread per week.

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Tuesday 15th December 1868

Present, Revd. Mr. Topp, Revd. Mr. Ellerby & S. Rogers Esqr.

690. Bridget McGuire: 684. applied to Committee for the admission of her two Children for a few Months, is not willing to give them up to the Institution. Committee will not admit them unless given up.

691. Thomas Maslin: 146 Pine St. Formerly a Soldier in the 17th Regt. His Wife was a cook at Monkhouse's Hotel. had saved some [pounds] 20 of her earnings and with this sum, she bought his discharge, and then married him. They got on pretty well at first, as he had plenty of work, but he sprained his back during the latter part of the Summer, which threw him out of Employment for a time, and now again, since the cold weather set in, he has had nothing to do. He assures visitor that he has tried in every direction, to get wood to saw, or snow to shovel, but without success, and they now have neither fuel or means to buy food. The wife who appears to be a very respectable woman, says that if she were only well again, she would have no difficulty in supporting both herself and her husband, but since her confinement a short time ago, she has been so ill, as to be incapable of doing any work, and from her appearance Visitor quite believes her. It seems strange that an able bodied Man without any family (their infant did not live), should be obliged to come to the poor House, but Visitor stated the

facts as they are, and temporary should at all events be given, but nothing more than temporary and the Case might be referred again. Committee will allow 4 lbs. bread for a Month.

692. Margaret Akers: 146 Pine St. Same House as the Maslins. They have only been out in this Country a few Months. The Wife has lately been confined, and the husband is in bad health, a severe attack of the lungs has left him in a very miserable state. They are without means and much in the same condition with the Maslins. Visitor would recommend temporary relief, and have the Case referred to him again. Irish. Ch of England. 2 Children, Ellen 2 1/2 years, and baby 4 weeks old. Mrs. Akers aged 31. Committee will allow 6 lbs. bread a Week.

693. Sarah Burns: Corner of McMahon St. and Lane running west to Seaton St. Widow and 2 Children, an industrious hard working woman whose Case has been reported upon for the last two or three years, would recommend bread, and Coal when given out.

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694. John Lafferty: 50 years of age. Irish. Ch of Engl. Nearly Blind, was formerly an Inmate, but tried since last spring to earn his living out side, is not able to do so any longer on account of his Eyes getting worse again. Admitted.

695. Caroline Sanders: 39 years of age. Married. English. Ch of England 5 Children, Girls, 13, 11, 9, 7 and 2 years of age respectively. Husband again confined to his bed, ulceration in the Bowells. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Ellerby. The Case is well known to the House, respectable people. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, and Coal when given out.

Friday 18th December 1868.

Present Revd. Mr. Ellerby.

696. Jane Crawford: 497 Richmond St. west is a thoroughly and respectable woman, her husband is unable to work, and a source of expence. Recommended for Coal & bread.

697. Jemima Wood: 100 Richmond St. East. 29 years old. Her husband in the Asylum. 3 Children, ~~Mary 13, James 11~~, Stephen 9, Joseph 5, Albert 3. Makes her living by sewing washing & etc. Methodist Church. 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal when given out.

698. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St. East. 35 years old. Husband gone to the States. 5 Children, Mary 13, James 11, Catharine 9, Annie 6, Thomas 3 years. Washes. Irish. R.C. 10 lbs. bread & Coals.

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699. Mary McCran: 48 Bond St. 60 years old, Catharine her Sister 40. Mary lying sick with palsey, not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. Bread per week, and Coal when given out.

700. Jane Moffatt: rear of 108 Victoria St. 40 years of age, Husband 38, 6 Children, James 13, Robert 10, Elizabeth 8, Joseph 6, William 5, Mary Ann 3. Husband sawing wood. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Recommended 8 lbs. bread. Committee consider both able to earn their living. Mr. E. Hobson & J. Thom.

701. James Mc Hale: 72 Stanley St. 75 years old. Wife 60. No family, not able to work, 4 lbs. bread, and Coal when given out.

702. Jane Malone: 90 Church St. 65 years old. Widow, one daughter who is suffering from sore Eyes, Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week.

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703. Bridget Connolly: 82 Stanley St, aged 45. 3 Children, Edward 14, Mary 10, Michael 8, does washing & scrubbing. eldest Child Lying sick. To have 6 lbs. bread and Coal after New Year.

704. Catharine Mooney: 44 Duchess St. a Widow woman some 70 years of age, lives with another old woman Elizabeth Smith. They each have a daughter out at Service, who help to pay the rent and Keep them in clothing. They eke out a few shillings by Knitting socks, but cannot get on without assistance in Winter. They were in Mr. MacDonells district and reported upon by him last year. Visitor recommends Mrs. Mooney for Coal, say three times during the Winter, and a small allowance of bread during the next two Months.

705. Mary Scott: A White widow, with Coloured Children, rear of Cottages east of Sumach, North side of Queen a little back from the Street. Mrs. Scott was not at home, but her little boy a very intelligent lad, told visitor that he had two sisters working in a Tobacco factory, who get a Dollar and a quarter a week. and another Sister at house, (whom Visitor saw), who is deaf and dumb, and himself make up the family. The Mother goes out to wash & etc. Might have Coal three times. although two of the daughters are earning something there is the deaf and dumb one, entirely dependant upon the Mother, and the boy is too young to do anything towards their support. If she asks for bread she might be allowed some for a couple of Months.

706. Thomas Redmond: rear of 372 Corner of Queen & Pine Streets. Husband wife and four young Children at Home. Husband is in miserable health, broke several of his ribs last Summer by a fall from a building, and in addition to that has been suffering for some time past with a very bad sore leg. He has been entirely out of work for the last week or two. The eldest of the four Children at home is only 12, the youngest is 3 years of age, the next to the youngest is very ill with typhoid fever, not likely to

recover. The wife was out washing. Visitor thinks they should be allowed some Coal & bread for a Month, and then the Case may be referred again.

707. Mrs. Quill 140 Duke St. a Widow in very reduced circumstances. Her husband died last Summer. He was a Man of some education and supported himself and Wife by giving instructions to young Men preparing for the Universities. He has left his Widow in very destitute circumstances, and Visitor would recommend that she have coal sent to her 3 times without her going up to the House.

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708. John White: aged say 45, and Catharine his Wife aged 40, were sent here by the Revd. Mr. Givins for a few nights Lodging & food. Lived 13 years in Toronto, were turned out by their Landlord on account of not paying their rent. Allowed to stay until Monday. Irish. ChofEngl.

709. James Horton: 23 Maria St. Lately in Employ of Grand Trunk, now out of work except occasionally. Wife washes & etc. for support of family. Five Children at home, 3 girls 12, 9, 4, Two boys 10 & 6 character questionable. English. Chof Engl. Recommended for bread.

710. Mrs. Richardson: Beverly St. 1st House on West side. Not at home when visitor called. A Widow about 40, has one girl 10, washes for a living. of good character. delicate in health. A Wesleyan. Did not learn what she wanted. Recommended.

711. Philip Riley: Phoebe St. next house to School House. Advanced in life and infirm. A Labourer, but now aling [ailing] considerably. Wife is blind and sickly, has a girl 14 who helps to support family by washing and etc. and a boy 11 at School. In a very poor State. Irish. R.C. Recommended for the usual relief.

712. Elizabeth Gibson: 280 Queen St. west. A Widow 39. Has 2 boys 12 & 8. both at School. Still engaged in sewing for a living. Usually plenty to do but the work is now very slack. House is very old and uncomfortable. Respectable. English. Ch of Engl. Coal & bread.

713. Barbara Armstrong: 28 Bishop St. A Widow 52. 5 Children at home, 3 girls 12, 8 & 6. Two boys 14, 10, the former being in a Shoe-shop and earning [dollars] 1.50 a week. Another daughter 18 years old has just come home from Service whit [with] a white swelling in her leg. A Charwoman, Irish, Ch of Engl. To have Coal and bread.

714. Jane Kingham: 3 Maria St. To have Coal sent as usual.

715. Margaret Wells: behind 34 Dummer St. Not at home when Visitor called. A Widow lives with a Mrs. O'Brien wife of a Carter. No Children with her. lives by begging, apparently, a bird of passage.

716. William Merritt: opposite Mr. Barber's, College Street. He and his Wife still weak and sickly. To have Coal sent to them as usual.

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717. Ann Lloyd: No. 3 Elliotts Row gets a weekly allowance of Bread. Visitor as recommends 900 lbs. of Coal, the usual allowance, to be sent all at once.

718. Caroline Higgins: says came from Markham and is looking for a place in Toronto, ~~fo~~ seeks shelter for a night.

Tuesday 22nd Decbr. 1868.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. for J. Shea Esqr. & Ths. Storm Esqr.

719. Isabella Mc Adams: 438 King St. East. A Widow with four Children. The eldest a boy 14 years of age, has been employed in the Rolling Mills all Summer, but in consequence of their "shutting off" he is now out of employment. The eldest daughter has been learning "the tailoring". and is now getting work from the shops. They seemed to Visitor an industrious family, willing and anxious to help themselves, and therefore deserving of a little help at this season of the year. Recommended for Coal 3 times, they are getting bread, and had it all the Summer.

720. Catharine McNamara: Last House south side of Queen St. East. a widow with one little girl. an old Case reported upon in previous years. Peddles about in Summer. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of bread for 6 weeks.

721. Mary Munroe: 418 King St. East. Husband a Cooper in very wretched health. Could do well at his trade, if his health would permit him. The Wife very miserable also. Most of their furniture bedding & etc. had to be sold during the latter part of the Summer & autumn, to pay for good Medicine etc. Recommended to have Coal 3 times, would recommend Bread also, but the woman really has not the necessary clothing to enable her to go out for it, and Visitor thinks Mr. Sanson (Trinity Church), will allow them something to Keep them in bread & etc.

722. Mary Ann Fraser 49 Sumach St. This Case has been reported upon in previous years. Mrs. Fraser has her Grandmother a very aged Woman, said to be 100 years old! and two children, one her own and the other a foundling, living with her. She is a hard working and respectable person. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

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723. Bridget Driscoll: Room in a House N.W. corner of Duches [Duchess] & Parliment [Parliament] St. Widow with one little girl. an old Case. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread for 6 Weeks. To have 4 lbs. bread per Week.

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724. Mary Mc Donnell: 88 George St. Husband and Wife and 9 Children, all young. The eldest being only 10, the youngest 2 1/2, and the Woman is hourly expecting her confinement. Husband was a deck hand on board "The City of Toronto" but as the steamer is now laid up, is out of Employment. He saved nothing from his wages, as it took all to feed the nine children! Visitor recommends them for Coal once and bread for a Month. and if the woman could be allowed a little Tea Sugar etc. against her confinement, the case might be again referred to Visitor a Month hence. 8 lbs. bread & a full ration.

725. Mary Rogers: 115 Nelson St. An old Case, reported upon in previous years. Mrs. Rogers is a delicate weakly woman with an equally weakly little boy. They do what they can to scrape a living, by selling newspapers. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times, and bread for 2 Months.

726. Ellen Courtney: Lives in the same House as above. A very decent old body. Husband an old and feeble man saws wood and does odd jobs. one child a boy at School. Reported upon in previous years. The Courtneys and Mrs. Rogers use the same stove, and could therefore be content to have the coal turn about. under these circumstances Visitor would recommend a little extra allowance between the two. Mrs. Courtney to have bread for 6 Weeks.

727. Margaret Otley: rear of 53 Duchess St. An old Case. Husband both deaf and blind, one little girl. Quite a Case for assistance during the winter. Recommended for coal 3 times, bread for 6 weeks.

728. Catharine Finley: rear of 53 Duchess St. A Widow with two Children Mrs. Finley goes out to wash and scrub when she can get it to do. She appears to be a respectable industrious woman. Coal 3 times.

729. Ann Leather: Rear of 51 1/2 Duchess St. Husband and four children. Husband a very decent industrious Man. Saws Wood and does other odd jobs, but has been badly ruptured, and cannot do hard work, involving any strain or lifting etc. He has just got through a job now, but has no prospect of any further employment at present. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month and the Case might be referred again to Visitor.

730. Mary Garrett: 46 Duchess St. See report of last year. Recommended to have Coal sent to her 3 times.



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731. Ann Finn: rear of 74 McMahon St. A Widow, no Children, goes out to wash and scrub. Visitor thinks she might have Coal twice, and a small loaf for a Month or six weeks. Does not seem a extreme Case.

732. Mrs. Fagan: a very old and widow woman, living next door to above Case, applied to visitor for Coal. would say it was a Case for relief during the cold weather, and would therefore recommend her for Coal 3 times.

733. Ann Perkins: 138 Berkely [Berkeley] St. must be some mistake no such person at 138.

734. Sarah Worrelly: 53 Cherry St. Widow of John. Irish, from borders of Queens County. Ch of Engl. Has an adopted daughter, aged 5. also a Married one, living in an adjoining House. Mrs. Worrell would like some wood, but in default thereof will take coal, which visitor recommends when the time comes for distribution.

735. James Gregory: Mitchels Corners Kingston Road, South side, a few doors west of the Toll Gate. Taylor by trade, but not able to do much owing to sickness. eldest daughter aged about 19, has a sore foot. Methodists. Natives of Canada. There are 8 Children in the family. They are expecting 1/2 Cord Wood from a Mr. Billings. Visitor recommends an allowance of Tea, Sugar & etc., also some bread should they require it.

736. Donald McPherson: in Case 662, is not behaving as he ought to do, drinking again, and left the premises without leave. Committee order that he be not allowed to come in again.

737. James Horton: in Case 709 Committee consider that both Husband and wife are able to provide for their family.

738. Joseph Lusty: an Inmate, see Case 521 died this morning (Decbr. 23d) at 9 OClock. Aged 86 years.

739. Patrick McGuire: 62 years of age. Irish. R.C. Lived for 30 years near Montreal, says, peddled for the last two years about Toronto and its neighbourhood. Bad whit [with] Rheumatism. Seeks admission into this Institution.

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740. Catharine Armstrong: Oak Street. Aged 34. Irish. Chof England. Her Husband a labourer out of Employment. 7 Children. 1 girl 12 and 6 boys 10, 8, 6, 5, and 2 years respectively, and the baby 12 hours old. In great distress for fuel. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett. Committee allowed 600 lbs. Coal.

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741. Robert Delacourt: 47. English. ChofEngl. In receipt of a pension of 25 [cents] per day. Came from Montreal to look for Employment in Toronto, had shelter for several days in building for casual poor. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommend{ing} shelter for a few days longer.

742. Mary Walker: Aged 42, English. Ch of England, says is Sister to the above Case and came from Montreal with him, seeks shelter likewise.

743. J.G. Brown recommended a Man named George Wingrave for admission into House of Industry. Wingrave is 52 years of age, Native of England. Ch of England. A Market Gardener out of Employment. Wingrave prefers being in building for casual poor, so that he can go out every day looking for Employment.

744. The Committee to advertise and receive Tenders met to day Saturday 26th December. Present Mr. J. Tyner and Mr. E. Hobson.

The following Tenders were opened and examined.

Tenders for Bread. Thomas B Mishaw 9 3/4 [cents] per 4 lbs. Loaf. G. Coles 9 3/4 [cents] per 4 lbs. Loaf. William Aitken 10 1/2 [cents] per 4 lbs. Loaf. John Kerr 9 1/2 [cents] per 4 lbs. Loaf. F. Riddell 10 3/4 [cents] per 4 lbs. Loaf. David Bee at 9 1/2 per 4 lbs. Loaf. Charles Beatty at 9 [cents] per 4 lbs. Loaf, Mr. Beatty's Tender being the lowest was accepted.

Tenders for Groceries. Mr. Samuel McKay and Dodgson Shields & Co. on examination it was found that Messrs. Dodgson Shields & Co.'s Tender was the lowest and was therefore accepted.

Tenders for Milk. George Bilton at 20 [cents] per Gallon, and Mr. R.E. Playter at 18 [cents] per Gallon, Mr. Playters Tender being the lowest was accepted.

Tenders for Meat. Mr. John McCarter's being the onley Tender sent in was accepted at [dollar] 1.95 per 100 pounds of good Soup Meat.

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Present Revd. E Baldwin, Messrs. E.H. Rutherford, E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

745. James McHale: 78. Irish. ChofEngl. has a wife but cannot live with her on account of her bad temper, received out door relief. seeks admission. An old resident, nearly blind. Admitted.

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746. Patrick McGuire: 62. Irish. R.C. A peddler. has been 38 years in ~~Toronto~~ Canada. says peddled for the last two years in, and about the neighbourhood of Toronto. seeks admission. Allowed to stay in building for casual poor for a week longer.

747. James Mc Farrell 65. Irish. Ch of Engl. 30 years in York Township. Wife dead 11 years, and Children all away. Lived for some time on Stanley St. seeks admission. To bring his number, and to be visited.

748. Isabella Reid: 55. Irish. ChofEngl. in Canada 30 years, mostly in Toronto Widow. Lived in Service, latterly took to begging and had her feet frozen. Doctor says part of the feet will have to come of [off]. Revd. Mr. Baldwin wrote a Note to the Mayor asking for the admission of Reid into General Hospital she had shelter here about a week. was sent to General Hospital Dcbr. 29th

749. William Dunn: see Case 608, is in the habit of coming home intoxicated. was reprimanded by Committee, and told if ever the like occurs again for Superintendent ~~for Superintendent~~ to turn him out of the House.

750. Mary Butler: an Inmate got intoxicated on Christmas day, and behaved in such an uproarious manner that she had to be sent to the station house. Made application to day for readmission. did not appear sober, was therefore told by Committee to come again on Friday next.

751. Jane Redditt: rear 33 Camden St. aged 44. Recommended for Coal and bread. See last years report.

752. Jane Curran: 33 Camden St. Nothing new to report. See last years report. Recommended for Coal and bread.

753. Mary Armstrong: 100 Portland St. Native of Dublin Ireland. Protestant, Widow. 64 years of age. able to do very little. receives a pension of [dollars] 20 a year. resides with her daughter who can ill afford to support her. Recommended for Coal.

754. Mary Ann Tressam: 27 Camden St. Found the House vacant. Mrs. Tressam had removed to some other part of the town. will find her out and report if in the ward.

755. Mary Moroney: 36 Boulton St. Widow aged about 60. R.C. has one boy 11. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week. Coal 3 times, & Soup.

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756. Mary Gillon: 5 Richmond St. west. Irish. ChofEngl. Aged 45. Widow, 2 daughters, the eldest 13, in bad health, the other 9 years old. An industrious worthy person, but lives in an old house where they cannot have good health. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

757. Ellen O'Brien: 15 Boulton St. No such number or person there.

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758. Mary O'Brien: 69 Boulton St. Widow aged 69. Irish. R.C. has one little grand daughter aged 12, going to School. She is an old pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

759. Margaret Kennedy: Lane opposite Ritcheys Terrace. Not in.

760. Sarah Bloomer: 285 Richmond St. west, near the Late Judge McLeans Gate. Aged 69. Chof England. Widow. a decent old body. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

761. Ann Duval: 132 York St. Widow aged 72. Coloured. The daughter with whom she lives is deserted by her husband, and has two boys aged 5 and 3 years respectively. Methodist Church. Perhaps the Committee will allow in consideration of the young ones, 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 4 times.

762. Mary Coulter: 80 Stanley St. Aged 58. Husband 64, selling Matches for a living. To have 4 lbs. bread and Coal once.

763. Mary Farrell: 20 Stanley St. Not in.

764. Mary Carroll: rear 77 Stanley St. aged 56. 2 Children. Michael 8, and John 5 years old. 4 lbs. bread, and Coals twice. Irish. R.C.

765. Margaret Burns: 81 Stanley St. 70 years old. Husband 80. Not able to work. 4 lbs. bread, and Coals. R.C. Irish.

766. Mary Ryan: rear 42 Stanley St. 50 years old. A Widow, 2 Children, John 10, & Ellen 8. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread per week.

767. Bridget McDonnell: 71 Richmond St. East. Aged 50. one Child 4 years old. 4 lbs. bread per week.

768. Bridget Mularky: 70 Richmond St. East. 45 years old. Suffers from disease of the heart. Not able to work. 4 lbs. bread & Coals. R.C. Irish.

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789. Elizabeth Shanahan: 71 Richmond St. East. 75 years old. Not able to work. very feeble. 4 lbs. bread and Coals. Irish. R.C.

790. Mary Rutherford: 35 Queen St. East. 59 years old. Spinster. Not able to work. Receives bread, recommended for Coal. Irish. Chof England.

791. Bridget Kells: 23 Queen St. East. 65 years old. Widow not able to work. Bread and Coal. Irish. R.C.

792. Honora Boyle: next 113 Queen St. East. 67 years old. living in a cellar by herself. Not able to work. Bread and Coal. R.C. Ireland.

793. Catharine Martin: 108 Adelaide St. East. Not in.

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794. Ann Conlin: 108 Adelaide St. East. 40 years old. Husband 50. 2 Children. 4 lbs. bread recommended.

795. Mary McLean: rear Baptist Church, Bond Street. Her 72 years. sewing for a living. Coal and bread. Presbyt. Church.

796. Margaret Wilcox: Living in a lane off Shuter St. 2 Children Maggie 11 & Henry 6 years. 4 lbs. Bread per week.

797. Margaret Boyd: 325 Church St. 45 years old. 3 Children Elizabeth 14 years sick. William 9 years old & Isaac a cripple. Husband dead 3 years. 4 lbs. bread and Coals. Chof Engl.

798. Margaret Bills: 323 Church St. 36 years old. Husband dead 4 years. 6 Children, Isabella 16. Caroline 14. Boy 13. Edward 10. William 6. Thomas 4. 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times, sent all at once. ChofEngl.

799. Mary Durand: 48 McGill St. Aged 67 years, husband 78. Living by begging. A daughter pays the rent. 4 lbs. bread and Coals. ChofEngl.

800. Mary Kearney: 88 Mutual St. 49 years old. one boy 11. 4 lbs. bread.

801. Mary Percival: 5 Gerrard St. 67 years old. Widow. One daughter aged 30. bad health. Coal and bread. R.C. Ireland.

802. Elizabeth Balsam: 20 Victoria St. 40 years old. 3 Children, Annie 11. Elizabeth 6. and Jane 4 years old. Sewing and washing for a living. 6 lbs. bread and Coal. Methodist.

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803. Matilda Robinson: 137 Lumley St. Husband old and infirm, and now has frozen feet. He has an excuse for a Cart Horse, whereby to eke out a living, but is not fit to use them. The wife cant get washing to do. Has 4 Children, one boy 6, and 3 girls, one aged 14 who has a very bad heel, another 12, and another about 11. Irish. Chof England. To have Coal and bread.

804. Jane Burns: has part of the same house as above, A Widow aged 32. Has 3 Children a boy 4, two girls 10 & 8. A Charwoman, but gets work irregularly. Irish. R.C. To have Coal twice, no bread.

805. Margaret Irwin: 180 Lumley St. Husband has lost both legs and is a helpless cripple, one of the legs is not healed up healed up and needs further amputation. The house is a miserable structure and the occupants for want of a bed lie on the floor. A very sad Case, more especially as the wife is sadly addicted to drink. Coal and bread recommended.

806. William Irwin: in same house as above, Aged 64. Is rheumatic & infirm. Lives usually by gathering rags. Has a wife, a miserable wreck of humanity, but no Children. To have bread and Coal with above.

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807. Mary Stuart):

808. Mary Nolan): 28 Dummer St. Two old Widows who live together since last year. Circumstances about the same as then. To have bread and Coal alternately.

809. Ellen Healey: 16 Dummer St. Husband in bad health, and unfit for hard work. Wife has a days washing in the week. 4 Children, 3 boys 12, 5, and a baby, and one girl 4. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal.

810. Mary Broushall: 52 Dummer St. An old Widow aged about 68, Not at home when visitor called. Lives with a Mrs. Hull. Is rheumatic, No Children. English. Chof Engl. Recommended for relief.

811. Elizabeth Keely: 37 Nassau St. an old pensioner of the House. one girl at home aged 10. A widowed daughter also stops with her. very delicate, and in a very poor house. Recommended for Coal.

812. Catharine Burns: 20 Renfrew St. A miserable old woman, whose daughters, 3 or 4 in Number, apparently support her by prostitution.

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813. Susan McMullen: 33 Nassau St. a very respectable woman whose Husband (also steady and respectable) is completely out of Employment, A painter by trade. Seven Children at home, the eldest a boy of 14 has just been thrown out of Employment. English. Visitor recommends nine hundred of Coal to be sent without her applying personally.

814. Ann Brown: Lippincott St. 3rd. house. Husband sick, herself ill of late with ague, which has exhausted all their funds. one girl 11. Irish. ChofEngl. To have the usual relief.

815. Ann Montgomery: 170 Bishop St. a very hard working respectable widow with five Children, one of them dangerously ill. Very poor. Not at home when visitor called to get particulars, but warmley recommended from personal Knowledge.

816. Ellen Thompson: 10 Duchess St. This and the four following Cases are all much of the same character. Old woman who consider that they have "vested rights" in the House and expect to have their bread and Coal. "regular". every winter. Ellen Thompson is a "lone widow". No Child or relations. and is very old. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times and a small Loaf for 2 Months.

817. Bridget Carroll: 10 Duchess St. another widow. not very prepossessing. has a grand child living with her. Visitor does not suppose that she can earn sufficient to Keep her either in food or fuel for the winter. must therefore have coal and a loaf also for the same period as Mrs. Thompson.

818. Margaret Donovan: 10 Duchess St. Another widow! Not in when Visitor called, but described as a "poor sickly creature"! Her description will doubtless be found in last years report, and must also have bread and Coal.

819. Johanna Mc Donnell: another widow. but a really tidy cheery little body. Not a Widow though but a Spinster of very mature years! Very industrious, and Visitor has great pleasure in recommending her for Coal 3 times and a small loaf for the winter.

820 Margaret O'Brien: 12 Duchess St. Widow: very feeble old woman. Case reported upon like the others in previous years. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

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821. Timothy McCarthy: 95 Beech St. Husband and Wife and a daughter a widow. Timothy is very asthmatic and unfit for work in Winter, and his wife who is older than he is, can do nothing for their support. To add to their troubles, their Son in Law a fine young Man was taken ill at their house and died leaving his wife dependent upon her parents. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

822. Ellen McDonnell: 102 George St. This Case has been reported upon in previous years, and there is nothing new to add now. The husband still continues a helpless invalid, and the wife struggles away bravely to Keep him and her children in food and clothing. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times and bread for the winter.

823. Catharine Daley: 63 Duchess St. Husband and wife and 3 Children. The husband ill in bed with a severe Rheumatic attack. The Wife worn to a shadow with long continued sickness. The husband was an industrious steady hard working man, but Visitor doubts if he will be fit for much work again. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for two months, and it would be a great boon if the poor wife could be allowed a little Oatmeal, Rice, Tea and Sugar, as it is really a Case of distress.

824. Ann Gettings: rear of 36 Duchess St. A widow with two Children at home, the others have up to this time been taken care of by some friends in the Country. Mrs. Gettings has had one side paralyzed and is in a state of utter destitution. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for the winter

825. Ann Doyle: Pine St. west side second door North of North Park St Widow with four Children. Eldest girl 15 years old. reported upon last year. very decent and respectable. Coal 3 times.

826. Catharine Edwards: 319 Queen St. East. Husband left her and went to the States some five or six years ago. Two Children a boy at School and a girl who is idiotic. She is a pretty tough hard working woman and visitor thinks deserves assistance, although she does look rosy in the face. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread for six weeks.

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827. Mary Mc Clinchy: 46 James St. East. was not at home when the Visitor called.

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828. Jane Black: rear 119 Berkely [Berkeley] St. Case reported upon in previous years. Mrs. Black really deserving of assistance, but burdened with a worthless husband, who has done nothing whatever for the last 3 years or more. The only excuse to be made for him, is, that he is so nearly crazy, that he can scarcely be looked upon as a resposible [responsible] agent! Recommended for Coal 3 times.

829. Julia Hammond: 10 Power St. A very old and infirm woman. a little girl the youngest grand daughter living with her, the elder grand daughter in the House of Providence. Recommended for Coal and a small loaf. for the winter. and as a Christmas treat a little Oatmeal, Tea & Sugar.

830. Mary Cody: 17 1/2 Agnes St. 63 years of age, husband 65. Irish. R.C. No Children The wife was in bed and the husband was just getting up. both complaint of a bad cold and cough. Coal once.

831. Elisa Nixon: 37 James St. 50 years of age. Irish. Methodist Church. Husband left for the States two years ago. Seems a respectable woman. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

832. Elizabeth Lipsett: 18 Elizabeth St. aged 55. husband 52. No family. Husband a Shoemaker by Trade, says, cannot get Employment sufficient to Keep them during the winter Months. Irish. ChofEngl. apparently very respectable people, Committee to judge.

832 1/2. Wesley Collins: 22 Elizabeth St. Coloured. A Cripple. Lost both Legs above the Knee joints by frost up at Collingwood. Has a wife but no family.

833. Margaret Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. 67. See former report. relief the same as last year.

834. Garrett Flood: 66 Elizabeth St. Married. R.C. Irish. 2 Children, girl 9 & boy 7. Flood is in bad health, tending to consumption. They receive bread, to have Coal 3 times. Clean tidy people.

835. Mrs. Trevour: 81 Elizabeth St. The house was empty, neighbours said that the husband (who is given to drink) was drunk and disorderly last night (Wednesday) and was taken up by the police, and the wife went somewhere else to live.

836. Mary Cogan: 79 Agnes St. aged 42. Widow. English. ChofEngl. 4 Children, girl 12, girl 11, girl 8 and boy 6. Washes & scrubs, clean, industrious. Same relief as last year.

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837. Elizabeth Gray: 90 Agnes Street. 64 years of age. Husband 59, who is a Shoemaker, does a little cobbling, but cannot get sufficient to do during the winter Months to support himself and wife without a little assistance in the shape of firing and bread. Coal once and 4 lbs. bread.

838. Mary Buckley: 102 Agnes St. See Case 675. Coal and bread for a Month.

839. Sarah Brown: 65 years of age. Native of United States. Widow. 2 Grandchildren, girl 13, and girl 8. Lives at 115 Elizabeth St.

840. Margaret Wright: 158 Terauley St. Spinster, aged 40, she has two Children belonging to a brother to provide for, 2 girls. Irish. Presbyterian Church. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.

841. Bridget Epperson: 53 Elm Street. 74. Irish. R.C. Widow. To have Coal twice and 4 lbs. bread per week.

842. Ottho Winclair: 102 Sayer St. Wife and 5 Children, girl 7, girl 6, girl 4, boy 3, and girl 9 Months. Germans came out last Spring. A shoemaker but not much work at present. To have a half price ticket for 600 [pounds] Coal.

843. Mary Philbrick: 102 Sayer St. Widow. German. works in a Tobacco factory when she can get work to do. Has once boy aged 11 years. Lutheran. To have Coal twice

844. Phoebe Grey: 102 Sayer St. 62 years of age. A Widow, ChofEngl, England has a daughter who lives with her, and who bears not the very best of Character with the neighbours, out all hours of the night.

845. Ann Conners: 17 Centre St. Spinster. R.C. Irish. Coal twice.

846. Margaret Corcoran: 155 Centre St. She is a well Known Case at the House. Her present Name is Walton, and her husband was sent to Penitentiary. Cannot be recommended on her behalf

847. Mary Drurey: rear of 155 Centre St. could not be found. The House in rear of said Number bear rather a bad Character.

848. Mary Edmonds: 190 Centre St. Widow. Coloured. 3 Children at home. Girl 14, boy 12, and girl 6. Canadian. ChofEngl. Mrs. Edmonds aged 40. All in good health. Nothing recommended.

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849. Ann Boles: 201 Centre St. 49 years of age. Coloured. Her Mother an aged woman, says 86 years lives with her, has also 3 Children, girl 13, girl 11, and boy 7 years old. Husband bad at home with Consumption. To have Coal 3 times, and 8 lbs. bread per week.

850. Julia Malone: rear 255 Elizabeth St. 45. A Widow. R.C. Irish. Industrious. 4 Children, 3 at home. Mrs. Malone is not a widow as stated her husband deserted her and went to the States some years ago. To have Coal twice.

851. Jane Heeney: rear 215 Elizabeth St. Widow aged 43. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 Children at home, girl 9 and boy 5 years of age. 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

852. Susan Johnson: 58 Emma St. Knocked at the door, but were told could{n't} come in, but might leave a message out side.

853. Johanna Lynch: 5 Emma St. A widow, say 40, Irish. R.C. Church. has one girl aged 12 rather small for that age. Seems industrious. should try and do without relief from the House.

854. Margaret Smallwood: 219 Sayer St. A Widow to call at the House as she was not at home when called upon.

855. Isaac Frances: Aged 50 Coloured. Paralyzed. Not able to work for the last 4 years. The wife industrious, aged 48 years, and one Child a Girl aged 5 years. They live at No. 226 Sayer St. To have Coal twice and bread four pounds per week.

856. Joseph Shear: 18 years of age. was brought here by the Police for Shelter until he can communicate with his friends who he says live at Wellington.

857. Margaret Killaley: 54. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. begs shelter for a few days until she can get a place. She is widow of Thomas who formerly was an Inmate of this Institution.

858. Margaret Slattery: rear 25 Elizabeth St. has removed from there.

859. Ellen Delanty: was formerly an Inmate. came here to seek shelter for a few days for self and child. The husband who is on a spree this Christmas time turned her out of doors.

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860. Richard Fitzgerald: 40 years of age. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. met with an accident by getting his left hand into the Cog wheel of a Cord wood sawing Machine thereby getting his fingers badly crushed. He is under the Care of Dr. Emery. Has no place to stay at. brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission for a time.

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Present E. Hobson Esqr. for E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

1. Bridget Mc Cann: 132 Richmond St. west. Spinster. aged 70. R.C. She gets 4 lbs. bread per week from her own Church and got a quarter Cord of fire wood from the same quarter. Visitor recommends her 600 lbs. of Coal for the season and soup if she wants it.

2. Ann Connell: 132 Richmond St. west. widow, aged 60. R.C. She also gets 4 lbs. bread per week from her own Church and got one quarter Cord of fire wood. Recommended the same as above case. viz. 600 lbs. Coal for the season and soup

3. William Kearney: 62 Boulton St. R.C. Says he is 80 years of age. His daughter lives down stairs and he up stairs in the same house. There are four families in the House, two above and two below. No one gets any assistance from this Charity except this old man. Recommended for four pounds of Bread per week. Say Coal twice, for although he has no Stove of his own, having the fuel, gives the poor old creature access to one of the stoves in the house.

4. Jessie Taylor: 76 Boulton St. Scotch. Presbyterian. only 8 Months in Toronto Came from Montreal here, is Married. The husband is a very decent and steady looking man aged 40. wife 38, have 4 Children, the eldest a boy of 12, runs Messages; the other 3 little girls 6, 4, and a few Months old. He is a confectioner by trade but cannot get work; worked last Summer at the Asylum as a labourer Is willing to do anything he can get to be even sawing fire wood. They did not come here to sponge a living but came to better themselves. They must not be left to suffer; will want relief but a short time. Visitor hopes the Committee will act liberally and promptly towards this apparently decent family.

5. Ann Kirk: 273 Queen St. west. Aged 59. R.C. An old pensioner. She and Bridget McCabe live in the same room. This latter one gets 4 lbs. bread per week Kirk to have the same quantity and Coal 3 times for the season, both to have an equal right to it.

6. Martha Carr: 32 Boulton St. Ch of England. An old pensioner. aged about 70. A thankfull old person. She gets 4 lbs. bread per week. Recommended to have 900 lbs. Coal for the season.

7. Alice Mc Kenney: 12 Elliotts row, was not in when Visitor called.

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8. Mary Daley: Corner of McMahon and Carlton St. She is 42 years old. A Widow 5 Children, Johanna 15, Bridget 14, Catharine 10, James 8, Fanny 6, sews for a living. To have 8 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times. Irish. R.C.
9. Alice Murphy: 98 Ann Street. aged 34; husband 48. 8 Children, Sarah 16, Ann 15, William 12, Thomas 10, George 8, Elizabeth 4, Frances 2 and Mary 1 year old. Husband cannot get work. 6 lbs. bread & Coals. R.C. Irish.
10. Margaret Gale: rear 21 Queen St. East. Widow not able to work. ChofEngl. To have 4 lbs. bread and Coal.
11. Elizabeth Clark: 12 Queen St. East. Aged 61. Widow no family, living by sewing. Methodist. Bread and Coal.
12. Edith Webb: opposite Bond on Shuter St. No. 8. 50 years of age. Coloured, one boy aged 12. She is not able to work. 4 lbs. bread & Coals. Baptist.
13. Ann Moons: 97 Richmond St. East. Not able to work. Chof Engl. Coal and Bread.
14. Bridget McCabe: 112 Nelson St. one boy who is in Consumption, Bread and Coals recommended. Irish. R.C. Aged 77.
15. Margaret Sweeny: 82 Stanley St. 50 years of age. This woman has the boy in Consumption, and not Bridget McCabe the above Case. R.C. Recommended for 2 lbs. bread and Coals.
16. Bridget Moran: 41 Stanley St. 45 years, Not able to work. She is in Consumption. Irish. R.C. To have 2 lbs. bread and Coal.
17. Eliza Flaherty: 22 Stanley St. aged 36. Husband 36 also. 3 Children, Margaret 4, Thomas 3, and Michael 7 Months old. Bread & Coals. Both Wife and husband are in good health. Committee consider they ought to earn their living without applying to this Charity.
18. Rose Walsh: 22 Stanley St. 26 years, husband gone to the States. 2 Children, Walter 6, Thomas 1 1/2 year, 2 lbs. bread and Coal. Ch of Engl It appears that Mrs. Walsh has also to Keep and provide for 3 Orphan Brothers aged 14, 12, and 8 years. The boy 14 earns [dollar] 1.00 a week. Coal and 8 lbs. bread per week.
19. Julia Fitzgibbon: 41 Stanley St. 36 years. Widow. No family. Nothing allowed.

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20. Ann Flavin: 84 Shuter St. No family. Not able to work.

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21. Ann Hare: 84 Church St. Aged 65. Not able to work. Coal and bread.
22. Rebecca Ivory: 19 Shuter St. 40 years old. 5 Children, William 15, Ellen 14, Edward 10, John 9, Frances 4. Mrs. Ivory does washing when she can get it. A Widow. Irish. R.C. 8 lbs bread and Coals.
23. James Cox: 84 Stanley St. 45 years old. Not right in his mind. Not able to work. Recommended for Coal. To see the Doctor at 3 OClock.
24. Ellen O'Brien: 77 Stanley St. Aged 20. Husband aged 22. 2 Children, Mary 2 years, and John 9 Months old. Husband has bad Eye sight. They only shortly arrived here from Ireland where they were Inmates of the Poor House. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal.
25. Ann Camp: 77 Stanley St. aged 35. Irish. R.C. Her husband away from her. Has 2 children. girls 11 and 8. To have 4 lbs. bread and Coal.
26. Mary Spense [Spence]: 81 Stanley St. Not at home when visitor called.
27. Matilda Phelps: 32 years of age. Widow. Native of England. Chof England. Came from Detroit, is looking for brother whom she expected to find in Toronto, but who it appears has left here for Cleveland. was brought here for shelter by the Police having been found wandering about the streets. would like to stay for a few days as she is not very well.

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28. Mary Wardrobe: rear 136 Adelaide St. west. Married. Aged 38 Husband 43. Irish. Ch of England. 4 Children. Visitor did not see the husband. Committee will please judge this Case.
29. Mary Ryan: rear of 139 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 73 years. R.C. Irish. Recommended for coal 3 times. Wants no bread.
30. Thomas Johnson: 30 Boulton St. Married, aged 45. Wife 40. Irish. ChofEngl. 6 Children, boys 3, 10 & 12. Girls, 6, 15, and 17 respectively. A well known Case at the House. Committee will please judge. To have 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal.

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31. Mary Gormley: 30 Boulton St. Ch of England. Widow. has 5 Children, only two of them at home, boys, works at the Tobacco factory, earns about [dollars] 1.50 per week. Mrs. Gormley has been laid up for several weeks with a very sore foot. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times.

32. Ann Williams: rear of 62 Boulton St. Visitor did not see her, but saw her room, and what he supposes to be her bed, that, and some information from the Neighbours makes it appear that she lives by begging.

33. Louisa Cornish: 108 Boulton St. Widow aged 40. R.C. 4 Children, a young Man 21 in Consumption, boy 5, girl 14, and girl 12. The Children are Colured. Visitor thinks if it was not for the long and severe affliction of the Son, she would do very well. Washes, and gets some help from her Church. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week, and Coal, also a ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal, &etc. until further Notice.

34. Phoebe Janes: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. in the rear. Married. 33. Husband 40. Chof Engl. No children. The husband is sick. Temporary relief.

35. Margaret Quigly: rear of 121 1/2 Adelaide St. Widow aged 45. has two boys, one about 16 or 17. The youngest boy and his Mother work at a Tobacco factory. The eldest boy has been to Service, but came home not long since. The information was got from the neighbours. Visitor is of opinion that they ought to do well without Charity.

36. John Mack: Reeses Wharf foot of Simcoe St. Visitor saw his wife who says that she is 40 years of age, and the husband is 40. R.C. No Children. whether natural or by something stronger than water, Visitor cannot say, but her tonge [tongue] was very unsteady. They deserve Nothing from House of Industry.

37. William Moore: Corner of Front and Simcoe St. Irish. Ch of Engl. A Case well known to the House. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

38. Mary Tracey: Corner of Richmond and Bathurst St. occupies part of Corcorans house. see old report.

39. Caroline Lane: Rear of 497 1/2 Richmond St. west. occupies part of Joseph Millers house. Three Children, 2 Girls and one boy aged about 14, but has been out of work 2 Months. Report made by Mrs. Miller. Lane not at home. Recommended for Coal and bread.

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40. Mary Harrison: 499 1/2 Richmond St. west. See old report. coal recommended.

41. Ellen Cairns: (3rd door South of Queen) Tecumseth St. see last years report. Recommended for Coal and bread.



42. John Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. See old report. Recommended for Coal.
43. Margaret Brennan: 125 Tecumseth St. Widow lives in Tracey's House. Recommended for bread.
44. Margaret Lennon: 123 Tecumseth St. see old report. Irish, aged 69. in Toronto about 17 years. suffers from Rheumatism. Coal and bread.
45. Catharine White: 23 Queen St. East. 64 years. No family, Not able to work. 2 lbs. bread and Coal twice. R.C.
46. Cecilia Edwards: 22 Queen St. East. 67 years, Husband 74 years. not able to work. 4 lbs. bread. Coal twice. R.C.
47. Margaret Gale: 21 Queen St. East. 73 years old. not able to work. 4 lbs. Bread and Coals. Chof Engl.
48. Sarah McGregor: rear of 98 Ann St. 60 years. Widow, not able to work. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.
49. Mary Briens: next 29 Ann St. 54 years. A Widow. 2 Children. John 11, Susan 9. living by washing. 4 lbs bread and Coal twice.
50. Mary Egan: 51 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.
51. Bridget Latham: 20 Stanley St. Widow aged 47. 2 Children. Cathr. 6. makes her living by washing and scrubbing. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.
52. Catharine Foley: 84 Stanley St. Aged 40. Widow. 3 Children, Cathr. 13, Mary 9. James 7. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.
53. Rose Walsh: 22 Stanley St. Aged 26 years, Husband in the States. 4 Children. 8 lbs. bread, and Coals.
54. Mary Bray: 18 Stanley St. Not worthy.
55. Ann Dunleavie: 18 Stanley St. 40. husband 50. 1 Child. Not recommended.

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46. James Farrell: South west Corner of Church and Stanley St. aged 60. not able to work. 2 lbs. Bread. R.C. Irish.
57. Ann Carr: Corner of Church & Carlton St. Aged 6. Not able to work. She is a Widow with one leg. Coals 3 times.
58. Agnes Hogan: 102 Adelaide St. East. 46 years of age. Widow. 4 Children. Michael 17. James 15. Thomas 13. William 10. 4 lbs. bread. Coal once.

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59. Catharine Edwards: 102 Adelaide St. East. Aged 55. 2 Children. Catharine 17. James 15. 2 lbs. bread and Coal once. Committee consider they are all able to work, cannot grant any relief.
60. Margaret Goodwin: 97 Richmond St. East. A Widow aged 63. R.C. not able to work. 4 lbs. bread. Coal 3 times.
61. Catharine Eagan: 97 Richmond St. East. Widow aged 69. very feeble not able to work from old age. 2 lbs. bread. Coal three times. R.C.
62. Mary Houston: rear 97 Richmond St. East. Aged 41 years. Husband 56. Taylor [tailor] by trade. 2 Children. Ann 12, and John 12 Months. Husband sick and cant work. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once. Ch of Engl.
63. Elizabeth Johnson: 49 Victoria St. A Coloured Widow aged 80. Baptist. receives Bread from the House, to [have] Coal 3 times.
64. Bridget Kelly: 88 Victoria St Aged 40. A Widow. 3 Children. Mary 10. Catharine 8. Margaret 5. Earns a living by washing. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.
65. Isabella Carr: 15 Maria St. in the "yard". A Widow with an infant 11 Months old. 3 other Children, boys 11, 8, and 4. Lives in a bad neighbourhood and appaearently somewhat unsteady herself. Very poor and wretched in Condition. Irish. Ch of England. Bread and Coal allowed.
66. Sarah Moore: 19 Maria St. Condition much the same as last year. A very respectable woman. Coal allowed.
67. Ann Precilla Cook: 20 Maple Lane. Not at home when Visitor called. takes a room from a Mrs. McPhail. A Charwoman. Widow with one Child, a boy 11 years old. Sober, respectable, about 50. English. Ch of England. To have bread and Coal.

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68. Margaret Douglass: 228 Queen St. west. To have Coal in addition to her bread.
69. Sarah McPhail: 20 Maple lane. Two Months Coal allowed in consideration of her very cold house. An old recipient with a helpless daughter.
70. Ann Boyle: Elizabeth St. 3rd. door west of Denisons Avenue. apparently a very respectable widow. has a boy aged 10, and a girl 7 works for a living but Employment now hard to procure. Irish. R.C. When possible she lets a room to help to pay her rent. Coal and bread.

71. Harriett Sullivan: No. 1 Elizabeth St. Denisons Avenue. A widow with 5 Children, living in a wretched house, and has another family with her. two boys 7 and 5. and 3 girls 10, 8 & 3. works for a living, but very poor and miserable. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal allowed.

72. Sophia Monroe: 34 Elizabeth St. a widow in receipt of aid for several years. Takes a room from a friend. Sober and industrious, but very poor. A Nova Scotian. W. [Wesleyan] Methodist. Coal and bread, recommended.

73. Mary Finnigan: between Charles and Elizabeth St. west of Denisons Avenue. Not at home when visitor called, a widow who has one boy 5 years old. Lives with two other families in a very small house, said to wash for a living. Her Case is left for the Committee to decide on.

74. Hannah Ellis: rear of 216 Queen St. west. (20 Maria Row) A Widow aged 52. Has one boy aged 16 who supports her, earning [dollars] 3 a week, but her rent is [dollars] 2 a Month, and she says she is unable to work owing to a sore foot. A poor miserable shanty she has to live in Wants Coal, allowed twice.

75. Mary Addison: Spadina Avenue, North of Judge Wilsons. A widow with one Child a girl about 11. Lives by selling poultry &etc. very poor, a little help recommendation.

76. Bridget Clark: 284 Queen St. west. A widow with one Child a boy 3 years old. Has an asthmatic brother to support, who is quite unable to work. Employment is now scarce for herself. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal allowed.

77. Jane Pollard: 36 Charles St. an old recipient of relief. Widow having just lost her husband. only asks for bread.

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78. Ann Sawtell: 1 Lippincott St. To have Coal as well as her bread.

79. Joseph Black: 213 Bishop St. a very old infirm Man. husband of the Ann Black (lately diseased [deceased]) who used to receive aid. Coal recommended to be sent.

80. Rebecca Nelson: 27 Oxford St. Lives by nursing [etc.]. Stays with a married daughter who sews for a living. Not always steady. Scotch. Presbyterian, an unsatisfactory character, but recommended for a little Coal.

81. David Porter: 27 Oxford Street. Has a room from above, is blind, works as far as he is able, not at home when visitor called. Is led about by a grandson of Rebecca Nelson. Scotch. Recommended for such help as the Committee see fit to allow.

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82. Sarah Gilmore: 3 Elizabeth St. west. Not at home when visitor called, a former pensioner. A Charwoman. Has 3 boys, the eldest a message boy. For ages see last years report. Mother sick all summer, and very poor Bread and Coal allowed.
83. Elizabeth Sibbett: 3 Renfrew St. A Widow with 4 Children, 1 boy 6, and 3 girls one aged 16 is a vest maker and help materially towards the support of the family. the other two 13 & 9. sews and washes for a living. English. Ch of England. Allowed Coal.
84. Margaret Hickey: 15 Renfrew St. a widow with two Children, both boys 4 and 2. Takes in washing for a living, apparently very respectable. Irish. R.C. To have bread and Coal.
85. Dorothy Ross: 17 1/2 Renfrew St. She and her husband (aged) sell fruit in the summer. & now work is scarce. They seem to be a respectable old couple English. Chof England. No Children. Bread & Coal allowed.
86. Hannah Asher: rear 27 Dummer St. A Widow aged 29. Has 3 Children a boy 4, and two girls 8 & 6. Washes, and does anything she can honestly for a living. Lives with a family named Smith. Irish. Methodist. Coal and Bread allowed.
87. Ann Heenan: 80 Dummer St. A widow aged 55. No Children. An elder Sister living with her. both poor. apparently respectable. Never asked aid before Irish. R.C.

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88. Margaret Sheridan: 42 Dummer St. Not at home when visitor called. A widow with four Children. 1 boy 17 out of work for last four Months. used to work in Tobacco factory. two girls 8 & 6 and one at Service. Does washing and scrubbing for a living. Irish. R.C. Case referred to Committee when she goes to the House.
89. Bridget Williams: 22 Dummer St. Lives with a Mrs. Hale. A Widow with one Boy 11. works for a living when she can get employment. Irish. R.C. Out when visitor called. Bread allowed.
90. Bridget Lyons: lives with above. Out when visitor called. Aged 40. 2 Children, a boy 5, and a girl 8. Has a day and a half washing in the week. allowed Coal alternately, and Bread.
91. Ann Downs: In rear of 82 Dummer St. An old pensioner. apparently well to do, but anxious to get anything she can. says she is weakly & poor, that her husband cant earn much. 5 Children. Case left to Committee.
92. Margaret Gartland: 86 Dummer St. A Case of years standing. well known to the House. Circumstances not improved. usual relief recommended.

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93. Susan Bell: 165 Vanaly [Vanauley] St. a young widow whose husband was killed on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway]. one Child an infant. Try's to support herself by sewing, but has to pay for Machine. Very poor helpless but respectable. English. Chof England. Recommended that Coal be sent as soon as possible.

94. Mary Butler: in Case 750. Came before the Committee, says she is sorry for her conduct, and promises to be better in the future, and if she violates the rules again Superintendent to dispose of her.

95. Anne Biggins: 158 Pine St. Living in a miserable hovel. Husband lying ill in bed with liver complaint. 2 Children eldest girl in bad health. The wife appears to be a respectable industrious woman To have Coal twice.

96. Bridget Geroe: 377 Queen St. East. widow with two Children. Case reported upon in previous years. She is a pretty hard looking old body, but so far as visitor knows hard working and industrious. She has been working lately in Scales' Tobacco factory.

97. Eliza Monk: who is also an applicant for relief, lives in the same House. Her father was formerly a pew opener in the St. James Cathedral. he is dead and his widow is not the womans Mother

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97. but her Stepmother. This young woman is said to have been married to a soldier, who has gone away, and left her with one young child. She like Mrs. Geroe is working when she can get it to do, at the Tobacco factory. Both she and Mrs. Geroe use the same stove, and would therefore recommend that they be allowed between them, 3 times Coal, and Mrs. Geroe bread.

98. Ann O'Neill: rear of 301 Queen St. East. Widow. 2 Children, eldest works with her Mother in the Tobacco factory; the other a small boy goes to school. Case reported upon in last year. Is hard working and industrious. Recommended for Coal twice.

99. Jane Green: 301 Queen St. East. very decent respectable person, but in very miserable health. 3 Children, has been a Widow for some years. Recommended for Coal twice.

100. Mary Davidson: 308 Queen St. East. widow and Child daughter also a widow, appear to be very respectable people, anxious to support themselves, but hard up for fuel. Recommended for Coal twice.

101. Margaret McGill: Corner of Queen and Pine St. Living in a wretched back room in the same House with old Mrs. Keating. Husband left her some years ago and went to the states, one little girl living with her, and 2 boys out in the Country. A dirty untidy body; but still really requiring assistance. To have Coal twice and if she should arrange to use the same stove with Mrs. Keating, to let them have a extra allowance.

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102. Winnifred Curtis: 107 Sumach St. Husband Wife and four young Children. Mrs. Curtis who appeared to be a particularly nice respectable person, told Visitor that she had been left a Widow some years ago, with a large family, of helpless children. Her first husbands name was Roberts, and he was a cabinet maker by trade. He had been in very bad health for some time before he died, so that at the death she was left very destitute. She married her present husband at Whitby, a labouring man. He has worked hard to support her, chiefly at farm work, thrashing [threshing], hay making [etc.], but since his last job of thrashing [threshing] out some peas for a farmer on the Don and Danforth Road, he has had no work, and during the last cold "Spell", had it not been for an old sleight which they had, and broke up for fire wood, they would have been without any means of keeping themselves warm at all. Everething [everything] as beutifully [beautifully] neat and clean in their little Cottage, and Visitor would say that it was a Case well deserving of temporary assistance, would therefore recommend that they be allowed Coal once, and bread for a Month. and by that time he may be able to get employment without further assistance.

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103. Catharine Hickson: No. 6 Stonecutters lane between Duchess & Brittain St. Case reported on last year. Since then, the husband a drunken worthless fellow, has taken himself away altogether. Mrs. Hickson has six Children, the two eldest girls work with her in the Tobacco Factory. She herself however cannot do very much, as she has a shocking bad leg, which will probably lay her up altogether if it continues to get worse. In consideration of the large, family Visitor recommends her for Coal 3 times and bread for a Month or six weeks.

104. Elisa Shea: on Pine St. second door from Queen St. It was a very snowy wet afternoon on Saturday when Visitor was going his rounds, and one page of his memorandum book was so blotted with wet, as to make the entry almost illegible. Can only make out something about a wooden leg belonging to the womans husband, and visitor has a general recollection of a very wretched cheerless hovel, and some particularly dirty Children, believes intended recommending them for Coal.

105. Mary Forster: rear 94 Duchess St. a very decent respectable old woman, whom visitor has great pleasure in recommending as in former years, for Coal 3 times.

106. Eliza McKewn: 81 George St. Widow old and infirm. and very destitute. Visitor recommends her for Coal three times and bread for a couple of Months. A little Tea would be a very great boon to her just now, as she has been very sick and ailing for the last Month past.

107. Fanny Masters: 84 George St. Husband and five young Children. youngest an infant in the arms. The husband works in the Lumber yards, and at any other odd job he can get to do. He has been out of work however now for some weeks, and they are consequently in great want. The wife appears to be a very

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respectable woman, and so far as Visitor could learn, the husband is steady and most willing to work when he can get it to do, is therefore recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

108. Mary Connell: 100 George St. A very wretched Case. An old Couple. The husband lying ill in bed. No bed Clothes except a few old rags. A miserable dirty hovel, everything about it as cheerless as possible. Visitor recommends them for Coal 3 times and bread for the winter.

109. Richard Warwick: 105 Sumach St. Wife and 3 Children. See report of last year. Visitor would recommend them for Coal 3 times and bread for the winter.

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110. Mary Doherty: 112 Nelson St. widow, 2 Children, one a daughter now old enough to go to service, the other a boy 10 years old. Mrs. Doherty scrubs and washes and has been in steady work all the summer. She has not had anything to do however for some weeks, seems respectable industrious woman. Recommended for Coal twice.

111. Bridget Binns: 75 Caroline St. reported upon so many years, that Visitor need not say much more now. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and for bread for one Month only.

112. Cecelia Conway: 75 Caroline St. Another old Case. Coal 3 times, bread 6 weeks.

113. Johann Ryan: 75 Caroline St. Mrs. Ryan is doubtless in as much need of assistance at times as either Mrs. Burns or Mrs. Conway, but there is just this trouble that she is Visitor fears now a confirmed drunkard.

114. Bridget Hayes )

115. Catharine McKewn) and

116. Mary O'Neill: all living in the Lane in rear of Cartys Soap factory George Street, may all be placed pretty much in the same Category! all are widows, and each has 3 young Children. Mrs. McKewn's husband is alive, but as good as dead! as he deserted her long ago, and went to the States. They all might be allowed Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

117. Amelia Johnson: In a row of Cottages, known as Reids Cottages east side of Pine St. near the Hospital. A widow with 3 Children. Boy 16, and girl 14, and boy 9. Mrs. Johnson was not at home when Visitor called but saw the eldest girl, who in reply to enquiries, said that she had been out in Service and hoped to get another place shortly. The place looked very clean and tidy, and they seemed a very respectable family. Coal is probably the great want, and Mrs. Johnson will probably be able to give such further information to the Committee as they may require.



118. Catharine Hughes: No. 10 Duchess St. Widow occupying same room with Mrs. Carroll formerly reported upon. Mrs. Hughes is a very decent hard working little woman. Visitor recommends her for bread for six weeks, and Coal turn about (a little extra allowance) with Mrs. Carroll as thy use the same stove.

119. William Hewlett: 206 King St. reported upon last year. a very decent old Man. Recommended for bread and Coal for the winter. deserving.

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120. Mary Clark: )

121. Catharine Kelly: )

122. Eliza Kelly: )

123. Eliza O'Regan: ) 186 King St. East. A most curious Colony of old widows! all living in one of the oldest Houses of Toronto! Mary Clark has two Children, and an aged Mother depending upon her. Eliza Kelly and Mrs. O'Regan have no Children, and Mrs. Johnson visitor was in error on calling a widow, for her husband is alive but in Hospital at St. Catharines, and Mrs. Johnson herself is in a very "dilapidated condition having one shoulder out of joint! Recommended that all four have Coal twice, and if the weather should continue severe they might have a third supply. Mrs. Johnson, Kelly and O'Regan a small loaf each. Mrs. Clark a little extra on account of her Mother and Child, All to the end of the Winter.

124. Miss Smith: 113 Queen St. reported upon in previous years, and nothing new to add now Recommended the same relief as hitherto.

125. Eliza Long: rear of 64 Power St. Widow. 2 Children in House of Providence. 2 at home. Recommended for Coal once, and Bread for six weeks.

126. Ellen Casey: 322 Queen St. East. An old Case often reported upon in previous years. Coal once bread for a Month. The Case might then be referred again.

127. Henry May: and [an] Inmate died January 6th of general debility, aged say 70 years. See his admission Case 356 in 1865.

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Present Revd. Mr. Pitcher & J. Tyner Esqr.

128. Catharine Mead: 44 Ann St. 60 years. husband 78. Not able to leave his bed. wife goes out to wash. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times. R.C.

129. Jane Corcoran: 89 Ann Street, 58 years. Widow. No family. disabled in one hand. 4 lbs. Bread and Coal 3 times.

130. Bridget Hunt: 100 Richmond St. East. Aged 52. A Widow. 2 Children, John 9. Thomas 7. Living by washing and scrubbing. 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice. R.C. Irish.

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131. Mary Quinn: 25 Richmond St. East. Not at home when visitor called.

132. Mary McCarthy: 42 Stanley St. aged 46. Widow with one Child seven years old, lives by washing, occupies a very cold room, Bread & coal twice during the season.

133. Mary Doherty: 112 Nelson St. 38 years of age. 2 Children, Margaret 13 and Michael 10. Makes a living by washing. To have Coal twice.

134. Bridget Purcell: 34 Stanley St. Aged 39. Husband left her Has one Child 9 years old. cant get work. Bread. Coal once.

135. Julia Brown: rear of 57 Queen St. west. Gets bread from the House. To have Coal also. 900 lbs. all at once.

136. Mary Smart: 50 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. aged 57. Has no family is not in good health, cannot work much, does a little knitting. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

137. Ann Lynch: 34 Boulton St. was not in when visitor called. Saw her afterwards. A widow aged 61. Irish. R.C. 4 Children. Boys 15, 10, 8 and a girl 12. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

138. Ann Franklin: Corner of John and Adelaide St. second door west of Develins Tavern. Widow aged 40. Irish. 2 Children, boy 12 and girl 10. 6 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

139. Mary McClinchy: Widow aged 38. Irish. R.C. 9 Children, 3 at home. 46 James St. East. Visitor has seen her since his last report and now recommends her for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

140. Jane Fraser: Derby lane. King Street East. See previous report. No change to Note. Recommended last years allowance. Through the kinds of Mrs. Matthew's Mrs. Fraser has a supply of wood, but to eke it out, wold [would] thankfully receive a little Coal also.

141. John Henderson: 9 south Park St. From London England 2 Months ago, a clerk, out of Employment, but willing to turn his hand to anything. was absent when Visitor called, but saw his wife. 5 Children, Ida

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10, William 8, Arthur 6 (frozen feet), Ellen 5, and baby 12 Months. Chof Engl. Coal for the season and Bread for 3 Months. 8 lbs. per week.

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142. Ann Linley: Reardens Lane rear of Cherry St. 1st House East side, Widow of Samuel, who died last November. 7 years in Toronto. From within 10 Miles of Edinburgh Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Children, Mary 13 at Service, Terauley St. Ann 10 at School. Janet 8, James 3, Eliza Jane 1. Coal for the season & 8 lbs. bread.

143. Mary Daley: 102 South Park St. Received relief last winter, while living near Bathurst St. Children Jeremiah 10. Mary 5, John 3. eldest boy sells papers. 17 years in Toronto. 4 lbs. bread and Coal alternately with Ellen Gall[a]gher (who occupies the same room), until visitor has an oportunity [opportunity] of seeing Mrs. Daley who was absent to day.

144. Ellen Gallagher: 102 South Park St. See last years report. Coal alternately with Mary Daley and 4 lbs. bread.

145. Frank McCabe: 69 Colborne St. up stairs. Out looking for work. Saw the wife who reports the family from Port Hope 4 Months ago, originally from Co. [County] Monaghan, Ireland 19 years ago. 4 Children. Barney 13, Mary Ann 9, picking up chips. Alice 5, and Kate 3. Coal for season and 8 lbs bread.

146. Mary Ann Joslin: 103 King St. East. Not known there.

147. Mary Ann Mandeville: 29 Wellington St. See report of last year. Matters unchanged. Recommended for last winters allowance.

148. Rebecca Fitzsimmons: 29 Wellington St. in the rear. See previous report. To have last years allowance.

149. James Gorley: an Inmate who left the premises last Sunday without leave, and has been on the spree up to yesterday, made his appearance to day for readmission. He promises not to do so again. The Committee in consideration of Gorley being an old Man, will admit him again.

150. George Wilson: 70 years of age. Irish. Ch of England. 40 years in Canada, has been chiefly working in Vaughan and Markham, Came from Markham to Toronto Decbr. 2nd and got into General Hospital where he has been until the 5th of this Month, when he was discharged. Is now seeking admission into House of Industry. Committee recommend that he go back to Markham, to apply there to County Council for aid. Has no Claim on this Charity.

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151. Rose Clohassy: rear 37 James St. The Children are now grown up, Visitor is of opinion that they are all able to earn their own living.

152. Mary McKenna: rear 201 Centre Street. Widow. Coloured. Aged 35. 3 Children. boy 10, girl 6, girl 5. Charwoman. 6 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times.

153. Elizabeth Andrews: 60 Emma St. in Case 460. To have Coal 3 times in addition to her bread.

154. Susan Johnson: in Case 852 in 1868. Found her at home this time. Coloured. Husband away to Buffalo seeking work, one Child a boy aged 12 in General Hospital with hip disease. Mrs. Johnson has a crippled [crippled] wrist caused by the cutting out of a cancer. To have Coal.

155. Charlotte McCan: 22 Elizabeth St. To have the same relief as last year viz., Coal 3 times, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

156. Mary Ann Henry: 161 Sayer St. widow aged 43. Methodist. Canadian. She is nearly blind. Respectable To have 900 lbs. Coal sent all at once, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

157. Elizabeth McKenzie: 159 Sayer St. widow aged 65. Scotch Congregational Church. Gets her rent paid by that Church. No family. Very respectable. To have 900 lbs. Coal sent all at once, and 4 lbs. bread weekly.

158. Mary Ann Whelan: 13 Albert St. aged 57. widow. R.C. Ireland. same as last year. Coal 3 times. No bread.

159. Ann Ballard: rear 44 Louisa St. Husband partially paralyzed. Aged 30. Canadian. ChofEngl. 2 Children, boys, 7 and 10. She seems to be a very hardworking industrious woman. To have Coal twice.

160. Mary Shannon: next to No. 55 Edward St. Aged 40. The husband 65, infirm old Man, Palsied. 6 Children, boy 18, works out, girl 17, girl 14, boy 12, girl 11, and girl 8. Irish. R.C. Coal 3 times, and bread 8 lbs. per week.

161. Phoebe Gray: 102 Sayer St. 65, widow. English. Methodist Church. an old Pensioner. To have Coal 3 times and 4 lbs. bread per week.

162. Martha Mathews: rear 84 Sayer St. It appears that the old woman applied at the House for relief, but when visitor called on her, he found that her friends felt rather indignant for doing so. requires nothing.

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163. Jane Aiken: 97 Sayer St. not at home when visitor called.

164. Jane Harding: 219 Sayer St. 23 years of age. one child, ought not to come for relief. both she and her husband are young and able to work.

165. Ann Davis: rear 150 Centre St. Coloured widow with a crippled boy. An old Case. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

166. Oliver Jackson: 213 Centre St. Coloured. Methodist. Has a wife and Eleven Children. The same relief as last year. Coal 3 times, Bread 8 lbs. per week & Soup.

167. Ann Auchincloff: 59 Centre St. widow aged 45. Presbyterian. Ireland. 3 Children, girls, 17, 14, 8. Respectable. To have last winters allowance.

168. Elizabeth McConvey: rear 38 Centre St. A very respectable woman with 3 young Children, the eldest 5 years, and the youngest 6 Months. The Husband is in the General Hospital with severe inflammation of the lungs, not expected to recover. They were burned out 3 Months ago near Peter Street and lost all they had. To have Coal 3 times, 8 lbs. bread, and a little tea & Sugar on account of the infant.

169. Catharine Potts: rear 44 Louisa St. Case well know at the House. They gather rags, and are very industrious. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

170. Ann Campbell: 97 University St. No such Number, or such a person there.

171. George French: 102 Agnes St. Not at home when visitor called. It appears he was at House of Industry at the time, sitting in the Soup Kitchen eating his dinner.

172. Ellen Stephens: 76 McMahon St. widow 76 years of age. No Children. Formerly in Service, but from age and infirmities unfit to do very much now, except to go out for an occasional days work. Coal 3 times, and bread for 6 weeks.

173. Sarah Hardiman: 44 Duchess St. a very old and very infirm woman. No Children. Not relations. How she has escaped freezing during the last severe weather is a marvel to Visitor! Recommended for Coal 3 times, she does receive bread from the House.

174. Mary O'Neill: Lane rear of Cartys soap factory. Widow with 3 Children. the eldest only 12 years of age. A very decent little body, but miserably poor. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a Month.

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175. Johanna Shea: )

176. and Mary Wymes: ) Cottage in a Hollow at foot of a Lane leading down from 26 James St. East. Both cases have been reported upon in previous years. They are both very necessitous ones. Johanna Shea is a single woman, but almost a cripple, and Mrs. Wymes a widow in very wretched circumstance. Each of the recommended for Coal twice, and bread for two Months.

177. Ann McNab: In a lane rear of 303 Queen St. East. Husband wife and four Children. Husband works in Summer about the wharves, but has been out of Employment for some time. The wife assures visitor that he is constantly on the look out for work, but if every he can possibly obtain any, always does it. The neighbours say the same thing! Visitor supposes therefore that under circumstances, they might be allowed Coal twice and bread for six weeks.

178. J.R. Lessane: 52 James St. East. a french Canadian family from the neighbourhood of Montreal. Husband wife and five very young Children. The old story. husband out of work. no fuel, and little enough food. The bed which they all slept upon, had but one miserable rug upon it, and they Landlady who seems a kind motherly old body, told visitor that she thought they would have been frozen during the last cold spell. She says the husband is a perfectly steady sober man, and most anxious to obtain work. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for six months.

179. Ellen Perkins: 168 Berkely St. She is an applicant of last year, a very decent respectable woman. Just one of those cases which one has real pleasure in relieving. She is a widow with one little gran child living with her. Recommended for Coal 3 times & bread for 2 Months.

180. Sarah J. Gustard: 6 Duchess St.)

181. Mary Daley: 102 North Park St.)

182. Ellen Gallagher do [ditto]) Visitor could not find those cases, thinks there must be some error in the directions.

183. Bridget Halloran: 44 Duchess St. A widow aged 75. Visitor recommends that she receive Coal and bread.

184. Honora Hogan: 44 Duchess St. receives bread from the House. recommended for Coal also.

185. Mary Reid: rear of 5 McMahon St. Coal once, bread for a Month.

186. Susanna Thornton: 79 Pine St. Coal once and bread for a Month.

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187. Margaret Martin: 79 Pine St. Coal onley. 3 times during the season.

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188. Mary Caithness: 18 Stanley St. 33 years of age. Husband 41. suffering from sore eyes, they have 4 Children. Margaret 14, Joseph 7, Mary 2. Rebecca 1. To have 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

189. Bridget Cahill: 18 Stanley St. aged 50, 2 Children, Mary 15, Michael 11, 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice. R.C. Irish.

190. Thomas Hall: 67 Stanley St. Aged 71, wife 60, neither able to work. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coals 3 times. R.C. Ireland.

191. Mary Kelly: 31 Stanley St. Aged 30. Husband gone away. She has 5 Children, Timothy 12, Maurice 10, Daniel 8, John 6 years, and Ellen 18 Months old. to have 8 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

192. Mary Eagan: 81 Stanley St. 65 years. A widow. Not able to work, has disease of the heart. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

193. Mary Wilkinson: 79 Stanley St. not living there.

194. Johanna Riley: Lane on Mutual Street. 49 years, Widow with 2 Children. Philip 11. John 9. Living by scrubbing. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

195. John Byrne: 9 Victoria St. Aged 70. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

196. Ellen Armstrong: 70 Queen St. East. 59 years. A widow not able to work with pains in her limbs. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

197. Catharine Nugent: 17 Shuter St. 70 years old. A widow not able to work. English Church. Coal twice.

198. Mary Bell: 99 Berkely St. She is a Widow. no family. Her husband died last Autumn. So far as Visitor can judge from all the circumstance of the Case, would feel disposed to allow one load of Coal only, and bread for one Month onley. Most likely by this time next Month she ought to get sufficient work to do without further assistance.

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199. John O'Neill: Husband wife and 5 young Children, the Man has nearly lost his Eyesight. does what little work he can in the way of sawing wood [etc.]. The wife a worthless drunken creature. became so



bad last week, that the husband had to lodge a complaint against her and she is now in Gael. The Children are pictures of squalor and misery. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and bread for two Months.

200. Mary Meredith: Corner of Berkely and Duchess St. Widow and four young Children at home. Mrs. Meredith was not at home when visitor called, but the neighbours said that she was in great poverty and that she had not had a fire for two days! She might have Coal sent her once, and visitor will call again, bread also.

201. Charles Graham: 73 McMahon St. This man suffers fearfully from Asthma. He has a large and very young family. five of them. Visitor has a Note from Dr. Tempest who attends him certifying the wretched state of health. From all that could be learned Visitor would say that he was a deserving person, willing always to work when he can. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for six Months.

202. Elisa Flaherty: 22 Stanley St. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. James, who says it is a Case of destitution such as he has very seldom met with. The family consists of husband wife and 3 small Children, aged 5, 3 years and 8 Months. The father and two of the Children are sick, and the Mother a good, sober and honest. Would recommend that 600 lbs. of Coal, bread weekly and some tea & sugar be given to them for a few weeks. Irish. R.C. Church.

203. Sarah Bright: 184 Centre St. A widow aged 67. Nova Scotian. Ch of Engl. No family, apparently a very respectable woman. To have Coal.

204. Ann Donnally: 108 Strachan St. A widow with 5 Children, who for a few years has been in receipt of aid from the House. Not at Home when visitor called. Two boys 9 & 5, and 3 girls, 11, 7 and 3 1/2. An industrious steady woman. Has about 2 1/2 days work in the week. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal allowance.

205. Mary McKenzie: 25 Grogg Lane (off John St.) A widow since last April aged 40, with 1 boy aged 6, a poor weakly creature. Says she works when she can get it to do. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread.

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206. Mary Smith: 6 Dummer St. Visitor could not find her.

207. Leonard Wilcox: 38 High St. already in receipt of Coal [etc.] Wants Groceries, an allowance recommended in consideration of his age.

208. Mary Sullivan: 43 Bishop St. Not at home when visitor called. Husband away for a long time not heard from of late. Has 7 Children, very interesting and intelligent looking little ones. Three boys 10, 8 & 6. 4 girls, 11, 5, 4 and 2. one boy very ill. Washes [etc.] for a living, but wretchedly off as far as visitor could judge. Irish. R.C. Bread 12 lbs. and Coal recommended, and an allowance of rice, oatmeal and Sugar for the little boy. allowed 12 lbs. bread and Coal.

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209. Julia Burton: 21 Dummer St. A widow about 45. one girl at home 12 years of age. Scrubs for a living but apparently far from strong. Has a room without furniture, the floor being her bedstead, from a Shoemaker (who is very sick) and his wife whose stove she uses. Irish. R.C. Coal and Bread allowed.

210. Ann Donnelly: 104 Strachan St. Not at home when visitor called. Has 2 Children, a girl aged 9. and a boy younger (at School) A Widow. Lives as a lodger with some friends. Not stove of her own. This Ann Donally is said to be unsteady. Bread allowed but not Coal.

211. Johanna McAvee: 63 Esther St. Husband ill since September from inflammation of the Lungs. Has 6 Children, 4 boys, 12, 11, 10 & 4, 2 girls 8 & 6. Has a couple of Cows but they are almost dry and therefore unprofitable. Wife cant get work to do but says she is willing. Irish. Roman Catholic. Coal and bread, and an allowance of groceries for her husband.

212. Hanna Stewart: 45 Oxford St. Husband in the Provincial Lunatic Asylum. has a boy 16 who cant get work, and a girl 10 years old. A Charwoman, but finds it hard to get work. Irish. Ch of England. Coal twice and Bread.

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213. Mary Meredith: Corner of Duke and Berkely St. and

214. Ellen Simpson: Corner of Pine and North Park St. Visitor recommends them each for Coal once. with the express understanding that they should be referred again.

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215. Mary Holland: Corner of Czar & North Streets. Irish. R.C. Widow. aged 50. 3 Children, girl 12 and twins girl 16 and boy 16. The boy is at work, earns [dollars] 5 a Month, and the eldest girl in Service at [dollars] 4 per Month. The girl 12 at home, attends to her Mother who is in bad health.

216. Ann Dunlevie: in Case 55, visitor recommends that she receive Coal twice.

217. Eliza Goodwin: lives down at Lesslie Ville [Leslieville]. a little to [too] far even for a St. Davids ward visitor! She was in Town last year, and visitor believes was reported upon by him. She is a widow with several Children, some out at service and some at home. She declares she cannot get work, and if the House would only allow her a little Coal and Bread she would carry them home herself. She appears to

be a very respectable woman and perhaps the Committee would stretch a point for her. Committee cant allow anything as she lives without the City limits.

218. Louisa Sutton: 140 Tecumseth St. Recommended for Coal.

219. Louisa Miller: 149 Tecumseth St. Recommended for Coal.

220. Johanna Spelling: 421 Little Richmond St. Irish. R.C. 1 boy aged 9. Rheumatic. lives at Mrs. Fitzpatrick. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

221. Jane Smith: rear of 129 Tecumseth St. English. Protestant. in Toronto about 20 years. 2 Children, girl 10 & 7. Husband a labourer. ought to be comfortable but are not. Recommended for Coal.

222. Mary Spence: next 84 Stanley St. Aged 55. A widow not able to work. 4 lbs. bread and coal twice. R.C. Irish.

223. Thomas Scanlan: 67 Stanley St. 34 years, wife 26, can't get work. 7 Months from England. 2 Children, Johanna 2 years, baby 2 Months. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

224. Michael Connally: Visitor called twice but Connally was not in.

225. Dennis Lynch: 97 Richmond St. East. 43 years old, can't get work. Wife dead. 3 Children, John 8. Maurice 6, Ann 4. occupying a cold room 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

226. Elizabeth Burns: 196 Mutual St. Aged 40. widow with five Children. May 11, Elizabeth 9. Margaret 7. Catharine 4, Emily 18 Months. 10 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

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227. Ellen Purtell: 29 Ann St. 70 years not able to work, very feeble. Coal twice. R.C. Ireland.

228. Ann Doherty: Bethunes Lane, rear of Cartys soap factory. Husband has been ill all the Autumn with diarrhoea [etc.] and not much wonder considering the filthy hovel they are living in, a reeking Privy used by all the population of [off] the Lane almost blocking up the door and filling the air with its stench! The husband went off to the Country some weeks ago to try what change of air would do for him, she has not heard from him since. Visitor would recommend her for Coal once and bread for a Month, and the Case might then be referred back again.

229. Rose Cauley: 79 Sumach St. This Case was reported upon last year. It is a peculiar one, for the House they live in is their own, and at first it might be supposed that they were really not persons to come upon the House, but they are both aged people. The Husband is a cripple quite incapable of work. they have no one to assist them. no relations of any Kind. and they cannot rub through the winter without some assistance. Visitor therefore recommends them for Coal twice.

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230. Hannah Ladd: rear 16 McMahon St. Visitor could not find any such person, thinks there must be some error in the adress.

231. Fanny Phealey: aged 22. English. ChofEngl. Married. 2 Children, the eldest a girl 1 year and 9 Months old with her father in the County of Grey. the youngest 6 weeks old with her, the husband lives off Wellington in a lane back of Bay St. with a brother. Mrs. Phealey came with a Note from the Mayor recommending her, and infant for admission.

232. Sarah McBride and

233. Margaret Slattery both living at 19 Emily St. Visitor does not consider either of these Cases such as would justify their recommendation

234. James Pyden: an Inmate (see Case 653 in 1867.) left the Institution and went to General Hospital.

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235. Bridget Mulloy: 17 Stanley St. 45 years. A Widow, has 2 Children, Michael 10, Thomas 9. Washing when she can get it. One of the Children sick. 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coals twice.

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236. Martha Kenny: Queen St. East next Cooks' Church. Aged 60. Widow. No family. Makes a living by washing. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

237. Elizabeth Donohoe: 17 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.

238. Mary Ann Joslin: 483 King St. East. A Widow, 5 years of Bartholomew. 15 years in Canada, 11 years in Toronto. originally from Lincolnshire England. 2 Girls at Godrich [Goderich]. Robert 11, Billy 5, stopping with her. A very talkative body. Coal and 6 lbs. bread per week.

239. Mary Kearney: 102 South Park St. was out when Visitor called, said to be a lone widow, occupies same premises as Mary Daley and Ellen Gallagher, the three have one stove in common & might therefore be allowed Coal alternately. 4 lbs. bread for Mary Kearney.

240. Ann Morrison: Shanty next Newbigging House front Street. Not in when Visitor called.

241. Mary Mandeville: and Rebecca Fitzsimmons are now living together, they might hence forward, be allowed Coal alternately.

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242. Peter Gehar: Pine St. Shoemaker by trade, half starved looking creature. a wife and 3 young Children, cannot get work enough to Keep him either in food or fuel and Visitor believes him. Recommended for Coal once & bread for 6 weeks.

243. Bridget McFarland: Corner of Duke and Berkely St. widow. 5 Children. Industrious and respectable, would help her with Coal, only twice.

244. Martha Smith: 204 Lumley St. Nothing recommended this year as she is harbouring a young Man and Woman who are living as Man and Wife though not Married.

245. Alicia Barrett: 208 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 35, has two rooms up stairs. 4 Children, 2 boys 13 & 7. 2 girls 8 & 4. The boy at place but not earning much. sews and washes for a living. Is in bad health. A sober respectable woman as far as Visitor can judge. Irish. ChofEngl. Bread and Coal allowed.

246. Mr. Garde: (Brunswick Avenue) North of St. Stephens, and

247. Amelia Partridge: are both recommended.

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248. Catharine Deary: 75 Strachan St. Not at Home when Visitor called. A Widow. One daughter 16 at home to Keep her company. Two other daughters at Service who pay her rent. The son for whose sake principally relief used to be given her, is now dead. The daughter at home says her Mother was not strong but does what work she can get. Apparently very comfortable. Irish. R.C. This Case referred to Committee.

249. Margaret Bray: Lives up stairs in a lane behind 9 Renfrew St. Out when visitor called. A widow aged 45. Has one grandchild with her a boy 2 years of age partly supported by his Mother who is at Service. Washes for a living. work scarce. Irish. R.C. Coal only recommended.

250. Jane Burke: rear 15 Maria St. Out washing when visitor called. A widow aged 32. Has 2 Children both boys 7 & 4 respectively. Lives with a Mrs. Daley. Sometimes has 4 days washing in the week. No stove of her own. Further inquiry into this Case left to Committee.

251. Mary Green: rear of 30 Charles St. A Widow. slightly rheumatic. In bad health of late. Knits for a living. Irish. R.C. Temporary relief allowed, as Visitor is not quite satisfied about the Case. She has a family living with her.

252. Charlotte Simmonds: 11 St. Patricks square, up stairs. Husband on the Gunboat "Heron". only received [dollars] 10 for the last 4 Months from him, Has four Children 2 boys 8, and a baby, 2 girls 5 & 3. apparently sober and respectable. English. ChofEngland. Coal twice allowed and bread.

253. Ann Read: 11 St. Patricks square. Husband out of work and cant get anything to do, otherwise would not apply for help. Has two Children a boy 5 and girl 1. apparently sober and respectable. English. ChofEngl. Coal twice and bread allowed.

254. Maria Pierpoint: 17 St. Patricks square. A widow 51. A daughter Married to an Artilleryman lives at home. One Son (at Colemans) sleeps at home. Mrs. P. has one days work in the week. The daughter she says would work but cant get employment. English. ChofEngl. Coal allowed.

255. Fanny Phealey: in Case 231. Allowed to stay in building for casual poor for a few days longer.

256. Mary Bingham: Corner of Osgood & Sayer St. Aged 22. English. ChofEngl. 2 Children, boy 3 & girl 1 1/2 years. Came from the States last August. Husband cant get Employment. Very respectable. Coal & Bread

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257. Janet Aitken: 79 Sayer St. A widow aged 59. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. suffers much from Asthma. Lives with a Married daughter who seems to be very poor herself and cannot help her Mother. To have Coal and 4 lbs. bread per week and a little Oatmeal.

258. Resden Bacon: Aged 64. Coloured. Blind. Has a Wife and 4 Children boy 16, learning to be a Barber, girl 13 goes out to work, and a girl 9 & 6 at home. Wife appears to be an industrious woman. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

259. Elizabeth Trevors: 9 Hagerman St. Married. Canadian. Aged 26. Chof England. 3 Children, girl 5, girl 3, and boy 6 weeks old. Husband has been given to drink, and is now in jail for that same offence. To have Coal and bread.

260. Mary Ann Thompson: 68 Elizabeth St. Married. Aged 26. Canadian. Chof England. 3 Children, boy 8 & boy 3 in the Country with an Aunt, and a boy 4 at home with her. Husband deserted her 18 Months ago. To have Coal.

261. Caroline Harris: 55 Edward St. Coloured. Aged 55 she is a Widow 3 times, buried 2 husbands for sure, but the third is adrift somewhere. Not particular to Church whether Coloured or white. It appears Mrs. Harris lives with another Coloured family who take in washing and she assists them. Has no family. Acts rather strange.

Friday 22nd. January 1869.

Present Revd. F.J. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

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262. Mary Emerson: North West Corner of Little Richmond and Brock St. Native of U.S. In Toronto 6 years. 2 Children, boy aged 10 & Girl 12, are employed in begging from door to door. Separated from her husband who keeps a second hand store on King. St. Not able to work since Christmas. Recommended for Coal once.

263. Ann Morrison: Front Street. Shanty next Newbigging House. Widow over 30 years. 5 years in Toronto next May. from Hamilton. 9 years from Ireland, County of Monaghan. Has a daughter Mary Agnes, living with her aged 22: unmarried & sickly. Recommended for Coal and bread.

264. Thomas Burns: 81 Stanley St. 72 years, Wife 67 years. No income. Not able to work. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

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265. Samuel Tremble: Coloured. Next 50 Bond St. 34 years, in Consumption. Wife 28. 4 Children. The wife is trying to support the family by washing. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

266. William Turner: An old out door pensioner brought a Note from Revd. E. Baldwin recommending the admission of Turner and Wife for the Winter Months. Committee cannot admit them but will increase their weekly allowance of Bread.

267. Ann Clampett: 79 University St. Aged 27. Married. 3 Children. Irish R.C. Lived in Toronto 3 years. Husband went to Montreal and got himself into jail. The Children are girls, aged 8, 4, and 1 years respectively. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal.

268. Sarah Tomlie: 59 York St. Widow 48. Irish. R.C. 3 Children at home. Girl 15, girl 11, and girl 9. Laid up with a very bad leg. 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

269. Susan Charbotte: Johnsons Lane Adelaide St. west of Yonge St. Widow. aged 61. Irish. ChofEngl. 3 Children. Recommended Bread and Coal.

270. John Cahill: in lane off Wellington St. rear of Bay St. from Ireland. ChofEngl. Married. No Children. Not very able to work. Looks like a sober Man. Needs relief.

271. George Wingrave: 136 Richmond St. west. English. Chof England. Single. Elderly Man, says he cant get employment. Looks respectable. Visitor he should be assisted.

272. Ellen Cole: 132 Richmond St. west. English. ChofEngl. Husband looks a very sickly man. 4 small Children. very poor. seem to require relief.



273. Johanna Strachan: 27 Melinda St. Irish. R.C. Church. She is an elderly woman, seems steady, but not over tidy. Her Nephew lives with her, he does some work, but his head and health is somewhat affected after working. They look poor & require some aid.

274. Susan Charbotte: No. 4 Johnsons Lane. From Ireland. Chof England. She has two Children, the girl is sickly and not able to do much to support herself, the boy has been at Service, but took sick last fall and has not since been able to get a place. Her House is clean. Visitor thinks she should get some help.

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275. James Eccles 206 King St. East. Husband and Wife, No Children. Husband had been working in the Rolling Mills until six weeks ago. out of work since. Wife has been ill with liver complaint and is still unfit to do anything. They had exhausted all their little savings in Doctors Bills. and when visitor was in the House last night, they had just burnt up their last Chair! They both appear to be very respectable decent people. He has tried to get wood sawing anything in fact to do without success. Recommended for Coal once, and Bread weekly for one Month.

276. Mary Daley: 206 King St. East. was in Service and Married a discharged Soldier of the 13th Hussars last March. who on pretence of looking for work took himself off to the States about 2 Months ago, leaving her in the family way (she is just on the point of her confinement) without any means of support whatever. She had had no fire for the last two or three days. and scarcely food. Visitor relieved her temporarily himself and now recommends that she should be allowed Coal twice, bread for a Month, and a little Tea, Sugar and Oatmeal.

277. Ellen Ryan: next 37 James St. East. Widow and two Children. one of the little boys a cripple. She Knits and does little odd jobs but cannot Keep herself in fuel and sometimes pretty hard up for food. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for one Month.

278. John Ball: 37 George St. Husband Wife and two Children. Husband is partially paralysed and has been so for many years. They appear very decent respectable people. Recommended for Coal twice.

279. Mary Hayes: 14 Lane between Parliament and Berkely Streets. a little old widow whose case has been reported upon in previous years. She is now living with a Mrs. Burns who lived formerly on a lane leading out of McMahon Street, and who is receiving relief from the House. Visitor would recommend Mrs. Hay [Hayes] for some Coal and if she will remain with Mrs. Burns and they will both use the same stove, would recommend a little extra allowance between them this Month and the next. Poor Mrs. Burns is in a sad state. with sore legs. they are in a fearful state and quite incapacitate her from working. It would be a great charity to allow her a little tea, sugar and Oatmeal just for this once.

280. Mary Gillon: or Dillon: rear of 46 Caroline St. Visitor presumes this Case has been relieved, has been at her house again, but she was not in.

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281. Caroline Wilkinson: 273 Queen St. East. Husband has left her with two young Children one of them an infant at the breast. When he deserted her she had not a sixpence, and were it not for the charity of the person over whose shop she is now living, she would be without either food or fire. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for six weeks.

Tuesday. 26th January 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Jamot. Mr. Alderman Sheard and Mr. E. Hobson.

282. Susan Murry: Mathewsons's Gard. Stanley St. 40 years, lame. living by sewing. Spinster, living in a cold room, Nothing but a fire place. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

283. Catharine Martin: 44 Stanley St. Aged 46 years. Widow. No family living, occupying a cold room, goes out washing. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once.

284. Margaret Bruan [Bruen]: 86 Ann Street. Aged 37 years, a Widow. 4 children, Mary 13, Michael 11, Teresa 9, and Sebastian 5 years of age. Husband dead 3 weeks [John Bruen]. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.

285. Catharine Corcoran: Corner of Richmond and Bathurst St. See former report. Mary Tracey lives in the same house and uses the same stove so that both will not be entitled to receive fuel.

286. Patrick Feeney: 13 Emily St. Married. Aged 40. Irish. R.C. Wife 37. Has 6 Children. Girls 12, 10, 9. Boys 4, 3, and baby 4 Months. This is a family of Emigrants from Bermuda arrived in Toronto a Month since. appear to be a family willing to work if they can get it to do. Visitor recommends 12 lbs. bread and Coal. A Month & visit.

287. Mary Crombie: 14 Elliotts Row. Widow. was in bed. says she is very sick. did not appear so to visitor. has two daughters 17, and 14 years of age, and a boy 12. The girls work in Tobacco factory. Visitor will enquire further into the Case before he can recommend.

288. Mary Ann Smart: 11 Emily St. from Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. A Widow. She is a lodger where she lives. Has only one Child 3 Months old. would be able to work but for the Child. Scalded her foot a

few days ago, and is disabled for the present. Husband was a Sailor, and was drowned last Summer on one of the lakes. She is a young woman and seems in need.

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289. Sarah Johnson: 86 Dummer St. aged 40. Has two rooms up stairs, clean and tidy & respectable. Husband out of work and not strong. 5 Children, 3 boys, one 15 working at a Brewery, another 6, & a baby which last prevents her from going out to work herself. 2 girls 9 and 4. A Canadian, Chof England. To have Coal and bread. Husband to see Doctor.

290. Ellen Daley: 137 Bishop St. Aged 49. Lives in a wretched House with scarcely and furniture, bed on floor [etc.] [etc.] The plastering is nearly all down and daylight seen through the walls. Her husband is 58 years old and being weakly is unequal to hard work. Cannot get any little jobs to do in Winter. Says she has 3 children besides an Orphan girl aged 5. One boy 13 and two girls 15 working in a Tobacco Factory. and another 17. The latter visitor believes not to be at home, but leading a very irregular life. Irish. R.C. A little Coal and bread recomd.

291. Phoebe Carling: Visitor recommends Coal once, and after that she may be visited again to ascertain her locality.

292. Ann French: 195 Centre St. Aged 31. Husband a Coloured Man aged 38. They have 4 Children, girl 10, girl 9, boy 7 and girl 5. Husband was a waiter on Board the City of Toronto at [dollars] 15 per Month. Has had nothing to do since the Boat laid up, and cant get Employment.

293. Louisa Clark: 191 Centre St. Widow aged 33, Canadian, Chof England. 3 Children, boy 10, living with Captain Clarke for his board & Clothing. boy 7 and girl 4 at home. Washes and scrubs for a living, but not much doing just now.

294. Anderson Patton: 195 Centre St. Coloured. Barber. Aged 36. Baptist. Came from the States 2 years ago, is paralysed and not able to work. About 3 Months ago he got married to a white woman, a widow, who has 3 Children who have been taken by an Uncle (who lives on Queen St) to be provided for by him.

295. Sarah Spencer: 94 Albert St. Aged 26. Husband 32. Both Coloured. Came from the States 5 Months ago. They have 2 Children, boy 6 years and a boy 5 Months old. Methodist Church. Out of Employment at present. Looks like an industrious Man.

296. Ellen Nairn: 45 1/2 Elizabeth St. aged 29. Native of Cape Town. Husband an English Man aged 34. The woman is in bad health, and the Husband out of Employment.

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297. Mary Campbell: Widow. Aged 37. Wesleyan Methodist. Has 3 Children, The eldest a girl 14 at Service, 2 at home girl 10 and boy 8. Visitor says she is a person worthy of assistance, and would not apply if she could do without it. Recommend for bread 6 lbs. per week & Coal 3 times.

298. Ellen Cole: in Case 272, says her husband is ill at home. Committee desire Dr. Ogden to call upon him, and report his Case.

299. John Cahill: in Case 270. Committee referred him to Doctor, and if not able to work, to ^have^ Coal and Bread. Doctor says that Cahill is not in a fit state to earn his living at present.

300. Ellen Chambers: 44 Nelson St. Not Known there. Perhaps intended for little Nelson St. west End.

301. Agnes Stanley: An Inmate in Case 622 in 1861, was taken out of the Institution, her Sister will provide for her somewhere else. Jan 27th.

Friday 29th January. 1869.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard. Revd. Mr. Jamot & Mr. E. Hobson.

302. Ellen Clune: 62 Grogg Lane. A Widow with 4 Children, 3 boys 9. 7 & 4. 1 girl 14, working at Jaques & Hay's but boarding at home. washes and scrubs for a living, very poor, in a very uncomfortable House. Irish. R.C. To have Coal twice and bread.

303. Mary Armstrong: behind 27 Dummer Street. Husband away. 1 boy 2 years old. A Char-woman. Has part of a House to herself. Not over tidy. An Irish woman, belongs to Church of England. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread.

304. James Muirhead: rear 37 Duchess St. Man and wife. an old Couple. No Children. Case reported upon in previous years. The wife peddles about in fine weather, and the Husband saws a little wood when he can get it to do. Recommended for Coal once.

305. Janet McCallum: 113 Nelson St. Some error in this address, Could not find any such person at 113.

306. Ann Bagley [Begley]: 81 George St. A most deserving person. See report of previous Years. Hardworking and industrious. Recommended for Coal twice.

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307. Catharine Thompson: 97 Richmond St. East. has lef [left] the ward.

308. Ellen Cole: in Case 298. Doctor visited the husband, and states, that there was certainly nothing the matter with the Man when called on, unless perhaps a slight amount of weakness for want of sufficient nourishment. He complains as if he might have a light attack of ague but if he has, there are no symptoms to indicate it, beyond his statement and complaints. As far as Doctor can judge he believes there is nothing the matter with him beyond an indisposition to work. allowed Coal & bread on account of the Wife and Children.

309. Jemima Cornell: 77 Hayter Street. Widow. Aged 51. England. Chof England. her Children away from her all but the youngest aged 12 who canes Chairs. Very decent respectable woman. To have Coal and bread.

310. Jane Sinclair: 81 Elizabeth St. Widow, aged 29. Lost her husband 3 weeks since. Native of Scotland. W. Methodist. 5 children, Jeny 11, John 9, Thomas 7 (in Orphans Home) James 5, and Mary 2 1/2 years respectively. Mrs. Sinclair expects to be confined again in a few Months. To have Coal and 10 lbs. bread. And during her confinement Groceries and extra Coal.

311. Ann Buntin: 103 Albert St. Married. Irish. R.C. Church. 2 Children girl 20 Months, and girl 6 Months. Husband a discharged Soldier from the 7th Fusiliers, is trying now to get in the Canadian Rifles.

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Present. B. Homer Dixon Esqr. & J. Thom Esqr.

312. Mary Carroll: 84 Stanley St. 40 years old. Widow. No family. lives by scrubbing, but at present cant get work. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread.

313. Sophia Shipley: Ramseys lane McMahan St. 69 years old. Widow. No family. Has one arm broken, Not able to work. German. ChofEngl. To have Coal and Bread.

314. Thomas Gray: Little Richmond St. No 345. Irish. Methodist. In Toronto since 31 [1831]. One daughter at home who takes in sewing. Mr. Gray is 85 years of age. Recommended for Coal.

315. Randolph Lowry: 421 Adelaide St west. Native of Virginia. In Toronto since 1843. Baptist. Coloured. No family. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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316. William Delaney: in Case 563 in 1867. Made application for admission again. Committee refused admission on the same grounds he was refused on before. Lunacy.

317. Thomas Earle: 55. Single. Irish. ChofEngl. Came from Bradford to Toronto, to get treatment for his Eyes under Dr. Rosebrugh. Has been 9 years in Canada. Had shelter for several days in building for casual poor, he now seeks admission into the House. Committee will allow shelter in building for casual poor a little longer, until his Eye (which is much inflamed by a recent operation), is somewhat better, but cannot admit him, consider he has no claim on this Charity.

318. Eliza Bretherton: Aged 16. English. R.C. was 10 years in Kirkdale Industrial School, Liverpool, and is one of the girls that was brought out last December by Miss Rye. Lived Servant with Mr. John Hector for the last 3 weeks, but on account of her taken Epileptic fits could not be Kept there. Mr. Hector made application for her admission into House of Industry as she has no where to go to. Committee will admit her for the present, but would like to have the Case brought up again before the General board.

319. William Hewlett: in Case 119. Made application for admission. Not able to earn enough to pay his rent. Aged 76. English. ChofEngl. Admitted.

320. Sophia Levy: 116 King St West. Married, aged 50. Husband says he is 65. R.C. Came from Poland, but has been a long time in the States. 5 Children, girl 16 who has a crippled hand, 4 boys, 2, 3, 8, and 9 years respectively. The boys 8 & 9 appear much older then they say, and the Parents much younger, she looks more like 47 and the husband more like 55. Visitor thinks it is evident they dont mean to get a living by honest industry. They are only a few weeks from the States. Is under a high rent on King St. near the Cab stand. The Case left for Committee to decide. To have Coal once.

321. Patrick Halloran: 35 years of age. Labourer. Irish. R.C. Came from Madoc, seeking Employment in Toronto. Seeks shelter for a few days, as he has no means to pay his way.

322. John Oak: Aged 26. Native of Scotland. Presbyt Church. Coper [cooper?] by trade. Came from Hamilton lately. cannot get anything to do. Seeks shelter for a few days, expects to be employed shortly.

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Friday 5th February 1869.

Present, B. Homer Dixon Esqr. & Revd Mr. Boddy.

323. Margaret Lettore: 173 York Street. was not in when visitor called, got the following information from the parties where she lives, that she is a Widow, about 55 years of age. R.C. French. Has a daughter

aged 17 who is rather weak minded. Committee will please judge the Case when they see the party. Committee grant Coal once, and 4 lbs. bread per week for one Month.

324. Emma Beatty: 60 Dummer Street. Lives in Colensos Row. a Widow with two girls, 9 & 3 respectively. A dirty miserable hole. says she sews for a living, but has not been well lately. The Committee are recommended to grant no relief to persons living in this House.

325. Elisa Gradwell: 196 Queen St. west. an old recipient of aid. Lives with her Brother a tailor in good employ whose Wife is in England. Has one girl aged 9 with her at present, the rest being provided for. The question of allowing aid to a woman thus favourably situated is referred to Committee.

326. Catharine Armstrong: 12 Oak Street. Husband a jobbing gardener out of work. Had nothing to do since October or beginning of November. A very large family of young Children. youngest only a few weeks old. appear to be very respectable decent people. Visitor recommends them for Coal once, and if they desire it might have bread for one Month only. See Case 740 in 1868.

327. Thomas Maslin: 146 Pine Street. Coal only once more. See former Case 691 in 1868.

328. Margaret Akers: left 146 Pine St. Lives now on the Corner of Pine and Oak Street. Her husband is now in the Hospital, recommended for Coal once, and bread for six weeks. See former Case 692 in 1868.

329. Susan Bell: in Case 93. Recommended by Visitor for a Grate.

330. Elizabeth Ann Waite: 23 years of age. Canadian. Has a Child 2 Months old but no husband not being married. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her for such relief as can be given, if found to be a deserving Case. A Mrs. Rouse also applied on her behalf January 8th. To have her and Child admitted. Committee refused admission at that time. (The Case was omitted.)

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331. John Lafferty: in Case 694 in 1868. left the Institution Febry 6th. thinks he is now able to earn his living.

332. Elisa Bretherton: in Case 318, left the Institution to day, (Febry 8th) say's the Sisters will receive her into the House of Providence and procure a place for her.

333. William Kelly: 55. Irish. R.C. from the Township of Lancaster. Came to Toronto two weeks ago to get treatment for his Eyes from Dr. Rosebrugh. Is now out of funds to pay his way, seeks shelter for a few days, until he can get a pass from the Mayor, and a few Dollars from St. Patricks Society to enable him to get back to his own place.

334. Mary Coughlan: 30. Irish. R.C. Church. Came from St. Marys, says her husband was Killed 3 years ago whilst digging a well in the Township of Morrington. She has 3 Children with her, William James 9, Mary Ann 7, & Catharine 3 years of age. will try to get the Children into House of Providence if she can, in the mean time seeks shelter here.



335. Samuel Wedge: in Case 635 in 1868 went out on Sunday (February 7th) has not returned yet Febry 9th.

Tuesday 9th February 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Bishop & E. Hobson Esqr.

336. Elizabeth Donohoe: rear 21 Queen St. East. Widow. 46 years old. 3 Children, Josephine 9. John 7. Edward 5. Living by scrubbing and washing. Recommended 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal once. Irish. ChofEngl.

337. Elisa Delmege: 97 Richmond St. East. 36 years old. 1 Child two weeks old. living by charity. 10 Months from Ireland. Husband died in London Canada West. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once. R.C.

338. Mary Farrell: rear 26 Victoria St. 31 years of age. Widow with one child 5 years old. Lives by sewing. 14 years in the City. 4 lbs. bread Coal once. Baptist Church.

339. Margaret Burns: in Case 765 in 1868. and Thomas Burns in Case 264 in 1869. Husband and Wife living at 81 Stanley St. Committee will not grant any more relief to these parties for having imposed upon the Institution, by applying seperately for relief, and having both received Coal and bread.

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340. Ann McLean: 27 Duchess St. Husband went to the States last July, has never heard from him since. Two young Children one an infant in the arms in sickly health which keeps the Mother from going out to work, and they will not take the child at the Girls Home as it is to [too] young. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month or six weeks.

341. Mary McDonnell: in Case 724 in 1868. Relief to be continued for another Month.

342. Jane Loeder: 75 Queen St. west. (a young girl) but Married. aged about 19. Husband 29. English. has no family but both themselves, enjoying the sweets of matrimony. but would wish to live on the public. The Committee will please give this Case their most serious consideration and decide on the principles of equity.

343. Margaret Murry: 37 James Street west. Aged 60. Spinster. Irish R.C. Not in good health, was run over by a light waggen on Church Street six weeks ago. To have Coal and Bread for a Month.

344. Catharine Teneyck: Lives with a respectable family named Thompson at 167 Ontario St. west. Her husband has deserted her, and she is very badly off. Has two Children, both boys 3 years, and 4 Months

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of age respectively. Says she cant get work. From the United States, over a year in Toronto. Presbyterian. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

345. Jane Clarke: 53 Elm Street. Aged 30. Has been a Widow 4 years. Native of Toronto. Chof England. 4 Children. girl 8, boy 7, girl 6, and girl 5 years of age respectively. Seems a very hard working industrious woman. The Children are bad with sore throat just now. To have Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

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Present. Revd. Mr. Bishop. Mr. Alderman Sheard & Mr. Hobson.

346. Ellen Reid: Aged 19. Not Married, but has a baby 8 Months old. Belongs to Goderich but came to Toronto two weeks ago with the intention of disposing of her baby to some charitable Institution. Has been staying at the "Girls Home". Made application to day at this Institution for admission for herself and Child. Committee cannot admit her, recommend that she go back to Goderich where she has a claim.

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347. Thomas Redmond: 327 Queen St. East. Reported upon before. a very necessitous case the poor man although utterly unfit for work, is still doing all he can at odd jobs to eke out a subsistence for his family. Visitor strongly recommends the bread to be continued and Coal to be allowed once more.

348. Elizabeth Kilburne: 81 Sumach St. Husband and Wife. Husband has been very ill with an attack on the lungs. sitting up for the first time yesterday when visitor saw him. Recommended for a little Tea and Oatmeal. Coal once. Bread for one Month.

349. Mary Reid: rear of 5 McMahon St. Visitor recommends them for Coal once more and bread for another fortnight. Husband is now at work for the first time. but they have a very large family. and have been sorely pinched.

350. Margaret Hartree: 71 Pine St. Husband and two Children. Husband was once comfortable off but reduced now to great poverty whether from any want of steadiness on his part Visitor cannot positively say. but in any Case, the Man is now so ill, that it is doubtfull whether he can live very long, and the wife cannot leave him to go out to work. Recommended for Coal once & bread for a Month.

351. Mary Stuart: Living with an old Couple the Hogans on Duchess St. who are receiving relief from the House. Mrs. Stuart is a pretty old and pretty hard Case! Nevertheless Visitor would not refuse a little bread for one Month only, she can then get along with her basket and shift for herself.

352. Mary Ann Lee: Native of Kingston, Canada. Chof England. and two Children (Coloured) boys, aged 5 & 2. says her husband left her. She came from Windsor and intends going back to Kingston. Had a few days shelter in Building for casual poor.

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Present Revd. Dr. Green. Revd. Mr. Ellerby and A.T. McCord Esqr.

353. Samuel Wedge: in Case 335, Came to day and made application for readmission. Confessed he had a drop to [too] much which Kept him out, and promised not to do the like again. Admitted.

354. John Eakin: rear 58 North Park Street. No such person living in that Neighbourhood.

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355. Thomas Redmond: 372 Queen St. East. There is no Thomas Redmond living at any such Number. Visitor reported upon Thomas Redmond living at 327. See Case 347.

356. William Dunn: an Inmate see Case 749 in 1868. was at his old tricks again of getting drunk, and bringing also in drink to one of the Females. what little Money he has saved ([dollars] 7) the Committee will allow him, but must leave the House with an understanding never to be admitted again.

357. William Jackson: 31 years of age. Native of Ireland. Chof England wife and one Child. Printer out of Employ. In Toronto since last September. Lives 142 York Street. To have Coal once & be visited.

358. Margaret Sturgess: in Case 660 in 1867. was taken out of the Institution by an Uncle who will provide for her.

359. Margaret Taylor: in Case 658 in 1867. died this day Febyr 18th at half past 4 OClock P.M. Aged 67. Debility.

Friday 19th February 1869.

Present A.T. McCord Esqr.

360. Thomas Doyle: 43 Esther St. Has sore Eyes. A Wife and one Child, (infant) Wife works when she can get any washing [etc.] Has part of the House, a couple of rooms, with his own furniture. Seems very poorly off. Irish, R.C. Church. Recommended for the usual relief.

361. Eliza Death: 84 George St. Has been ill, and obliged to leave the place she was living at in consequence of a strain received in lifting a heavy tub full of Clothes. Visitor recommends her for bread for a Month.

362. Elisa Jones: Power St. Has left or is leaving the House, not in when visitor called. It appears the family came from England last Summer. Husband, Wife and two Children. English. Chof England. Committee will allow Coal, and Bread 6 lbs.

363. Ellen Griffin: 74 Power St. Has no stove in which she can burn Coal, and thinks no [now] she can get on without assistance as the winter is nearly over.

364. Patrick McGuire: in Case 746 in 1868. left the Institution.

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365. Margaret McDonnell: an Inmate in Case 504 in 1867. Was brought before the Board, and severely reprimanded by Mr. McCord for making use of obscene Language, and cursing and swearing, contrary to the rules of the Institution.

366. Rebecca Burgess: in Case 634 in 1868. went on trial previous of being bound with John M. Ross Township of York. February 20th.

367. Margaret O'Neill: Aged 18. R.C. one of the girls that came out from Liverpool last November with Miss Rye, has been in place with Mr. William Snarr. left her place and came here for shelter for a few days until she can get another place Febry 19th

368. Jane Clark: who was apprenticed to Alfred Turner in Hamilton returned to the House (Febry 20th) with the sanction of the General Board, Mr. Turner having paid the [dollars] 10 as ordered.

369. John McCallum: 99 Sayer St. No such person at said Number, or Known in the Neighbourhood.

370. Catharine Mead: an out door pensioner, has moved out of St. James' Ward and now lives in St. Johns Ward, 60 Emma St. Relief to be continued.

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No Committee present.

371. George Wilson: in Case 150, was sent by the Mayor who requests that the old Man might be sheltered in the House of Industry for a fortnight until the winter moderates, when he will endeavour to send him out of Toronto.

372. John Jesse Brown: in Case 634 in 1866. went on trial with Robert Jamieson of Owen Sound, previous of being apprenticed.

373. Catharine Hardiman: 32 years old. Husband left her, one Baby 5 Mths. old. Irish. R.C. Church. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal once.

374. Margaret Adams: 49 Agnes St. west. Widow, aged 65. Irish. ChofEngl. in bad health. Visitor recommends an allowance of Groceries, also an allowance of Coal.

375. George Watkins: in Case 536 in 1868. Left on the 29th January.

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376. Ann Doherty: Fish Lane, is very anxious for more Coal and really with the present winty weather, Visitor can hardly refuse, would therefore recommend Coal once more.

377. Ellen Simpson: although visitor has not visited her again, yet what he knows of her Case, thinks she might have her bread continued at all events and perhaps Coal once more.

378. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Visitor recommends that her allowance of Bread be cut of [off] at the House, as she receives bread from her own Church.

379. William Jackson: 142 York St. Married. Aged 33. Wife 27. ChofEngl. Printer by trade but is out of work. Has one child aged 2 years. Visitor recommends temporary relief. Jackson thinks of leaving here as soon as he can. They are a respectable Couple. See Case 357.

380. Isabella Johnson: Corner of York & Boulton St. rear of the Stables. Married. Aged 43. Husband 36. Coloured. Has two little boys aged 6 1/2 & 3 1/2. Baptists. Husband away in the Country looking for work, is not very well, sent her 75 Cents which helped to pay balance of rent that was due. Some Church friends help her some but cant do much as it is a poor Church the Coloured Baptist's. To have 6 lbs. bread per week & Coal.

381. Louisa Cornish: 108 Boulton St. To have her relief continued. Bread 6 lbs.

Friday 26th February 1869.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard and Mr. E. Hobson.

382. John Eaton: 85 North Park St. From his own story and what the neighbours say of him, Visitor would recommend him for bread for a Month. His wife is incapable of doing work of any kind. and he can only go about peddling a few things. To have 6 lbs. bread.

383. Johanna Dunn: 81 George St. No such person living there.

384. Amelia Delaney: rear of 91 Richmond St. East. 60 Years old. English Chof England. Suffering from sore legs. Not able to work. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal once.

385. Mary Huston: rear 101 Richmond St. East. Received relief before. Recommended again to receive Coal once more.

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Friday. February 26th 1869.

386. Elizabeth Sprang: Lane opposite Butt's Shuter St. 23 years old. A Widow, near her Confinement. Not able to work. Knits a little. 4lbs. bread per Week and Coal once.

387. Fanny Phealey: in Case 255. Allowed to remain until spring.

388. Margaret O'Neill: in Case 365. To be admitted into the House until she can procure another place.

389. John Dorsett: Aged 29. English. Chof England. Came to Toronto last December. Cannot get Employment. Had shelter for a few days. Committee advise that he apply to City Engineer for Employment at Stone breaking, and will allow him for a week longer to get his meals and lodging in building for Casual poor. The Man is a Mining Engineer.

390. William R. Thompson: 153 Berkely St. Made application for the admission of an old Man Named William Rankin, his father in law, who is about 84 years of age, and has been living with them for the last five years. Committee refer the Case to Visitor and Doctor.

391. Patrick Halloran: in Case 321. Must try and get Employment, which he will be able to get by applying to City Engineer in the shape of stone breaking

392. William Davis: 35. English. ChofEngl. Came from England last August, was in General Hospital for the last Month with a sprained ancle [ankle]. No Means and no Employment. To be admitted until April.

Tuesday 2nd March 1869.

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Present R. Baldwin Esqr. & Revd. Dean Grasett.

393. Curtis Booth: Corner of Sumach and North Park Streets. Husband and Wife. No Children living at home. Like so many others, Booth pleads want of Employment, as his excuse for applying for assistance, and Visitor cannot gain say it. Beyond an occasional job of cleaning off snow from a sidewalk, he has had little or nothing to do through the Winter. His Wife does what she can by sewing, to eke out a livelihood, and is a very decent respectable woman, Visitor thinks more of her than of the husband. Supposes one can scarcely however refuse to recommend them for one load of Coal.

394. Mary Quill: 140 Duke St. Visitor would be glad if another allowance of Coal could be sent once more.

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Tuesday, March 2nd 1869.

395. Johanna Dunn: 81 George Street. She is a Widow. out of place. and very anxious to get into service again. being obliged to give up her last place from the work being beyond her strength. Visitor recommends her for bread for a fortnight and Coal once. She is living with a very poor family who have scarcely any fuel themselves.

396. Alice Torphy: rear of 267 Queen St. west. Widow aged 43. Irish. R.C. has two girls aged 12 and 6 years, the eldest going to School. A worthy person. She applied on the first of January last but the visitor did not find her at that time, on that account Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal for this Month as it is the last for the season, and 6 lbs. bread per week for this Month.

397. Elizabeth Phaley: 71 Boulton St. Married, aged 27. Husband 28. R.C. have none to support but themselves, and are in the prime of life. Who wont apply next? Visitor recommends nothing.

398. Ann Dunlevie: in Case 216, to have Coal once more, 6 lbs. bread per week and a sick allowance of Tea Sugar etc. on account of the husband being sick and the wife near her confinement. Recommended by Revd. Dean Grasett who knows the Case.

399. William Henry Hughes: in Case 615 in 1868 died this Morning March 4th at half past twelve OClock. Congestion of the Brain. Aged 18 Months.

400. Robert Hornby: 585 in 1866. Died this day March 4th at half past five OClock P.M. say 56 years of age.

Friday 5th March 1869.

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Present, Revd. Dean Grasett & R. Baldwin Esqr.

401. Mary Smart: next to 11 Emily St. to have Coal once more, and her Bread Continued for another Month.

402. Patrick Feeney: 13 Emily St. to have relief for another Month.

403. William Rankin: in Case 390, Mr. Thompson will endeavour to keep the old Man if he can and not bring him to House of Industry.

404. Sophia Munroe: say 50 years of age. A Nova Scotian, Methodist Church Has been an Out door Pensioner for some years is now laid up with Rheumatism, and not able to work. Revd. Mr. Hunter applied for her admission into House of Industry. To be admitted.

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405. Bridget McNery: 36 Boulton St. Widow aged 40. R.C. Has one daughter aged 15 who has a broken back. Not fit to do much work at any time, but at present not well, makes Cigars when well. The Mother is no better than she ought to be, but for the sake of the afflicted girl the Visitor recommends 4 lbs. of bread per week for a Month and Coal once.

406. George Buntin: 137 York St. The Visitor searched all about that quarter but could not find him, saw him at the House of Industry a few days ago. a discharged Soldier made application before, See Case 311. Visitor recommends temporary relief as the Man cannot get employment at present.

407. There is a peculiar Case of some unfortunate Children Named Hart living on a lane opposite Ritchie's [Ritchie's] Terrace on Adelaide St. The Mother was sent to Hospital with a broken leg, and the Father a worthless fellow. There are five Children, the 3 eldest are able to make enough by selling papers to support themselves, the two youngest the Visitor proposed to the Father to send to the House of Industry for a few weeks until the Mother would be home again but he would not consent. Visitor cannot see it is any use in sending fuel or bread to such a place. called there on the 2nd and again on the 3<sup>th</sup> Instant, first visit there were a lot of woman and two Man all in a big drunk. the second visit not quite so bad, but there were Men and Woman and a lot of boys and girls about the door out side. inside nothing but filth, and what is unfit to speake about. The Lane has been a bad place for many years, could never give its inmates any relief from this Charity such was its reputation, and it is getting no better but worse.

408. Margaret Leakey: 76 North Park St. Visitor thought she and her husband would have got over the winter without assistance, but this severe weather is too much for them, to have Coal once.

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409. Thomas Redmond: 327 Queen St. East. It is true that it is scarcely 3 weeks since he got Coal last, but Visitor Know's it to be a case of extreme necessity. and he is a most hardworking man, although so very feeble.

410. John Havelind [Havlind]: in Case 674 in 1867. was taken away from the Institution by his Son who will in future provide for the old Man.

411. Fanny Satchell: 25. Married. English. ChofEngl. 1 Child 4 weeks old, only a few Months in Toronto. The husband a Butcher by trade has gone to Ottawa where she intends to follow in the spring. Coal once and 4 lbs. bread. 255 Elizabeth St.

412. Thomas Hall: rear 36 Terauly St. was not Known there or its neighbourhood.

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Tuesday 9th March 1869.

Present, Messrs. J. McBean, E. Hobson & G. Rowell.

413. William Henry Dyer: a Coloured boy aged about 14 called here last Saturday for shelter which was granted, says he is an Orphan, and lived with a Man Named Allan at Darlington for 6 years, but left his Employer and came to Toronto to look for another place. Committee ^order^ that he go back to his place as he cannot be admitted here.

414. Thomas Earle: in Case 317. To be admitted into the House.

415. John [George] Wilson: in Case 371, To be admitted into the House until 1st April.

416. Mary Ann Sweeney: 79 Stanley St. 23 years old. Single. Cancer in her face and hands. Not able to work, living in a very cold room. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once. R.C.

417. Catharine Aston: 48 McGill St. 30 years of age. One Child 6 years old. Husband aged 47 years. Labourer. cant get work. 3 years in Toronto. Came from the Country. Coal once. English Church. 4 lbs. Bread.

418. Richard Warwick: is one of those Cases in which Visitor thinks he shall have to give assistance for a longer time than at first recommended in consequence of the severe weather now prevailing, would therefore recommend another allowance of Coal once more.

Friday 12th March 1869.

Present G. Rowell Esqr.

419. Ann Virgin: rear of 401 King St. East. last House but one. The Husband an English Man, 30 years in Canada. lived formerly in Albion. Carpenter. Methodist. Has been twice Married. Children of first wife grown up and settled elsewhere. Four young ones at home, from 6 years downward. Has an affection of the Kidneys, for which he underwent treatment at the General Hospital, but preferred returning home for better attendance. Has received aid from the St. George Society. Recommended for Coal and 8 lbs. Bread per week.

420. John Nicholson: has just got out of Jail. to which he was sent for being drunk, promised to go to Mr. Coalsworth [Coatsworth] to day and take the temperance pledge in the mean time for a couple of days until he gets work, is recommended to be allowed some bread and Soup.

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421. Margaret Lettore: 115 Queen St. west. to have Coal once more, and her allowance of bread continued until the end of this Month.

422. Eliza Denmudge: 40 years of age, Irish. R.C. Lived in Service in Toronto for Eleven Months, Has a child a girl 6 weeks old. No friends in Toronto, and no way of supporting herself and baby, unless she begs from door to door. applied for admission. Allowed to remain for a time in building for casual poor.

423. Winnefred Curtis: in Case 106 [102], to have Coal once more, and her ration of 8 lbs. bread continued until April.

424. Mary Read: Corner of Queen and Dummer Streets, Cosgrooves [Cosgroves] Houses. A widow with 2 Children, a boy aged 10 and a girl 7. Very respectable woman. To have Coal and 6 lbs. bread per week.

425. James Elwood: aged 44. Irish. ChofEngl. 18 Months in Canada, worked last at Bothwell where he got his finger hurted by a circular saw, and coming down to Toronto he got his Eyes very much inflamed through cold and exposure seeks admission for a time. allowed to remain in building for casual poor.

426. David Porter: 27 Oxford St. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal. See Case 81.

427. George Broomfield: rear of 73 Elizabeth St. Aged 47. Married. English. Chof Engl. 7 Children, girl 18 and girl 16 work at Jaques & Hays' [Jacques & Hay's]. boy 14, boy 10, boy 9, girl 3 and girl 1 years of age. Both Parents are deaf and dumb. used to work at Jaques & Hays' but just now he is doing nothing times being rather dull. To have 12 lbs. bread per week, and Coal.

428. Winnie McCallum: 77 Sayer St. Marrd. [married] Irish. R.C. one Child a girl 6 years old Husband a Scotch man a discharged Soldier from the 68 Rifles. Cannot get any work to do at present. Coal once and 4 lbs. bread.

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Present Revd. S. Givins & B. Walton Esqr.

429. Ann Brown: Aged 24. English. Ch of Engl. Has been in the Township of Albion, Lot No 10, with a Mr. John Lindsay since 8 years of age. Came lately to Toronto Lying in Hospital to be confined, where she left yesterday Morning March 15th with her baby a boy 3 weeks old. No husband. was sent here by Alexd. McNabb Esqr., P.M. [Police Magistrate] for shelter. Allowed to stay in building for casual poor until the weather somewhat moderates, when she will have to try for a pass from the Mayor which will carry her to her friends.

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430. Mrs. [Mary] Gilkinson: lives with a Mrs. Readen in a sort of half finished brick house opposite the Cemetery. Visitor recommends that 300 lbs. Coal be sent to her.

431. Samuel Wedge: in Case 335 an Inmate, wants to leave the Institution. The Committee advise that he better remain until the fine weather sets in as he is an old Man and not able to take care of himself.

432. Catharine Mooney: to have another allowance of Coal.

433. Ann McLean: 81 Stanley St. another allowance of Coal allowed.

434. Ann [Precilla] Cook: 20 Maple Lane Coal once more.

435. Mary Carroll: 77 Stanley St. another allowance of Coal allowed.

436. Ellen Armstrong: 70 Queen St. East. Coal once more.

437. Jane Moore: 11 Emely [Emily] St. Married. aged 34. Husband 38. Ch of England Has two sons one 8 going to School, the other 15 but has been laid up for 18 weeks, had been tending a planing Mashine and got a splinter in his Eye which has caused him to lose the sight of it. The Father has been ill for some time but is getting better, hopes he can get to work shortly. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week until the 1st April & Coal once.

Friday 19th March 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Givins.

438. Sarah Ross: Aged 48. English. Ch of England. Widow, Children all away from her. Brought a Note from Mr. Sherrif Jarvis recommending temporary relief until she can obtain some means of earning her livelihood. Allowed to stay in Building for casual poor for a time.

439. Ann Brown: in Case 429. both herself and Child appear to be in a delicate state of health, Committee will therefore allow them to be taken into the House until somewhat better.

440. Elizabeth Scanlon: To have another allowance of Coal.

441. Margaret Murray: in Case 343. Coal once more on account of ill health.

442. Bridget Latham: in Case 51, Coal once more.

443. Bridget Mulloy: in Case 235, allowed another allowance of Coal.

444. Margaret Brennan: in Case 43. To have Coal once more.

445. Charles Graham: in Case 201. allowed Coal once more.

446. Ann Davis: Coloured, in Case 165, To have another allowance of Coal, and 4 lbs. bread.

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447. Mary Charters: 15 South Park Street. Husband Joseph a Labourer, now sick. Has two married Children, George and James somewhere in the States. 2 Children here, Joseph 12 at Service near Yorkville, with a Mr. Smith. Thomas 9 at home. From County of Monaghan, Ireland, came 30 years ago. lived for a while at Weston, Vaughan [etc.] Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal once and 6 lbs. bread.

448. Mary Ryan: in Case 527 in 1868, left to day on trial with Duncan Muir of Caledon, previous of being apprenticed.

449. John Taylor: in Case 642 in 1868 left the Institution on his own accord.

450. James Elwood: aged 44. Irish. Ch of Engl. 18 Months in Canada, lived at Richmond Hill and Boothwell [Bothwell] where he got his hand hurted by a circular saw. came to Toronto on the 9th of this Month, bad with inflammation in the Eye's, had shelter in building for casual poor. left to day March 22d.

Tuesday 23d March 1869.

Present Revd. T.S. Ellerby & S. Rogers Esqr.

451. Charlotte Hill: Coloured, aged 13. ChofEngland, formerly an Inmate, has been in Service, was turned away on account of a sore throat. seeks admission. To be admitted. Revd. Mr. Ellerby will see the Ladies connected with the Orphans Home and ascertain whether she can be taken in there.

452. James Magor [Major]: aged 50. Native of Scotland. English Church. 20 years in Canada, a Boat fitter by trade, has a wife in St. Catharines, came to Toronto looking for work. Has been in Building for casual poor for some days,

The Committee for revising List of Indoor and Out door poor met to day March 23 at 3 OClock P.M.  
Present, Messrs. J. Thom, J. Tyner, & J. McBean.

453. The Committee think it adviseable to close the Soup Kitchen on the 1st of April and also to strike of the List, all Families receiving out door relief on that date. urgent Cases may than apply again and be revisited and become recipients for relief during the Summer Months.

454. William Hicks: Aged 60. Native of Ireland. Member of Church of England. An old resident of Toronto, was sent here by the Mayor as a fit Case for admission. Admitted. Suffers from Rheumatism.

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Tuesday, 23d March. 3 OClock P.M.

The following are Inmates

455. Margaret McDonnell: See Case 504 in 1867. on account of insubordination and general bad behaviour of late, the Committee order that she and her Children leave the House by the 1st of May next.

456. Fanny Clements: in Case 383 in 1867. Now strong and healthy and well able to work, but not willing to do so, Committee order that she leave the House by the 1st April next. She has friends in the Country.

457. Mary Ryan: Coloured, in Case 559 in 1868. The woman is not in good health, but for all that very quarrelsome with the rest of the Inmates. Committee advise that she behave herself in future, and if she does not, they authorize Superintendent to dismiss her from the House.

458. James Barrie: in Case 688 in 1868. To leave the House by 1st April next.

459. John White: and his wife Catharine, See Case 708 in 1868 To look for work, and get settled out side as soon as they can.

460. Richard Fitzgerald: 40 years of age. Irish. R.C. Met with an accident on Adelaide St. got some of his fingers into the cogs of a sawing Mashine and badly crushed them. was sent here by the Mayor for admission Debr 28/68 he is now nearly well enough to go to work. Committee will allow him to stay until the 15th April next. See Case 860 in 1868.

461. John Dorsett: in Case 389. To leave by the 1st of April next.

462. Fanny Phealey: in Case 231. If willing, and useful to the Institution allowed to remain at the Superintendents discretion.

463. Eliza Denmudge: in Case 422. allowed to stay until 1st of May.

464. Ann Brown: in Case 439. allowed to remain until she is better in health, than to be sent back to her friends at Albion.

465. James Harrold: 60, and daughter 20. Irish. R.C. came from Streetsville where they lived for the last 12 years, but not able to support themselves now, they were sent by the Reeve of Streetville [Streetsville] (Mr. Goderham [Gooderham]) to Toronto to get into some charitable institution as best they may. Committee advised them to get back to their own place where they have a claim, have none on Toronto.- They had several nights Lodgings in Building for casual poor.

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466. Mary Smart: 52 Boulton St. See Case 136. Visitor recommends another allowance of Coal, and some groceries, the old woman being sick in bed.

467. Sarah Clark: 17 Emily St. Married. No Children, but is near her confinement. Deserted by her husband. Aged 23. Husband 21. Coal once only, and bread for one week.

Friday 26th March 1869.

Present S. Rogers Esqr.

468. Elizabeth Sprang: in Case 386, Allowed Coal once more.

469. William Dunleavie: in Case 623 in 1868. Left the General Hospital 6 weeks ago, made application for readmission into House of Industry, to see Doctor and if, a fit Case to be admitted.

470. Mary Percival: to have Coal once more, on account of being sick.



Tuesday 30th March 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Pitcher

471. Elizabeth McMillen: Aged 22. Canadian. Married. 2 Children a girl 8 yrs. belonging to a widowed Sister, and a baby of her own 9 Months old. The husband is a Carpenter out of employment, they came from Montreal to Toronto in January last. Had shelter last night in Building for casual poor. expect to get a couple of rooms on Brock St. when they take their abode in them and bring the Number of the House the Committee will then allow 300 lbs. Coal. Mrs. McMillen brought a Note from the Mayor.

472. Sarah Ross: in Case 438. had shelter in Building for casual poor, and went out several times to look for a place but invariably came back in a state of intoxication, she now applies to go out again. Has leave to go but not leave to come back.

473. John Eaton: to have Bread once more.

474. Mary Reid: Corner of Queen and Dummer Streets, allowed bread for two weeks longer.

475. Ann Lynch: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

476. Ann Duval: to have Coal once more, and her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week during the Summer Months Continued.

477. Martha Carr: her ration of 4 lbs. bread Continued during Summer Months.

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478. Sarah Bloomer: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

479. Julia Brown: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

480. Susan Charbotte: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during the Summer Months, and Coal once more.

481. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. west &

482. Ann Connell: do [ditto] do [ditto]

To have for the Summer 4 lbs. bread between the two.

483. Bridget McCabe: 273 Queen St. west. Coal once more, and a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

484. Ellen Cole: 132 Richmond St. west. To have 300 lbs. Coal once more, and a weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread until 1st May.

485. Ann Franklin: to have Coal once more.

486. Thomas Gray: to have one more allowance of Coal.

487. Margaret Bills: 117 Berkely St. Coal once more, and 8 lbs. bread per week until 1st May.

488. Margaret Boyd: 325 Church St. To have Coal once more.

489. Mary Gilkinson: opposite Cemetery Gate. Widow. English. Methodist had Coal once, Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal more.

Present at the Weekly Committee Friday April 2/69. E. Hobson Esqr. Revd. Mr. Pitcher & Revd. Dr. Barclay.

490. Margaret Kelly: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.

491. Elizabeth Neal: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

492. Sarah Williams: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued

493. Ann Silver: 4 lbs. bread per week continued during Summer.

494. Elisa Gunson: ration of bread continued during summer. 4 lb{s}

495. Elisa Wheat: summer ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

496. Mary Hurly [Hurley]: her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

495. Edith Webb: summer allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

496. Elizabeth McConvey: to have 8 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.

497. Isabella Philips: 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

498. Jane Sinclair: to have 600 lbs. Coal, & 10 lbs. bread per week Continued.

499. Catharine Gibb: to have 300 lbs. Coal, 6 lbs. bread per week continued.

500. Penelope McMillan: 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer.

501. George Broomfield: to have 12 lbs. bread per week until 15th May.

502. Ellen Laughlan: to have 8 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.

503. Mary Morrow: Summer allowance of 4 lbs. Continued.

504. Martha McConkey: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

505. Mary Ann Henry: allowance of 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.

506. Peter Courtney: his allowance of 4 lbs. bread Continued.

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507. Garrett Flood: his allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

508. Jane Tweedy: to have one more allowance of Coal.

509. Clara Stain: 300 lbs. Coal.

510. William Merritt: has been completely laid up for a long time, Visitor recommends a little more Coal, and an allowance of Groceries.

511. Margaret Irwin: to have another allowance of Coal.

512. John Dorsett: in Case 461, left the House, has got employment.

513. James Barrie: in Case 458 left the Institution.

514. Fanny Clements: in Case 456, was sent to Richmond Hill, where here Mother and Sister reside.

515. Ann Linley: Reardens lane rear of Cherry Street. Coal once more, and her ration of 8 lbs. bread per week continued until 1st May.

516. Isabella McAdams: last House on Palace St. To have Coal once more, and her ration of 6 lbs. bread continued until 1st May.

516. Rebecca Ivory: to have 6 lbs. bread continued during summer Months.

517. Michael Strang: Aged 50. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. came from Montreal last Summer, say's is bad with Rheumatism, not able to work. seeks admission. to see Doctor and if a proper Case, to be admitted.

518. George Fisher: 69 years of age. Native of Yorkshire, England. Not particular to Church, originally Ch of England. Used formerly ^live^ in Toronto and worked for Mr. Doel in the Brewery, but it appears has lately lived in the States, as he was sent from Galena Illinois to Toronto. No friends and no means, the old Man seems to have partially lost his speech and intellect. seeks admission. to see Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

519. Patrick O'Halloran: had shelter in building for casual poor for some time, went in the Country to look for work, but could get nothing to do, begs leave to be sheltered for a few days longer, until the weather moderates a little more. Granted.

520. James Magor [Major]: in Case 452. went with the above looking for work. seeks shelter for a few day's longer. Granted.

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521. Margaret Gale: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

522. Janett Aitken: 4 lbs. bread continued until 1st May.

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Tuesday 6th April 1869.

Present Revd. E. Baldwin.

523. Catharine O'Neil: say between 55 & 60 years of age, was brought here this morning a little before 10 O'Clock in a Cab for admission, said to be very ill. Revd. E. Baldwin wrote a Note to Dr. Hampton, in which he promised payment for her admission into General Hospital. while trying to conduct her to a Cab she took a faint, was then laid on a bed, and died about half past ten O'Clock, sent for the Doctor immediately, but she was dead before the Messenger came back. ascertained from some of the neighbours that Mrs. O'Neil lived with a Mr. David Bell 17 Renfrew St. as House Keeper for many years.

524. Sarah Walker: 51 Boulton St. not in when visitor called, but the place where she lives shows forth the Character of the Inmates, it is a horrid looking place. Visitor was rather afraid of breaking through the rickety stair case. To have 4 lbs. bread per week until 1st May. would not like to revisit the Case again, saw several doubtful looking man about. Husband is in Hospital.

525. Elizabeth McCanly: 15 Emily St. is to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during the summer Months.

526. Elizabeth Burns: 128 John St. widow. R.C. aged say 68, Came from St. James' ward. allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

527. Ann Lloyd: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

528. Clara Stain: to have 8 lbs. bread during Summer Months.

529. Sarah Gilmor: had Coal once more, to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued, and a little Sugar, Tea, [etc.] for once as she is ill in bed.

530. Margaret Murray: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

531. Matilda Bagly: her ration of 8 lbs. bread per week during summer.

532. Elizabeth Billings: aged 38. Irish. R.C. Church. Mrs. Lyons 85 Louisa St. who is a Sister of Billings made application for her admission into General Hospital, but Dr. Tempest considers her not a proper Case for the Hospital and referred her to House of Industry. Our Doctor to visit and if a proper Case to be admitted. Doctor visited and reports that Billings appears very weak and delicate, apparently half imbecile, but not paralyzed, appears to be suffering for want of proper Nourishment. Thinks she is a suitable Case for admission into House of Industry.

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533. The following Children were Baptized (April 7th) by the Revd. Mr. Trew of St. James' Cathedral. Thomas Evans in Case 598 in 1868. now aged say 1 year and 8 Months [baptized Thomas Evans, born 6 Apr 1867, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Evans]. Mary Elizabeth Clark in Case 231 in 1869 [baptized Mary Elizabeth Phailey, born 25 Nov 1868, daughter of Fanny Clarke and Dennis Phailey]. now aged 4 1/2 Months. William John Brown in Case 439 in 1869, now 6 weeks old [baptized William John Brown, born 20 Feb 1869, father unknown, son of Ann Brown].

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Present E. Hobson Esqr.

534. Ann Dunlevie: to have 6 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May, and when confined to have a ration of Tea, Sugar, [etc.]

535. Mary Ann Caithness: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread Continued til 1st June.

536. Jane Malone: should do without relief from the House during Summer.

537. Mary Coulter: no relief during Summer Months.

538. Patrick McKew: his ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

539. Mary McLean: allowance of 4 lbs. bread Continued during Summer Months.

540. Mary Rutherford: ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

541. Sarah McGregor: Bread continued if Committee think proper.

542. Ann Sawtell: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

543. Sarah McQuiggan: 4 lbs. bread allowed until 15th June.

544. Ann Barber: 97 Elm Street to have 6 lbs. bread during Summer Months.

545. Mary Ann Caulfield: 4 lbs. bread per week on account of her blind boy.

546. Martha Jones: (Coloured) to have 8 lbs. bread during the Summer Months.

547. Randolph Lawrie: (Coloured) to have his ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.

548. Mary Percival: 4 lbs. bread Continued until 1st May.

549. Clarinda Warren: Coloured, in Case 683 in 1868. seeks shelter for a week or ten days, when she will leave for Buffalo with her two Children. Allowed shelter in building for casual poor.

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550. Jane Reed: 58 years of age, Irish. Methodist Church. 30 years in Toronto. used to live in Service, but now in bad health. seeks admission. To see Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted. Doctor says there is nothing infectious about her. admitted.

551. Mary Terry: 7 Elliotts Row. 25 years of age. Irish. R.C. one Child a boy 18 Months old. Came with her husband from Montreal 3 Months ago seeking for work in Toronto. Husband is now in the States but will come back as soon as he earns sufficient to pay his fare. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending relief, to have 4 lbs. bread per week until 1st May.

552. Ann Virgin: to have 8 lbs. bread until 1st June.

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553. Jane Ames: her ration of 12 lbs. bread Continued during Summer Months.

554. Jane Curran: allowance of 4 lbs. bread during Summer continued.

555. Mary Gillon: 6 lbs. bread per week continued until 1st June.

556. William Kelly: Aged 46. Irish. R.C. Came from County Glengerry [Glengarry] to get a slight operation performed on his Eyes by Dr. Rosebrugh. has no means of living out. seeks shelter for a few days.

557. William Davis: in Case 392, left the House this Morning (April 12) for Cobourg to look for work.

Tuesday 13th April 1869.

Present Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

558. Sarah Clark: 15 Emily St. in Case 467. her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued until 1st June, and a ration of Sugar & Tea [etc.] during her confinement.

559. Honora Gillan: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

560. Sarah McGregor: ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

561. Phoebe Smith: 62 years of age. English. Chof Engl. feeble in health. not able to earn her living, has been receiving Out door relief for some years. No friends, No means, seeks admission. To see Doctor and if a fit Case to be admitted.

562. Mary Coulter: in Case 537. Committee will allow 4 lbs. bread during summer.

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563. Mary Harrold: daughter of James in Case 465, allowed to stay in building for Casual poor, and have her Case brought before the Doctor. The father got admission into House of Providence.

564. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. to have 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.

565. Margaret Douglass: to have a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread during summer.

566. Isabella Carr: 15 Maria St. To have no more bread.

567. John Kelly: in Case 375 in 1865, had leave to go out last Sunday has not returned.

568. Henry Leddy: Aged 59. Irish. Chof Engl. Came from Montreal (where he lived for 5 years), went to Collingwood to look for a son, whom he did not find. came back to Toronto, brought a Note from the Revd. Mr. Grasett recommending his Case to be examined by Committee.

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569. Mary Ann Bennett: recommended to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continued during the Summer Months.

570. Mary Ann Johnson [Johnston]: in Case 685 in 1866 returned to the House April 15. say's she expressed a wish to return, upon which the people with whom she lived paid her fare to Toronto. Gone to place again with Mrs. Mercer King St.

Friday. 16th April 1869.

Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent and J. Tyner Esqr.

571. Honora Gillon: 112 Nelson St. to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread Continued.

572. Susan Murray: Matthewsons Lane, Stanley St. had bread during the Winter. Visitor does not recommend during Summer Months.

573. Henry Leddy: in Case 568 left the Institution. April 17th.

574. Sarah Derrick: Aged 45. Canadian, born in Toronto. Chof Engl. deserted by her husband, 2 Children, Girl 15 in service, and a girl 7. seeks shelter for a few days, which is granted.

Tuesday. 20th April 1869.

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Present, J.T. Smith Esqr.

575. William Turner: Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Baldwin to have his bread continued during Summer.

576. Honora Hogan: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

577. Charlotte Parker: Coloured, her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

578. Corcoran Jane: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

579. Carling Phoebe: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

580. Elizabeth Smith: 4 lbs. bread per week continued during summer.

581. Catharine Mooney: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

582. Michael Strang: in Case 517. is now well and able to work, left the Institution [institution]. could not stand the work, came back to institution.

583. John Murphy: an Inmate left the Institution on his own accord.

584. Richard Fitzgerald: in Case 460. had leave to stay a few days longer than his allotted time, but came home intoxicated on account of which he had to leave the House.

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Friday, 23d April, 1869.

Present, J.T. Smith Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

585. Rebecca Allan: Aged 30. Irish. Chof Engl. Spinster. Brought a Note from Revd. E. Baldwin, stating that she was recommended to him by the Bishop of Toronto as a respectable person, at present out of place, and to see whether she could be admitted in House of Industry for a time.

Her mind seems to be disturbed. She would rather get into Orphans Home if she could be taken in there. Committee advised her to try.

586. Mary Harrold: in Case 563 seems to be within 6 weeks of her confinement, is to be sent back to Streetsville.

587. Clarinda Warren: and Children in Case 549 left for the States.

588. John Wilson: in Case 415, left, will go to his friends in the Country.

589. Patrick Moore: in Case 629 in 1868, asked leave to go and see Dr. Rosebrugh, did not return, it appears that Moore, and the above Case Wilson have taken to vagrancy, have been seen begging about the Streets, were also brought up before the Police Magistrate for drunkenness since they left.

Tuesday 27th April 1869.

Present Revd. J.F. Jamot, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E Hobson Esqr.

590. Martha McCormack: say 57. A Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. Formerly an Inmate See Case 588 in 1867. brought a Note from Dr. Berryman stating that she has been a patient in General Hospital and requires no further Medical treatment, only rest for a time, and recommends her admission into House of Industry for a time. To see the Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted. Doctor says there is nothing infectious about her.

591. Lizzie Campbell: say 6 or 7 years of age, was brought here last night by the Police having been found wandering about the Streets and telling people that a sister of hers brought her from the States to Toronto and then deserted her.

Friday 30th April 1869.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

592. Lizzie Campbell in Case 591. was recognised by our Inmates as one of the Children belonging to House of Providence. Committee desire Superintendent to send her back to that Institution.

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593. Catharine Daley: Duchess St. Visitor recommends a little Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal [etc.] She is ill in bed, and in fact will never get up again, the husband is not able to work just now on account of a sprain.

Tuesday 4th May. 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Boddy & J. Thom Esqr.

594. Margaret McDonnell: in Case 455, allowed to stay until 1st June to see whether her husband will come for her, must behave herself.

595. Robert Evans: in Case 657 in 1865, died this day, May 5th at 10 O'Clock A.M. Aged 59.

596. Sophia Monroe: an Inmate, aged say 50, died this day, May 6th See Case 404.

Friday, May 7th 1869.

No Committee present.

597. Andrew Malone: 66. Irish. Ch of England. from Kingston in search of a Son, who could not be found. seeks shelter until Monday when he will try and get back to Kingston.

598. Joseph O'Donnell: 36. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. 16 years in Canada, came last from Detroit, has sore Eyes, Dr. Rosebrugh will attend to his Eyes, but has no means to pay for his Board and Lodgings. seeks shelter.

599. Ellen Evans: Aged 26. Canadian, born in Whitby. Has a little boy with her (William John) aged 2 years and 8 Months. She is near her confinement and intends going into Lying in Hospital as soon as she can be received there, in the Mean time seeks shelter for a few days.

600. William John Brown: in Case 533. died this day May 10th. Aged 10 weeks. Convulsions.

Tuesday, May 11th 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Bishop.

601. Joseph O'Donnell: in Case 598 Allowed to remain in building for Casual poor for two weeks. No Claim on the House.

602. Margaret Wilcox: recommended for a ration of Sugar, Tea, [etc.] by Mr. Allan.

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603. Harriett Butler: Aged 34. English. Ch of England, from Kingston in search of her husband, without funds, seeks shelter for a time.

604. Elisa McHale: Native of Ireland, Ch of England, Wife of James McHale (see Case 745 in 1868) an Inmate. Mrs. McHale was admitted by the General Board (February 17th) on Revd. Mr. Baldwins

application. she has been living with her daughter until now, was turned out of doors. seeks now admission. Admitted.

Friday, 15th May. 1869.

Present, J. Doel Esqr.

605. Phoebe Smith: in Case 561, died this day May 15th at 9 O'Clock A.M. Aged 62 years.

606. Ann Brown: in Case 439 left the House yesterday, her Child having died, and she being well enough to take a place and provide for herself.

607. William Dunleavie: in Case 469 left the House to live with his brother.

Tuesday 18th May 1869.

No Committee present.

608. Elisa McHale: in Case 604, left the House to attend to her daughter who is ill, and wants the Mother to come home.

609. Sarah Derrick: in Case 574, left the House to go to place.

610. Emma Fish: Widow aged 82. English. Chof England, resident in Toronto and its Neighbourhood for 45 years. She is now too infirm to do anything [anything] for a living. She brought a Note from the Governor Mr. Howland, (recommending her admission into House of Industry) who has Known her for many years as a very industrious woman whose indigence does not arise from any fault of hers, as she provided a living for herself and husband (who is now dead) as long as she had strength [strength] to do so. Admitted by Mr. Hobson and Mr. McBean.

Friday, 21st May 1869.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

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Tuesday 25th May. 1869.

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E Hobson Esqr.

611. Peter Courtney: aged 85. formerly an Inmate (See Case 644 in 1868) Blind. Irish. R.C. was turned out of doors by his Son. The old Man applied for admission into House of Industry again. To be admitted.

612. William Rankin: in Case 403, to be admitted.

613. Martha McCormack: in Case 590 left the House on her own account, will go to Hoggs Hollow where she lived before.

614. Ann Shaw: Native of England. Chof England. Aged 23 years. She is one of the Girls brought out by Miss Rye last year. came here from Lying in Hospital for a few days shelter until she gets strong. Her child is placed out to nurse by the young Man who she says is the father of it. She was in the House for one Night and then received a message that the young Man will take care of herself aswell [as well] as the child. She accordingly left.

Friday, 28th May 1869.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard and Mr. E. Hobson.

615. William John Storton: 23 years of age, from London, England. Chof England. 2 years in the States, for the last two years in Canada. came last Saturday to Toronto, seeks shelter for a few days on account of a very sore foot, which prevents him looking about for Employment. Admitted until his foot is better. Left 4th June.

Tuesday 1st June 1869.

Present Revd. Dean Grasett.

616. Isabella McAdams: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread continued during the Summer Months, as she is not able to do anything towards earning her living on account her being afflicted with a disease in her hands and feet.

617. Charles Drass: aged 7 years and 4 Months, has gone on trial (previous of being bound out) with Walase [Wallace] Dring of Darlington See his admission in Case 634 in 1862.

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Friday. 4th June 1869.

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No Committee present.

618. Mary Ryan: Coloured, in Case 457, was ordered to leave the House, by the General Board on 18th May last, on account of fighting with Inmates.

Tuesday 8th June 1869.

Present, J. McBean Esqr. and G. Rowell Esqr.

619. Mary Percival: in Case 548, to have her ration of 4 lbs. Bread continued during the Summer.

620. Mary Madigan: 109 Victoria St. and old Pensioner of the House has been living with some friends in the Country for a few Months, is now making application for an allowance of Bread. To have a 4 lbs. Loaf allowed weekly.

621. Mary [Martha] McCormack: in Case 613 Made application for readmission into the Institution. Committee consider she is able to provide for herself.

622. Mary [Rose] Tracey: Wife of John. Tecumseth St. It appears from her statement, that Ann Gardener who has a Child (a boy) 9 Months old, brought it to Mrs. Tracey to Keep, about 8 days ago, and has since disappeared without paying for the nursing of it. Mrs. Tracey applied to Committee to see what can be done for the Child. Allowed 6 lbs. bread per week.

623. Margaret Densmore: 54 Dummer St. to have 6 lbs. bread per week for the present.

624. Catharine Smith: 24 years of age. Canadian. R.C. Church. Lived in Service on the Kingston road, came to Toronto looking for a place, is without means to pay for her lodging, seeks shelter until she can procure a place.

Friday, 11th June 1869.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & G. Rowell

625. Elisa McHale: in Case 608, made application for readmission into House of Industry, as she cannot live with her daughter any longer. Admitted.

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626. Michael Murphy: Aged 40. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. 14 years in Canada, some years in Toronto, for the last 8 Months in Toronto General Hospital from which he was discharged yesterday. No Means, no friends and not able to work for his living, seeks admission into House of Industry. To be admitted if Doctor considers him a proper case.

627. Mary Hickling: Recommended to have an allowance of 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months. Granted.

628. Elizabeth Dempsey: see Case 594 in 1868, came back To Toronto 3 weeks ago, says her friends in Chicago are not able to support her. seeks readmission into House of Industry. Admitted.

629. Charlotte Hill: Coloured, in Case 451, went to place with Mrs. Robert Thomas 178 Victoria Street. a Coloured Family who will clothe school and provide for her. June 12th.

Tuesday. 15th June 1869.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr. for H. Rowsell Esqr.

630. Michael Murphy: in Case 626 left the Institution, is gone to live with a Tavern Keeper whose Cowes he will be able to mind.

Friday. 18th June 1869.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr. for H Rowsell Esqr.

631. Catharine Thompson: 50 years of age. Presbyt{a}rian Church. Native of Nova Scotia. was in Service but is out of place just now, seeks shelter for a few days.

632. Thomas Croft: English. Ch of Engl. 40 years of age, lately from the States seeking Employment, asks shelter for a few days.

Tuesday 22d June 1869.

Present, S. Rogers Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Ellerby.

633. Thomas Langton: Aged 68. Irish. Chof Engl. Resident in Toronto the last 15 years. Not able to work. suffers from Asthma. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Sanson for admission. Has a wife who will live with a married daughter. Admitted.

634. Elisa McHale: in Case 625, had leave to go out last Friday. Has not returned.



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635. The Children Wilson in Case 490 in 1868 were taken out of this Institution by their father, the Boy on the 15 June to Boys-Home, and the 3 girls to day to Girls-Home.

Friday, 25th June 1869.

Present, S. Rogers Esqr.

636. Bridget [Catharine] Daley: 63 Duke Street. Recommended by Visitor for an allowance of Sugar Tea [etc.] She is still ill in bed, and the husband not able to do anything, there are 3 Children, Catharine 14. Patrick 9, and John 8 years of age. The Committee will also allow 8 lbs. bread per week, say for a Month and visit again.

637. Ann Gibson: in Case 671 in 1868 left the House on her own account, says, will go with some friends to St. Lewis where she has step children. June 28th.

638. Joseph O'Donnell: in Case 601, left the House, his sight is now well enough, to be able to go to work June 28th.

Tuesday 29th June 1869.

Present, Revd. Mr. Pitcher.

639. William Dalton: 57. Irish. R.C. was formerly an Inmate, lately from General Hospital from which he was discharged last Tuesday. Seeks admission into House of Industry, as he is not able to work on account of a sore incurable leg. Admitted.

640. Jane McDonnell: 47. Canadian. ChofEngl. say's came from Barrie yesterday morning intends going to Lewistown where her husband is at work, seeks shelter until Morning when she will leave by the boat.

Friday 2nd July 1869.

No Committee present

641. Emma Fish: in Case 610 left the Institution some friends will support her outside.

642. Frances McGlinn: 29 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. from Hamilton lately, is seeking employment in Toronto. Ask's shelter for a few days.

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643. Ann Fitzgerald: 40. Irish. R.C. Church. Says, came from Hamilton looking for a place in Toronto, has no means, seeks shelter for a few days.

644. William Rankin: in Case 612, came to day to be admitted into the House, his Son in Law will leave Toronto for the States.

645. James Gorley: an Inmate had leave to go out last week, has not returned.

Tuesday, 6th July 1869.

Present Revd. E. Baldwin.

646. Mary Jane Blaney: Widow aged 35. Native of Chippawa, Canada, had two children with her, boys, aged respectively 1 1/2 years & 2 months, came from Rockwood, says, a Man told her she could do better in Toronto than there. Was brought to the House by a Police Constable having ^been^ last night in the Station for shelter. She only wants rest for a few days, intends going back. Has means to pay her fare. July 7th.

647. James Major: in Case 520, applied for a few days shelter, says he came from Hamilton and has the ague. July 7th.

648. Elisa Monett: aged 18. Was sent here with a Note from the Mayor's Office recommending her admission into House of Industry until she can be admitted into Lying in Hospital. Her own tale is, that she was born in Orillia, belongs to Ch. of England, has no Husband, lived in Service at Waterdown where she became Enceinte [French: pregnant], came recently to Toronto to be confined in Lying in Hospital where she has stayed for the last week on paying [dollars] 2.50 having no more money she was turned out from there when she applied to the Mayor, expects her confinement to take place in a week or a fortnight. July 7th.

Friday 9th July 1869

No Committee present

649. Ann Fitzgibbon: 41 years of age. English. Ch. of England. Widow. from Hamilton, intends going to Markham where she has some friends. Asks a few days shelter to rest herself, being foot sore travelling.

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650. John McNamara: Aged 36. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Has served 14 years in the Army. Seeks shelter until Monday when he will try to get into the General Hospital, suffers with a very sore leg.

Tuesday, 13th July 1869.

Present, Revd. J. M. Laurent and J. Tyner Esqr.

651. Jane Malone: No. 90 Church St. Dr. Ogden visited and made application on her behalf, says, she is an old woman very feeble confined to bed from weakness, an old pensioner of the House, and has been supported by a few charitable Ladies for two or three years but they are getting tired and the chief burden now falls upon Mrs. Palmer, 28 Elm St. The old Lady is very unwilling to come in but she will have to go somewhere or starve before long.

Friday 16th July 1869.

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

652. Ann Fitzgibbon: in Case 649. went to Markham, but found her friends had left there, came back to Toronto looking for a place. Seeks shelter for a few days. Granted.

653: Elise Monett: in Case 648, allowed to come to the House and have her meals, but must sleep at Lying in Hospital.

654. Mary Jane Blaney: in Case 646, allowed to remain until her foot (which is much inflamed at the heel) is better.

655. Jane Malone: in Case 651. when she is willing to come into the House the Committee will then consider her Case.

656: Samuel Craig: in Case 525 in 1865, died this day July 17th. Aged 65.

Tuesday, 20th July 1869.

Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

657. Margaret O'Neill: in Case 388, is at present out of place, allowed to stay until she can procure another place. went to place July 24th.

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Friday 24th July, 1869

Present, W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

658. Elizabeth Sprang: 25. says, came from Mariposa where her husband died, was lately confined in Lying in Hospital with a boy now 4 months old. English. Chof Engl. seeks shelter for a day or two, as she is unsettled just now having left her Lodgings.

659. Michael Finnigan: 39 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. says came from Montreal seeking Employment, a Printer by trade. seeks shelter for a few days.

Tuesday 27th [28th?] July 1869.

Present Revd. J. F. Jamot, Mr. Alderman Sheard and E. Hobson Esqr.

660. James Gorley: in Case 645 Made application for readmission. To be admitted.

66. John Dalton: Stanley St. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. nearly blind. Recommended by Mr. Tyner for a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week.

Friday, 30th July, 1869.

Present. Revd. J. F. Jamot, Mr. Alderman Sheard and E. Hobson Esqr.

662. John Moore: 69 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. An old Soldier with a pension of one shilling and nine pence sterling per day, wishes to become an Inmate in this Institution, and is willing to give up one shilling curr'y [currency] per day for his support. He was wounded and very much shattered in one of his legs at the taking of St. Jean de Acre. Admitted.

663. John Dalton: in Case 661 to bring his number and be visited.

664: Elizabeth Skinner: 319 Queen St. east. one of the English Emigrants who came out a few months ago from Clerkenville [Clerkenwell] London. 3 Children. boy 4 1/2. girl 2. and a boy 7 months old. says husband left her 4 weeks ago to look for work. Visitor says she has no means of obtaining food or paying for her Lodging and therefore would think her a fit object for assistance. Committee will allow 6 lbs. bread per week for two weeks, and refer her Case to visitor again, husband may have returned by that time.

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665. Dennis Shea: Cripple, only one leg, and his wife Elise, and two children girls, Mary Ann aged 8, and Honora aged 5 years. Came for shelter until next Monday, the House they lived in was pulled down, and they will not be able to get a place until Monday, July 30th.

Tuesday 3rd August 1869

Present J. Thom Esqr. And B. Homer Dixon Esqr.

666. Mary or Rose Tracey: in Case 622, applied again for the admission of the child left on her hands. As the Case was decided upon before, the Committee recommended to have it brought up before the next General Board.

667. Ellen Laughlan: 187 Centre St. 37 years of age. Married. Canadian Methodist Church. 2 Children and a sick husband. See Case 502. Recommended for 8 lbs. Bread per week.

668. Mary Booth: next 64 Gerrard St. Native of England. Widow. No family. Methodist Church. 43 years of age. States, that her legs are bad which prevents her earning a living, seems very respectable. Visitor recommends her to see our Doctor, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

Friday 6th August 1869

Present J. Thom Esqr.

669. Isabella McAdams: to have allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week increased to 8 lbs. on account of sickness.

670. Thomas Langton: in Case 633, made his appearance to day for admission, says, having been sick he could not come before.

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671. Frances McConkey: See her Case of admission 469 in 1865. She died this day August 9th at half past Three A.M. of debility, aged say 90 years.

Tuesday, 10th August, 1869

Present Revd. Mr. Bishop

672. Thomas Langton: in Case 670, had leave to go out last Sunday has not returned yet.

673. Isabella McAdams: in Case 669, Visitor recommends a small ration of Tea, Sugar, etc. on account of her being sick. (one Month).

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674. Caroline Saunders: Renfrew St. who formerly received out door relief, is again recommended for the same by the Revd. Mr. Ellerby on account of the husband's ill health. See Case 495 in 1868. To have 8 lbs. bread weekly.

Friday, August 13/69

Present, Revd. Mr. Bishop

675. James Coleman: 67 years of age. Irish. Ch. of England. Lived formerly in Toronto for 15 years, lately from Cobourg. no settled place of residence of late years. Shoemaker by trade, out of employment at present, would like to be admitted for a time, and will make himself useful at his trade. Admitted. Left August 30th.

676. Mary Ryan: Coloured. See Case 618. who was dismissed from the Institution by the General Board on 18th May last, applies now for her Child Margaret who is an Inmate. See Case 347 in 1868. says she will take her home to friends at Peterborough where she can be provided for. Committee allowed Mrs. Ryan to take her Child away.

677. Charles Hunt: 83 years of age. Native of Yorkshire, England. Methodist Church, has lived with a Son who has a large family of young children to support and cannot keep the old man any longer. Seeks admission. Admitted.

678. John Moore: in Case 662 died this day, August 15th at 9 OClock P.M. Apoplexy.

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679. Sarah Gilmore: an old out door Pensioner, recommended by Hon. G. W. Allan (Visitor) for an allowance of Sugar Tea & etc. on account of sickness.

680. Mary Stewart: residing in Duke near Berkely [Berkeley] St. Visitor recommends a little bread for a week. her children have been ill again and little temporary relief would bide her over for the present.

Tuesday, 17th August, 1869

Present, J. Tyner Esqr.

681. Alice O'Hare: alias Turner. 91 Nelson St. Lately confined, the Mayor would be obliged if her Case could be enquired into and relieved. To have a small ration of Tea, Sugar, etc. and Bread 4 lbs. for one Month.

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Tuesday, August 17 1869.

682. Mary Ann Fraser: 56 Centre St. made application for the admission of her Grandmother, who she says is 98 years of age. Case referred to Visitor.

683. Louisa Weeks: Coloured, say 8 years of age, was sent here by Alexander MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been arrested for vagrancy.

684. Andrew Angus: 69 years of age, Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. 6 years in Canada, says, had no settled home, lived about in the County of Lannark [Lanark] and its neighbourhood. For the last 9 1/2 Months in Montreal Hospital. Came to Toronto a few days ago, no friends, no means, seeks admission.

685. William Madigan: 30 years of age, Irish, Roman Catholic Church, and wife Catharine aged 30, and two Children, John 10, and Mary 9 years of age. They came from London C.W. [Canada West] and intend going to Montreal, as soon as they can procure a pass from the Mayor. Seek shelter in the mean time.

Friday 20th August 1869.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

686. Andrew Angus: in Case 684. To be admitted.



687. Andrew Greig: Aged 65. Native of Scotland. Methodist Church. 12 years in Toronto. A Shoemaker by trade, but not able to earn his living at it, was supported by a Son for some time, but cannot help the old man any longer. Seeks admission, will make himself useful at his trade. Admitted.

688. Elizabeth Newberry: 98 years of age, Native of Halifax, Nova Scotia. Widow. Methodist Church. Fourteen years in Toronto. Blind and Bedridden. Lived of late year with a Granddaughter who is a widow and has two Children to support and is herself very poor. The Granddaughter made application for the admission of the old woman. The visitor recommends that the Doctor call upon them at 52 Sayer St. where they lived, and if a proper case to be admitted. Dr. Ogden called Admitted. August 23rd.

689. George Myer: aged 48, and Wife Elizabeth, aged 26, and Child Edward aged 6 months, came from Montreal on tramp, and intent tramping it up to Fort Sarnia, but as they are foot sore and tired are asking for shelter until Monday.

690. Charles Hunt: in Case 677, left the Institution to live with a Son.

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Tuesday. 24th August, 1869

No Committee present

691. Thomas Jacobs: and Wife Harriett and 3 Children, Thomas 8, Mary 5, and Sarah 2 years of age respectively. Emigrants arrived in Toronto about 10 days ago, from London England. Brought a note from the Mayor, requesting their Case to be looked into and relieved. Gave 8 lbs. bread for the present. Mrs. Jacobs states that at present they are in the Emigration Building but are looking for a House and as soon as they can get one, her husband who is a Shoemaker will go to work having been promised employment.

692. Louisa Weeks: in Case 683, was taken out of this Institution by her friends, who say that she is a very bad child, often runs away and stays out for night's. August 26th.

Friday. 27th August 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Williams

693. James Ferguson. Aged 45. from the States, lately, was sent by Mr. Alderman Sheard for a few days shelter, hopes to get him something to do shortly.

694. Peter Hase: lately from Montreal. Irish. R.C. Church. Looking for employment. Seeks shelter until Monday.

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695. George Beecher: 49. Irish. Chof England. from Bowmanville. looking for work. Seeks shelter for a few days, being foot sore.

696. Harriett Butler: in Case 603 went to service. August 28th.

Tuesday. 31st August. 1869.

No Committee present

697. Mary Williams: Grogg Lane South side, second House from John St. Native of Ireland. Chof Engl. Has one boy aged 13 who earns his living out. Application was made on her behalf for admission into House of Industry - She is in a bad state of health (consumption) and has a very bad leg which is rather offensive, used to make her living when well by begging. thinks she may do, by receiving some help from House of Industry. 4 lbs. bread per weeks and a ration of Sugar, Tea, etc.

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Friday 3rd September 1869.

No Committee present.

No Applications.

Tuesday. 7th September 1869.

Present J. McBean Esqr. And G. Rowell Esqr.

698. Michael Strang: in Case 582, Committee consider Strang an able Man who should earn his living out. To leave the Institution to morrow.

699. Margaret McDonnell: in Case 594, was brought before the Committee for improper conduct, was reprimanded and told that conduct like her's could not be tolerated in the Institution, to who she paid no heed, but defied Committee to dismiss her from the Institution. Ordered that she be dismissed from the House, this not being the first time complaints having been made against her.

700. Jane Galley: Lives at No. 15 or 17 Don St. East. Mr. Galley her step son made application for her admission, says she is subject to fits and hardly able to take care of herself. Committee are of opinion that the Doctor should see her first, whether she will be a proper Case for the Institution.

Friday. 10th September. 1869.

Present. Revd. Mr. Darling, Messrs. J. McBean and G. Rowell.

701. Elizabeth Hawkins: 126 Sayer St. Widow, aged 33, Irish. Ch. of Engl. 3 Children, Boys ages 5 yr., 3 yr. and 10 Months respectively. They came from Quebec about four Months ago, were doing very well in Toronto until the husband died a few days ago after a short illness. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Darling for an allowance of Bread. To have 8 lbs. bread per week for the present.

702. Stephen Wright: and Charlotte, his Wife, ages 32 and 35 respectively. English. Emigrants, came out last week, say they are ordered out of the Emigrant shed on account of fresh arrival being expected to night. Seek shelter for a few days, expect Employment next week.

Tuesday, 14th Septbr. 1869.

Present, B. Walton Esqr. Revd. S. Givins

703. Margaret McDonnell: in Case 699, left the House as ordered by

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the Committee, but not before a Police man was called in to order her off the premises, her two children were allowed to stay in the House.

704. Catharine Dalrymple: Aged 64. Scotch. Baptist Church. Married. Made application in behalf of her Mother, who has lived for the last ten years with a Son at Durham, but who is threatening to send the old woman to Toronto, wants to know if she is sent to Toronto if she could then be taken into House of Industry. Committee explained that there is no claim for her on this Institution, and gave Mrs. Dalrymple a Note to that effect.

Friday, 17th September 1869.

Present, Revd. S. Givins.

705. William Dalton: in Case 639 left the Institution on his own accord.

Tuesday 21st Septbr. 1869.

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Present, Revd. Mr. Topp, S. Rogers Esqr. And Revd. Mr. Ellerby.

706. Mary Ann Earle: No. 11 Elliotts place King Street west. Aged 38. Husband 39. English. Ch. of England. 4 Children, boy 8, girl 7, girl 5, and a boy 18 months old. Emigrants, six weeks from England. Both Husband and Wife are not able to work at present, suffering from Summer Complaint. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending liberal relief as they are destitute. Bread and a few groceries allowed, and to be referred to Visitor.

707. Samuel Watson: aged 41, Wife 25. Husband English. Wife Irish. say they came from Montreal, and are looking for a place. were brought here by the Police for shelter.

708. James Cunningham: aged 39. Irish. Church of England. 14 years in Canada. Cripple, only one arm, from Port Hope, intends going to St. Mary's where he has friends. Seeks lodgings for the night.

Friday. 24th Septbr. 1869.

No Committee present

709. Dorothea McCormick: Aged 56. Irish. Ch. of Engl. Mrs. McCormick has been obliged to place her husband, who has for years cruelly treated her, in Jail. She is a Protestant and he a Roman Catholic.

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She has also found that close to the House in which they long lived that he has kept or married another woman much younger than Mrs. McCormick and by her has four or five children. Revd. E. Baldwin who recommends her for admission into House of Industry, has been assisting her, and has also tried to find her a place, but no one is willing to take her even for her board on account of feebleness. Admitted by E. Hobson Esqr.

Tuesday 28th September 1869.

No Committee present.

710. John Murray: say 79 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. came here for shelter, has been a few days in General Hospital. See his Case 628 in 1865.

711. Mary Ann Earles: in Case 706 Visitor recommends another allowance of groceries on account of the husband's illness.

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712. Mary Daley: 35. Irish. R.C. says her husband is gone to the States and left her destitute. 5 Children. Catharine 14. Jeremiah 12, March 7. John 3, and Patrick 6 months old. Brought a Note from the Mayors Office recommending charity of the Institution. Wants shelter for a night.

713. Lavinia Miller: Renfrew St. Aged 35. Nova Scotian. Ch. of England. Husband belongs to Royal Artillery. 3 Children, Boy 10. Boy 8 who is very low with Typhoid fever, and a boy 6 years of age. She applied for relief to the Mayor, who strongly recommended her in a Note to House of Industry for relief, on account of the sick child she is not able to go out to work and her husbands Money is not sufficient to support them in sickness, and what makes it worse they have to pay rent, she not being on the strength of the Regiment. To have 8 lbs. bread and an allowance of Groceries.

Friday, 1st October 1869.

No Committee present.

714. John Davis: Aged 21. English. Chof England. Came from Detroit, intends going to Montreal, no means seeks shelter until Monday.

715. Robert Burke: 58. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. from Hamilton intends going to Montreal, destitute of means, seek shelter until Monday.

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716. Mary Thompson: Aged 54. Native of Ireland. Ch. of Engl. Lived some years in the States, came lately from Montreal and is on her way to Chatham where she expects to find friends who will assist her. has no means to pay her way, seeks shelter for a few days, will try and get a pass from the Mayor to take her to Chatham. Left Octbr. 12th.

717. Thomas Carbeck: an Inmate, see Case 359 in 1865. Left the House on his own accord without giving Notice of his intention.

Tuesday. 5th October 1869.

No Committee present.

718. The Children of Margaret McDonnell in case 703 were taking [taken] out of this Institution but the Mother and placed in House of Industry.

Friday, 8th October 1869.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

719. Julia Hackett: next to 151 Centre St. Aged 40. English. Ch. of Engl. says her husband it away from her, at present in New Brunswick. 3 Children. Girl 15. Boy 13. And boy 2 years old. Asks for wood, no fuel giving out yet.

720. Mary Durand: 48 MacGill Street. Aged 72. Irish. English Church. No family. Not able to work. Recommended for four pound bread per week. Committee consider she ought to come into the House as she has no way of making a living except by begging.

721. Ann Mack: 21 Queen Street west. Widow 48 years of age. 4 Children, William 18 who earns [dollars] 2.50 per week at Mr. Potter Optican [optician], George 13, Albert 7, and Mary 7, Twins. Respectable woman. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week.

722. John Murray: in Case 710, to be sent back to Oshawa wher [where] he belongs, and has Sons to care for him. Was sent Octbr. 11th fare [dollars] 1.15.

723. Thomas Hall: Aged 71. Native of England. Methodist Church. Married, but can not agree very well with his wife. Made application for admission, brought a Note from the Mayor who strongly recommends Hall as deserving person. Hall was taken out by his wife. Octbr. 11.

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Tuesday. 12th October 1869.

Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent and J. Tyner Esqr.

724. Agnes Donohoe: Aged 33. Lives on Queen St. west No. 33. Deserted by her husband. 7 Children, boy 13, boy 11, girl 7, boy 4, boy 2 1/2 and baby 8 Months old. Irish. Children attend Sunday School at Zion Church. Visitor recommends assistance and will call on them again. To have 10 lbs. bread per week for the present.

725. Margaret Sturgess: Aged 37. Canadian. Ch. of Engl. See Case 358. was sent here by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate for admission being without a home. Admitted.

726. Margaret Saulkey: 51. Irish. Chof England. A widow from Newmarket for last two Months in General Hospital. Was recommended by Mrs. Ellerby to Committee. Mrs. Saulkey stated if she had the

means of getting back to Newmarket she could there earn her living by knitting and sewing among the farmers. Superintendent to send her there. Was sent by her own desire to Richmond Hill. Paid 65 [cents].

Friday 15th October 1869.

Present Revd. J. M Laurent and J. Tyner Esqr.

727. Mary Ann Johnson: Coloured. In case 570. returned from her place Octbr. 13th. She is to be admitted until another place can be found for her.

728. James Dogherty: 62. Irish. R.C. See Case 560 in 1868. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission. To be admitted in Building for casual poor, with the understanding that he make himself useful and behave in a proper manner.

729. Eliza Williams: 38. English. Chof England. Has been 8 days in Toronto, came from Liverpool, England. Says her clothes were stolen from her in the Emigrant shed while she was out looking for place. Seeks admission until she can procure a place. Admitted.

730. Philip Flannery. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. partially paralyzed. from Lucan, where he has been a resident, but not able to earn his living the Council sent the old Man to Toronto, six weeks ago, on his arrival here, he was taken up as a Vagrant and sent to Gaol, remanded from time to time until yesterday when he arrived at this Institution in a Cab with a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission. Referred to General Board.

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731. George Lee Ryan: 61. Native of Ireland. Chof England. Has been in Toronto some little time ago, was sent to Detroit and is now back again, Revd. Mr. Baldwin recommends his admission into the House as he says he is very weak. Would like to go to Montreal, or St. Johns New Brunswick. Admitted for a time. Left in January 1870.

732. George Wilson: an old Vagrant. See Case 588. Was sent here yesterday by the Mayor as a fit person to be admitted into House of Industry. Wilson took his breakfast this morning and cleared out again.

733. Charles Hewitt: in Case 597 in 1867. Left last Saturday to see his friends in the Country. Has not returned since. Returned on the 20th.



734. Mary Howith: living in a lane off Bishop Street, near Queen Street. Aged 30. English. Chof England. 2 Children, boy aged 4 years, and a girl aged 16 Mo. is recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughall for an allowance of Groceries. Her husband is discharged from the Hospital as incurable from absess [abcess], and is attended by the Revd. Mr. Williams.

Tuesday, 19th October 1869.

Present W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday, 22nd October 1869.

Present W. J. MacDonell, Esqr.

735. Philip Flannery: in Case 730. Sent him back to Lucan as ordered by General Board. The Mayor was kind enough to give a free pass.

736. William Awart: aged 18 years. Native of Ireland. Ch. of Engl. Has been 7 months in Canada, only worked 2 Months, in bad health. Was sent here by his worship the Mayor who recommends his admission for a time, as he is not ill enough to go to the Hospital and not well enough to be out to work, and is homeless and friendless.

Tuesday, 26th October 1869.

Present, Revd. J. F. Laurent, Mr. Alderman Sheard, and E. Hobson Esqr.

737: Catharine Forbes: Aged 52. A Widow. Native of Ireland. R.C. Emigrant, 11 weeks in Canada, has a Son aged 22, who worked a short time in The Rolling Mills, but through a hurt is not able to do hard work

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just now, and a girl aged 13. Lives in the rear of 47 or 49 on Sumach St. She is seeking assistance from House of Industry. Son to call at the House and see Doctor.

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738. William Awart: in Case 736. Doctor to report upon his Case by next Friday. Dr. examined. Consumption. Admitted.

739. Andrew Angus: in Case 686, left the Institution on his own accord without given Notice of his intention.

740. Edward Tredo: aged 40, Wife Martha 46. 4 Children, George 13, Georgina 5, Frederick 4, and Joseph 2 Months old. French Canadians from Quebec looking for Employment in Toronto, have no means, ask shelter for a few days. R.C. Church.

741. Mary Wright: Aged 25. Husband (a Coloured Man) in Gaol for two Months. 3 Children, girl 3, boy 2, and boy 3 Months old. Applied to get her children admitted into House of Industry. Children cannot be admitted, but Committee will allow a loaf of Bread per week until husband come out of gaol.

742. Mary Ann Jones: Aged 30, from Devonshire, England, two years ago. Kept house for a Brother at Pickering, but he has got married now, and she came to Town a week ago to look for a place, unfortunately took a drop too much and went to Police station for shelter, and was sent next day to Gaol for a week to get sober. when she came out of Gaol she applied her for shelter having no friends and no means. seems respectable. ChofEngl.

Tuesday, 2nd November 1869.

Present Revd. Mr. Boddy and B. Homer Dixon Esqr.

743. Mary Ann Jones: in Case 742 to be admitted on condition that she make herself general useful.

744. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 628. Left the Institution, says she will go to Chicago where she has a Son who will provide for her.

745. Edward Tredo: and family in Case 740 to remain until they can get a place to go into, which will not be long, as the Man has got Employment with Mr. Malcolm, Saddler, on King Street.

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745 1/2. James Butler: in Case 664 in 1866, Left the Institution on the 12th of October last, has friends who will keep him.

Friday. 5th November 1869.

No Committee present

746. Samuel Rosenthal: 52 Princess Street, Husband wife and 2 Children at home. Boy 13, Girl 5. The Husband very ill and will probably never rise from his bed. The wife an elderly woman whose whole time is occupied by attending on her husband. The boy working out and getting [dollars] 1 1/2 a week. They seem very decent respectable people, and worthy of relief. The boy does all he can for his parents. Visitor recommends them for bread, and Tea Sugar and Oatmeal occasionally. If the Husband lives long enough, they will require a little fuel when the cold sets in, but Visitor fears the poor man will not be able to stand the Coal smoke. The Case to be referred again later in the season.

747. Elisa Williams: in Case 729, has gone to Service.

748. Mary Ann Jones: in Case 742, Left on her own account without any Notice. She appears to be a queer Case, and her statement was a lame tale.

749. Catharine Wilkinson: A Widow aged 60. 16 years in the lower Province, and her daughter Ellen Lees, also a widow, aged 26. Both came from Montreal to Toronto about 3 weeks ago, found they cannot do so well here as in Montreal, intend going back as soon as they can arrange about the fare, in the mean time they seek shelter here at the House, being without means to pay for Lodgings. Irish. ChofEngl.

750. George Beever: 49. Irish. Ch. of Engl. 6 years in Canada. no settled home, has been travelling about looking for work. is now on his way to Workworth in the Township of Percy where he expects employment. Would like to be sheltered for a few days, as his feet are swollen and sore with travelling.

751. William Dalton: in Case 705, turned up again and is now asking readmission into House of Industry. By his own account when out last time he took a few glasses of Beer, and somehow the Police got hold of him, and finally found himself in Gaol.

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Tuesday, 9th November 1869.

Present, Revd. Mr. Bishop.

752. William Dalton: in Case 751, to be admitted again.

753. Sarah Gilmore: living at the extreme east end of King Street, and who has been receiving relief, (bread), from the House, is very ill and is scarcely likely to recover. Visitor would be glad if she could be allowed a little coal and some tea and Oatmeal. her daughter a very respectable young woman who used to go out to work, is now obliged to remain at home altogether to attend upon her Mother. 300 lbs. Coal, and some groceries allowed.

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Present, Revd. Mr. Bishop.

754. Mary Gormley: 54 years of age. Widow. Irish. R.C. and old resident in Toronto, cannot make a living out. seeks admission into House of Industry. will make herself useful, to see Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted.

755. James Butler: in Case 745. Came back last night, found his friends cannot support him. Seeks readmission. Admitted.

756. James Farrell: 55, Irish. Ch. of England and all his friends before him, says, has been in Toronto and its surroundings for the last 30 years. Nearly blind of one Eye, and not very strong. Seeks admission into House of Industry. To see the Doctor at 3 OClock and if a proper case to be admitted. Left Jany. 4th 1870, on his own accord.

757. Hannah Smith: 79 Sayer St. Widow with 3 Children. Boy 6, boy 4 1/2 and a girl 2 1/2 year of age respectively. Irish. ChofEngl. 6 years in Toronto, her husband and brother were killed last August twelve months by a Railway accident at the Queens Wharf. The Mayor is trying to get her a passage to England, in the mean time recommends relief in the shape of fuel and food. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week, no fuel given out as yet.

758. Charles Howard: 32 years of age, German, R.C. 3 years out. Labourer, says, has been ill with fever which reduced him in health and Purse. seeks shelter for a few days until he can get employment.

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Tuesday, 16th November 1869.

Present, G. T. McCord Esqr. and E. Hobson Esqr.

759. Elizabeth Hunt: 2 doors east of No. 12 East James St. Husband and wife and 5 children, girl 9, girl 7, girl 5, boy 3 and girl 10 months old. The family came out from England, (they are Portsmouth people), 3 Months ago. Hunt obtained work at Curries Foundry, and was doing well getting [dollars] 1 a day, until about 8 weeks ago. In hoisting same Mashinery [machinery] the tackle gave way, and a rope end struck him in the eye. For several weeks he was confined to a dark room and is still unable to go out to work. He has lost the sight of the [eye], and it is doubtful whether the other will not suffer also, and he is still unable to go out to work. All their savings are quite gone, and they are of course in great need of assistances. They appear most respectable and deserving people. Visitor recommends them for a weekly allowance of bread and some Coal, and requests to have the Case referred again at the End of the Month. Committee allowed 12 lbs. bread per week, 600 lbs. Coal, and some groceries.

760. Rachel Brown: 301 Queens St. east. Visitor will report upon this Case, when he finds the results of her application to the boys and the girls Home.

761. Elizabeth Morton: 154 King St. west. Married, aged 30. Husband 29. 2 Children, girl 5, and boy 3 years of age. Came from England about 4 Months ago, had been working at his trade which is painting, and when at work fell and got badly hurt in one of his Knees, consequently in the Hospital for the last twelve weeks. Mrs. Morton appears to be a very respectable person. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread per week for a Month, and he (Visitor) will by that time see how the husband is getting on. English Ch. of England.

Friday, 19th Novbr. 1869.

No Committee present.

762. Elizabeth Travers: No. 10, Elliotts row. Married. Aged 27. Husband 28. 3 children, girl 7, girl 4 1/2 and baby 11 months old, has a fourth, nursing, for which she gets [dollars] 6 per month, which helps to feed her own little ones. The husband a worthless man who takes Coal Oil round to sell, and manages to let the most of what he earns slip down his own unfortunate throat. The Visitor would recommend 6 lbs. bread per week for one Month to help the wife and Children, the husband being in Gaol at present.

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763. Jane Yole: 263 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 69. Irish. Ch. of Engl. very sick, confined to her bed in a damp cellar, has no one to befriend her, but such as do it for charity. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week, say, for one Month, and a ration of groceries, and Visitor will call upon her again in a Months time.

764. Charles Drass: in Case 607, was brought back to the House, Mrs. Drury says he is too Yonge [young] for them.

765. Margaret Sturgess: in Case 725, died this day Novbr. 21st at half past seven A.M.

766. William Ross: Aged 24. 5 months in Canada, from London, England. has been working for a farmer, but is no able to stand the work on account of a hurt by the kick of a horse, when young. He is without means and friends, seeks shelter. To be admitted, he expects remittances from his friends to enable him to get home again.

767. Agnes Graham: 74 McMahon St. Nova Scotian. Methodist Church. 8 children, 2 at Service, 1 Married, and 5 at home, 4 boys, 11, 9, 4, 1 yr. and 10 [months] and a girl 7 years of age. The husband visitor fears is dying of consumption. He was jobbing Gardener and doing very well at one time. the two Children in Service help to pay the rent [etc.] Recommended for Coal once and a little Tea, Sugar and Oatmeal, and the Case may be referred again to Visitor.

768. Johanna Strang: made application for relief, says has a nephew at home who is not able to work having a constant pain in his side. To see the Doctor.

769. Agnes Graham: in Case 767, The Committee will allow 6 lbs. Coal, and 12 lbs. Bread per week.

770. Mary Harris: Aged 27. Irish. Chof England. Husband belongs to the Royal Artillery, but she is not on the strength of the Regiment, having got married without the Colonels leave. The husband is sick in Hospital, and she has twins 16 months old which she says prevents her going out to work. To have 4 lbs. bread per week.

771. Thomas Kelly: in Case 26 in 1865. Has formerly been twice an Inmate in Lunatic Asylum, seems to be going crazy again, had to send for Police to remove him off the premises.

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Tuesday, 23rd November 1869.

772. Joseph Pointom: 56 Richmond St. Est. Wife and 4 children, boy 14, boy 10, boy 8, and boy 6 years of age. They came out to Canada in June, from London, England. Pointom is a Clerk and Bookkeeper but cannot get Employment, the wife gets and occasional days work but not enough to keep the Family. They are to have 8 lbs. bread per week for the present. Eldest boy earing [dollars] 1.50 per week.

773. Rebecca Clark: 58 North Park Street. Aged 28. Husband 38. 4 children, boy 13, a Cripple, boy 10, boy 7, and boy 4 years of age. English. Baptist Church. came from England last June, Husband for a time employed as Constable. now has no other Employment than an occasional job of wood sawing. Proper trade Book blocking. has tried at several book stores but cannot obtain work. Wife goes out to scrub and wash when she get it to do and so helps to pay the rent, but fuel and food are wanting. The husband is an intelligent able bodied man, well able to support his family, if he could get work. Visitor recommends Coal once, and to refer the Case again. Committee allow 12 lbs. bread per week, but no coal at present.

774. Rachel Brown: 301 Queen St. east. in Case 760 has got her children all but the infant into the girls and boys home. Husband deserted her. recommended for Coal once and bread for a Month. Allowed 4 lbs. bread per week.

775. Mary Gormley: in Case 754, left on her own accord.

776. John Bertram: 69 years of age. Native of Hull, England. Chof England. says has been 5 years in Canada, working about from place to place for a living, no settled home. Professional Barber and hair dresser, for the last 6 Months in Toronto Gaol, for no particular crime, only Vagrancy. He was sent here this morning by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate for admission.

777. Francis Abbott: aged 41, Irish. Ch. of Engl. 23 years in Canada, Labourer. Recommended by the Mayor for admission in the House of Industry while he gets cured of an ulcerated leg. He was admitted Novbr. 19th but the Case was omitted.

Friday, Novbr. 26th 1869.

Present, Revd. Mr. Broughall, Revd. Mr. Williams, and R. Wilkes Esqr.

778. Mary Ann Prizelle: Aged 39. Irish. R.C. Church. Husband in the States where he leads a sort of roving life. 20 years in Canada. Says she is not strong enough to take a place, would like to become an Inmate for a time, would make herself general useful. admitted on the condition that she work in the House.

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779. Anne Watson: 43 McMahon St. called to see visitor this morning, says her husband is a cook on board a sailing vessel "The Port Hope" on this Lake, gets [dollars] 26 a Month, but has not heard from him for five weeks. would not require any assistance if her husband was at home. might allow her a little bread for a week or a fortnight. She goes out to work and to scrub, but does not get enough to keep her. See Case 707. Irish. Aged 25. Husband English, aged 41. No family.

Tuesday, 30th November, 1869.

Present, Robert Baldwin, Esqr.

780. Mary Stephens: 56 years of age. Widow. Native of Chichester, England. Chof England. 36 years in Canada, lost her husband 9 years ago in Toronto, made her living by washing and scrubbing, but lately lived in Service, her health has been failing her for the last twelve months, and consequently will have to leave her place. Has no friends and no means. seek admission into the House of Industry. Admitted on terms to make herself general useful, which she promised to do.



781. Ann Watson: in Case 779. Applied to Committee for Coal and other necessities, which are not at present given out, was offered bread for a fortnight or until her husband comes home (as ordered by visitor), which she declined accepting.

782. John Bertram: in Case 776, is to be admitted, having had no settled home on this side of the Atlantic.

783. Samuel Teanby: Aged 21. English Emigrant. A Month out from England. Chof England. was hired to a Farmer in Port Hope at [dollars] 112, by the year, but unfortunately while chopping got his feet partially frozen, and having no Hospital at Port Hope was sent to Toronto. The Mayor of Toronto recommends him for admission into House of Industry for a short time until he recovers.

784. Emily Padbury: 18 years of age. English. Says came out 2 years ago, lived lately in Service on Sayer St. with Mrs. John Ross, has left there and is sure of place to morrow, was sent here from the Police Station for shelter. did not approve of the shelter offered here, said if she could get 25 [cents] she could sleep with Mrs. O'Briens who keeps a Hotel on York Street opposite Union Station, gave her 25 [cents] to go there, as it only would be for one Night.

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Friday, 3rd December 1869.

Present, Robert Baldwin Esqr.

785. Samuel Teanby: in Case 783, Admitted for the present.

786. Emily Padbury: in Case 784, Brought a note from the Mayor, last Evening, recommending her admission for a few days until he sees Mrs. Dunlop or some Ladies who will take an interest in her Case. Allowed to remain in Building for casual poor, and if not otherwise provided for by next Tuesday, to have her Case brought up before the Weekly Committee.

787. Patrick McGurk: 42 Centre St. aged 40. Wife Jane aged 29. Husband born in Malta, wife Native of Ireland. Ch of England. 5 Children boy 14, boy 12, boy 9, girl 4 and girl 14 Months old. Husband has been in bad health going on for 3 years, and is no [now] given up by the Doctors. respectable people, kept away from the House as long as they could, but are now sadly in want. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal, full allowance of groceries and 10 lbs. bread per week.

788. Caroline Pulham: 119 Robinson St. widow, aged 40. Has 3 Children at home, a boy 11 and two girls 12 and 5 years respectively, also a girl aged 17 in Service. Is a charwoman and obtains work every other day. apparently sober and industrious. A west Indian. R.C. Church. allowed bread.

789. Mary Ann Smith: 118 Charles St. Denisons Avenue, Visitor could not find her. No such Number on the Street.

790. Oliver Jackson: Coloured. No. 45 Elizabeth St. not Elizabeth St. but 213 Centre Street. Aged 45. Elizabeth his wife 43. Methodist. 11 Children. Boy 24 away from them, girl 19 sickly at home, girl 17 goes out and gets a days work when she can get it, boy 14, works at a Tobacco factory, girl 12, takes care of the House when the Mother is out at work, girl 10, boy 9, boy 7, girl 5, boy 3, going to school, and a baby (boy) 18 Months old. The husband has been helplessly paralyzed for years. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, and Coal when given out.

791. Dorothea McCormick: in Case 709, went back to her husband.

792. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 744, sent a Note here from the Mayor who recommends her Case strongly as one deserving consideration as one being helpless and friendless. Decbr. 7th.

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Tuesday, 7th December 1869.

Present. J. McBean Esqr, & G. Rowell Esqr.

793. Emily Padbury: in Case 786, was again brought before the Committee says, she has to see Mrs. Dunlop again who is trying to get her a place. to have shelter in the mean time.

794. George Franklin: Aged 35. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. 6 years in Canada. was Brakesman on the Northern Railroad, where he got hurted in the head by being struck by one of the bridges under which the Train had to pass, has suffered ever since with giddiness in the head which prevents him at present earning his living. seeks admission for a time. Admitted.

795. Susan Wood: Corner of Spadina Avenue and Bloor Street. Widow, aged 69. Ch of England. Canadian. Coloured. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends a ration of Groceries on account of sickness.

796. Mary Stephens: in Case 780, is better in health again, left to day Decbr. 9th to take her old situation again.

Friday, 10th December 1869.

Present, J. McBean Esqr, & G. Rowell Esqr.

797. John Barrett: says he is 87 years of age. Native of Ireland, Ch of Engl, an old Soldier of the 66th Regiment. 43 years in Canada. seeks admission. Brought a Note from the Revd. Dean Grasett, recommending his Case to the Committee. Admitted.

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798. James Sheehy: aged 65. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. 17 years in Toronto, for the last 4 Months in the General Hospital with a sore leg. Not able to work at present. Seeks admission. To see the Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

799. Louisa Seaton: Aged 70. Irish. Methodist Church. She is Sister to Mr. Earle the Baker who used to live on Queen Street, but has now left the City. Mrs. Seaton is a very old resident in Toronto, and for the last 15 years has been living with a Mrs. Floyd 134 Centre St. but who cannot Keep her any longer. Recommended by the Mayor for admission. Admitted.

800. Caroline Pulham: in Case 788, 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal when given out

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Tuesday, 14th December 1869.

Present. B. Walton Esqr. & Revd. S. Givins.

801. Barbara Armstrong: opposite 22 Walton Street, off Bishop St. A widow, with 5 Children, at home, the eldest a boy 14 in a Shoemakers Shop. the others younger as reported previous years. Is rheumatic and can do little else than Knit, a sober industrious person. Irish. Methodist. Recommended for bread and fuel at the proper time.

802. Matilda Robinson: 123 Robinson St. 4 Children, a boy 11, and 3 girls, 14, 9, and 5. burnt out last Summer & very poor, the old man has a horse but very little work, both being about past work, she has 2 Cows and gets 2 days work in the week. Irish. Presbyterian. To have bread. Committee allowed 8 lbs. bread per week.

803. Catharine Thompson: 112 Nelson Street. can make out for herself.

804. Jane Malone: 90 Church Street. 67 years old, Not able to work. Irish R.C. Recommended for 2 lbs. Bread per week.

805. Ellen Perkins: 168 Berkely [Berkeley] St. Moved away from there, Visitor could not find her.

806. Madeline Booth: 117 Nelson St. Widow, and 3 Children. Eldest boy 12, the two others - girl & boy, 10 & 6 respectively. Mrs. Booth is a french woman from Paris. Came out to this Country as a Nurse, with the late Sheriff Jarvis' family 20 years ago. Married subsequently to an English man named Booth, a stone cutter by trade. He died last June, leaving the widow and 3 Children. She went out to work, caught cold, and is now lying dangerously ill with an attack on the lungs. Visitor found her this morning spitting blood and very ill. The eldest boy (12 years old), a very nice little lad, Earns a [dollars] 1.25 a week by writing in an Office, He is now the only support of the family. Recommended for Coal, and some Sugar Tea & Oatmeal. and a small allowance of Bread. The Case to be referred to Visitor again

807. James Patterson: 40. Irish. R.C. out in Canada about a Month, seeks shelter for a few days, say's was in the Army and has 6 [pence] per day pension which he can draw at St Catharines, where he intends to go.

808. Herbert Dawson: 31. English ChofEngl., 12 years in the 17 Lancers. Came out a Month ago. Seeks shelter for a few days, until he gets Employment.

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809. Thomas Baley " aged 31. Native of England. Chof England. Came to this Country last June from Clerkenwell London. worked in the Country as long as he would obtain Employment, being out of work now he came to Toronto in hopes of standing a chance to get on the R.R. in the mean time he seeks shelter for a few days, having no means to pay for lodging.

810. Samuel Teanby: in Case 783. His feet are well again, went as stable man at the Street Railway depot.

811. Emily Padbury: in Case 786. Admitted in Magdalen Asylum.

812. George Franklin: in Case 794. Left, gone to work as City Lamplighter.

Friday, 17th December 1869.

Present, Revd. Mr. Givins & B. Walton Esqr.

813. Elizabeth Gibson: 280 Queen St. west. A widow aged 40. Has two boys 12, & 9 at home who sell papers, sews for a living but has been ill of late. Lives in a miserable excuse of a house and must be very uncomfortable. English. Chof England. To have Coal & Bread.

814. Harriett Pepper: 17 Vanauly [Vanauley] St. Visitor could not find any such person. must have given the wrong adress.

815. Bridget Kell: 100 Richmond St. East. 67 years old. earns a little by Knitting stockings.

816. Mary Fowler: Boulton St in rear of the Shakespear stables, Married. aged 30. Husband 42. (Visitor did not see the husband) has 4 Children, Girl 10, girl 7, boy 4 & boy 2. Chof England. the wife Irish the husband English. Came here about 5 Months ago from Brantford, she says her husband cant get work, they must be a worthless pair, both in the prime of life. Have no claim on this Charity. Visitor thinks it would be wrong to encourage people of that age & in good health.

817. William Kearney: Lives in that celebrated house in boulton St. lane. Not in when visitor called, there are two tenements in that lane, generally if not always occupied by worse than worthless characters.

Recommended not to be taken on the books, but to let him have a loaf and send him off for the present, Visitor will call again and try and find him at home.

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818. Ellen Perkins: 44 Duchess St. Removed from 168 Berkely [Berkeley] St. A Widow and an old Case, reported upon in former years. Decent and respectable. Too infirm to do much for herself. quite a case for relief. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of Bread for 3 Months.

819. Mary Ga{rn}ett: 46 Duchess St. another widow whose Case will be found reported upon for the last two winters. Manages to get on very well through the Summer, but requires assistance when the cold weather sets in. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

820. Caroline Potter: }

821. Elizabeth Skinner: } No 46 Duchess Street

Both with their families, living in the same house. Each has a husband and each has two young Children. Both families came out from England this summer or rather beginning of the Autumn. Their respective husbands have only had occasional Employment, two three days at a time here, and two or three days at a time somewhere else and they are consequently badly off. They are now both going to obtain (at least trying to) employment in the Toronto and Nipissing R.R. on the Scarborough and Uxbridge sections, and if successful will take their families down there in the spring. Even if they get Employment however, the contractor will not pay them until the end of the first Month. Visitor therefore recommends them for a full allowance of Coal once. but the one supply for both families, as the [they] use the same stove for cooking &etc. also bread for one Month. Then the Case to be referred to Visitor again. Each familie allowed 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal when given out.

822. Margaret Barton: rear of 47 Sumach Street. Another family from Clerkenwell. Husband and wife each 24 years of age! and 2 Children Husband a Machinist and Carpenter. Did pretty well after he came out here, working at Reads packing box factory, until he got very wet when late at work one night, caught cold, and has been laid up with an attack on the lungs. Wife tries to eke out a living, by sewing Childrens boots & shoes for the shops, but cannot get any more of it to do now. Visitor would say very deserving people, only they made a mistake to marry at two and twenty! without something more to live upon. Recommended for Coal once, Bread for a Month, and for the husband to be allowed a little Oatmeal and tea & Sugar. The Visitor wishes him to have Oatmeal porridge &etc. instead of animal food. Case to be referred again to Visitor at the end of the Month.

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823. Elizabeth Hunt: (See Case 759) This is a Case was to be referred again at the end of the Month. It will be seen by the first report, that the Hunts are English Emigrants who came out here, and were doing very well, until the Husband met with an accident, a blow in the eye, at the foundry where he was working. Visitor called there again to day, and found that the poor Man had his Eye taken out, the day before yesterday. He is being attended by Dr. Rosenburgh who performed the operation, rendered necessary he said, by the injured Eye being in such a state, that if left in, it would have destroyed the sight of the other. Under the circumstances as Hunt will not be in a state for work for another week or two, Visitor would recommend them for a second allowance of Coal, say next week, and bread for another Month.

824. Samuel Robertson: 171 University St. Native of Scotland, Presbyt. seems a very respectable Man. Lost his right arm. The wife is very sick, and not expected to live many days, they lost a young child lately and have one a live, a boy about 3 years old. The Revd. Dr. Barclay applied on their behalf some days ago, and some assistance was sent to them. Coal 600 lbs. Bread, and a full allowance of groceries.

825. Isabella Johnson: 58 Emma St. Aged 44, says husband left her more than a year. Coloured. Baptist Church. About 3 years in Canada. 3 Children, boy 7, boy 3, and a boy 8 Months old. Supports herself and Children by taken in washing, as well as she can, but having to buy all the water she uses finds her provit [profit] but small. To have 6 lbs. bread per week for the present.

826. Mary Ann Webb: say about 35 years of age. English. Chof England. Came to Canada with her parents when 3 years of age. Worked, out, and lived in Service ever since she was able to work. At Service on Queen St. for the last two years, had a misfortune. Came here for shelter from Lying in Hospital with a Male infant 3 weeks old.

827. Samuel Teanby: (810) had to come back, finds his feet are rather tender yet for the work he had to do.

Tuesday, 21st Decbr. 1869.

Present. J. Rogers Esqr.

828. Alice Torphy: rear 267 Queen St. west. Widow, R.C. Irish. Aged 43. 2 Children, Girl 12, at Service, gets [dollars] 1. per week, but boards at home, the other a girl aged 7 years. 4 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times during the season.

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829. Ann Kirk: )

829 1/2. Bridget McCabe: ) 273 Queen St. west. Both live in the same room and have the same Stove in common. Widows. Irish & Roman Catholic Church. Old Pensioners. Recommended that each receive 4 lbs. bread per week, and each Coal twice during the winter.

830. Ann Connell: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. R.C. aged 60. Irish. decent old Body. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

831. Ellen Marshall: 47 Boulton St. widow aged 54. Irish. R.C. Visitor does not know this person. she is a new Case in St. Andrews ward might be known at the House. Left to Committee to judge. To come again after New year.

832. Elizabeth Bartlett: Lane in rear of Queen St. Entrance from Brock Street. This family came out from London last Summer, and were doing nicely, until they were burnt out last October, when they lost a great part of their Clothing &etc. and thus got thrown back. Mrs. Bartlett is 44 years of age, and her husband 46. They have 9 Children, 6 Girls and 3 boys, their ages run from 4 to 20 years of age. Visitor recommends them 12 lbs. bread per week, and all the Coal the rules will allow. They are a very respectable family, and should not be allowed to get discouraged.

833. Jane Gale: in Case 763. was recommended for one Month, she is now up and getting better, but will require assistance for the season, which Visitor recommends (but not the Groceries).

834. Mary Farrell: 35 Stanley St. 80 years of age. Not able to work. R.C. Church. Irish. 4 lbs. of Bread per week allowed.

835. Jane Dalton: rear 72 Stanley St. 43 years old. Husband 46. 5 Children, Joseph 16, Bella 11, Lilly 8, Margaret 5, and Thomas 18 Mths. Husband a labourer cant get work, pay [dollars] 3, a Month rent for two rooms. one year from England. R.C. Church. 8 lbs. bread per week.

836. Bridget Mularky: 113 Nelson St. A single woman, industrious and deserving. but in very poor health and not very young! works at the Tobacco factory, earns [dollars] 1.25, to [dollars] 1.50, a week. This enables her to pay her rent and Keep herself in food. Recommended to be allowed Coal 3 times.

837. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope St. Coal and bread for one Month.

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838. Honora Boyle: 113 Nelson St. widow, old, and not able to do much beyond peddle a few things about occasionally. Recommended for Bread (small allowance), for a couple of Months, and Coal 3 times.

839. Sarah McQuiggan: )

839 1/2. Ellen Rearden: ) Corner of Oak & Pine St.

Both old Cases on the Books, and but little new to add about them this year. Mrs. McQuiggan, and Mrs. Rearden are living in the same house, and visitor told them that if they would give up one stove, and make use of the same stove for both, he would recommend them for coal through the winter. In this case they would increase the joint allowance a little. They are both past doing much for themselves. There are two Sisters McQuiggans, living together, as well as Mrs. Rearden.

840. Ellen Thompson: 10 Duchess St. "A lone Widow", and an anual [annual] Pensioner. Peddles Fish & etc. in the Summer, and lives pretty much upon which she gets from the House in Winter, for excepting a little Tea and Sugar, her wants beyond the Coal and bread are very few. Recommended for Coal 3 times and Bread for two Months.

841. Winifred Curtis: 44 Duchess St. This case will be found reported upon before when Mrs. Curtis was living on Sumach St. There is no doubt Visitor believes, that the husband is so far of weak intellect, that he is not capable [capable] of real steady work, and consequently his earnings are so uncertain, that in Winter more especially his family are often very badly off. The wife is particularly a nice industrious person who does her best to Keep her family respectable. Recommended to be allowed a little Coal only say twice during the Winter.

842. Mary Morrow: 42 Duchess St. Another Widow! but more infirm still than Ellen Thompson, and dependend [dependent] all the year round upon the Charity of her Neighbours. Recommended for Coal 3 times, bread for the winter, and if Mary could only be allowed a little Tea for Christmas, she would prize it above all things.

843. George Fairbrother: 35 Ontario St. East. wife and 6 Children. on account of an accident in Currie's foundry which caused bleeding at the Lungs, Visitor believes the Man to be incapable of returning to his own proper trade at present at all events. his wife has not been confined very long and they have certainly been reduced to great distress and if a little timely assistance be afforded them in the shape of bread and Coal, they may not require further relief.

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844. John Lafferty: formerly an Inmate, see Case 331. His sight is bad again, not able to earn his living at present, seeks admission. To be admitted.

845. Susan Woods: in Case 795. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal, as the old woman is very ill.

846. James Patterson: in Case 807, made application for admission, his case referred general Board, who afterwards admitted him on condition that his Pension be paid into the Institution.

847. Louisa Seaton: in Case 799 ~~in Case~~ died this day at half past twelve O'Clock P.M. Aged 70. Decbr. 22nd.

Friday, 24th Decbr. 1869

Present. J. Rogers Esqr.

848. Sarah Bloomer: 285 Richmond St. west. Widow, age 69. Chof Engl. a decent old body, 4 lbs. Bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

849. Margaret Quigley: not in when visitor called, to have a loaf but not more until she is visited.

850. Mary O'Brien: 69 Boulton St. an old Widow 69 years of age. R.C. To have the usual allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times during the season.

851. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. west, (an old rough customer), Widow, R.C. Irish. She lives rent free, recommended for Coal twice, and only twice. She gets some wood from her own Church. Bread 4 lbs. per week at present, visitor will make enquiries and find out whether she gets bread from any other source.

852. Johanna Strange: 71 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. Irish. She has no idea of her age. Say 60. She has a young man a nephew, but scarcely fit to take care of himself, she told visitor that the boy had been in the Army and got to be a Sergeant, but poor fellow lost his reason and got into the Asylum. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

853. Ann Boland: in that horrible place on Boltons [Boulton's] lane, was not in but the house was occupied by young Men and Women in abundance. Not recommended.

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854. Stephen Wright: 81 Boulton St. Married, aged 33. Wife aged 38. English. Ch of Engl. This couple came here last September from England, says he has been in bad health for a good part of that time. Seems to be in good health now. Visitor recommends him on account of his being a Emigrant and a stranger, to have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal say for one Month. If we get wood he may cut some.

855. Ellen Turney: Boultons lane. Visitor Knows nothing about her. she lives in another part of that bad house on the lane, may be as well to allow her 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal once.

856. Mary Rutherford: 35 Queen St. East. 58 years old. Irish. Ch of Engl suffering from Rheumatism. Not able to work, had bread all the Summer, Visitor recommends Coal 3 times.

857. Elizabeth Clark: 12 Queen St. east. 61 years old. Widow, pays [dollars] 2.50 per Month for a room. Sews and scrubs for a living. Wesleyan [Wesleyan] Methodist 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coals 3 times.

858. Catharine Hughes: 99 Richmond St. East. 57 years old, works in a rag shop. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week & Coal twice.

859. Mary McLean: rear of Bond St. Baptist Church, 73 years old. Widow, English Church. Earns a little by Knitting. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

860. Bridget Connally: 82 Stanley St. 45 years of age. Widow, living by washing and scrubbing. 3 Children, Edward 15 subject to fits, Mary 12, Michael 8 years. R.C. To have 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

861. Bridget McCabe: 112 Nelson St. 78 years old, Not able to work. R.C. paying [dollars] 2.00 a Month rent. To have 4 lbs. bread per week & Coal twice.

862. Mary Fahey: 112 Nelson St. 33 years old. one Child 9 years. Earns a little by washing and scrubbing. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal once.

863. Alice Murphy: 98 Ann Street. 32 years old. Husband 50 years. 7 Children, William 13, Thomas 11, George 9, Lizzie 5, Francis 3, Mary 2, and Joseph 5 Months old. Husband a Labourer, saws wood pays [dollars] 4.00 rent per Month. Irish. R.C. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread per week, and Coals 3 times.

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864. Elisa Nicholson: 72 Bathurst St. Irish. Ch of Engl. In Toronto 2 1/2 years, Husband formerly a Soldier. now a labourer. but not very strong. out of Employment about 2 Months, has gone to the Country to look for work. One Child 14 Months. Recommended for bread 4 lbs. per week, and Coal once, will report again if he should fail to secure employment.

865. Jane Smith: 125 Tecumseth St. see former report. Recommended for Coal.

866. Asa Sagar: 70 Ontario St. East. Has lost an arm by an accident with a planing Machine, and has consequently been out of Employment for some Months, and his family are reduced to great distress. They have parted with first one thing and then another to procure food and fire and pay their rent. Visitor thinks that it is a Case where a little temporary relief would be well bestowed, and would recommend him for one allowance of coal and bread for a fortnight or three weeks until he can get something to do. Wife & 3 young Children.

867. Margaret Boyd: 424 King St. East. A widow with 3 Children. one of them the eldest boy, a helpless idiot. Mrs. Boyd was formerly in much better circumstances. Her husband kept a small shop on the Corner of Church & Carlton St. and during his time she was comfortable off. She supports herself and this idiot boy, by washing, needlework &etc. but in winter, she cannot get on without assistance. Visitor thinks she is very deserving and would be glad if she were allowed Coal 3 times and Bread, (a small allowance on the boys account), for the winter.

868. Margaret Poire: 188 King Street East. Not in when Visitor called, but if the neighbours account of her be correct, Visitor would not think her very deserving of assistance.

869. Margaret O'Brien: rear of 12 Duchess St. An old widow woman. a pensioner every winter on the House. She really cannot live in Winter without assistance, and Visitor therefore recommends her for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of Bread for two Months.

870. Johanna McDonnell: rear of 10 Duchess St. another old pensioner, also recommended for Coal 3 times, and Bread for two Months. Visitor does not report more at length upon either of above Cases, as all particulars have been mentioned in previous reports.

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871. Elizabeth Smith: 31 Duchess St. A widow. only one Child, a girl out at Service, who helps her to pay the rent. Mrs. Smith is an elderly woman, and has lost the sight of one Eye, and can do but little for herself. Visitor recommends her for Coal 3 times and a small allowance of Bread for a couple of Months.

872. Mary Gillon: 29 Duchess St. widow, 2 Children, was burnt out about 2 Months ago. Takes in washing when she can get it, and is both hard working and industrious. Visitor recommends her for Coal once, and the Case may then be referred again, as she hopes she may possibly get on without further assistance. She is a very decent woman.

873. Catharine Mooney: 44 Duchess St. An old widow woman, one Child, a daughter out at service, who helps to pay her Mothers rent. Visitor found the old woman trying to Keep herself warm in bed having no fire in the house! Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for two Months.

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874. Ellen Stephens: 74 McMahon St. widow. No Children. An old woman in bad health. Not fit for much. She and

875. Mrs. Quinn: another widow whose appearance was not very prepossessing occupy the same miserable rooms. They use the same stove and Visitor would recommend Mrs. Stephens for Coal 3 times and a small allowance of bread, and Mrs. Quinn if she applies a little bread for a Month only.

876. John O'Neill: 303 Queen St. East. This Case is a sad enough one. A hopelessly drunken wife. constantly, (and now in Jail). O'Neill himself partially blind, has to take care as best he may, of four young Children, a neglected dirty lot! He earns a scanty subsistence by sawing wood. so far as Visitor Knows, he is a perfectly sober man, and one that does all he possibly can to support his family. He is in receipt of 6 lbs. bread per week, recommended for Coal also, 3 times.

877. Margaret McGill: 377 Queen St. East, widow, suffering from Rheumatism, cannot doe [do] much work, has one daughter. Visitor thinks Mrs. McGill is a case for assistance, and would therefore recommend her for Coal once, and some bread for a Month and then to be referred again to Visitor

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878. Mary Ann Wade: 47 Sumach St. Husband wife and 3 young Children. Came out from England last Summer. A Smith by trade not a shoer of horses, but doing smiths work on carts stoves and iron work of all kinds. Cannot get sufficient employment to pay rent and Keep his family in food and fuel. Visitor questioned him very closely, and was sure he gave a perfectly truthfull account of himself, and their efforts to obtain work. The wife impressed visitor as being a particular nice respectable person. A Case of very genuine distress, and one which under all the circumstances should be relieved at this particular season. Recommended for Coal once, bread a good allowance for this week. and if a small allowance of bread for a fortnight was allowed after that the case might be referred again to Visitor, because if Wade manages to get into any kind of work they will not require further assistance.

879. Michael Furlong: says is 70 years of age, Native of Ireland. A Protestant, but no particular Church, not being a Church going Man. Twenty years in Toronto. Not able to work. Seeks admission. Brought a Note from Alderman Boxall recommending Furlongs admission. Admitted. Belongs to R.C. Church

880. Richard Fitzgerald: 40 years of age. Irish. R.C. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission for a few days, until his hand is well and he is able to work.

881. John Harrington: 77 years of age. Irish. R.C. 16 years in Toronto. Past work, and no friends to maintain him. seeks admission into House of Industry. Brought a Note from Revd. Dr. Richardson who recommends his admission. Admitted.

882. John Taylor: Aged 28. Chof England. English. Formerly belonging to the 29th Regt. was a labourer, has a very bad leg. Saw the Mayor about getting into General Hospital, the Mayor being engaged he was sent here to be taken care of until after Christmas.

Monday, 27th December 1869.

883. The Committee to advertise and open Tenders met to day at 3 OClock P.M.

Present Revd. Mr. Broughall, Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

The following Tenders were red [read], for Bread. Charles Beatty the 4 lb. loaf [at] 7 3/4 [cents]. Miller and Anderson the 4 lbs. loaf [at] 8 [cents]. David Bee the 4 lbs. loaf [at] 7 3/4 [cents]. George Coal the 4 lbs. loaf [at] 8 1/4 [cents]. and John A. Harper [at] 8 1/4 [cents]. Mr. Bee & Mr. Beatty's Tenders being the lowest, and both [at] 7 3/4 [cents] Mr. Bee's Tender was accepted having last served the Institution and

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given Satisfaction. For Milk. Margaret Harper at 18 [cents] per Gallon, R.E. Playter [at] 16 1/2 [cents] per Gallon, Margaret Harpers accepted on ground of Mr. Playters delivery of Milk being hitherto very irregular, and Mrs. Harpers Milk being rather superior. For soup meat. Dun & Scott at [dollars] 3.00 per 100 lbs. John McCarter [dollars] 1.95 [cents] for 100 lbs. John Wickson [dollars] 2.00 per 100 lbs. A.J. Thompson [dollars] 3.75 [cents] per 100 lbs. Mr. McCarters Tender being the lowest was accepted. Messrs. Dodgson, Shield & Co. Tender being the only one sent in for Groceries, was accepted.

884. James McKenna: 32. Canadian. ChofEngl, and boy William Henry aged 13, applied for a few days shelter, says was turned out of his lodgins [lodgings].

Tuesday, 28th Decbr. 1869.

Present, the Revd. Dr. Barclay

885. Sarah Moore: 19 Maria St. an old Case, a widow 60 years of age. respectable and deserving, without Children. To have Coal & bread.

886. Jane Kingham: No. 4 Maria St. An old widow. Recommended to have her usual allowance of Coal sent.

887. Hannah Asher: lives with Mary Addison, on west side of Spadina Avenue North of Judge Wilsons. Is very poorly in health, having but recently left the Hospital, and being unable to work. without Children at home. To have bread and Coal, also an allowance of Groceries. and

888. Mary Addison: to have bread for herself and Child.

889. Elisa Shea: 29 Stanley St. 40 years old. Husband 42, lost a Leg. unable to work. 4 Children, Mary 9 years, Honora 6, Catharine 4, and Michael 4 Months old. Irish R.C. Recommended for a weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

890. Ellen O'Brien: 23 years old, husband 24, near sighted. 2 Children, Mary 4 years, John 18 Months. One year from Ireland, Irish R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal once. No. 82 Stanley St.

891. Cecelia Edwards: 23 Queen St. East. 68 years old, Husband 78. not able to work. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

892. Mary Carroll: 84 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.

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893. Anna Mrs. Morris: 345 Yonge St. 40 years old, Husband 35 lame with hip joint disease. Labourer. Wife sick in bed. 2 years from England. Chof England. 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

894. Catharine Johnson: 186 King St. East.

895. Elisa Kelly: 186 King St. East.

Both widows. No Children. both elderly and infirm, and requiring more or less assistance in winter. Visitor recommends them for Coal and a small allowance of bread for the winter. As they occupy separate rooms, and have each their own Stove, they will of course require separate allowances of Coal, but if the allowance for each, might be a little restricted, so as to induce them to cook at the same stove. Catharine Johnson to have 4 [pounds] bread and Coal 3 times. Elisa Kelly 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

896. Mary Clark: small cottage in rear of 186 King St. East. Widow with two Children and an aged mother being with her. Case reported upon last year. a very deserving one. Recommended for Coal 3 times & bread for the winter.

897 Catharine Kearney: and "Elisa McKeown" Adress [address] sent to Visitor as 51 George St. No such persons there.

898. Jane Nicholson: 121 Queen St. East. Husband and two young Children, came out from England but a short time ago, The husband came first, in June last, got Employment and sent Money home to assist his



wife in following him, caught cold and was taken ill just after she arrived here a few weeks ago, and has not been able to work since. A Case where temporary relief would be well bestowed. more especially as the wife is just on the point of her confinement. Recommended for an allowance of bread for a Month, a little Tea & Sugar & Oatmeal. and Coal once.

899. Elizabeth Dempsey: A Paralytic. see Case 792 Made application for readmission. Admitted.

900. Susan Charbotte: Widow aged 60. Ch of England. Has a grown up girl who is delicate, cannot due [do] much. Has one boy who earns [dollars] 1.50 per week. Visitor recommends her for 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times. Lives No 4 Johnson's Lane.

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901. Julia Brown: 57 Queen St west, in the rear. A very respectable old widow lives by herself. She is in receipt of 4 lbs. bread weekly from the House. To have 900 lbs. Coal sent all at once.

902. Sarah Walker: Boultons lane, not in when visitor called. not worthy to be on the books. May have an occasional loaf if the Committee think fit.

903. William Kearny: Boultons Lane. A very old man. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.

904. Ann Boles: 201 Centre St. Coloured. 50 years of age. Methodist Church. Husband in bad health, does a little whitewashing occasionally. 4 Children, Mrs. Boles goes out to wash and scrub. very industrious. has also her Mother living with who is over 80 years of age. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, Coal 3 times and Soup.

905. Mary Kenna: rear 201 Centre St. Coloured. Not at home.

906. Mary Sergeant: next to 234 Elizabeth St. 54. Spinster. Chof Engl. Irish. crippled in her legs, but very industrious. To have 1200 lbs. Coal.

907. Elisa Jolland: rear 255 Elizabeth St. Aged 72. Widow. Ch of Engl Irish. She has been receiving 4 lbs. bread per week all the Summer. to have Coal 3 times during the winter.

908. Rebecca Broomfield: 50 Emma St. 6 Children. The husband has been away in the States earning good money but is now at home again. Methodist. English. Most of the Children are earning Money now, and visitor thinks they ought to get on without relief from the House.

909. James Harvey: Lane rear 63 Hayter St. 80 years of age. Wife 65 years, 2 Grandchildren, a girl 18 who is mostly in Service, but at present at home, and a boy 19 who is the support of the family. Respectable

people, very. Harvey worked many years for the Corporation, is now nearly blind and not able to work. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, & Coal 3 times.

910. Mary Booth: Corner of Gerrard & Emma St. 41 years of age & single, out at work when visitor called. Neighbours say she is in good health. should in Visitors opinion earn her own living.

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911. Elizabeth McKenzie: 159 Sayer St. 65 years of age. Widow. Congregationalist Native of Scotland. A very respectable woman. The Church pays her rent and she sews & knits for a living. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and 1200 [pounds] Coals, all the Coal sent at one time.

912. Jane Ames: 51 Elm St. A widow, Chof England. English. 6 Children boy 16, girl 13, girl 12, boy 10, boy 8, and girl 2 1/2 years old. The eldest boy earns [dollars] 2 1/2 & the eldest girl [dollars] 1 weekly. Mrs. Ames is a very respectable hard working woman gets 12 lbs. bread per week, is also to have Coal 3 times & Soup.

913. Michael Shannon: next 55 Edward St. Has the Palsies but can do some little work, The wife goes out washing & scrubbing. The Children are all from home now excepting the 3 youngest a girl 12, another 10, and a boy 8 years old. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times, & Soup.

914. Elizabeth McCallum. South side of Elizabeth St. Aged 22. Husband 25. both Canadians, lately from Montreal. Presbyterian Church. 2 Children A girl 8, and a boy 2 years old. McCallum is a Carpenter by trade expects work shortly. Temporary relief recommended. They live on south side of Edward St. second House from Elizabeth St.

915. Catharine McNamara: 52 Centre St. Aged 65. Irish. R.C. Church. A widow. Her Children all away from her doing nothing for her. A Grand daughter aged 6 lives with her. To have 4 lbs. bread. Coal 3 times.

916. Charlotte McCan: 22 Elizabeth St. Aged 76, Husband about the same age. A very feeble, but decent old couple. English. Husband Irish, Chof England. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times. Small allowance of groceries as Mrs. McCan is not well.

917. Mary Hutchinson: 24 Elizabeth Street. A Widow aged 30, with two young Children, a boy 7, and a boy 5. Irish. R.C. A respectable hard working woman. To have 6 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times.

918. Margaret Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. Aged 69. Married. Irish. ChofEngl. Husband laid up for a long time with a sore leg. Very decent people. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

919. Elisa Thompson: 27 Elizabeth St. The people of the House let her and her little girl stay with them on account of having Known them formerly when Mrs. Thompsons husband (who was a tailor) was alive. Scotch. Presbyterian. To come and see the Committee.

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920. Rachel Locker: 94 Albert St. upstairs. Coloured. A Widow. aged 70. Baptist. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

921. Elisa Gunson: 43 Albert St. A widow aged 73. Irish. Ch of Engl Respectable old body. Is in receipt of 4 lbs. bread per week, To have Coal 3 times during the winter.

922. Letitia Tweedy: 28 James St. west. Aged 84. Widow. Native of Scotland Methodist Church. Very respectable. To have 1200 lbs. of Coal.

923. Mary Ann Thompson: 38 James St. could not be found there, but still it might be the other James St. in St Davids ward.

924. Penelope McMillan: rear of 36 Terauly [Terauley] St. Aged 73 A Widow. Irish. Church of England. She has been in receipt of a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread all the Summer. To have Coal 3 times for the winter.

925. Elisa Wheat: 43 Albert St. up stairs. Another old Pensioner, aged 73. A Widow. Chof Engl. Irish. had 4 lbs. bread all summer, To have Coal 3 times during winter.

926. Mary Cogan: 79 Agnes St. A Widow aged 42. Irish. Chof Eng. 4 Children, a girl 12, girl 11, girl 9, and boy 6 years of age. Has a Child to nurse for which she gets [dollars] 5 a Month which helps to pay the rent. A very respectable hard working woman. To have 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

927. Grace Langley: rear 84 Agnes St. A widow on crutches. Age 56. Irish. Ch of Engl. A Pensioner of many years standing, but away for the last two years in the States with a daughter, To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

928. Hannah Ellis: 29 Maria St. No such number could not find her, Must apply again.

929. Julia Burton: rear of 34 Dummer St. A widow, Aged 50. Has 3 Children, 2 girls 18 and 14, and a boy 17. The eldest girl said by the Mother to be in a decline, but as she got under the bed and persistently refused to come out Visitor could not see her. Has use of a stove and one room from a Mrs. J. O'Brien. A wretched and dirty place, and apparently not a very agreeable family. Says she washes & scrubs for a living. Irish. R.C. Committee to decide.

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930. Margaret Wells: rear of 34 Dummer St. next door to above. Not at home when Visitor called, but an old Case, lives by begging. A Widow upwards of 60. Stays with a Mr. P. O'Brien, in a lane part of which is apparently used as a pig sty (judging at least from the grunts one hears), a filthy place from which an absolutely intolerable stench arises. Bread and soup allowed.

931. Jane Curran: 31 Vanauly [Vanauley] St. An old deserving Case, well Known to the House. Has been receiving bread all the Summer, the usual allowance of Coal recommended.

932. Margaret Gartland: rear of 17 Renfrew St. Not at home when visitor called. A widow. Has 2 Girls, 17 (usually in service), & 14 years respectively. Complains of a bad arm & leg which renders her unfit for much work. Irish. R.C. Coal and bread and soup.

933. Ellen Daley: 137 Bishop St. aged 57. Husband very infirm owing to a leg broken some years ago. 3 Children at home, a girl 15 who works in a Tobacco factory, a boy 13 now out of employment, and an adopted girl aged 6. House poor and uncomfortable. She works when she can get work. Does not bear the highest character for sobriety. Irish. R.C. Some help recommended.

934. Margaret Slattery: 36 Dummer St. Lives with a family named Kenny whose stove she is supposed to use. A widow with 2 Children, girls 10 & 3. Says she washes and scrubs for a living, but visitor has been told that she "begs and drinks" in order to sustain life. Irish. R.C. Case left to Committee.

935. Bridget Fahey: 31 Dummer St. A widow since last May. Aged 37 Has 5 Children, 3 boys 11, 6, and 4 and 2 girls 9 and 2 1/2. Apparently an industrious and respectable Charwoman. Irish. R.C. To have bread Coal &etc.

936. Ellen Riley: rear 31 Dummer St. 42 years old. Has a husband well able to work a boy 16 ditto and a girl 8. Irish. R.C. Visitor presumes the Committee will not grant relief.

937. Ann Hare: 53 Duchess St. 65 years of age. Widow. R.C. Irish. An old pensioner. The Visitor has not visited this year. but the Case being so well Known at the House the Committee granted the usual relief. 4 lbs. Bread per week & Coal 3 times.

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Friday, 31st December 1869.

Present. Revd. Dr. Barclay and J. Shea Esqr.

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938. Mary Nolan: 28 Dummer St aged 69 Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Widow. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

939. Mary Joslin: 483 King St. East. A Widow with 2 Children. The Visitor recommends that last years allowance of bread (6 lbs.) be granted for present season, also Coal twice.

940. Ann Cook: 73 Stanley St. Not living there.

941. Mary Kelly: 31 Stanley St. 35 years old. Husband 40. 6 Children, Timothy 12. Maria 11. Daniel 8. Jane 6. John 4. Ellen 2. Kelly works on the railroad, gives the wife nothing. Irish. R.C. Recommended 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

942. Mary Coulter: 80 Stanley St. 66 years old, Husband 70. Not able to work. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

943. Mary Spence: 82 Stanley St. 60 years of age. Lives by scrubbing & washing. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. Bread and Coal 3 times.

944. Margaret Burns: 81 Stanley St. 68 years of age. Husband 70. Not able to work. 4 lbs. bread and coal 3 times.

945. Mary Carroll: rear 77 Stanley St. 45 years. A Widow, sells fish 2 Children, Michael 8, John 6, pays [dollars] 1.50 per Month rent. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

946. Ann Moons: 97 Richmond St. East. 67 years of age. Not able to work. Ch of England. English. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

947. Catharine White: rear 22 Queen St. East. Not living there.

948. Mary O'Brien: rear 89 Ann Street, 55 years of age. Earns a living by scrubbing and washing. 2 Children, John 12, Susan 10. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

949. Catharine McCran: 48 Bond Street, 48 years old, afflicted with Palsy. not able to work. pays a [dollars] 1.00 rent per Month. 4 lbs. bread per week, Coal 3 times, and a ration of Groceries.

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950. Margaret Quigley: 121 Adelaide St. west in the rear. Widow, Aged 46. Chof Engl. has 2 boys aged 8, and 10, respectively. She appears to be a worthy person. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times during the season.

951. Maria Pierpoint: 136 Richmond St. west, in the rear. Widow aged 56, Ch of England. She appears to be worthy of assistance. She has one boy at home, but only applies for herself. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

952. Maria Ray: 136 Richmond St west in the rear. A young Widow. 2 Children, but has put them into the Girls Home. says her health is not good, and cannot be good so long as she lives in that wretched place she is in. Visitor advised her to go to service, perhaps it would be as well to relieve her for one Month & see how she gets on.

953. Elisa Donaldson: rear 136 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 38. Methodist, 3 Children, Girl 14, girl 10, and boy 6. she is a hearty person and Visitor thinks a good worker, but hard for widows with children to be without assistance in winter, would therefore recommend 6 lbs. bread per week, and coal 3 times.

954. Elizabeth Burns: 46 King St. west in the Gate way, up stairs. Aged 70. Irish. R.C She is in receipt of 4 lbs. bread per week. To have Coal 3 times.

955. Mary Daley: 17 Emily St. Married, aged 35. Husband not in, Visitor was told he gathers rags, Has 5 Children, two of them at service. It's an awful place for any human being to live in. No fire, No seat, except an old Box tied with a rope to keep it together, the bed a lot of dirty old rags lying in one corner. Visitor reported the Case, wont say a word for or against them, does not Know them. Committee to judge the case.

956. Thomas Johnson: 30 Boulton St. widower. A poor unfortunate weak minded Man, was respectable, and among the Police force in Ireland once, 5 Children, all but two can do for themselves. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

957. Mary McCan: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow. Irish. R.C. Mrs. McCan is an old pensioner aged 70. She may as well remain on the List for life, had bread during the Summer. Coal only twice, as she gets bread from St. Vincent De Paul Society. A decent old woman.

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958. Rose Tracey: See Case 666, 125 Tecumseth St. They are in receipt of Bread, recommended for Coal also.

959. Mary Tracey: Corner of Richmond and Bathurst St. rents a room in Corcorans house. Widow. 2 Children whose board is provided for. Recommended for bread.

960. Ellen Cairns: Tecumseth St. second door from Lucan St. 54. Widow Chof England. Irish 3 Children, girl 12, boy 9, and boy 3 years of age. To have 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times.

961. Catharine Corcoran: Corner of Richmond and Bathurst St. Aged 42, Husband 70. Irish R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times.

962. Ellen Larkin: 319 Queen St. East. Not a Case which ought to be relieved from the House.

963. Catharine Edwards: 319 Queen St. west [East]. A Widow with two Children the eldest an idiot girl. Mrs. Edwards occupies a wretched den half below ground in Mrs. Larkins house, more fit for a pig than a human being to live in. She is lying very ill with asthma and Bronchitis. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for the winter.

964. Catharine Keating: 319 Queen St. East. An old case. She and her husband are living in another part of the same hovel as Mrs. Edwards, the only entrance is through a window, there being no door to the apartment! They are a miserable old Couple, but they will starve, if they do not have a little coal and bread allowed them as in past winters.

965. Mary Ann Fraser: Corner of Queen & Pine St. Case has been reported upon in former years, her Grandmother is now an Inmate in House of Industry. So far as Visitor has been able to judge, considers Mrs. Fraser and exceedingly industrious deserving person. She only asks for Coal, and hopes after this winter to be able to do without. Coal to be allowed 3 times.

966. Ann O'Neill: 326 Queen St. East, Widow. 2 Children. A very hard working industrious woman works in the Tobacco factory. asks for Coal only. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

967. Elisa Lindsay: 85 George St. Visitor could not find her.

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968. Margaret Gale: 115 Nelson St. widow, no Children. An Elderly woman, past much work of any kind. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice. should the weather become very cold and severe later in the season. she might have it once more.

969. Catharine Kearney: )

970. Elisa McKean: ) 81 George St. Both widows. No Children. Mrs. Kearney reported on in former years. Both go about peddling Fish &etc. in Summer. Mrs. Kearney has been laid up by a severe cold for some weeks. Recommended to be allowed Coal twice. and should we have much cold weather later in the season let them apply again. They might have bread if they apply for it. a small allowance for 6 weeks.

971. Johanna Conners: 12 Duchess St. A widow with one Child. Case reported upon last year, nothing new to add this year. Recommended for Coal only twice.

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972. Mary Wyems [Wymes]: rear of 26 James St. East, or rather in a lane running between James & Beech St. Cottage in a hollow, pretty hard to get at! Mrs. Wyems' Case has been reported upon, and she has been relieved for several successive Winters the only new feature is, that she has now a daughter, (whose husband has deserted her and her infant), upon her hands. Visitor recommends her for Coal only 3 times.

973. Johanna Shea: living in the back part of the same house as the above. Another old Case. a single woman, but a cripple having lost the use of one leg. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

974. Mary Foster: 94 Duchess St. A very worthy decent old body. whom Visitor has had great satisfaction in recommending for assistance for many winters past. Coal 3 times.

975. Mary O'Neill. Lane in rear of soap factory George St. Widow, 3 young Children. goes out to scrub and wash. a hard working woman. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for a Month or six weeks.

976. Mary Rogers: 115 Nelson St. upstairs. An old pensioner. Widow woman. Sells newspapers, so does. her only child a little boy. deserves assistance. Coal 3 times.

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977. Ellen McDonell: 146 Pine St. widow. 9 Children but 3 eldest doing for themselves. Mrs. McDonell appears to be an industrious and respectable woman and does her best to support her large family. Her eldest boy and girl help her a little with her rent. Visitor recommends her for Coal 3 times, and bread for a Month if she applies for it.

978. Mary Booth: in Case 910. Dr. examined her, and says she is rather weak, and has a bad leg which unfits her for hard work, although she might do light work which does not require her to stand too long at a time.

979. Archibald Bannentine: Aged 46. Scotch. Presbyterian. 2 years in Canada, from Hamilton, trying to get into General Hospital, sore Eyes. seeks shelter for a few days.

980. Ann Robinson: 34. Irish. R.C. widow. Out of Employment at present seeks shelter for a few days.

981. John Clark: 43. English. Chof Engl. 13 years in Canada, weak Eyes, came from St. Catharines, says suffers from Rheumatism. Has no Money, and no where to stay, slept in Police station last night

982. George Miller: 19 years of age. English. Chof Engl. came to this Country last June, is a Clerk and Book keeper, was employed for 3 Months doing some writing for a Mr. Charlsworth who has now gone to the states [States]. Miller is now without means, no Money to pay his board. came for shelter here. Seems very respectable.

983. James Coleman: in Case 675, says, he cannot get any employment and is not in very good health. Seeks admission.

984. James Blakey: in Case 639 in 1868 left the premises on his own accord.

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Revd. E. Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr.

1. Margaret Bray: behind 9 Renfrew St. Not in where visitor called. Another women who lives with her, and pays half the rent, says she is a widow and works out when she can get Employment. No children except for a little girl a grand child whom his mother supports. Irish R.C. 4 lbs. of bread per week and coal.

2. Mary Stuart & )

3. Mary Nolan ): 28 Dummer Street. Still live together as last year, and apparently no change in their condition. To have bread 4 lbs. per week & coal alternatively.

4. Margaret Lennon: 66 Bishop St.: A widow aged 61. lives with a family named Gailey whose stove she has the use of. Lives by alms, a number of Ladies [etc.] being very kind to her. Not able to work. Irish. ChofEngl. No children. To have bread and Coal.

5. Mary Livingston: rear of 15 Maria St. Lives upstairs with a friend in a Miserable Garrett. Not at home when visitor called, but well known to him. Lives chiefly by begging. Irish. Bread & soup recommended.

6. Bridget Gettings: rear of 26 Andersons Lane. A Widow aged 32. with 4 boys 13, 11, 10 & 5. Has been sick for past 10 Months and is supported as far as possible by her Children. The house is a miserable excuse for a tenement, dirty and uncomfortable. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread.

7. Margaret Adams: 37 Agnes St West. A helpless woman well known to the Institution. One son, a worthy lad, lives with her but being a great deal out of employ can't do very much for her. The usual aid recommended.

8. Amelia Partridge: Borden St. north of College St. A sad case of Helplessness, being badly treated by her husband. 3 Children at home. Bread and Coal recommended.

9. Mary Green: behind 39 Maria St. West: A Widow aged 45. Has one Girl 12 years old. washes for a living when able, but has been ill all summer, the effect of a heavy beating received while trying to separate Man

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and wife who were fighting. Irish. R.C. To have bread and Coal.

10. Elizabeth Sibbett: 3 Renfrew St. An old Case much the same as last year, only wants Coal as is recommended.

11. Harriett Sullivan: 35 Elizabeth Street. Denisons Avenue. A Widow 35. three Girls, 11, 9 & 4, two boys 8 & 6. washes & scrubs for a living. apparently industrious but the house is very dirty and uncomfortable. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal allowed.

12. Mary Gormley: rear 228 Queen St. West. upstairs. A Widow aged 50. Has 3 Children, 2 boys 14, & 11, and a girl 19 who is sickly for 3 years past. The boys work in a Tobacco factory. She Knits for a living, unable to do much work as her hand has been weakened by Rheumatism. Irish. Chof Engl. To have bread and Coal.

13. Mary Pollard: 5 Renfrew St. A Widow aged 50. Has 3 Children with her, two grandchildren viz. a boy aged 4 & a girl 2. and an orphan girl 11. Works out occasionally. Irish. Methodist. Coal & bread.

14. Mary Jane Campbell: 194 Queen St. West. Has a couple of rooms up stairs. A widow aged 38. Has 3 children, 2 girls 14 & 11 and a boy 9. The eldest works at book folding & helps the Mother a little. Knits & sews for a living, being too delicate to do hard work. Irish. Methodist. To have Coal & bread.

15. Martha Carr: 32 Boulton Street. an old pensioner, receives bread. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

16. Alice O'Hara: 51 Boulton St. Widow aged 30. Says she buried her two husband's, has 3 Children at home, girl 12, boy 7, and baby 4 months, A young healthy women. Visitor cannot believe what she says, in some of those dens two or three of these abominable women will be talking all at once, can't well find out who is the applicant. Visitor recommends Coal, and 6 lbs. of bread for one month. The case is well known to the Committee by the name of Turner that they refuse any relief whatever.

17. Leonard Wilcox: 132 Richmond St West. A well known old Settler, aged 82. Wife 78. Both past work of any kind. Recommended to the consideration of the Committee. To have Coal 3 times and 6 lbs. of bread per week.

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18. Ann Montgomery: 160 Bishop St. widow age 42. with five Children. Boy 16 who is just out of place. girl 12, boy 10, girl 6 & girl 3. A very Industrious and deserving woman who has to struggle hard to bring up her children aright. A Charwoman. Canadian. Ch of Engl. Recommended for Coal. Committee also allowed 8 lbs. bread weekly.
19. Mary McCarthy: 42 Stanley St. 50 years old. Widow. one child aged 9 yr. Earns a little by scrubbing and washing. Pays [dollars] 2 per Month rent. Irish. R.C. Coal 3 times, and 4 lbs. bread per week.
20. Ann Morris: 48 Bond St. 60 years old. Widow. Lives by scrubbing & washing. pays [dollars] 1.50 per Month rent. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice
21. Catherine White: rear 23 Queen St East. Aged 64. A Widow. Scrubs and washes. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.
22. Mary McClinchy: 46 James Street East. Widow with 3 young children Visitor recommends her for coal once. bread for week and will again report on this case
23. Richard Warwick: 105 Sumach St. This case will be found reported upon for the last two or three winters. nothing new to add, except that Warwick is becoming very much more infirm, and consequently less able to contribute to the support of his family. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for six weeks.
24. Margaret Sullivan: 10 Duchess St. Not at house when visitor called.
25. Elisa Death: 92 George Street. Not in when Visitor called, but her case has been reported upon before. She is a widow. No children, hard working and industrious. She and another widow, an elderly women, are living in the same house, and as they are both almost equally in need of assistance, Visitor advised them using the same stove to cook by, and on that account allow them a liberal share of Coal 3 times.
26. Jane Burgoyne: 23 Regent St. A Widow. an elderly women in great poverty. Her only daughter who was her chief stay and support, lately became insane, and is now in confinement. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for the season. 4 lbs. bread per week.

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27. Margaret Hartree: 71 Pine St. Widow, one child a boy 12 years old at home. 2 Children in the House of Providence. Mrs.Hartree has been left in a very destitute circumstances since the death of her husband, (who was lying hopelessly ill when visitor reported upon the Case last year) and would therefore recommend her now for Coal 3 times. to be shared with another widow Mrs. Gallagher who occupies part of the same house. Each to have 4 lbs. bread per week.

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28. Elisa Lindsay: said to be at 86 George St. Visitor tried again and could not find either the number or the person!

29. Ann Rawlinson: McMahon St. north of Carlton St. nearly opposite Mr. Richardson the Florist. Husband formerly a jobbing gardiner [gardener]. had nearly lost the use of this Eyesight, and the Doctors here having giving [given] up his case, he has gone home to England in the hope that the change of air and medical treatment there may perhaps restore him. There are 3 young children to support, and Mrs. Rawlinson cannot get them through the winter without assistance. Visitor recommends Coal 3 times and a little bread for six weeks.

30. Elisa Goodwin: near the Corner of Queen and River Streets. Widow 5 Children. a very industrious deserving women, case reported upon last winter. when she lived at the lower end of King Street. She stands much in need of assistance at this season of the year, and visitor would gladly recommend her for Coal 3 times and bread 6 weeks.

31. Mary McDonnell: 88 George St. Visitor called there again and saw McDonnell himself. a family of 9 young Children! from 12 years old down to an infant in the arms! The husband works on the wharves during the Summer, and picks up a job at the wood yards' occasionally during the winter. He has been out of Employment for some time past, and with his large family, it is pretty difficult to get an even with steady work. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread if they ask for it for a Month. To have 8 lbs. bread per week.

32. Mary Ann Tracey: 92 George St. Husband wife and two Children. Husband has been out of Employment for many weeks. They appear to be very respectable decent people. Have not been very long in this place came out last Autumn. They ask for Coal as fuel is the thing they stand in need of most. of course their Case is not like the McDonnells with their immense family, but if the man really cannot get work, he cannot support his family. To be allowed Coal once.

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33. George Miller: in Case 982 in 1869. To be admitted until he can procure employment

34. James Coleman: in Case 983 in 1869. To be admitted for a time.

35. James McKenna: in Case 884 in 1869. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission into House of Industry. Committee considered McKenna to be more a Case for the General Hospital. Revd. Mr. Baldwin wrote a note for the man to take for the Mayor, to see whether he cannot be sent to the Hospital.

36. Jane Crawford: 479 Richmond St. west. Aged 59. Married. Ch of Engl. from Ireland. Husband paralised. one daughter 18 in Service. Recommended for Coal and bread.

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37. Louisa Miller: rear of 479 Richmond St. west. 55. A Widow. R.C. French Canadian. Recommended Coal and bread. Committee will allow Coal once, but no bread.

38. Louise Sutton: rear of 479 Richmond St. west. 32. French. Married 4 Children. Husband has been a Soldier. some of the Children able to work so are the parents apparently. Visitor recommends Coal. Committee think it wrong to give to people that are able to earn their living.

39. Ellen Cole: 24 Married. 2 Children, one a year and 9 months, the other 3 weeks old. They are not long in Toronto, came from Chicago. The husband is now in Scarborough at work, sent her [dollars] 1 on New years day. Mrs. Cole is ill in bed. very badly off. Canadians. R.C. Church To have Coal once. Tea, Sugar & etc. and a little bread.

40. Ann French: 195 Centre St (Husband a Coloured Man), Aged 33. 5 Children, girl 12, girl 10, boy 8, girl 6 and boy 6 weeks old. Methodist. Allowed Soup every day.

41. Mary Graham: 217 Centre St. Aged 25. Husband 23. one Child a boy 4 Months old. Irish. Church of England. Came out 4 Months ago Husband is a grocer, cannot get Employment. To have half price tickets.

42. Julia Malone: 255 Elizabeth St. Widow. 3 Children. boy 15 ill boy 13 works in a rag shop, earns 9 shillings a day, and a boy 10. To have Coal. Irish. R.C.

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43. Bridget Efferson: 53 Elm Street. Widow. R.C. Irish. An old decent Body who has been an out door pensioner for a number of years To have Coal 3 times, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

44. Jane Sinclair: 88 Edward St. A Widow with 6 Children. Girl 12 works at bookfolding earns a [dollars] 1 per week, boy 10 runs messages gets [dollars] 2 a Month, boy 8 in "Boys Home", boy 5, girl 3 and baby 4 Months. Receives 10 lbs. bread. To have Coal. Scotch. Methodist Church.

45. Margaret Walsh: 37 James St. west. Widow aged 53. Irish. R.C. 2 Children, boy 10 and boy 12. work in a Tobacco factory, the eldest is delicate. 14 years in Toronto, first application. To have Coal 3 times.

46. Mary Ann Whealan: 13 Albert Street. Widow. Irish. R.C.Church. To have Coal 3 times.

47. Melinda Smith: rear 68 Sayer St. An old Widow aged 80. Coloured. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal 3 times

48. Phoebe Gray: rear 102 Sayer St. Aged 66. Widow. English. Methodist. To have Coal 3 times, and 4 lbs. bread per week

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49. Louisa Cornish: 13 Emily St. A widow aged 42. 3 Children girl 14, girl 12 and boy 7. R.C. The ages of this family would seem as if they ought to support themselves, the eldest is kept at home to help her mother who washes but is not very strong, is rather broken down by bereavement and sorrow. has buried her husband and eight Children, is the mother of eleven, about a year since she lost a son of about 20 years of age, who was very kind to her. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

50. Rebecca Fitzsimmons: Front St next Newbiggin House. The visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

51. Catherine Foley: 84 Stanley St. 44 years old. Widow with 3 Children Catharine 14, Mary 10, James 8, Lives by sewing. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread per week Coal 3 times.

52. Johanna Riley: 84 Stanley St. 30 years old. Widow with 2 Children. Philip 11, John 5. Scrubs for a living. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

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53. Mary Carroll: 84 Stanley St. 40 years old. sells fish. 2lbs. bread and Coal twice. To have 4 lbs. per week and Coal 3 times.

54. Catherine White: Not worthy. was drunk in bed when visitor called.

55. Isabella Reid: 40 Stanley St. 55 years old. widow. had her feet frozen last winter. Lives by knitting. 4 lbs. bread, Coals twice. English. Ch of Engl.

56. Bridget Latham: 18 Stanley St. 48 years old. Widow. 2 Children. John 9. Catherine 6. Lives by washing. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

57. Ellen Armstrong: 70 Queen St. 60 years old. Widow, not able to work sews a little. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

58. Elizabeth Donohoe: rear 23 Queen St. East. 46 years of age. A Widow with 3 Children, Joseph 11, John 9. Edward 6. Not able to work. paralyzed one hand. 6 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times. R.C. Irish.

59. Catherine Eagan: 97 Richmond St. East. 69 years of age. Widow not able to work. Living in a small room by herself. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times. Irish. R.C.

60. Margaret Carroll: 112 Nelson St. Not living there.

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61. Ann Carr: 330 Church St. 45 years old. A widow not able to work has only one leg. Knits a little. R.C. Irish. To have Coal 3 times.
62. Amelia Delaney: rear 109 Richmond St. East. 64? years old Widow not able to make a living. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice. ChofEngl
63. Margaret Sullivan: 10 Duchess St. Widow no Children. getting old and infirm. Earns her livelihood by peddling Apples [etc.] one of those Cases which no [now] become "Chronic" Every Winter. and no help for it that visitor can see. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread for six weeks.
64. Margaret Martin: 79 Pine St. Widow, one daughter. Case reported on for the last two winters. No new feature, except that the old body is getting older. Recommended for Coal 3 times.
65. Archibald Bannentine: is Case 979 in 1869, To be admitted for a short time, until his Eyes are somewhat better.

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66. Mary Stock: 71 Pine St. 3 doors from North Park Street. Husband and wife and 4 children. came out in [Her Majesty's Ship] the "Simoom" last summer. Husband very sickly, and wife not much better. husband has not been able to work regularly at his trade in consequences of sickness and they are now in great distress. Visitor would recommend them for Coal twice and bread for a Month. Case to be referred again if further assistance is required.
67. Hannah Berningham: 15 Sydenham St. Widow, 3 Children goes out to work but has not had enough to do to keep herself and family at this season of the year. A necessitous Case. Recommended for Coal twice bread for 6 weeks.
68. Ellen Marshall: 10 Duchess St. Widow. no Children. old and asthmatic. Has been receiving bread already. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for the winter.
69. Elisa Lindsay: 85 George St. Her husband went off some time ago in a drunken spree to Barrie. She has heard from him since, that he is ill, but could obtain work if he was well. She seems to have some idea of going to him there. She is lame quite a cripple on her feet, and is also near her confinement. Visitor would allow an allowance of bread for the present. she has a little wood just now which will last her until next week. when she might have Coal once and then refer the Case again if she applies for further assistance.
70. Isabelle Buttick: 74 Duchess St. one of a row of Cottages back from the Street. Husband wife and 3 young Children at home, two others in the Boys Home. Husband a Draughtsman but in bad health. came out from England a little more than twelve months ago. Has been copying plans at Gunday and Langley.

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and was making a tracing for another person to day. very poverty stricken. Recommended for Coal once and the Case to be referred again to Visitor.

71. William Turner: 471 Parliament St. An old pensioner. Case reported upon several winters past. Nothing new to add. Recommended Bread for 6 weeks and Coal 3 times. Turner received 4 lbs. bread per week all the Summer. The Committee will allow 6 lbs. during the winter months.

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72. Catharine Stuart: 92 George St. She is the same person visitor reported in his last report as living with Mrs. Death (see Case 25) Recommended for Coal.

73. Mary Ann Tracey: also reported upon before. See Case 32.

74. Cecilia Conway: 75 Caroline St. A Case reported upon for many winters past. She seldom applies for relief until late in the season, and she becomes pinched for fuel. Recommended for Coal twice.

75. John Eaton: 85 North Park St. a very old man and his wife. quite past work. Recommended for Coal 3 times, bread for Six weeks. They have one daughter who maintains herself and helps her parents a little.

76. Phoebe Buckner: rear of 47 Sumach St. Husband, wife and 3 young Children, Emigrants last Summer from England. Husband a labouring Man. out of Employment and has been for some time. Recommended for Coal once. bread for a Month. If further assistance required must be referred again.

77. William Laurie: an old vagrant, who was in Gaol for last six Months and now sent here by Police Magistrate as a fit subject for House of Industry. Admitted.

78. Mary Smith: Aged 35. Irish. R.C. says that she came to this Country 15 Months since to join her husband who had come out before her. but on arriving in Toronto, she heard from a Brother that her husband had died in Detroit. She has one child a boy a year & 6 Months old. Seeks admission. Admitted for a time on condition that she make herself useful.

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79. Mary Bray: 18 Stanley St. 33 years old. Not married. Lost the use of one hand. Scrubs and washes a little, Irish. R.C. To have 2 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

80. Alice Long: Elisa not Alice. Corner of George & Gerrard St. 40 years old Widow with 3 Children, William 11, James 9, Mary 8. Scrubs and washes. lives in a cold shed. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

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81. Catherine Thompson: 112 Nelson St. Visitor called but did not see her.

82. Ann Scanlan: Corner of Ann and Mutual St. No. 100. Aged 55. widow lives by scrubbing and washing, not able to work. Irish. Chof Engl. To have 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

83. Ellen Purtell: 25 Ann St. 81 years of age. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread and soup.

84. Margaret Brennan: 89 Ann St. 60 years old. not able to work. goes round begging. 4 lbs. bread, Coals twice.

85. Ann Kemp: rear 83 Stanley St. 36 years of age. Husband gone to the States. sells fish. 2 children, Mary 12, Bridget 9. R.C. Ireland. 6 lbs. bread Coal 3 times.

86. Dennis O'Brien: 72 Stanley St. 55 years old. wife dead. 5 Children, Honora 13, Mary 11, Margaret 9, Catherine 7, James 6. Shoemaker by trade. Irish. R.C. 8 lbs. bread per week & Coal 3 times.

87. Bridget Hart: 40 Stanley St. Aged 45. Husband 60. 5 Children Thomas 14 earns [dollars] 1.50 per week. John 13 earns [dollars] 1 per week, Henry 9, Joseph 8, Elizabeth 9 Months old. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread, Coal twice

88. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St East. Aged 36. Husband left her 5 years ago. 5 Children, Mary 11, James 12, Catherine 10, Annie 7 years, Thomas 4 years. Irish R.C. 8 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

89. Susan Pringle: 74 Richmond St. East. 32 years old. Widow 2 Children. Harriett 4, Ann 2 years. Lives by sewing. To have 6 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

90. Mary Kearney: 88 Mutual St. 51 years old, widow. one boy aged 11, Lives by scrubbing and washing. R.C. Irish. 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

91. Elizabeth Hocker: 132 Richmond St. A widow aged 45. English. Chof Engl. Has one son aged 16 who drives a bread Cart, and gets [dollars] 9 a Month and his board. Visitor would not recommend anything to his person, but being a stranger not long in this Country she might be allowed Coal twice, but no bread.

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92. Sarah Turner: 13 Emily St. Married, aged 33. Husband 33 and one Child. Husband and wife stout and hearty in the prime of life Visitor cannot recommend the Case, to share of the charity which is given to the aged and the helpless.

93. Margaret Mitchell. foot of Simcoe St. rear of Gills Hotel. Visitor could find no such person there.

94. Mary Ann Henderson: 75 Queen Street west. visitor did not see her but the woman who owns the House said that Mrs. Henderson is a widow aged 61. Presbyterian Church. Irish and worthy of being assisted. The visitor saw Mrs. Henderson afterwards at the House of Industry and felt satisfied to recommend her for Coal twice and 4 lbs. bread.

95. William Moore: in rear of the North East Corner of Front & Simcoe Streets. Aged 56. Wife 51. Husband English, wife Irish. Chof Engl. Old Pensioners. To have 6 lbs. bread and Coal

96. Margaret Kennedy: 56 Dummer St. A widow aged 68. No Children. begs for a living, being unable to work. Lives with Ann Goldring. Irish Roman Catholic. To have bread and soup, and a Months coal.

97. Ann Goldring: 56 Dummer St. Husband away last 3 Months with his friends being in bad health. In great distress. aged 32. Has 5 girls 12, 11, twins 8 and one 13 Months. Eldest girl gathers broken meat for the family. Mother works when she can get Employment. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread.

98. Ann Donnelly: )

99. Ann Donnelly: )rear 25 Walton St off Bishop St There are two sisters in Law of this name. One with two Children dissipated, whom Visitor cannot recommend. the other with 5 Children whom he does recommend for the usual help. The latter was out when visitor called, but left word with Mary Sullivan next door for her to come to the House. Irish. Roman Catholic.

100. Mary Sullivan: rear 25 Walton Street off Bishop St. A Widow aged 40. Has 7 Children, and lives in a miserably cold House. girl 11, boy 10, boy 9, boy 8, girl 6, girl 4. girl 3. washes [etc.] for a living. but work scarce as compared with Summer. Irish. R. Catholic. To have Coal and bread.

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101. Margaret Wheeler: 29 Drummer St. A Widow aged 30. Has 2 Children boy 6, girl 10. washes and scrubs for a living, but usual cry now of slack times. Irish. R.C. Will do with Coal. Bridget.

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102. Fanny White: rear of 80 Dummer St. Husband out of work & says she does not know where he is. 5 Children, 2 boys, 12 & 10, 3 girls 10, 8 and 6. Can't get work, else would be willing to do it, very poor apparently. Irish. R.C. To have Coal and bread.

103. William Merritt: Borden St. off College St. very infirm and unable to work for his living. wife nearly blind, unable to leave the House on account of infirmity. both upwards of 60. To have Coal sent.

104. Ann Heenan: 80 Dummer St. a Widow 52 years of age. Lives with her Sister a Mrs. Johnston. works in Summer but not able to do much. Irish. R.C.

105. Bridget Lyon: same house as above. A widow living with Mrs. Johnstone above, two Children, boy 6, girl 9. works out for a living. Irish. R.C. apparently respectable. These two women have the use of J's stove. To have Coal alternatively & bread.

106. Isabella Carr: shifted from 15 Maria St.

107. Mary Grace: 6 Dummer St. Not at home when visitor called. Husband away for 5 years, about 60. Has a room from a family called Collins. Picks rags for a living earning a shilling a day. No stove of her room. No Children. Irish. R.C. Catholic Left to Committee.

108. Ellen Clune: 62 Andersons Lane. Not at home when Visitor called. 4 Children, girl 15, working at Jacques & Haye's, 3 boys 9, 7 and 3. Irish. R.C. Left to Committee

109. Elisa Saunders: Husband in bad health & only wants temporary relief. Six Children. Eldest girl 16 now out of work. Case as reported last year except a new baby. English, Chof England. Coal bread [etc.] allowed.

110. Widow Irwin: and McKenzie Bishop St may have aid where [were] out when visitor called.

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111. Mary Flinn: 325 Queen St East. Widow, a very decent old woman. goes washing when she can get it to do. Requires a little assistance during cold weather. Recommended for Coal twice, and a little bread.

112. Mary Connell: 102 George St. Husband and wife both old and infirm. The husband almost a cripple with Rheumatism. cannot walk without assistance. wife sells fish in Summer. Really a Case of distress. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

113. Bridget Burns: 75 Caroline St. Mrs. Burns was not in when Visitor called, but she has been so often reported upon, and the Case is Known so thoroughly, that she is recommended for Coal twice, she seldom manages to get through the Winter without some help, although she has been later asking for it this year.

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114. Bridget Eagan: Rear 53 1/2 Duchess Street. through Mrs. Eagans stupidity in giving Visitor the wrong Number he failed to find her out, and when at last he (Visitor) discovered where she lived she was not in. From all the particulars however which could be learned, believes she deserves assistance. She is a widow with four Children. Recommended for Coal twice, and Bread for a Month of six weeks.

115. Jane Black: 121 Berkely St. Husband now in Gaol a worthless mad fellow. Mrs. Black a decent hard working woman. Recommended for Coal 3 times. To be sent all at once.

116. James Blakely: in case 984 in 1869, brought a note from Mr. W.J MacDonell recommending his readmission. Admitted.

117. Mary Jane Barrett: Aged 28. Irish, R.C. partially paralyzed, was sent by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate for admission if such a Case can be admitted. She has been for the last 6 Months in Gaol and just came out from there. See Case 682 in 1867. Admitted for a time in Building for casual poor.

118. Mary Cavanaugh: aged 30, Widow. Irish. R.C. Church. 3 Children 2 in the House of Providence and one with a sister. The husband was recently killed by a coloured Man on Centre St. She is daughter to Michael Furlong who is an Inmate in the House. Mrs. Cavanaugh seeks admission for a few weeks until her Eyes which are both blackened (by cutting a stick of wood she says), are somewhat better. Allowed to remain in Building for casual poor.

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119. Jane Heeney: 20 Christopher St. Widow. Irish. Chof England. 3 Children, girl 11, boy 8 and boy 5 years of age. An industrious Charwoman. She was out when Visitor called. but the case is well Known at the House as deserving

120. Ann Davis: Widow. Coloured. rear 150 Centre St. Aged say 40. an old Case, to have Coal, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

121. Jane Adams: 101 Edward St. Aged 50. Married. Irish. Chof Engl. 10 Children, boy 22, girl 20, boy 18, girl 16, away from home. Boy 14, in a bookstore earns [dollars] 1.50 a week, Girl 12 gone to place at [dollars] 3 a Month. boy 9, girl 7, girl 6, and boy 4 at home. Husband a Bootcloser but can't get work enough in Toronto since May last, from Quebec.

122. Emma Munroe: 102 Agnes Street. Husband died on the 7th of this Month. Irish. Presbyterian. 6 Children. Girl 14, cripples in the back, girl 13, girl 8 lame on one foot, boy 6, and two little girls (twins) 2 Months old. 2 years in Toronto. They get some assistance from the Church. Recommended to have 600 lbs. Coal per Month, 12 lbs. bread per week and a double allowance of groceries.

123. Resden Bacon: 99 Sayer St. Aged 60. Blind. Coloured. Wife 39. 4 Children, boy 18, learning to be a barber, gets no pay, girl 13 at Service for her board and clothing, girl 8 and girl 6. Coal 3 times & 6 lbs. bread.

124. Ann Hawthorn: 99 Sayer St. Widow. English. Chof Engl. 3 Children girl 10, boy 8 and boy 5. Has been laid up for some time with intermitting fever. Mrs. Hawthorn washes and scrubs for a living when she is well. Recommended for Coal and 8 lbs. bread per week.

125. Mary Read: 52 Centre St. Aged 35. Irish. R.C. Church. Husband Children Chof Engl. Brought up in Canada. 6 Children, girl 13, girl 11, girl 9, boy 7, girl 5 and boy 3 years of age. Mrs. Read suffers from ague. Husband works as a brickmaker in Summer, is now sawing wood when he can get it to do. To see Committee.

126. Catherine Mees: 44 Centre St. 32 years of age. Married. Irish. R.C. 3 Children, girl 12 badly burnt about the hands face & chest her clothes having caught fire by getting to [too] near the stove, the Mother is also badly burnt about the hands in trying to save her child. a girl 10, and a girl 14 Months. Husband is a Maltsler works in Aldwell's Brewery. Mr. Hobson will make enquiries at Mr. Aldwell regarding Mees.

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127. Mary Lewis: 57 Elizabeth St. Aged 45. Husband a Sailor aged 40 English. ChofEngl. says her husband did not earn much last summer, was Kept out of his money. No encumbrance. Visitor thinks that such people ought to provide for themselves.

128. Fredericka Cline: rear 44 Elizabeth St. Widow aged 48. German Lutheran Church. Husband was Killed 2 years since on the Railroad Track The children are all away from Home now, boy 13 lives out, and girl 11 stays with a married sister. To have Coal.

129. Jemima Wood: 18 Elizabeth St. Aged 29. Husband in the Provincial Lunatic Asylum for the last two years. Canadian. Methodist. 3 Children boys 10, 6 and 4. Mrs. Wood tries to earn a living by going out to wash & scrub. Coal 3 times, bread 6 lbs. per week and a grate.

130. Ann Ballard: rear 44 Louisa St. Aged 31. Canadian. Chof Engl. Husband partially paralyzed, can work but little. 2 Children, boy 12 boy 8. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

131. Catharine Potts: rear of 44 Louisa St. English. Chof Engl. Aged 33 She, and her husband who is partially blind are carving a living by gathering rags. They are to have 600 lbs. Coal for the winter.



132. Norman McQueen: aged 18. says he is a Native of Kingston, Canada has been wandering about looking for employment, came last from Hamilton and got one of his toes frostbitten coming down. Presbyt. Church seeks shelter for a few days, until his toe gets better.

133. Mary Houston: Aged 40. used formerly live in Toronto, but went to Hamilton where she lived for two years, and lost her husband She came back to Toronto to day with her Chattels and two Children (Mary Ann 13, and John aged 5 years) to take up her abode again in Toronto where she expected to get work enough to support herself and Children, as she is well Known among the Ladies. Seeks shelter for a few days until she can get a room. English. Chof England.

134. Martha Tredo: Aged 46, Husband 41. 4 Children, boy 13. girl 5, boy 4 and a girl 2 Months old. French Canadians, came from Quebec last Octbre. and lodged in the building for casual poor for some weeks, until he obtained Employment, when they took a room at No. 22 Elizabeth St- The husband is now ill, not able to work, the wife not much better. Miserably poor. R.C. Church. To have Coal and 10 lbs. bread per week.

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135. Mary Armstrong: 100 Portland St. Widow. Irish. Chof England. Lives with her daughter Mrs. Thompson whose husband is a tailor, but being a slow workman gets but little and occasional employment Both Mrs. Armstrong and her daughter are now ill and unable to go to the House to make personal applications for assistance. Mrs. T is on the eve of her confinement, and without help will fare but badly. Recommended for Coal.

136. Elizabeth Evitt: rear of 479 Richmond St west. Irish. Chof Engl. In Toronto about 14 years. 73 years of age. Husband a pensioner paralyzed, has been disabled 4 years. receives a pension of 1/ [shilling] a day but during the winter season finds it insufficient to meet their expenses.

137. Elizabeth Scott: 62 Bathurst Street. Native of Nova Scotia. R.C. In Toronto 17 years. Lost her husband 9 years ago. Three Children. eldest has been in the States 8 years. second son employed on the Railway but gives her no assistance. youngest child a girl of 17 is in Service and earns [dollars] 4 a Month. Lives with a Mrs. Maloney and pays half the rent of the House. Coal twice.

138. Jane Pollard: 529 Queen St. West, No such number on the Street if she will call at the parsonage and leave her address, Visitor will call.

139. Margaret Lettore: 92 Boulton St. Widow. Ch of England. French has one Son who is a barber by trade gets [dollars] 3 a week and his board does not have work all the time. Two daughters one a smart looking girl, the other is silly and nearly dumb, can say a few words. They had no fire as they have no

fuel. Visitor thinks it would be as well to help them on account of the widow and the silly one. Coal twice, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

140. Elizabeth Buggy: 19 Emily St. Married aged 50. Husband 70 Irish R.C. 5 Children boy 15, boy 13, boy 11, girl 10 and girl 9 the boys work at a Tobacco factory when it is in operation but it is stopped now. To have 8 lbs. bread per week for 6 weeks and Coal twice Visitor will call on them again.

141. Ann Duval: 132 York Street Aged 72. Widow. Methodist. Coloured. Received bread all the Summer. To have Coal also.

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142. Mary Martin: 19 Emily St. Married, aged 23. Husband 24. Married about 6 Months ago. She has a little boy belonging to a diseased [deceased] Sister, a pity it cannot be taken from her, as she is unfit to have charge of any child. Husband is away. Visitor advised that she put the child in some of the charitable Institutions and for her to go to service but fears she drinks. to save her from perishing it may be well to help her for a few weeks, she cannot live as she is for any length of time. The room is all but empty. She is barefoot and both her and the child are shivering with cold having no fire. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal once.

143. Ellen Ryan: 37 James St. East. Widow. 2 Children. goes out washing. Knits [etc.]. appears to be industrious decent able body. Recommended for Coal twice.

144. Ellen Casey: 46 James St. East. Widow, one child. reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal now.

145. Charles Punchard: 30 Oake St. Husband, wife and six young Children came out from England last Autumn. was employed for some time by Mr. Clarkson. as [has] been out of work now for five or six weeks. means quite exhausted. Under the circumstances, recommend them for Coal once, and bread for a Month. when if further assistance required the case might be again referred to visitor. Allowance 1200 lbs. of Coal all at once and a grate.

146. Alexander Ruglan: 46 Duchess St. Husband and wife, no Children wife at present quite blind, has to be led about and attended to constantly by her husband. who is himself quite an old Man. Wife before this misfortune came upon her, was a very active industrious woman. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for six weeks.

147. ~~Mary~~ Sarah Burns: Lane running North of Sydenham St, between Berkley and Parliament Streets. Widow and two Children, used to live in a lane between Seaton and McMahon St. and reported upon for the last two or three winters, a necessitous case. she has wretched health, and has long suffered from a very bad leg. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

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148. William Weeks: rear of 141 Berkely St. Husband and wife and four young Children. Wife lately confined. Came out in [Her Majesty's Ship] the "Simoom". was employed for a time at Taylors. out of work now for several weeks. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month

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149. Edward Hendrick: 79 North Park Street. Husband and Wife and 4 Children. Emigrants from England. came out in [Her Majesty's Ship] the "Simoom". Employed in the Dockyards at home. got work at first at first at Mr. Hughes. but has been out of Employment now for six weeks, with the exception of a days job once in a way. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month. Must be referred to visitor again if further assistance called for.

150. The Case of Catharine Kerr a young woman from the Country who applied for temporary admission until she could be taken into Lying in Hospital. Admission refused being against the rules.

151. Emma Fish: Cottage in rear of 178 John Street. Aged 82. Widow English. Chof England. A resident in Toronto and its neighbourhood for the last 45 years. Recommended by Mr. Howland Lt. Governor for relief. Coal and 4 lbs. bread.

152. Sarah Gilmore: rear 17 1/2 Agnes St. Irish. R.C. A Widow aged 53. 4 Children, girl 15 delicate, boy 14 runs messages and earns [dollars] 1.50 a week, boy 9, and boy 8. An industrious clean respectable woman. To have Coal 3 times and 6 lbs. bread per week.

153. Phoebe Carling: Aged 64. Irish. Ch of Engl. deserted by her husband a crazy old creature for the last 6 Months in Gaol, was sent here by the Mayor as a proper Case for admission into the House of Industry, and to be taken care of during the winter.

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154. Sarah Goldstone: 46 Carlton Street. 30 years old. Widow. 2 Children George 4 and John 1 years old. Lives by sewing. English. English Church. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

155. John Richardson: 100 Ann Street. Not in when visitor called. As the Case was reported upon last year the Committee allowed 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal once.

156. Mary Ann Perkins: 44 Ann St. 29 years old, Husband 30. 4 Children Joseph 10, William 9, James 7 and Ida 3 years of age. The Man is a Labourer, cant get work. 6 Months from England. Methodist Church Recommended for 8 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

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157. Ambrose Cullford: 121 Queen St East. Wife 30 years old, husband 34. Shoemaker by trade. No family. from England 6 Months. Baptist Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice

158. Julia McCarthy: 29 Stanley St. Not in when visitor called.

159. Thomas Hall: 67 Stanley St. 73 years old, wife 65. Not able to work Recommended for 6 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.

160. Margaret Sweeney: 43 Stanley St. 40 years of age, a Widow. sells fruit when in season. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

161. Mary Smith: 40 Stanley St. Not in when visitor called.

162. Daniel Cullinane: 26 Stanley St. 34 years old, wife 36. 6 Children Aged 12. 10. 9. 8. 5. 2. from England 6 Months. Labourer cannot get work R.C. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal 3 times.

163. Johanna Bealy: 71 Stanley St. 26 years old. Husband 28. 3 Children, 6, 5 and 2 1/2 years old. Husband a labourer. Lately from the States. Can't get work. Methodist Church. 6 lbs. bread and Coal once.

164. Mary Moroney: 36 Boulton St an old pensioner. Widow aged 60. Irish. R.C. To have the same as last year, 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

165. Ann Healey: 51 Boulton St. was not in when the Visitor called. but was informed that she is married, and aged say 43. Husband 60. has one son aged 15 at house, instead of being at some useful employment. They Keep a horrid filthy place. Visitor will leave them to the Committee. They are poor enough for charity, but it must be their own fault. Help perhaps for one Month but not more.

166. Phoebe Carling: 15 Emily St. was taken away just before visitor called. would recommend 300 lbs. Coal to the person that gave her shelter for about a week (Jane Clark at the above named number), as she had to Keep up a fire at night to Keep Carling from suffering who laid on the floor near the Stove. See Case 153.

167. Alice O'Hara: 51 Boulton St. Widow, aged 30. Irish R.C. 2 Children, girl 10. baby 4 Months. recommended 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times. This Case was before Committee and refused any relief whatever on account of being a worthless character well Known at the House. See Case 16.

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168. Jane Redditt: 263 Queen St West. in the cellar. Widow aged she says 45, more like 55. Lives with Jane Yole who get bread and Coal. Visitor recommends this person 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice. The two use the same stove.

169. Ann Watson: 43 McMahon St. in Case 781 in 1869. her husband a sailor away from her. has lately been confined, and is in great want both of fuel and food, no tidings of her husband or from him have ever reached her. Visitor recommends an allowance of Coal and some bread for a Month.

170. Ann Smith: 11 Pine St. Husband and 3 young children, Emigrants from England.

171. James Samson: 11 Pine St. Husband and wife and two young children. Wife lately confined. Both parties living together in the same House and using the same stove. appear to be respectable decent people but like so many others who have come out from England during the last Summer and Autumn, they got work in the early part of the season, but have been thrown out of work since the winter set in. Samson who is a bricklayer says he has plenty of jobs promised him in the spring, and Smith will be able Visitor has no doubt to obtain work on the Railways then. In the mean time they are reduced to great straits, and it is recommended that they be allowed Coal between them say a liberal allowance twice, and bread each for one Month.

172. Margaret Barton: rear of 47 Sumach St. Visitor is sorry to say that in visiting Mrs. Barton to day he did not find matters improved since his last report. Barton has only had one days work, and they have parted with every spare article of clothing to procure food and fuel. They are therefore recommended for coal once more and bread for a Month.

173. James Hawthorn: 48 Duchess St. Husband and wife and one Child. Have once been in very different circumstances, but the husband has been confined to his bed for many weeks with congestion of the liver and Rheumatic fever. Before his illness he worked for Davis and afterwards at Mr. Dalrymple Crawfords Factory. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice. as he feels pretty certain from the Mans appearance that it will be long before he is fit for work again if indeed he ever leaves his bed.

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174. Joseph Sweeney: rear of 47 Sumach St. a young Man taking [taken] in as a matter of charity by one of his Countrymen almost as badly off as himself. He had no means of paying for a lodging, and family of the name of

175. "Galavin": Emigrants themselves, have given him shelter. This family consists of husband, wife, and Mother in law and their children. The husband has only had occasional employment, and they have been reduced to great want themselves. under these circumstances visitor would recommend that the Galavins be allowed Coal once, and an allowance of bread to them and Sweeney for one Month. The latter however Visitor hopes to get a place for in the course of another week, when he will of course require nothing further.

176. Sophie Sifles [Shiffler]: 438 King St. East. There was a drunken row going on in this House when visitor called there this afternoon, and could get no answer to his enquiries for Sophie Sifles, but if she lives there, and is a decent woman herself the sooner she changes her quarters the better!

177. Margaret Leahey: 75 North Park St. widow, no children. old woman. sells oranges and apples in Summer time. Recommended for Coal once.

178. Margaret Kane: 44 Duchess St. Husband, wife and Mother in law & 5 young children. A very decent couple who have hard work to support their five children and an aged Mother, now lying in a perfectly helpless state from the combined effects of sickness and old age. Visitor recommends them for Coal once. with what Kane earns, he can keep his family in food and clothing and pay his house rent, but the fuel they cannot manage, as the old Mother requires more or less fire day and night.

179. Catherine Ryan: 44 Duchess St. Widow. goes out to work and scrub when she can get it to do, but work very slack just now, and so is the fire too! Recommended for Coal once.

180. Lynch Sarah: 90 George St. A brisk jolly little widow, sells fish and does all she can to support herself. Recommended for Coal once.

181. Andre{w} Allison: Lane between Duchess and Brittain St. sometimes called Stonecutters Lane. An aged Man and his wife. He worked for many years in a soap & candle factory, but has been out of employment for the last Month or six weeks, he is badly ruptured and Visitor believes will never be fit for much. Recommended for a liberal allowance of Coal once.

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182. Bridget Hayes: Lane in rear of Soap factory George St. Widow & 3 Children. reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal twice.

183. A Mrs. Gibson: opposite No. 55 Given St. very ill after her confinement. Lives Visitor thinks with a family named McKinstry, has been deserted by her husband. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal and some Groceries and would like if the Doctor could call on her.

184. Theresa Thoroughgood: rear 151 Centre St. Aged 36. Husband 49. English. Methodist Church. 6 Children, girl 14 lives out as Nurse girl, and gets [dollars] 1.75 per Month. girl 11, girl 8, boy 6, girl 4 and girl 1 year old. Husband was away in the States during the Summer but came home in November in bad health. Visitor advised that husband come to the House on Friday and see the Doctor who will report upon the state of his health, when relief will be given accordingly.

185. Malvina Mitchell: 65 Elm Street. Coloured. Aged 35. The husband who is about 50 was crippled by a sawing Machine and is now in General Hospital. 2 Children, a boy 15 who runs messages for Revd. Dr. Willis, and earns 50 cents a week, the other a girl 2 years old. Mrs. Mitchell takes in washing and sewing, but is not in very good health just now. apparently decent and respectable. To have 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

186. Rebecca Potter: 21 Elizabeth St. Aged 28. Husband 30. 9 Months from England. Chof England. 2 Children, girls 10 & 5. Husband a Weaver out of Employment. 6 lbs. Bread and Coal.

187. Elizabeth Sullivan: rear No. 12 Terauley St. Aged 24. Husband a labourer aged 26. Emigrants who came out last Summer from London. Chof England. Husband met with an accident which laid him up best part of last Summer, he is now somewhat better, and is looking for work. seem very respectable people, but very much in want both of fuel and food. 2 Children, girl 18 Months old and a baby Girl 1 Month old. To have 8 lbs. bread a week and Coal.

188. Mary McKenny: 201 Centre St. Coloured. Widow aged 36. Methodist. 3 Children, boy 11, girl 7 and girl 6. An industrious woman, goes out washing. 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

189. Elisa Thompson: in Case 919, now removed to 79 Elizabeth St. living with a woman who she is going to nurse through her confinement.

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190. Bridget McKenney: 34 Boulton St. Married aged 35. Husband 60. Has one Son aged 15 at home, in place of being at some useful employment. they keep a horrid filthy place. Visitor leaves them for the Committee to judge. they are poor enough for charity but it must be their own fault, might have help for one Month, but should be told not to expect any more.

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191. Mary Malony: 62 Bathurst St. Irish. R.C. has five children, the eldest of whom is 12 years of age. youngest an infant of 15 Months. her husband has been in the Asylum a year and a half, so that she is wholly dependent on her own exertion. Recommended for Coal.

192. Mary Tyrrell: 20 Renfrew St. Lives in a house of ill fame.

193. Rosanna Sheppard: rear of 15 Maria St. (Black Bull) lives up stairs in a miserable garrett with a ricketty pair of stairs leading thereto. Is suffering from Erysipelas in the leg and quite unable to work. A widow with one boy 12 years old who runs errands [etc.] to help his Mother. Irish. R.C. To have coal bread & Soup.

194. Mary Finnigan: rear of 36 Charles Street. Lives with a family named Collins who seems very well to do, having pigs, geese, Fowls [etc.] a couple of dogs to frighten Visitors. Not in, does not stay permanently with one family. Has one boy 6 years old. Charwoman. Irish. R.C. Allowed bread and soup.

195. Catharine Cox: 235 Hope St. Lives with a family named Lynch who receive aid from the house. Not in when Visitor called. A widow 30 years of age one girl 6, is only about 3 weeks from Stanley St. Irish. R.C. Bread and Soup only allowed.

196. Margaret Hickey: 15 Renfrew St. a widow aged 25 just recovering from sickness. Has two children, boys, 5 & 3. Irish. R.C. usual help allowed for a Month as she is preparing to go to Service.

197. Elisa West: 63 Esther St. A widow without Children. Lives with a Mrs. McEvoy and has done so for the last four winters, going for the Summer to her sister in the Country, says she was originally in the House, and taken out by her daughter. seemingly a bird of passage. Left to Committee.

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198. Bridget Hudson: 29 Dummer St. Lives with Mrs. Wheeler who has aid from the House. A widow without children, suffering from spinal complaint. Visitor was told that there are other woman in the House and that they all drink more or less. Cannot recommend this Case, unless she gets a certificate from her clergyman, but left to the Committee.

199. Robert Gray: Lane near rear of 80 Hayter St. Aged 66 in bad health, worked for many years for the Corporation, not able to work now. Wife aged 45, not very strong. one boy 12. Irish. Congregationalist. respectable people. 900 lbs. Coal and 6 lbs. bread per week.

200: Louise McGregor: 54 Emma St. 5 Children girl 13, boy 11, girl 8, girl 6, and girl 4 years of age. 6 weeks ago the husband left to look for work, she has not heard from him since. English. Methodist Church. Aged 40. Has been very ill, not able to work yet. To have 12 lbs. bread per week, and Coal, and soup.

201. Ann Dunlevie: 18 Stanley St. 40 years old, husband 50 years. 2 Children, one 4 years the other 8 months, labourer can't get work, Irish, English Church. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

202. Catharine McBride: 41 Stanley St. 56 years old. husband 60. 3 Children, aged 12, 8 and 6. Labourer cant get work. Irish R.C. to have 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

203: Margaret Sherlock: 41 Stanley St. Aged 41. A widow. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once.

204. Catharine Thompson: 112 Nelson St. Aged 48 years. Widow, lives by scrubbing and washing. No friends here. Irish. English Church. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once.

205. William Butcher: 56 Boulton St. No such person to be found there.

206. Catharine Spurrien: 10 Elliotts row. Married, aged 31. Husband 32. 2 Children, boy 3 years old and baby 6 months old. Lately from England and the husband sick in bed for two weeks. 6 lbs. bread per week say for 6 weeks, and 600 lbs. of Coal.

207. Mary Houston: South East corner of York and Boulton Streets. No such person there.

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208. Rosanna Keef: 34 Boulton Street. says her husband went away during the American war. A young woman aged about 24, living in a place scarcely fit for Hogs to live in. Visitor presumes she is suffering from the fruits of bad living. Case left to Committee. Doctor to visit and report.

209. Mary Boulton: near Betz Hotel foot of Simcoe Street withdraws her application.

210. Elizabeth Haywood: 261 Queen St west. Married, aged 27. Husband 32. has no Children. R.C. Church. have lately come here from England, and have very little Employment on account of being strangers. Coal 600 lbs. and bread 4 lbs. per week for 6 weeks.

211. Emma Gillon: 114 York St. Married, aged 28. Husband 26. 3 boys 8, 5 & 3. Husband works at boots & shoes, says he cannot earn more than [dollars] 3.00 a week and are under [dollars] 6.00 a Month rent.

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they are newcomers and on that account alone Visitor recommends them 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal twice.

212. Margaret Mitchell: see former report. Lives near Betz Hotel. Widow aged 45. 2 Children, girl 11, boy 8. Chof Engl. See Case 64 93.

213. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane, rear 331 King St. East. See previous reports no change to Note. 6lbs. bread and Coal twice.

214. Harriett Jacobs: 21 Cherry St. came from Poplar (London) last September. Husband is a Shoemaker, who finds business rather dull at present, owing to the closing of the rolling mills and distruction of Goderham's [Gooderham's] distillery. Husband says that both his Knees were accidentally broken some time ago. Before applying for relief they pawned several articles which still remain "up the spout". very decent people apparently. Children, Thomas 8, Henry 6, Sarah 2 1/2, James a Month old. Chof England. 8 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

215. Sarah Hand: 429 King St. East. Came last fall from Woolwich where husband (Edward) was employed in the Dockyard. Children, John 12, Sarah 5, Charles 10 months. all of prepossessing appearance. Chof England. Husband aged 50, Wife 46. They evidently feel their dependent position and hope soon to obtain some Employment. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

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216. Jane Charlton: 56 North Park St. Husband and Wife and 5 Children the youngest only a few weeks old. Mrs. Charlton is a very respectable, worthy woman, her family lived in Toronto for many years, and were very respectable people. Visitor is afraid that the simple history of her case is just that she has, the misfortune to have a husband, who might keep her from want if he were steady. he is a Jeainter {joiner} by trade. but unsteadiness and bad health combined, have sadly interfered with his earnings, and when the poor woman was confined she had hardly a stick of wood in the House. Visitor would be glad if she could have one good load of Coal sent her. In a few weeks more she will be strong again, and then her troubles will press so heavily upon her.

217. Ann Flinn: 74 McMahon St. not in when Visitor called.

218. Eliza Gustard: 6 Caroline St. not in St Davids Ward.

219. Sarah Murdock: 3 doors east of Sumach St. on King St. East. Husband and wife and 4 young Children. Emigrants from England. Very similar to most of the other Cases of Emigrants which Visitor has reported upon. The husband has had more or less employment at his trade since he came out but has been out of work for some weeks now, and first expenses in the way of stoves beds, chairs, table &etc. have prevented any saving, and now fuel and house rent press heavily upon them. Visitor thinks it a case

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where a good load of coal bestowed now, and bread say for a Month will tide them over all present trouble, and the husband will sure to be in good work the Moment the mild weather sets in.

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220. Lavina Miller: St. Patricks square No. 11. Not in when Visitor called, but learned from Inmates of the House that she has 2 boys 10 & 8 is wife of a Soldier who lives in Barraks, [Barracks], and has 2 days work in the week. Is said to be a sober industrious woman. Left to Committee.

221. Bridget Williams: 29 Dummer St. A disipated woman whom visitor cannot recommend.

221 1/2. Herbert Dawson: in Case 808 in 1869. Left the Institution.

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222. Johanna Hanrahan: 34 Elizabeth St west. Husband has left her. Lives with a Mrs. Sullivan who has relief from the House. lives principally by begging. an old Case whom the Visitor recommends for bread and soup only.

223. Catharine Cowan: 56 Dummer St. A Case well known to the board of very disipated habits, the decision of whose Case is referred to the Committee.

224. Agnes Hogan: 102 Adelaide St. East. Widow with 2 Children aged 10 & 5. Suffering from sore breast. Irish. R.C. Church. To have 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

225. Jane Chambers: 37 Stanley St. 55 years old. Widow living by scrubbing and washing. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once. Irish. R.C. Church.

226. Ellen McManus: 18 Stanley St. 55 years old. Widow living by scrubbing and washing. 4 lbs. bread and Coal once. Irish. R.C. Church.

227. Jane Atkins: 50 Cherry St. Husband, Daniel a labourer, out of work at present. came last August from Victoria Park (London). Children, Mary 12, Jane 10, Sarah 5, Joseph 3. Chof England. House is uncommonly well furnished, for people in their station. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

228. Ann Pullbrook: Little Richmond St. directly in rear of Dunns Queen St West at house of Thomas Tully. English. Chof England. Widow 71 years of age. has a son at Tecumseth who cannot now help her

as he has a large family to provide for. lives with her granddaughter. but being unable to work asks assistance that the burden of her maintenance by her grandchildren may be somewhat lightened. Recommended for bread and Coal.

229. Elisa Adams: 14 Camden St. a most industrious respectable woman. English. Chof England. Her husband is a millwright but out of Employment. was employed in the fall but did not receive his wages the contractor having gone to the States without paying his men. Two boys at home 11 & 9. Recommended for Coal.

230. Elizabeth Patton: about 518 King St. West. Spinster. Roman Catholic. in Toronto 23 years. 10 years on Shuter St but was ejected from the house, and in the west cannot get sufficient work. behind with her rent. Recommended for Coal.

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231. Jane Pollard: 529 Queen St. west. Irish. R.C. has been ill and required the services of her daughter (who is 16 years of age) to wait upon her. so that the wages of the daughter have ceased to be a means of support. In Toronto nearly 19 years. Recommended for bread.

232. Mary Braddock: 2nd House on Pine St. off North Park St. Husband and wife and 2 young children. The wife expecting her confinement in a fortnight. Emigrants. very decent respectable people. Husband has been successful in getting more or less work sometimes, but has been out of Employment lately, and they are in want of both fuel and food. a little timely assistance would be most acceptable. Visitor would be glad if they could have a load of Coal sent to them, and if Mrs. Braddock could be allowed a packet of Tea Sugar [etc.] against her confinement, they will require no further assistance now, nor do they desire it if it can possibly avoided.

233. Sarah Mackintosh: 46 Duchess St. Husband and two Children. Husband a boiler maker by trade was employed at Curries foundry during the Summer but has been out of work for many weeks. Their savings had been severely taxed for the support of a sick father so that they have had nothing to fall back upon. He quite expects to get into Employment again in a few weeks. but in the meantime they are destitute of fuel and almost of food. Recommended to be allowed Coal once and bread for a Month.

234. Charles Buckneer: 74 rear of Duchess St. one of a row of Cottages in a yard just beyond Walker the Cabman. Case reported upon (See Case 76) they were then recommended for Coal once. Visitor found them in great want to day. He had sold a few little drawings which had kept them from downright want so far. but they had no fire to day. Visitor recommends them for Coal once more and bread for a Month.

235. Asa Seagar: in Case 866 in 1869. Visitor recommends them to be allowed Coal once more.

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236. The Misses Smith: who have been relieved each winter from the House. have again applied to visitor for assistance this year. Visitor would be glad if they could have an allowance of coal (say for twice) sent at one time, and also a little flour.

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237. Bridget Clark: 284 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 41. Irish. R.C. one boy 4 1/2 years old. Visitor recommends Coal once.

238. Margaret Wilson: rear of Emma St. Widow aged 60. Scotch. Presbyt. 2 Children, girl 17, learning a trade (dressmaking) gets no pay, and a girl 13 who has been in Service but now at home with her toe out of joint. respectable industrious woman.

239. Johanna Hinchy: rear 7 Emma St. A widow aged 40. one Child a girl aged 11. Irish. R.C. Mrs. Hinchy was in bed, and has been for some days, with Asthma. To have Coal 3 times.

240. Sarah Morris: 112 Edward St. Married. Aged 41. English. Emigrants in Toronto since August. Ch of England. Husband a paper stainer. but willing to work at anything but cannot get work at present. 8 Children. girl 19 who is married and who lives with her husband with the old people. girl 17, girl 12, boy 14, boy 7, boy 4, and girl 2 years of age. Apparently very respectable people. To have Coal and a grate and 12 lbs. bread per week, soup likewise if they come for it.

241. Ann Thomas: Coloured. 45 University St. Aged 34. A widow with 5 Children, boy 15 has gone to the states, boy 11, boy 7, girl 5, and boy 3 years. She has also her Mother (who is 60 years of age), living with her. Hard working industrious woman. To have 900 lbs. Coal.

242. James Leegood: 64 Louisa St. Aged 26. English. Ch of England. Sick in bed. a very doubtful case, a young woman in the House he calls his wife, so he did another young woman he lived with a few Months ago in one of the Cottages belonging to the House of Industry, when he cleared out, and forgot to pay the last Months rent.

243. John White: aged 46, and his wife)

244. Catharine: aged 41): Irish. Ch of England. two Children who are in the Girls Home. White and his wife were in Building for casual Poor last winter. Applied again for shelter, allowed to remain for a few weeks.

245. Elisa McHale: aged 79. Irish. Ch of Engl. Wife to James McHale who is an inmate in this Institution. Mrs. McHale was herself an Inmate several times but left to live with a Married daughter. She now makes application for readmission, says cannot agree with her daughter. Admitted. See Case 634 in 1869.

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Present Revd. J.F. Jamot, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson Esqr.

246. Ann Flinn: 74 McMahon St. A widow with one child. goes out to wash and scrub. says that she gets a fair amount of work in Summer, and can support herself well enough then. but not in winter, as now the work is very slack and she earns no more than will barely pay the rent. She is in great distress for want of fuel. Visitor recommends her for Coal once, bread for a month.

247. Ann McNab: rear of {blank} Queen St. East. back from the Street, one of a row of cottages, 3rd door. Husband and wife and family of young Children. Husband gone to work on the Railway in Uxbridge and will send his wife some Money as soon as he receives his pay. They were almost destitute of any fuel. Visitor would be disposed to allow them Coal once and bread for a fortnight. They ought then require no further assistance.

248. Ann E. Messita: 77 North Park St. Another Emigrant family. Husband and one Child. The husband seems an industrious pushing fellow ready and willing to turn his hand to anything. He was doing some painting at one time for Mr. Alexander Hamilton, and since has been working in Mr. Reeds packing box factory. In the last few weeks however work has been very slack, and they have been reduced to great distress for want of fuel. Visitor recommends them for Coal once.

249. Jane Green: rear of 205 Queen St. East. A very decent respectable woman, a widow who has received occasionally received relief from the House in former years and whose case has been before reported upon by Visitor. She is now far gone in consumption but still works bravely on, trying to support her family of young children. Visitor would be glad if she could be allowed some Tea, Sugar & Oatmeal, and also a weekly allowance of bread for two Months. Coal she cannot burn in her stove.

250. Mary Morrow: 42 Duchess St. Visitor would recommend that she be allowed a little Tea & Sugar. She is a pensioner on the House now, but there is every prospect of some friends of hers over at Rochester. taken her under their care, and that we shall not have her on our list after this winter.

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251. Elisa Lindsay: 217 King St. East. Husband, William, out of work. a tinsmith. native of Ireland, left there when 9 months old. came here from the States 2 years ago. Chof England. 2 Children Letitia 5, and William 3. 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

252. Ann Colebridge: 29 South Park St. Husband John. from London (England) 5 months ago, when in England belonged to fire brigade. brought up to no trade. since coming to Toronto drove Bradfords Express waggon for a time, but is now without Employment. Children Sarah 6, Elizabeth 2 years. Chof England. 6 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

253. Mary Ann Proctor: 31 1/2 South Park St. Not known there.

254. Louisa Butcher: 54 Bathurst St. Native of Quebec, R.C. Church. In Toronto 3 months. A widow. 2 Children, boy 14 and a girl 9. In the fall the boy had employment and they got on comfortably, but he was afterwards ill and unable to work and now he can get nothing to do. Mrs. Butcher sews when she can get it to do. Recommended for Coal & bread.

255. Bridget Boyle: 43 Stanley St. 55 years old. Husband 60 years, lying sick in bed. not able to work. From Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

256. Bridget McAvee: 44 Stanley St. 50 years old. 2 Children. 12 & 9. Lives by scrubbing and washing. Husband left her. Ireland. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice.

257. Jane Burke: rear 15 Marie St. B.B. aged 33. has no husband, but 2 boys 9 & 5. Washes for a living. Found a young man hiding in her bed room. Said to be a woman of questionable character.

258. Charlotte Simmonds: No. 11 St. Patricks square. Husband away last 15 Months on the "Heron". Has not been heard from for last 5 Months. Trys to earn a livelihood by sewing. Pays [dollars] 3 a Month for 3 rooms when 2 might well suffice. A boy 8, and a girl 6. English. Case left to decision of Committee, or might have Coal once that Visitor may make further enquiries.

259: Fanny Winslow: 132 Richmond St. west. Visitor recommends Coal twice, no bread as she lives rent free and has no incumbrance.

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260. Ellen Dowd: No. 49 Boulton St. A widow aged 44. one child a girl aged 11. Irish. R.C. She is a stout woman, says she cant get work. Recommended for Coal twice, No bread, may have soup.

261. Frances Gallagher: 49 Boulton St. A married man aged 33. Wife 43. one child, a boy aged 4. Native of Ireland. R.C. was working on the Railroad where he got his leg broken. his wife also has a very sore foot. Neither of them can work at present and wont be able for some weeks to come. Visitor

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recommends assistance for 5 or 6 weeks no longer. say 6 lbs. bread per week, Coal twice, not more than that, will visit again.

262. Mary Houston: fourth door from North East Corner of York, on Boulton St. A widow aged 40. 3 Children, boy 15 who has a sore hand, girl 13 and a boy 2 years of age. Mrs. Houston is subject to fits. English. Chof Engl. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

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263: Margaret McLaughlan: Derby Lane, North side, 2nd house from Parliament St. Husband and wife natives of Scotland. former born near Glasgow. wharf builder by occupation. No children living with them. have had a numerous family now scattered far and wide. Some 16 years in Toronto. Knox's Church. Coal twice and 4 lbs. bread.

264. Mary Ann Thompson: rear of 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. A young widow aged 27. One boy at home aged 5 years. two others with her father in law. Chof England. appears to be a person worthy of assistance. She is a stranger in St. Andrews ward. To have 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

265. Catharine Finley: 146 Centre St. widow aged 32. Irish. R.C. 3 Children, boy 12 living out with a farmer, girl 11 at St. Catharines with a Sister in Law, a boy 18 months was placed out to Nurse, and Mrs. Finley herself was in Service and paying for support of the youngest Child, but the party with whom it was placed, will keep it no longer. She now wants a recommendation from Visitor to the Mayor for a pass to take her to St. Catharines where she has friends.

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266. Catharine Mee: 44 Centre St. (See Case 126). The Child is still very bad, and the husband will not allow anything for his family. To have 600 lbs. Coal once more, a ration of Tea & Sugar [etc.] & 8 lbs. bread.

267. Elizabeth Hiller: 26 Elizabeth St. up stairs. A widow 5 years. German. Lutheran Church. 16 years in Toronto. A mother of 15 Children, 8 dead, and 7 living, only two at home, a girl 13, and a girl 20 who had to leave Service and come home to take care of her Mother, who is confined to her bed with tumors in the womb and swollen legs. To have 600 lbs. Coal per month, 8 lbs. bread per week and a full allowance of groceries.

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268. ^Fanny^ ~~Sarah~~ Moore: rear 12 Terauly St. widow. lost her husband (who used to work for Jaques & Hays) a Month since. Irish. ChofEngl. aged 40, works at tailoring when she can get it to do. 4 Children, a boy not quite 12, was taken on by Jaques & Hay in the Varnish room, gets [dollars] 1.50 per week, girl 9, boy 6 and boy 18 months old. very respectable. To have Coal, and 8 lbs. bread per week.

269. Elisa Mink: 95 Elizabeth St. No such person known there.

270. George Beevor: Aged 50. Irish. R.C. last from Belleville. On tramp, looking for work. wants shelter for a few days. Left Febry. 15 th .

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271. Maria Smith: Hayden St. North side, 7 doors from Yonge St. Aged 28 years. Husband 34. Couch builder, 9 months from England. 4 Children, pays [dollars] 6 per Month rent. Husband ill with Rheumatism. Chof England. To have 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

272. Isabella Anderson: 40 Stanley St. 64 years old, widow, not able to work. Native of England. Chof Engl. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

273. Jane Nicholson: 121 Queen St. ~~west~~ East. Was recommended for a Month and the Case to be referred again to Visitor who now recommends Coal twice more and 4 lbs. bread per week. See Case 898 in 1869.

274: Mary McNeill: 27 South Park St. Husband Richard, a labourer out of work. Visitor did not see him. 15 months here from Montreal. Irish. Wife English. Goes out serving. No children. Chof Engl. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

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275. Mary McNeill: 27 South Park St. reported before, see Case 274.

276. Kate Suter: 27 1/2 South Park St. Husband, Walter James. from Portsmouth Dockyard, England, last July. No work at present. 5 Children Henry 7, Elizabeth 5, Kate 4, Walter 2 1/2, Louisa 6 months. Chof England. To have 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

277. Maria Edwards: 92 George St. Case referred to Visitor several weeks ago, but never found her at home until today (Feby. 2nd.) She is the same Mrs. Edwards, who when living on Ontario St. was visited and reported upon. Her husband who had been a Sheriffs bailiff was then on his death bed, and she

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was left in great distress with a large family. Since then some of the children have been taken into the Boys Home, and she has been supporting herself without further assistance. At present she is quite ill and unfit for work, and as visitor believes her to be a very industrious deserving person, he would gladly recommend her to be allowed Coal once and bread for a month. In her present state a small parcel of Tea Sugar [etc.] would be very acceptable.

278. George Fairbrother: 35 Ontario St East. (see Case 843.) since the last report they have received some trifling relief from the St. Georges Society which has kept them from absolute starvation. The man continues to have bleeding of the lungs, visitor had a note to that effect from Dr. Hallowell this morning. He (Visitor) went down there and certainly found them as destitute as they well could be. would therefore recommend them for Coal once and bread for a Month.

279. Ellen Mulholland: 109 Tecumseth St. Native of England. ChofEngl. Is the wife of a soldier whose pay is 10 d [pence] per day. She is not on the strength of the Regiment, and therefore has but 10 d [pence] a day to pay her rent [dollars] 2.00 a Month and support herself and two children, aged respectively 5 years and 6 months. the woman seems willing to work if she can get it, but like many another she can but seldom get Employment.

280. Rosanna Keef: in Case 208. The doctor visited the daughter and states that she has been ill for 4 or 5 years, she is now bedfast, unable to sit up in bed and altogether in a most destitute and wretched condition. The Committee will allow a double allowance of Coal, on account of the girl being bedridden and likewise Groceries Monthly. She is getting 6 lbs. bread per week.

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281. William Irvin: 238 Lumley St. The Mayor strongly recommends this Man for admission to the House of Industry, and hopes his recommendation will receive approval and attention, as he deems it a just and fitting one for admission. Dr. Ogden visited Irvin and states that he is a poor old man who bears a good character, he is quite feeble and unable to work, not bedfast, but free from contagious disease. Admitted. Aged 65 years. Irish. ChofEngl.

282. John Anderson: aged 37. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Black smith by trade. Came from Guelph last week. says got his feet slightly frostbitten, seeks shelter for a few days, until his feet get somewhat better. Left to Supt. to deal with.

283. Cornelius Lynch: Aged 49. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. Has been a resident in Toronto for twenty years. Labourer. No friends. Weak Eyes. No Employment, and not able to work at present. seeks admission. Admitted for a time.

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Present Revd. Mr. Boddy, B. Homer Dixon Esqr & J. McBrean Esqr.

284. Sarah Boulton: Sylvesters Yard King St East. 2nd house to the right. Husband George, a bedstead maker, has temporary employment with Jaques & Hay. Came from London England last June. Children, John 15, Henry 12, Arthur 6. the eldest and youngest are crippled. ChofEngl. To have 8 lbs. bread per week and Coal twice.

285. Hugh Graham: Aged 65. Native of Ireland. Chof England. Has been 42 years in Canada, 20 years in the township of Darby near Owen Sound where he owned a farm, but afterwards sold out, since then he chiefly lived in the township of Esquesing where he has Nephews & Nieces well to do. Has five Sons, three are living in the States, one a printer in Guelph, and one at Darby on a farm of his own. The old man met with an accident last July injuring his hip, and has been for the last 3 Months in the Toronto General Hospital from whence he was discharged as incurable. Brought a Note from the Mayor, who recommends that his Case may be looked into, and if possible relieved by his admission into the House of Industry. The Committee consider that according to the By Laws, Graham has no claim on the Institution, and request Superintendant to call on the Mayor and explain the Case, in the mean time Graham to stay until some arrangement can be made to send him to his friends.

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286. John Brooke: aged 15 and his Sister's and brother's living in the rear of Elm St. Sarah 14, Ann 11, James 6, and Robert 3 years of age. Orphan Children of English Parents. Methodist Church. John works in Mr. Gurny's foundry on Yonge St. and earns [dollars] 5 per week with which he tries to support his Sister's and Brother's. Visitor recommends Coal, and 8 lbs. bread per week, and soup, to help them on.

287. Louisa Clark: rear of 255 Elizabeth St. A widow aged 34 years. English. Chof Engl. 2 Children, a boy 8 and a boy 5 years of age. To have 6 lbs. bread per week, as she lives with her Mother Elisa {Tolland}, who receives relief from the House, the Visitor will allow them Coal, 4 times between them.

288. Elizabeth McConvey: 34. Irish. R.C. Married. 3 Children, boy 6, girl 4, and boy 1 3/4 years of age. Husband sentenced confinement in Gaol for twelve Months for selling another Mans pork. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

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Present, J. McBean Esqr.

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289. Mary Ann Bennett: 186 King St. East. Blind of one Eye, has had Erisipilas [Erysipelas]. was assisted in the summer and has since been in Hospital. Visitor recommends Coal once and bread for six weeks.

290. Sophia Shiffler: 74 McMahon St. Widow. No Children. she is a German and has, (she says), no friends or relations here. She is an elderly woman and unfit for any work except for a little knitting or some thing of that kind. Visitor thinks she might have a small allowance of coal once, and bread for a Month or six weeks.

291. Edward Mathews: 73 George St. Told Visitor when he called upon him, that since he applied to the House for assistance, he has got some Employment, and therefore declines with many thanks receiving anything. Visitor thinks this out to be put to his credit! if he is ever compelled to apply at any future time.

292. Elizabeth Burns: 104 Pine St. widow. five children at home. all very young except eldest boy who works in a Tobacco factory, and helps by his wages to pay the rent [etc.] Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month or 6 weeks.

293. Isabella Buttrick: rear 88 Duchess St. Visitor recommends that they be allowed another load of coal, and the bread to be continued another Month.

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294. Margaret Barton: rear of 47 Sumach St. In this case in addition to the coal Visitor believes they have received and their allowance of bread he would be glad if they could have a little Tea and Sugar and Oatmeal. They are in a very destitute state.

295. Susanna Thornton: at 79 Pine Street. A scotch woman. her husband committed suicide some years ago. Visitor reported upon her Case for two or three winters. Recommended for coal.

296. The Misses Smith's: who are living at 113 Queen Street East. Visitor recommends to receive the same as last year.

297. Mary Ann Webb: in Case 878 in 1869. Left the Institution on her own account. She of course took her child with her.

298. Ann Gard: 2nd house on Brunswick Avenue. Visitor recommends that she be allowed 600 lbs. of Coal. Children are sick.

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Present Mr. Alderman Sheard and Mr. E. Hobson

299. Elizabeth Bartlett: in Case 832 in 1869, has now removed to No. 70 Terauly St. St Johns Ward. Husband now confined to his bed, and the eldest girl in a delicate state of health. Visitor recommends a double allowance of Coal, and a full supply of groceries, & recommends that the Doctor call upon the family.

300. Catharine Stuart: 92 George St. complaints have been made against this woman, presenting the Tickets of Elisa Death and another young woman who lived in the same house with her. Both have left long ago, Elisa Death for the Country, the other got married. Stuart still kept on presenting the Tickets and drew rations upon them saying that the parties could not come for it themselves being sick at home. Ordered that Mrs. Stuart be struck off the list for being dishonest.

301. Samuel Teansby: in Case 827 in 1869, is now quite well, left the Institution to work on the Railroad.

302. Michael Furlong: in Case 879 in 1869. Left today having been promised employment on the Railroad.

303. Cornelius Lynch: in Case 283, also left the Institution, got employment on the same road as the above two Cases.

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Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. J. Doel

304. Margaret Akers: 146 Pine St. 32 years old. one child aged 4 years. Husband a Labourer, now sick of inflammation on the lungs. 18 months from England. English Church. 6 lbs. bread per week & Coal once.

305. Margaret McGill: 377 Queen St. East. Aged 43 years. A widow with no family. scrubs and washes. (had relief for one Month), Chof Engl. Recommended 4 lbs. bread, and Coal for another Month.

306. Sarah Ogden: 315 Queen St. East. 42 years of age. Husband gone to the States. one child 11 months old. English. Church of England. Recommended 4 lbs. bread per week and Coal once.

307. Silvesta Ramage: 29 1/2 South Park St. Husband, Alfred not in. Left East End of London, England last summer. a water man of some Kind, but nothing to do at present. Children, William 3 years, Alfred 9 mo. Chof England. Coal twice, & 6 lbs. bread per week.

308. Emma Rawson: 31 South Park St. (~~from East End of London, England last summer. Husband William a painter, no work~~) Husband Joseph a labourer. Arrived here last summer from Derby, England. sick: says he has the tick in his head and eyes. No children. Chof Engl. Coal twice, and 4 lbs. bread.

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309. Phoebe Lewis: 31 1/2 South Park St. From East End of London, England last summer. Husband William a painter by trade. no work just now. Children, Ann 7, Charles 5, Arthur 3, has just lost a baby. ChofEngl. Coal twice and 8 lbs. bread per week.

310. Ellen Cale: 191 Sayer St. in Case 39, to have 600 lbs. Coal, and an allowance of Groceries. Has heard from her husband, he is at present at Scarborough with a broken leg.

311. William Eewart: in Case 738. Left the Institution this Morning. got admission into Gneral Hospital.

312. Andrew Austin: Aged 30. Native of Picton, Prince Edward County, lately from Clifton. Methodist Church. He has inflammation in the Eyes. is at present receiving treatment gratis from Dr. Rosebrough. No means to pay his board. seeks shelter.

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313. Margaret Mitchell: in Case 212, has been getting assistance for the last Month. Recommend to have her allowance of bread continued for the season, and Coal twice more. In bad health.

314. Samuel Teansby: in Case 301 and)

315: Cornelius Lynch: ) in case 303, came back to the House for admission could not get Employment at the Railroad.

316. Jane Fletcher: 22. English. From Hamilton with intention to get into Lying in Hospital, came here for shelter for a few days, until she can get a pass from the Mayor to take her back to Hamilton.

Tuesday 22nd February 1870

Present Revd. Dr. Green & A.T. McCord Esqr.

317. Hugh Graham: in Case 285. Committee will allow Graham to stay on a little longer, until the weather gets somewhat milder.

318. Andrew Austin: in Case 312, allowed a bed in doors for a few days on account of an operation on his Eye. Dr. Rosebrugh has communicated with the friends of Austin who probably will do something for him.

319. Jessie Thompson: in case 684 in 1864, ran away from the Institution last Saturday Evening while the people were at tea, and went to a Mrs. Bridgewater on Yonge St. who it appears wanted her, and had

been speaking to the child's Mother who lives out at Service in this City. A female Inmate Named Butler was also mixed up in the affair.

320. Mary Stock: in Case 66, several complaints have been made about this woman, all say that she is a most notorious drunkard, and that her husband is working and earning money.

321. Oliver Jackson: 213 Centre Street. Jackson had another stroke, and is apparently dying. Visitor recommends an allowance of 600 lbs. of Coal and some Groceries.

322. Mary Madigan: lives with a Mrs. O'Brien at the foot of ~~Simcoe~~ York Street. Railroad Hotel deserted by her husband. aged 20, has 2 Children, boy 4, and baby 3 months. she wants to get admission into the House for a short time. Visitor recommends the Case to the favourable attention of the Committee.

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323. Ann Holroyd: next to 21 Maria Street, Denisons Avenue. A soldiers wife. 9 months in Toronto. 3 Children, Girl 11, boy 9 and boy 8. Gets 2 1/2 days work a week. Canadian. R.C.

324. Elizabeth Smith: 154 King Street west, upstairs. Married. aged 27. Husband 28, a Carpenter by trade but has not been to work for some time. Emigrants, lately from England. 3 Children all girls, aged 4, 2 1/2, and four weeks. W. Methodist. decent people. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread per week and 600 lbs. Coal all at once, not in boxes they might never want relief again. To have also some groceries as she is nursing and has not proper nourishment.

Friday 24th February

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

325. Mary Madigan: in Case 322. From New London 4 months ago. Has always been living at New London from a Child, says her husband deserted her. came to Toronto with the intention of being confined at the Lying in Hospital, after her confinement went to live with a Mrs. O'Brien who keeps the Railroad Hotel and paid [dollars] 4 per week for her board, and since her Money ran out she has been working for her board. Committee consider she has no claim on the Institution and advise that she go back to New London.

326. Mary Stock: in Case 320. To have no more relief at present.

327. Stephen Wright: in Case 854 in 1869, to have Coal once more, and 6 lbs. bread per week instead of 4 lbs.

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328. Catharine Thompson: applied to Committee to be allowed to take her daughter Jessie in Case 319 under her own care, allowed to do so.

329. Mary Ann Wade: in Case 878. To have 300 lbs. Coal, and a full allowance of groceries on account of sickness.

330. James Davis: 36. ChofEngl. English. 2 years from England. was hired to a farmer last Summer at [dollars] 8 per month. Out of Employment for last 3 Months. Willing to work if he can get it to do. Seeks admittance for a short time. Admitted for a time.

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331. John O'Brien: Aged 45 Irish. He says belong to the 100 Regt. for about 10 years. Has been working in Chatham, Ontario for some years. Came to Toronto looking for work. Would like to stay until the beginning of next week. Allowed to do so.

332. John Fraser: 20 Queen St. West. Aged 40. Wife 32, 3 Children, Boy 9, Boy 6, and a girl 18 months old. Natives of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. Carpenter by trade but at present out of Employment. Emigrants came out the latter part of last August. Asks for a little fuel, which is granted. 300 lbs. Coal.

333. Mary Ann Fraser: 92 George Street. 39 years old. Husband 40 years, a Labourer, can't get work. 3 Children, aged 10, 7 and 3 years. Emigrants. Came out last June. English. Church of England. Recommended 6 lbs. bread, and coal allowance.

334. Maria McConnica: Berkely St. Opposite brush factory near Queen St. 28 years old, Husband 33 . A stone Mason by trade but suffering much from Rheumatism. One child, 2 years old. Pay [dollars] 3 a month rent. Very poor. From Ireland. Presbyterian Church. 4 lbs. Bread and Coal allowance.

335. Catharine Shea: 40 Stanley St. Visitor called there but could not find her.

336. Maria Clark: 85 Sayer St. Aged 33. Husband 36, a labourer out of employment. 5 Children, girl 12, girl 9, girl 7, boy 5 and boy 3 years. Mrs. Clark is asthmatic. Emigrants. From England 5 months ago. 12 lbs. Bread per week, 600 lbs. Coal, soap and full allowance of groceries.

337. John Chambers: McDonnells yard, Terauley St. 3 doors from Albert St. Aged 47. Wife is 50. Cannot get employment, cuts a little wood occasionally. Emigrants, from England, Woolwich 7 Months. English. To have coal allowance.

338. Mary Daley: 20 Renfrew St. A Vagrant. Living in a disreputable house. Not recommended.

339. Mary Houston: In Case 262. Strongly recommended by Mrs. R. Gilmor (who visited her) for a sick allowance of groceries, and a little coal, as Mrs. Houston is dangerously ill with some inward complaint and has 3 doctors from the dispensary attending her.

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340. John Murphy: Aged 65. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic Church. Says has been 39 years in Canada, has served in the Army, and receives one shilling per day pension. Came from New London. Looking for some light Employment. Received shelter for a few days.

341. Rachel Dorenzie: Aged 30. Spinster. Native of Ireland. Church of England. Out from Ireland since last November. Lived at service with a farmer near Embro. Came to Toronto with the intention of getting into the General Hospital, says she has a pain in her side. As the Mayor is out of Town, she was recommended here for shelter until Monday.

342. Robert Wood: Aged 25, wife 21, one child, a boy 12 days old. English. Church of England. Emigrants, came out last Summer from the East part of London. Out of Employment at present, respectable people but very poor. Coal 600 lbs, Bread 6 lb. Per week and groceries.

Tuesday, 1st March, 1870

Present, Robert Wilkes Esq.

343. Benjamin Webster: 49 Sumach St. 47 years old, wife 40 years, at present in the General Hospital. Shoemaker by trade. 4 lbs. Bread and coal allowance. Irish. Church of England.

344. Catharine Scoles: 83 Richmond St. East. 30 years old, widow, with two children, ages 6 & 3, lives by washing, one of the children sick with measles. Coal allowance. Methodist Church.

345. Mrs. Worrell: Corner of cherry and North Park Street. Strongly recommended by Mr. Wilkes (who knows the case well), for an allowance of coal.

346. Bridget Loyd [Lloyd]: 94 Beech St. North side near Parliament Street also recommended for an allowance of coal.

347. Mary Jane Henderson: Rear of 470 Queen St. West. Husband away from home, having badly treated her. Has one girl nearly 14 who helps her mother by sewing, also a nurse child whose Mother has run off. An industrious charwoman, very poor, aged 38. Scotch, Presbyterian. To have coal and bread.

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348. Manfred Bingham: Rear 73 Elizabeth St. Married 2 children, both young people. Visitor thinks ought to provide for themselves.

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349. Louisa Daws: 17 Elizabeth St. No such person living there.

350. Francis Abbott: In Case 777 in 1869. Left the Institution.

Friday 4th march 1870

Present, Mr. Sheriff Jarvis & Mr. R. Wilkes

351. Henry Davey: 154 King Street West. Married, aged 24. Wife 28, Has no children, but is a late Emigrant, and has been unfortunate by getting badly hurt while at work. Church of England. English.

352. Mary Earle: 11 Elliotts row. See Case 711 in 1869. 5 Children, boy 8, girl 7, girl 5, boy 1 1/2 and baby 2 months old. English. ChofEngl. can't get much to do at present. Recommended for 8 or 10 lbs. of bread per week until 1st of April, and coal allowance and soap. Committee allow 12 lbs. of bread per week.

353. Alfred Paine: 132 King St. West. No such person there. The Shakespeare Hotel stands there. Visitor searched about those quarters but could make no such person out.

354. Elizabeth Sullivan: In Case 187. To have her coal again.

355. John Mullen: 21 Elizabeth St. Married, 2 Children. Irish. M.C. Recommended for 300 lbs. coal, by Mr. Wilkes who knows the case.

356. Bridget Hudson: 29 Dummer St. In Case 198. Committee will allow coal once more.

357. Bridget Clark: 284 Queen St. West. In Case 237. To have coal once more.

358. Alfred Paine: In Case 353, has turned up at 132 King Street West, 2nd house west of York St. North side. Lives up in an attic room. Married, aged 32, wife 32. Ch of England. Emigrants from England. 2 Children, 8 & 5. Out of employment To have 8 lb. Bread this Month and Coal allowance.

359. Thomas Hayden: Aged 36, Ch of Engl. Came out 6 months ago from County of Kent, England. Has had some work at Weston, but is now out of Employment and without means. Seeks shelter for a few days.

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360. Thomas Stratton: aged 33. Native of Ireland. Ch of England, came out last September, worked on the railroad, but is now in bad health, will try to get into General Hospital. Says has been a soldier and receives a limited pension. No means at present, seeks shelter until he can see the Mayor who he is in hopes will send him into Hospital.

361. Ellen Kelly: aged 45, Native of Scotland. R.C. Church. Came from Chicago to look for her husband whom she expected to find in Toronto, seeks shelter until Monday on account of her Eyes which are badly blackened she says, through a fall in the ice.

Tuesday, 8th March 1870

Present: R. Baldwin, Esqr.

362. Elizabeth Ann Waite: In case 330 in 1869, made application for the admission of her child, a girl, now about 18 months old. Committee consider she ought to be able to support her child, being herself in good health.

363. Thomas Stratton: In case 360, says he begins to feel somewhat better and thinks there is no need for him to go to Hospital if he could be allowed to stay in building for casual poor for another week. Allowed to remain until next Friday and see Committee again.

364. Isabella Anderson: In case 272. To have a small allowance of groceries allowed for this month only.

365. William Hopkins: Caroline St. First house from King Street. Had not applied for relief, knew nothing about it until Visitor called.

366. Mary Stock: In Case 326, reports about her false, worthy of relief as husband suffering from Rheumatism and when able to work gets employment at Curry's Boiler works.

367. Ellen Pearce: No. 5 Elliotts Road, King St. West. A Married woman aged 35, husband 36. Two children, boy 8 and boy 5 years of age. Emigrants from England. No regular employment. Recommended for assistance during the present month. 6 lb. Bread per week, and coal once.

368. Cornelius Lynch: In Case 315 left in his own account.

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369. Ann Barnes: 38 Bishop St. She and her husband have been here about 3 weeks. Poor and unable to get work. They are lodgers with a Mrs. Howith. No children. Irish. Ch of England. Recommended for temporary relief. To have 6 lb. bread per week.

370. John Harrington: in Case 881 in 1869, left the Institution on his own account and was drunk and noisy last night, and consequently put in building for casual poor to get sober, of which he apparently did not approve. March 9th

371. Catharine Scales: in Case 344 recommended for a double allowance of groceries on account of children.

372. Ann Brown: 58 Emma Street. Aged 38. A widow. Ch of England. Came to Toronto last November from Niagara. Lived in Service since she came here with Mr. Cooper, a Lawyer. She is now not able to work being bad with Rheumatism. Lived with a Coloured family to whom she paid for her board as long as she had anything to pay with, is not destitute. Visitor recommends to come to the House on Friday and see the Doctor and if a proper case to be admitted. Irish.

373. Elizabeth Travers: 99 Berkely St. In case 762 in 1869. Recommended for an allowance of 300 lbs. Coal.

Friday, 11th March 1870

Present: Revd. Dean Grasett and E. Baldwin, Esqr.

374. John Bright: Aged 40, Native of Scotland. A cripple with only one leg, formerly an Inmate (See Case 592 in 1868), seeks admission again for a time. To be admitted.

375. Ellen Corrigan: rear of 261 Queen St. West, a poor simple English woman, got married to a worthless Irish man who does nothing for her. He is away at present, and she hopes he will stay away. 3 children, boy 17, not much good, gets a [dollars] 1 a week at a Tobacco factory. A girl 12 at service when she can get a place, at present at home, and a grandson 2 years old, the Parents of which are dead. Mrs. Corrigan is 55 years of age, very hard of hearing and injured in the right shoulder. Pays [dollars] 3 rent per month. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. Bread for week and soup.

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376. William Dean: McDonnells Yard, Terauley St., aged 40, wife 39. Irish. Ch of England. At present not well in health. one child, a girl 11 at home, also an old woman (Dean's Mother) lives with them and would like some firing. Allowed 600 lbs. Coal.

377. Mrs. Gearish: 63 Louise Street, aged 23. Husband out of Employment and child, a boy 17 months old. Near her confinement. Emigrants from London, England. Methodist Church. Very respectable people. To have 600 lbs. Coal, and bread if they like to come for it.

Tuesday, 15th March 1870

Present, Revd. Mr. Darling & Messrs. J. McBean and G. Rowell

378. Elisa Dyer: 121 1/2 Adelaide St. West in the rear. A widow, aged 42, Methodist. 3 Children at home. Boy 15, boy 12 1/2 girl 11 1/2. She has hurt her foot and the boys who are printers are out of work or else she would not have occasion to apply. To have 8 lbs. bread per week and 800 lbs. Coal.

379. Widow Lindsay: Hayden Street, off George St. North side. 29 years old, and child aged 5 years. Lives by washing and scrubbing. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. Coal only.

380. Elisa Kelly: In Case 895 in 1869. To have Coal once more.

381. Elizabeth Scott: In Case 137, To have coal once more.

382. Agnes Graham: In Case 769 in 1869, applied for the admission of one of her children, a little girl aged 7 years who is a cripple, the rest of her children are provided for. The Committee refer her case to Doctor whether it will be proper case for the Institution, and to call again on Friday.

383. Catharine Thompson: In Case 204, to have coal allowed once more.

Friday, 18th March 1870

Present, Revd. Mr. Darling and Mr. J. McBean and G. Rowell

384. George Johnson: Aged 53. English. Ch of Engl. 10 years in Canada. says had no settled home, went about teaching School. has very bad ulcerated legs, brought a note from Dr. Hallowell who recommends him as a proper case for House of Industry. Committee advised Johnson to apply to the Hospital for admission, where he may get care.

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385. Agnes Graham: In Case 382. The Doctor examined the child and reports that it is seven years of age, is a strong healthy girl, but weak in mind, and slow of speech, with an ununited fracture of the right leg just above the ankle, from which she will probably always remain a cripple. Committee advise Mrs. Graham to try and do the best she can. For the child's sake they will assist her from the House as much as can be done. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, Coal once more, and a small ration of groceries per month.

386. John Richardson: in Case 155. To have coal once more.

387. Johanna Lynch: in Case 837. To have coal once more on account of the husband's bad health.

388. George Johnson: In Case 384, came back for shelter in building for casual poor, says the Mayor refused to send him to the Hospital. Although Johnson says he has had no settled home for the ten years he resided in Canada, he seems to have no claim on this Charity, having never resided in Toronto before.

389. Thomas Stamp: 191 Sayer St., aged 29, wife 22. English Immigrants, came out last Summer. Methodist Church. 2 Children, boys, aged 18 months and 4 months. respectable people. Stamp is a Carpenter and did very well last fall, and had laid up enough to help them through the winter, when his wife took ill and kept her bed for ten weeks which entirely used up their little savings. They are now badly off for firing, which Visitor recommends.

390. Emily Stuart: 59 Elm Street. Aged 38. English. Ch of England. One child, a boy 2 years old. The husband about 60 years of age had a situation as Clerk in one of the Insurance companies but took to drinking and lost his place. He is hanging about Town but does nothing for his wife and child. Mrs. Stuart has a sewing machine and supports herself and child as best she can. finds it very hard to get along just now, would like a little firing which Visitor recommends, also a little Bread & Soup.

391. Jane Fletcher: In Case 316, came back to Toronto again with a view of getting into Lying in Hospital. says she can sleep there at nights, but will not allow her there through the day. would like to get her meals at this Institution.

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Tuesday 22nd March 1870

Present Revd. S. Givins

392. Jane Fletcher: in Case 391. Allowed to come to the House and have her meals until her confinement takes place.

393. Kate Kelly: aged 28. Irish. Ch of Engl. Lived in Service at Eglinton but came to Toronto with a view of getting into General Hospital. Seeks shelter until she can get admission there.

394. Rebecca Anderson: aged 30, from England one year and nine months, one of Mrs. Rye's girls. Lived in service with different families, but is now out of a situation, seeks shelter for a few days until she can get another place.

395. William Cunningham: Aged 36. Irish. Ch of Engl. 9 years in Canada. A peddler with only one area. came from Georgetown, says times are hard with him just now. would like to be allowed to stay for a few days.

396. John Handford: Aged 30. English. Ch of England. 4 years in Canada. Says he worked for Mr. Goderham [Gooderham] at Pine Grove, and sometimes in Toronto. Brought a note from Dr. Hallowell stating that Handford suffers from throat affection, and ought very well be treated out of Hospital but being destitute recommends him for admission into House of Industry.

397. William Irwin: In Case 281. Died this day March 23rd from Heart disease. Aged 65.

398. Leonard Wilson: Visitor recommends a ration of groceries on account of the wife being sick.

Friday, 25th March 1870

Present, Revd. Mr. Givins

399. John Handford: in Case 396. To have shelter for a few days, and his case to be brought before the revising Committee.

400. Mary Stock: in Case 366. Applied for groceries, says her husband has got a bad cold. Cannot allow any but may have a little Oatmeal.

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401. Elizabeth Evitt: Rear of 457 1/2 Richmond St. West in the rear. Is quite out of fuel and her husband being paralysed is unable to earn it. Visitor would be glad if additional coal could be sent.

402. Ann Brown: in Case 372. Doctor examined and says there is nothing about her to prevent her admission. Ann into the House on the 26th of March.

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The Committee for revising List of Labour and Outdoor Poor met today Monday, March 28th at 3 O'Clock P.M.

Present, E. Hobson Esq. and J. McBean Esq.

403. The Committee think it advisable to close the Soup Kitchen on the 1st of April and also to strike off the List, all Families receiving outdoor relief on that date. Urgent cases may then apply again and be revisited and become recipients for relief during the Summer months.

The following Inmates to be Discharged from the Institution.

404. Fanny Foley: (alias Clark) and child to leave by the 1st of May, given her time to look for a place. See Case 462 in 1869.

405. William Ross: in Case 766 in 1869, must look for Employment by the 1st of May, as he will have to leave the Institution by that date. Left 11th of April.

406. James Patterson: in Case 846 in 1869, to leave after the 1st of April, his Pension will be paid by that time, which will help to give him a start. Left 11th of April.

407. James Coleman: in Case 34 in 1870, allowed to stay until 1st of May, ought to be able to get work at his trade (Shoemaking) before that time. Left.

408. George Miller: in Case 982 in 1869, must find Employment by the 1st of May, as he cannot stay here after that date.

409. John White: and wife, in Case 243 in 1870, to go to work as soon as possible, and get a place for themselves. Left.

410. Hugh Graham: in Case 317 in 1870, must get to his friends in the Country as soon as the weather gets fine. positively by 1st of May. Left.

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411. Andrew Austin in Case 318 in 1870. Allowed to stay until next Monday week, must leave by that time. Left.

412. Thomas Stratton: in Case 363 in 1870, must find Employment by the 1st of May, not allowed to stay after that date. Left.

413. George Johnson: in Case 388 in 1870. Allowed to remain for a short time longer as his legs are rather bad yet. Left June 20.

414. John Handford: in Case 399 in 1870, will be allowed to remain until 1st of May.

Tuesday, 29th March, 1870

Present, Revd. Dr. Topp, Revd. Mr. Trew, and S. Rogers, Esq.

415. Cecelia Edwards: Had relief during the winter months, applied for a continuation of the same. To be visited.

416. Ann Colebridge: 29 South Park Street. Applied for a little more coal. To be visited.

417. Phoebe Lewis: 31 1/2 South Park Street. Had relief during the winter, asks to have it continued a little longer. Referred to Visitor.

418. Hannah Smith: 79 Sayer St. Received relief during the winter. Asks to have it continued on account of her young family. Referred to visitor. Visitor recommends 300 lbs. Coal more, and 8 lbs. bread per week during the Summer months.

Friday, 1st April 1870

Present, Revd. Dr. Topp and S. Rogers, Esq.

419. Leonard Wilcox: to have coal once more, 300 lbs. and 6 lbs. bread per week during the Summer months.

420. Ann Linley: Recommended by Mr. MacDonald to have coal once more, and her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.

421. Isabella McAdams: Mr. MacDonald recommends coal once more and her allowance of 6 lbs. of Bread continued during summer months.

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422. Sarah Bloomer: 300 lbs. Coal more, and 4 lbs. bread during Summer.

- 423. Elisa Wheat: 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.
- 424. Elizabeth Burns: 300 lb. Coal, bread during Summer 4 lb. a week
- 425. Jane Curran: 300 lbs. Coal, bread during Summer 4 lbs. per week.
- 426. Honora Hogan: 300 lbs. Coal, and bread during Summer 4 lbs. a week
- 427. Penelope McMillan: 300 lbs. coal, bread 4 lbs. during Summer
- 428. Mary Hurley: to have 4 lb. bread per week during Summer Months.
- 429. Elizabeth Johnson: 300 lbs. Coal and 4 lbs. bread during Summer
- 430. Ann Sawtell: Coal once more and 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
- 431. Honora Gillan: 300 lbs. Coal and her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 432. Charlotte McCan: 600 lbs. Coal, ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.
- 433. Martha Carr: her allowance of 4 lbs. bread for week continued.
- 434. Elizabeth Neal: 300 lbs. Coal, and 4 lbs. bread for week continued.
- 435. Caroline Ryan: her ration of 4 lb. bread continued also groceries.
- 436. Matilda Bagley: 300 lbs. Coal, and 8 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
- 437. Jane Corcoran: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 438. Elizabeth McConvey: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.
- 439. Ann Lloyd: her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 440. Sarah Williams: 300 lbs. Coal, and 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
- 441. Mary Ann Henry: 300 lbs. Coal, and her bread 4 lbs. a week continued.
- 442. Clara Stain: 300 lbs. Coal, and 8 lbs. bread per week continued.
- 443. Sarah McQuiggan: 300 lbs. Coal, allowance of bread during Summer 6 lbs.
- 444. Jane Ames: 600 lbs. Coal, and 12 lbs. bread a week to 1st of May.
- 445. Mary Madigan: allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer.
- 446. Jane McGurke: 300 lbs. Coal, and 8 lbs. bread during summer months.
- 447. Mary Hutchinson: 300 lb. Coal, and 6 lbs. bread during Summer.
- 448. Ann Duval: Allowance of 4 lbs. bread per week continue.
- 449. Ann Silver: 3 lbs. Coal, bread continued, 4 lbs. per week.
- 450. Mary Morrow: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 451. Garrett Flood: 400 lbs. Coal, and 6 lbs. bread per week.
- 452. Margaret Gale: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread during Summer.

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- 453. Margaret Eaton: 300 lb. Coal, and 4 lbs. bread per week.
- 454. Jane O'Neill: Allowance of 6 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
- 455. Ann Mack: 300 Coal, and 6 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
- 456. Elizabeth Bartlett: To have her allowance of 12 lbs. continued.
- 457. Hannah Ashaw: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer.
- 458. Grace Langley: 300 Coal, and 4 lbs. bread during summer.
- 459. Fanny Moore: 300 Coal, and 8 lbs. bread during summer.
- 460. Julia Brown: 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
- 461. Elisa Gunson: 300 Coal, 4 lbs. bread during summer.
- 462. Jane Sinclair: 300 Coal, and 10 lbs. bread during summer.

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- 463. Elisa Holland: her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.
- 464. Ann Barber: 4 lbs. bread per week during Summer Months.
- 465. Mary Rutherford, 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 466. Fanny Gordon: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 467. Mary Hudson: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.
- 468. William Turner: 300 lbs. Coal, 6 lbs. bread continued.
- 469. Martha McConkey: 4 lbs. bread a week during Summer.
- 470. Oliver Jacksons "Widow", 300 lbs. Coal, 8 lbs. bread during summer.
- 471. Phoebe Gray: 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread during summer months.
- 472. Emma Munroe: her ration of 12 lbs. bread continued during summer.
- 473. Andrew Allison: 6 lbs. bread continued during summer.
- 474. Maria Clark: to have 12 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.
- 475. Mary Howith: 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.
- 476. Jane Yowell: 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread continued.

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477. Bridget McCabe: 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread continued.
478. Hannah Smith: 300 lbs. Coal, 8 lbs. bread per week continued.
479. Louisa Cornish: 300 lbs. Coal once more.
480. Bridget McCan: 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.
481. Ann Connell: 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.
482. Mary O'Brien: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
483. Elizabeth McCauley: 4 lbs. bread during summer months.
484. Mary Davey: 300 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread during summer.
485. Emily Stuart: 300 lbs. Coal once more.
486. Agnes Graham: 300 lbs. Coal, 8 lbs. bread continued.
487. Elisa Goodwin: 300 lbs. Coal once more.
488. Elizabeth Hawkins: 65 Elm St. 300 lbs. Coal, 8 lbs. bread continued.
489. Ann Boles: 300 lbs. Coal, 8 lbs. bread to 1st of May.
490. Isabella Anderson: 4 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.
491. Mary Coulter: 4 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.
492. Bridget Connelly: 6 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.
493. Catharine Spurrier: 6 lbs. bread per week until 1st of May.
494. Celia Edmonds: 4 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
495. Bridget Efferson: 4 lbs. bread until 1st of May.
496. Patrick McKane: 6 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
497. Ellen Purtell: 4 lbs. bread during Summer Months.
498. Mary Ann Wade: 8 lbs. bread to 1st of May.
499. Johanna Riley: 4 lbs. bread until 1st of May.
500. Ann Colebridge: 29 South Park Street and
501. Phoebe Lewis: 31 1/2 South Park Street, Visitor visited these parties, and recommends that bread allowance be continued to each for another Month, up to 1st of May. Colebridge 6 lbs. and Lewis 8 lbs. per week.

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502. Mary Smith: Aged 20. Canadian. Methodist Church. Not Married. Got herself into trouble, and has a child (female), 5 weeks old. Says she worked in a woolen factory and earned [dollars] 2 per Month. Came from Kingston to Toronto, apparently with a few of getting rid of her child, says will be take on in the factory again if she comes without the child. Was sent to the House by the Mayor, who requests that she may be take into the House for a short time, that her case seems to be a sad one, but she has herself to blame. April 1st.

503. Alexander Parson: about 18 years of age. Presbyterian Church. Came with his mother from Scotland when very young. Lived out with different parties near Montreal. For last 3 years in Goderich Township . A farmer named William Casty with whom he lived for last 3 Months, and at whose place he took sick, put him on the Carr's and sent him to Toronto to get rid of him because not being able to work any longer. The Police took charge of the poor fellow on his arrival, and brought him to the House for Shelter at 9 o'clock P.M. April 1st.

Tuesday, 5th April 1880

No committee present.

504. Mary Hickling: 37 Nassau St.: To have 300 lbs. Coal once more.

505. Margaret Douglass: 228 Queen Street West. Recommended to have 300 lb. Coal once more and 4 lbs. bread during Summer.

506. Ann Poolbrock: to have her allowance of Bread continued 4 lbs.

507. Maria Smith: James St. 3 doors from Pine Street. 300 lb. Coal once more, and 8 lbs. bread continued until 1st of May.

508. Jane Charlton: 56 North Park St. To have 300 lbs. Coal once more, and 8 lbs. bread until 1st of May.

509. Elizabeth Patton: to have Coal once more.

510. Samuel Teanby: in Case 316 left the Institution, and went to Cobourg where he expects to get Employment.

511. Thomas Haydon: in Case 359. Left the House. Has got into Employment.

512. Margaret Lawrie: Coloured. 4 lbs. bread continued. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Williams.

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Present: E. Hobson Esqr.

513. Sarah McGregor: rear of 169 Centre St. An old Pensioner on the House, has been away with some friends in the country, but is now back in Toronto, applied for her ration of Bread, granted 4 lbs. per week.

514. Mary Ruglan: Blind. Ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

515. Mary McLean: rear of Baptist Church, Bond Street. To have her ration of 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

516. Mary Erle: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread per week to 1st May.

517. Phoebe Carling: an Inmate, in Case 153, applied to Committee for permission to leave the House and was refused, but we afterwards allowed to go on account of disturbances she made.

518. Martha Jones: Colored. 70 Emma Street. Her ration of 8 lbs. bread a week continued.

519. Mary Smith: in Case 502, allowed to remain in the House until Monday, when she will have to go back to her friends.

Tuesday, 12th April 1870

Present E. Rutherford Esqr.

520. William Lawrie: in Case 77, asked permission to leave the House, says intends to go to New London where he has friends. Allowed to do so.

521. Ellen Langlan: 187 Centre St. Allowed her bread during the Summer 8 lbs. per week.

522. Ellen Courtney: 115 Nelson St. 60 years old. Husband 70, paralyzed, not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lb. bread and Coal.

Friday, 15th April 1870

No committee present being Good Friday

No Applicants.

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Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent and J. Tyner Esq.

523. Henry Bushell: aged 59. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. 17 years in the States, 25 years in Canada, living in different places. Last place of residence was Hamilton. Applied there to the Mayor for relief on account of bad Eyesight, was sent by him (the Mayor), to Toronto as the best place for being cured. Arriving in Toronto without means he applied to the Mayor again, who sent him to the House with a Note recommending his admission for a short time while Dr. Rosenburgh is attending to his Eyes. Committee will allow him to remain in building for casual poor for a time. Left June 20th.

524. Jane Lee: In Case 570 in 1863, went on trial (April 7th) with J. W. Collins, at NewMarket, previous of being apprenticed.

Friday, 22nd April 1870

Present, Revd. J. M. Laurent & J Tyner Esqr.

525. Mary Wilson: aged 40. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Spinster. Came from Oakville, says is looking for a place, in the meantime is seeking shelter here, having no means to pay for Lodgings.

526. Sarah Ross: in Case 472 in 1869. Aged 50. English. Ch of Engl. Her place of abode is at Dundas, but she often pays Toronto a visit and gets on a drunken spree. Was for the last 6 Months in Toronto Gaol. Came for a few days shelter until she can get a place.

Tuesday, 26th April 1860

Present, W. J. MacDonell, Esqr., and Revd. Mr. Cochran

527. Sarah Ross: in Case 526, allowed to remain for a week, and then to be sent back to Dundas, and if by any chance she gets out, and comes back the worse for drink, she is to be kept out.

528. Mary Wilson: in Case 525, to find herself a place.

529. Jane Malone: Applied for a continuation of her bread allowance. To be visited.

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530. James McKenny: Aged 33. Canadian. Ch of England. See Case 35. Has left the Hospital. Applies for admission. Allowed shelter in building for casual poor for a time.

Friday, 29th April 1870

Present, W. J. MacDonell, Esqr.

531. Rebecca Anderson: Aged 30. English, Ch of Engl, from England, 2 years was in Service at Toronto, met with an accident while cleaning paint slipped off a stepladder and broke two of her ribs, at present out of place, and not able to do very strong work, is desirous of coming into the House for a time, and will make herself general useful in helping to clean the House. Admitted on those terms.

532. Elizabeth Dempsey: an Inmate asked leave to go out to make some arrangement to get to Chicago where she has friends, who she thinks are able to keep her. Left May 3rd.

533. Johanna Lynch: Hope Street. Recommended for an allowance of Bread during Summer Months on account of sick husband. To have 6 lbs. per week.

534. Fanny Foley: and Child, in Case 404, left the Institution April 18th.

Tuesday, 3rd May 1870

Present. Mr. Alderman Sheard and E. Hobson Esqr.

535. Mrs. Porter: Rear of 15 McMahon St. Sick. In Consumption. Husband a Shoemaker. Don't want relief.

536. Catharine Mooney: 44 Duchess St. 60 years old. R.C. Not able to work. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread.

537. Mrs. Boyle: 428 King Street East. Not in when visitor called there.

538. Jane Malone: North side of King, 3 doors east of Caroline Street. 67 years old. Not able to work. Sight very bad. Catholic from Ireland. 4 lbs. bread per week.

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Friday 6th May 1870

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson, Esqr.

538. Jane Malone: in Case 538, to have 4 lbs. bread during summer months.

539. Mary Ann Johnson: Coloured. In Case 727 in 1869. Went to Service May 9th with a Mrs. Rowell at No. 210 Queen Street West.

540. Mary Smith: in Case 78. Left the place on her own accord. Very unsteady, prefers a vagrant life instead of a home in the house. May 9th.

Tuesday, 10th May 1870

Present, J. McBean Esqr. and E. Hobson Esqr.

541. Johanna Riley: Widow aged 30. Irish. R.C. 3 children. Girl 15 in service at [dollars] 3 a month, boy 11 and boy 5 years old. Had relief during the winter, is applying to have it continued during Summer. Cannot be allowed.

542. Henry Adams: Aged 66. English. Was formerly an Inmate and very useful man about the premises. Has been in bad health of late, seeks admission for a time.

Friday, 13th May 1870

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson, J. McBean and Mr. Alderman Sheard

543. Catharine Mooney: in Case 536, to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.

544. Mary Coulter: in Case 491 applied for a continuation of her bread during Summer. Allowed 4 lbs. per week.

545. Amos May: Who is at present in General Hospital, an incurable case, was strongly recommended by the Mayor for admission into House of Industry, the Mayor stated in his note that a Brother of the patient will contribute towards his support. Committee agreed to admit the Main (should be apply) as his brother paying the sum of [dollars] 1.50 per week. Ch of Eng.

546. Jane Read: in Case 550 in 1869 died this day (May 16th) at half past 3 O'clock P.M. Aged 59.

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Tuesday, 17th May 1870

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard and E. Hobson, Esqr.

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547. Thomas Blair, aged 35. Native of Ireland. Presbyterian Church. 22 years in Canada. Lived chiefly on the Grand river, and latterly on the gravel road between Clinton and Wingham, where he got his leg broke about 22 weeks ago. The County supported him during that time, but paid his fare to Toronto last Saturday to get into General Hospital, where he was refused admission. Brought a note from Dr. Hallowell recommending his admission into House of Industry. Committee consider the man has no claim on this Institution, and advise that he go to the Mayor of this City and state his Case, with a view of being sent back to his own county.

Friday, 20th May 1870

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard and E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants

548. William Dalton: In Case 752 in 1859 left the Institution on his own account.

549. Gilbert Hannah: aged 67, Native of Ireland, R.C. Church. 26 years in Canada, says he chiefly resided in Toronto Township with 7 miles of Toronto. Nearly blind, no friends, no means of support. Brought a note from the Mayor regarding his Case to be inquired into. Admitted for a time.

550. Joseph Marshall: aged 36. English. Ch of England. 5 months in Canada. Emigrant. 2 weeks in Toronto. Came up from Quebec where he was employed in a grocery. Says has no means of supporting himself. In bad health. Seeks shelter until he can get into Hospital.

Tuesday, 24th May 1870

Present, No Committee

No Applications

Friday, 27th May 1870

Present, No Committee

No Applications

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Tuesday 31st May 1870

Present R. Wilkes Esqr. & Mr. Sheriff Jarvis.

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551. James Allan: Aged 35, Native of England, Ch of England. 25 years in Lower Canada. A cabinet maker. Came last fall from Montreal, has been sick and has at present a bad hand, festured, which unfits him for work at present. Says he is destitute of funds, asks shelter until his hand gets better.

552. Alexander Parson: in Case 503, is quite well now, and able to work, left for the country.

553. Samuel Wedge: an Inmate, see Case 431 in 1869. Had leave to go to Church last Sunday. Has not returned since.

554. James Blakely: in Case 116, cleared of the premises without leave. June 1st.

555. Sarah Boyd: Not Margaret as stated in case 867 in 1869. Has been recommended by Visitor, Hon. Mr. Allan, for a continuation of an allowance of 6 lbs. of bread during the summer months. She is a very respectable and industrious woman.

Friday, 3rd June 1870

No Committee present.

No Applicants

Tuesday, 7th June 1870

No Committee present

No Applicants

556. James McHale: in Case 745 in 1868, died this day June 7th, Aged 80 years.

557. John Bright: in Case 374 left the Institution with the intention of going to work.

558. Elisa McHale: in Case 245, left the Institution on her own accord on the day of her husband's burial. June 8th.

559. Ellen Marshall: in a home next to Louisa Street applied for a ration of Bread during summer months.

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Friday, June 10th 1870

Present: E. Hobson, Esqr.

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No Applicants

Tuesday, June 14th 1870

Present: G. Rowell Esqr.

560. Amos May: in Case 545, was sent here for admittance by Alexr. Marshall Esq., P.M. [Police Magistrate] having been found wandering about the City without a home. Says about 50 years of age. Native of Ireland, formerly in the Toronto Police. R.C. Church. June 13th.

561. Elizabeth Pickrell: Aged 40. Widow. English. Ch of England. 18 years in Canada. Lived at Cobourg and Port Hope. came this morning to Toronto with intention of going to Hamilton where she has a Son. Seeks shelter for a day or two.

562. George Wm. Taylor: A boy about 9 years of age. Was sent here by the Revd. Mr. Givins to be taken care of until some enquiry can be made about him. The boy says his native place is Bristol, England, sailed 3 months ago from London in the Steamer Tweed with his Father and step mother, on their arrival at Toronto the father placed the boy with a Mr. Harris a Gardener, who it appears set him adrift yesterday. believes his parents went back to England. June 16th.

563. James Sheahy: in Case 798, left the House with intention of getting into General Hospital.

Friday, June 17th 1870

Present, Messrs. J. Thom and J. Rowell

564. George Wm Taylor: in Case 562, is to be admitted until some enquiries can be made by Revd. Mr. Givins.

565. Amos May: In Case 560 to be admitted, after seeing the Doctor.

566. Elizabeth Beatty: Aged 39. Irish. Chof Eng. A Widow. Lived formerly in Prescott, for the last four years in Toronto. One girl about 12 in Service, another 6 in Girls Home. Mrs. Beatty came out of Gael yesterday. Says is not well enough just now. Seeks shelter for a day or two. June 20th.

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567. James Allen: in Case 551, left the Institution. has got Employment.

568. William Rankin: an Inmate, died this day June 20th at 10 OClock P.M. Aged 85 years. See Case 644 in 1869.

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Tuesday, 21st June 1870.

No Committee present

No Applicants.

569. Elizabeth Newberry: in Case 688 in 1869, died this day June 23d at Eleven OClock P.M. Aged 99 years.

Friday, 24th June 1870.

No Committee present

No Applicants

570. Gilbert Hannah in Case 549. was brought before the General Board last Tuesday on account of [dollars] 18.17 [cents] having been found on his person. The board ordered that the money was to be retained, and charged for Gilberts board as the man wishes to leave to day June 25th. the Money was returned with the exception of [dollars] 6 which was deducted for four weeks board at the rate of [dollars] 1.50 per week. The man by his own account seems to belong to Hamilton.

Tuesday 28th June 1870

Present, Revd. Dr. Lapp & S. Rogers Esqr.

571. George Wm. Taylor: in Case 562, appears to have been in the 'Boys Home', Superintendent to make enquiries. Made enquiries, and delivered the boy over to his Parents who live on Roxborough St. The name is Harris not Taylor, this is the fourth time he has run away from Home since they came from England which is only 6 weeks ago.

572. Rachel Locker: Coloured, say 70 years of age, Baptist Church. Received out door relief last winter. She was sent here to day (June 28th) by the Police Magistrate for admission, having been arrested as a vagrant.

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Friday, 1st July, 1870.

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No Committee present.

No Applicants.

573. Maria Chapman: 166 York St. Married. Ch of England. lately from England. Aged 40. Husband 41. Has 5 children. Girl 17, girl 12, boy 10, girl 7, and girl 4. They are waiting to get settled, require aid but a short time. To have 12 lbs. bread until further notice.

574. Louisa Moulson: The same apartments as above Case. Ch of Engl. Late from England. Married. Aged 41. Husband 27. 3 children, boys 5, 4, and 11 months old. This family as the above want to get settled, will require aid but a short time. To have 8 lbs. bread per week until further notice.

575. Ellen Marshall: 71 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. Widow, aged 64. Not able to work, she has been in the House of Providence for some time. gets a little help from persons she used to work for. pays rent [dollars] 1.50 per month. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread per week, and to be kept on the List.

576. John Lafferty: in Case 844 in 1869. has been in bad health for some time, got admission into General Hospital to day and consequently left the House. June 2nd.

577. Rachel Locker: Coloured, in Case 572. died this day July 4th at half past 3 O'clock.

578. Henry Lawrence: Aged 85 and his wife Margaret aged 67, who were admitted by the General Board at their last meeting June 21st. came into the House on July 2nd. They are old residents in Toronto, both natives of Ireland & Ch of England. lived for the last 3 years with a daughter who cannot keep them any longer, on account of her husband having got himself into trouble by killing a man, for which he is now awaiting his trial, and the wife will go to service.

Tuesday, 5th July 1870.

Present, Revd. Dr. Barclay.

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579. John Kelly: in Case 412 in 1860, died this day July 7th aged 100 years.

Friday, 8th July, 1870.

No committee present.

580. Joseph Myers: lives next to 456 little Richmond Street, west side. Married. one child, aged 6 1/2 years, himself 36, wife 30. Ch of England, 3 weeks from England. Has a bad hand, a bite perhaps from a

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wasp, or spider. To have 8 lbs. bread for a week or two. has employment at coopering as soon as his hand gets well.

Tuesday, 12th July, 1870.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr. for E. H. Rutherford Esqr.

581. Catharine Kearney: an old Out door Pensioner She and her husband are to [too] old to do anything for themselves, Visitor recommends a small allowance during summer months. To have 4 lbs. bread per week. Keating, not Kearney.

582. Margaret Densmore: 37 James Street. A widow. Irish. R.C. 3 Children at home. to have 4 lbs. bread during summer months.

Friday, 15th July, 1870.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr. for E. H. Rutherford Esqr. & Revd. E. Baldwin.

583. George Fisher: in Case 518 in 1869, died this day July 16th aged 70 years.

Tuesday 19th July 1870

Present Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

584. William Dalton: formerly an Inmate, see Case 548. seeks admission again. To be admitted.

585. James Blakely: in Case 554 was brought here for readmission by order of the Police Magistrate, having been found begging about the streets of Toronto.

586. William Bell: in Case 605 in 1864. died this day July 19th, at half past 12 OClock P.M. Aged 70 years.

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Friday 22nd July, 1870.

Present Revd. J. M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

587. Elisa Shea: Aged 39. Wife of Dennis, came for a few days shelter with her four children, says her husband has gone to Montreal peddling, and during his absense she was distressed by her Landlord for rent. Irish. R.C.

588. Ellen Bolan: Aged 27. A widow, Irish. R.C. has one child with her, Jane aged 7 year. came from Detroit where she lived in Service for some time, intend's going to Collingwood where she has a Brother. seeks shelter for a few days' rest.

589. Mrs. Lane: a Coloured woman, made application for the admission of two Coloured children, says they were left with her about 3 months ago, and the Mother has not been heard of since. Mr. Hobson visited, and recommends 8 lbs. Bread a week while the Children remain with her.

Tuesday, 26th July, 1870.

Present. J. T. Smith Esqr. & W. J. MacDonell Esqr.

590. William Finney: 121 Queen St. East. Mr. Allan visited the family yesterday, The wife was confined about 8 weeks ago, and since then she has been attacked with rheumatic fever, which has rendered her entirely helpless. The husband who appears to be a respectable man, says that he has been obliged to give up his work, which is upholstering, to attend upon his wife who cannot even move in bed without help. They have four children the eldest a girl of 13 years is blind and therefore of no assistance to her Mother, but has to be attended upon herself, the youngest is a baby 8 weeks old. Visitor thinks it is a case for relief, in the shape of bread and tea & sugar & oatmeal, at least until the husband can resume his work again. 3 years in Toronto. English. R. C. Church.

591. James Sheahy: in case 563, came back from General Hospital, seeks readmission into the Institution. Admitted.

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Friday, 29th July, 1870.

Present J. T. Smith Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

592. Mary McDonnell: A widow, aged 29. Canadian. R.C. 5 children, boys John 12, Frank 11, Joseph 10, Martin 5, and William 4 years of age. Lived for the last 3 years in Toronto with a Sister, who has now left for Ottawa. Mrs. McDonnell intends going to Hamilton her Native place, seeks shelter for a few days until she can procure a pass to take her there.

Tuesday, 2nd August. 1870.

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & Mr. E. Hobson.

593. Joseph Marshall: in Case 550. Made application for readmission for a short time until he gets better of summer complaint, which reduced him to such a state that he is unable to work, and has no means to support himself. To see the Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

594. Michael Hopper: 60 years of age. Ch of England. A Native of Wigton Cumberland, England. say's has been 5 years in the States, and last 9 years in Canada, no settled home, worked in different places as a farm labourer. brought a note from Revd. Dr. Fuller recommending his admission. The man seems to have seen better days. his memory seems to be affected. Admitted.

595. Elizabeth Billings in Case 532 in 1869. died this day August 4th at half past two OClock P.M.

Friday, 5th August, 1870.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard, and E. Hobson, Esqr.

596. Margaret Spinks: Native of Ireland. Ch. of England. Aged 23. Daughter of the old couple Lawrence in Case 578. applied for admission until the trial of her husband, who is at present in Gaol on a charge of causing the death of one Richard Allan. Being a strong healthy woman, and having no incumbrance, Committee advise, she go to service.

597. Ann Shaw: in Case 614 in 1869, has been in service since she was here before. her child died last August. She is in a bad state of health, and seeks admission for a time, until better. admitted.

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Tuesday, 9th August, 1870.

Present, Revd. Mr. Boddy & J. Thom Esqr.

598. Arthur Potter: 65 Elm Street. Wife and Sister in law, in General Hospital with Typhoid Fever, consequently the Sisters children are at present dependent upon him, which, with his own make ten in Number, and some of them sick. Potter has to stay at home to take care of them. badly off, for both food and fuel. Mr. Hobson (Visitor), recommends a liberal allowance of bread and groceries, and 600 lbs. Coal for the present. They came lately from Quebec.

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599. Jane Demell: 76 Sayer Street. Aged 20. Native of Napanee, Canada. W. [Welseyan] Methodist Church. In bad health, Consumption. Gets assistance from Richmond St. Church, [dollars] 2, a Month, pay's [dollars] 1.50 per week for her board. does a little sewing when able to work. Says if relief was afforded her from the House, would help to pay for her board. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread per week, and a monthly allowance of groceries.

600. Henry Adams: in Case 542, has left the Institution, having got Employment. Came back August 24. Sick.

Friday. 12th August. 1870.

601. William Dunlevie: formerly an Inmate, See Case 607 in 1869. has been in General Hospital ever since, with a sore leg, which is now partially cured, and it appears no more can be done for him as he has been discharged from the Hospital. Seeks readmission into House of Industry. To see Doctor and if case for the House, to be admitted. Doctor examined, nothing to prevent his admission. Irish. Ch of Engl. Aged 70.

602. Susanna Baldwin: Aged 80. English. Yorkshire. Ch of Engl. A widow 15 years in Canada. She is a relation of the Iredales, has been living with a Nephew, says they are not willing to keep her. Brought a note from Mr. B. Homer Dixon recommending her admission. She was taken into the House, stay'd two days, and asked to go out to get her clothes, did not return.

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603. Ellen Bolan: and child in Case 588, returned again from Collingwood, says she could not find her Brother. seeks shelter for herself and child until Monday.

Tuesday, 16th August. 1870.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard, & E. Hobson Esqr. for J. Doel Esqr.

604. James Brown: aged 28. Native of England. Methodist 5 Months from England, says is in bad health. seeks shelter for a few days, until he can get admitted into Hospital.

605. Mary Graham: Aged 57. Native of Ireland. Ch. of England. 46 years in the U.S. and Canada. says she is out of place at present. seeks shelter for a few days.

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606. Thomas Kelly: in Case 771 in 1869, brought a Note from Revd. Dr. Jennings recommending his admission. The Case was this day before the General Board who declined the Application, because of Kelly being an unfit subject for the Institution.

607. John Butler: an Inmate, in Case 745 in 1866, went on trial with Mr. John Miller Yonge St.  
August 22nd.

Friday, 19th August. 1870.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson, Esqr.

608. Joseph Marshall: in Case 593, left the Institution ^22nd^ yesterday, without leave, and has not returned.

Tuesday, 23d August. 1870.

Present Revd. Dr. Green.

609. Mary Ann Bennett: near the Corner of King & George Streets. Received relief from the House all last winter, and her case has frequently been reported upon. Now the poor woman is threatened with the loss of sight in both Eyes. one has gone entirely, and the Doctors think the other will follow. Under the circumstances therefore Visitor recommends her for an allowance of bread, and to have her name put on the List for the remainder of the year. To have 4 lbs. bread per week.

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610. Rebecca Anderson: in Case 531, went to Service with Mrs. Peebles on Carlton St. August 25th.

611. Ann Moons: aged say 67. A widow. English. Ch. of England. 20 years in Toronto. had relief from the House for several winters. says that 6 weeks ago coming from the Island in the ferry boat she fell, and injured her legs, which prevents her from doing any work. No friends. Was sent from the Mayors office for admission.

Friday, 26th August, 1870.

No Committee present.

No Applicants.

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612. Joseph Singer: aged 75. English. No Church. from the States, 8 days in Canada, looking for Land which was left him by a brother, 25 years ago, and which he cannot find. Seeks shelter for a few days until he can make arrangement to get back to the States.

613. Mary Johnson: aged 50. Irish. Chof England. Says was turned out of her lodgings, because she had no money to pay in advance. seeks shelter for a day or two.

614. John Redmond: aged 36. Native of Ireland. R. C. Church. 22 years in Toronto. Blind for the last four years, says he is subject to fits. Was in the House of Providence for two years, had to leave on account of going out without permission to do so. Has shelter in building for casual poor, until some enquiry can be made about him. Redmond brought a note from Hon. Mr. Allan who refers the Case to Committee.

Friday, 2nd Septbr. 1870.

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard, & E. Hobson Esqr.

615. Edward E. Knight: Aged 62. Native of Ireland. R.C. formerly an Inmate. See Case 269 in 1866. seeks admission again. cannot be admitted, must try to earn his own living.

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Friday. 2nd Septbr. 1870.

616. Edward Barns: aged 81. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. 7 years in Toronto. an old Pensioner in receipt of one shilling sterling a day. Says his wife is a drunken worthless creature who used him badly, wishes to become an Inmate in this Institution, and is willing to pay 9 d [pence] per day for his support if admitted. apparently a very respectable old man. To see the Doctor, and if a proper case Committee will admit him.

617. George Clark: Aged 30. Native of England. ChofEngl. 20 years in this Country, mostly in Toronto. has been sailing on the Lakes. is just recovering from a severe attack of Ague. was sent by the Police Magistrate for admittance, having been arrested for vagrancy by the Police.

Tuesday, 6th September. 1870.

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Present. The Revd. Dean Grasett.

618. Caroline Sanders: rear of No. 9 Renfrew St. Visitor recommends relief on account of her husband who is apparently in a bad state of health. To have 8 lbs. bread per week. See Case 674 in 1869.

619. William Bryant: Aged 76. Native of London, England. 11 years in Toronto. Ch of England. A School teacher without means, or friends to do anything for him. Seeks admission into the House. To be admitted.

620. John Barrett: see Case 797 in 1869. left the House this morning on his own account.

621. The Committee to purchase Coal met to day, (Thursday), September 8th, 1870.

The Gentlemen present. E. Hobson Esqr. (Chairman), J. Tyner Esqr. & J. McBean Esqr.

The following Tenders were opened.

Mr. "Snarr" Brier Hill [dollars] 7.40 Pittston [dollars] 7.50 for the Poor [dollars] 6.40

[ditto] "Conger" [ditto] [dollars] 7.15 [ditto] [dollars] 7.65 [ditto] [dollars] 6.50

[ditto] "Chaffy" [ditto] [dollars] 7.50 [ditto] [dollars] 7.50 [ditto] [dollars] 7.40

[ditto] "Myles" [ditto] [dollars] 7.00 [ditto] [dollars] 7.00 [ditto] [dollars] 5.95

Mr. Myles' Tender being the lowest and otherwise satisfactory was accepted.

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Friday, 9th September, 1870.

No Committee present.

622. Ann Doyle: Corner of Oak & Pine Streets. A Case reported in the winter. widow, with 4 Children, Eldest girl 17, works at needlework at home. now ill and probably in consumption. Boy 13. ill with intermittent fever. One girl 15 out at service who helps to support her Mother and family, and a boy 10 goes to school. Mrs. Doyle herself works at scrubbing washing [etc.] Visitor recommends an allowance of bread for a Month, and a small allowance of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal & Rice, for the sick children. 8 lbs. bread per week.

Tuesday, 13th Septbr. 1870.

Present. Messrs. J. McBean & G. Rowell.

No Applicants.

Friday, 16th Septbr. 1870.

Present. George Rowell Esqr.

No Applicants

Tuesday, 20th Septbr. 1870.

Present. Revd. S. Givins.

623. Ann Brown: say 30 years of age, originally from England, came to Canada when a child. Ch of England. Came from Clifton 5 weeks ago, to look for a situation in Toronto, was arrested as a Vagrant and sent to Gaol for a Month, is now at large again, brought a Note from Mrs. Grasett recommending having the Case brought before the Committee. Allowed shelter in building for casual poor in the mean time.

Friday, 23th [23rd] September, 1870.

No Committee present.

624. Margaret Saulkey: Aged 53. Widow. Irish. Ch of England. Came from Newmarket, with the intention of procuring some Medicine which she can not get at Newmarket. seeks shelter until Monday.

625. John Maher: Native of Ireland. R. C. Church. Came for shelter until Monday, says is sick and without means.

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626. John Jacobs: aged 48. Native of Ireland. Ch of Engl. 7 years in Canada. in Toronto since last January. Canvassed for Mr. Dredge. Not able to pay for Lodgings. Brought a Note from Alexd. MacNabb Esqr. Police Magistrate, who states that Jacobs is in very destitute circumstances and requested to be sent to Gaol as he has no place to go to, but the Magistrate does not like to send a man like him to Gaol, but recommends shelter at House of Industry for a week.

627. Jane Fielding: says 25 years of age. looks more like 45. Irish. Ch of England. A hard Case, turns up now and then for a few nights' shelter when out of Gaol. begs shelter until Monday.

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Tuesday, 27th September, 1870.

Present S. Rogers, Esqr. & Revd. A.G.L. Trew.

628. Michael Coulter: say 75 years of age. husband of Mary who is now in General Hospital. The old couple were in receipt of out door relief for a number of years. Irish. R.C. Church Native of Ireland - was sent by Alexd. MacNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] to be received into the Institution, having been arrested by the Police.

629. Margaret Eberhahn: 32 years of age. Ch of England. Native of Ireland. Lived formerly in Montreal and Toronto, but lately in Chicago on account of her husbands health, who died there. Mrs. Eberhahn came with her only child living, a boy 4 months old to Toronto, having no friends and no means to support herself she made application for admission into House of Industry. Brought a note from Mrs. Grasett, recommending her Case to Weekly Committee.

Friday, 30th September, 1870.

Present: E. Hobson Esqr & Revd. A. G. L. Trew

630. Margaret Eberhahn: in Case 629. To be admitted for the present, with the understanding that she make herself useful.

631. Michael Coulter: in Case 628, expects his wife out of the Hospital, says, he would rather be with his wife then an Inmate. Allowed to go out.

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632. Robert Jones: aged 40. Ch of England. 5 Months from England. East end of London. Left his family behind. A spinner by trade, has been working in different places at anything he could get to do. bad with Rheumatism and summer complaint, seeks shelter for a few days until his gets better.

633. Frank H. Pickett: aged 17. from Buffalo, looking for work. Presbyterian Church. Seeks shelter until Monday.

634. John Wilson: Aged 42. Native of England. Ch of England. Machinist by trade. had been out of Employment from some time. is looking for work in Toronto. no means seeks shelter until Monday.

635. Jonny McCachran: Aged 32. Canadian. No particular Church. Came from Esquesing, where his Mother has a farm, and his Brother who lives on a 100 Acre farm. Seems a little deranged. Was taken up by the Police and brought here for shelter until he can be sent back by Police Magistrate.

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Tuesday 4th September [October] 1870.

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard, & E. Hobson, Esqr.

636. John Redmond: in Case 614, enquire was made about his being dismissed from House of Providence; it appears he was abusive to the inmates and too free of speech to the women. Committee will admit him with the understanding that he conduct himself in a proper manner, if not to be dismissed or handed over to the Police.

637. Jonny McCachran: in Case 635, allowed shelter for a few days until he can be sent back to his friends. was sent back to his friends Octbr. 11th 1870

638. Ellen Galvin: came with her 6 Children from New-London, with the intention of joining her husband who had come to Toronto 2 weeks ago looking for employment. They are Emigrants, only 8 weeks from East end London, England. Originally Natives of Ireland. R.C. Church. Came for shelter for a few days until the husband can be found.

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639. Mary Walker: aged 31. Canadian. R. C. Church. Widow. 2 children, Mary Ann 7, and Lizzie 4 years of age. Came from Montreal where her husband died 10 months ago. on her way to Detroit where she has friends. Asks shelter for a few days until she can procure a pass from the Mayor.

640. Thomas Dingham: aged 30. Native of Ireland. R. C. Church. Emigrant, 2 months out from the old Country. worked on the narrow gauge R.R. got Rheumatism by working in the rain, no means. Brought a note from the Mayor Mrs. Clark Gamble recommending his admission for a few days. Dighman not Dingham

Friday. 7th October, 1870.

No Committee present.

641. William Gavelin: aged 31. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Emigrant, came out in the Golden Fleece 2 months ago. has had no steady employment. has been ten years in the Army. Seeks shelter until Monday.

642. Amos May: in Case 560, died October the 5th at 11 OClock P.M. Aged 50 years.

643. John Butler: in Case 607, was returned to the House. cause - not active enough.

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Tuesday, 11th October, 1870

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard, & E. Hobson Esqr.

645. Thomas Dingham: in Case 640, to be admitted for a time. ^x Digman^

Friday 14th October 1870.

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson Esqr.

646. Charlotte King: 97 Richmond St. East. Emigrant, 6 months out. Husband left 9 weeks ago for the Country to look for work, has not been heard from since. English. Ch of England. one child, a boy 4 months old. Seeks relief - To be visited. Moved to 48 Nelson Street.

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Friday, 14th October 1870.

647. Cornelius Fowler: aged 30. Native of Ireland. R. C. Church. Emigrant, came out last August, came up from Kingston yesterday, says, he has been in the Army for 18 years, and receives 9 d [pence] per day Pension. Seeks shelter until Monday, will then try to get into General Hospital. Rheumatism.

648. Ann Shaw: in Case 597, went to Church last Sunday, has not returned since. Octbr. 18th.

649. Robert Jones: in Case 632, left the Institution and went to Hamilton.

Tuesday ~~Friday~~, 18th October, 1870.

Present J. Tyner Esqr.

650. Margaret Eberhahn: in Case 630, left the Institution with her child Octbr. 11th, went to Chicago where she has friends.

651. Alfred Polson: in Case 221 in 1865, went to Mr. Miller Yonge St. on trial Octbr. 11th in place of John Butler who was returned.

Friday, 21st October 1870.

Present, J. Tyner Esqr.

652. Dalia Draper: Application was made by Mr. Denison for the admission of her and Children into House of Industry. The Case was before the General Board last Tuesday, and by them referred to Revd. Mr. Broughall (Visitor), with power to admit them if necessary. Mrs. Draper had been in Canada 13 years, 11 years in Brantford and 2 years in Toronto. The husband a Machinist, was employed by the Grand Trunk R.R. is now sick & deranged, with his friends in Brantford. There are five children, two out in place, and three with the Mother, Celia, 8, Alice, 6 years, John Charles 7 Months old. Revd. Mr. Broughall visited and recommends admission. Ireland. Church of England. Admitted this Friday Evening.

653. John Taconnat: aged 45. Roman Catholic Church. A Native of France. Seven years in the States. came to Canada a short time since, looking for Employment, which he cannot get, says, is a Cabinet Maker. No means, seeks shelter for a few days.

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Tuesday, 25th October, 1870.

Present, J. T. Smith, Esqr. W.J. MacDonell Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Cochran.

No Applications.

Friday, 28th October, 1870

Present, W. J. MacDonell Esqr & J. T. Smith Esqr.

654. Mary Lawrie: Alias Wilson, Aged 30. Irish. Ch of Engl. An old case, came for shelter until Monday, expects to get a place.

Tuesday 1st November 1870.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard, E. Hobson, & Revd. J.F. Jamot

655. Mary Ann Andrews: 68 Elizabeth St. Aged 30. Husband 31 (sick) 4 Children, girls 16, 7, 4, and 3 years of age respectively. 3 months in Toronto ~~3 months~~ from Montreal. Irish, ChofEngl. Doctor to report by next Friday about husbands health. To have temporary relief in the mean time.

656. Edward E. Wright: in Case 615. To be admitted, with the understanding to keep sober, and behave himself in a proper manner towards the rest of the inmates, if not, to be dismiss'd from the Institution.

657. Thomas Johnson: Aged 53. Native of Ireland, ChofEngl. Ragman. rather weak minded. would like to be admitted for the winter.

658. Mary Gilmore: 50. Ireland. R.C. Church. Lived in Quebec for 14 years. came to Toronto last Friday with her husband. says her husband went to the States and left her to shift as best she could. The woman had shelter, which she asked for. seems to be insane .left because was afraid of being killed.

Friday, Novbr. 4th, 1870.

Present: Revd. Mr. Jamot, Mr. Alderman Sheard, & E. Hobson, Esqr.

659. James Hogan: 77. Irish. R.C. Church. An old resident of this City - old Soldier, has a pension of 9 d [pence] sterling. is desirous of becoming an Inmate of this Institution. His wife Honora lately died. was a pensioner of out door relief from this Institution for many years. Committee consider that Hogan with the Pension he receives ought to get along without relief.

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660. William Hillman: a Moulder by trade. English. Ch of England. Aged 4. four months out. says that while working at Barry [Barrie] at his trade he was severely injured by a heavy lift, and is not strong enough to work at present for his living. Seeks admission for a time. Admitted.

661. Elisa West: a Vagrant, who had shelter for a few nights, and who was desirous to become an Inmate, will go to Weston where she has a Sister with whom she thinks to be able to live.

662. Mary Ann Andrews: in Case 655. Doctor visited, and states that the husband is seriously ill. To have 600 lbs. of Coal, Groceries and 8 lbs. bread for a week.

663. John Meadimber: Aged 70. English. ChofEngl. says was born in the Army, and lived in it all his life. Lived in Canada since the Rebellion and took a very active part. Aparently an old Vagrant. Brought a note from the Mayor strongly recommending his admission into House of Industry. Admitted on condition, not to be allowed to go out and beg.

664. Allan McQuarrie: aged 40 and)

665. James Thompson: aged 25: ) both from Scotland. Presbyt. Church. Emigrants, came out 5 months ago. Employed in the Country until work failed. Came to Toronto without means, looking for Employment. seek shelter until Monday.

666. Nathaniel Crane: 39, a Cooper by trade, and his wife Sarah aged 30, both Americans, belonging to ChofEngl. Came to Toronto to look for a Brother or some relation which could not be found, so they applied for shelter at this Institution until Monday.

667. Catharine Madigan: Aged 30. Irish. R.C. and two Children, a boy 11, and a girl 10 years of age, applied for shelter until Monday. Says, she was turned out of her lodgings, and her husband is under an operation at the General Hospital.

668. Joseph Theobalt: Aged 43, and Elisa his wife aged 45, and 5 Children, Richard 19, a painter, Emily 18, Charlotte 16, Alice 14, and Thomas 12. Emigrants from Kent, England. Came by way of New York, spent all their means, slept one night in Police Station, Came here for shelter Sunday Morning. Novbr. 6th

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669. John Meadimber: in Case 663, is very anxious to find his friends who he thinks reside in the States, would therefore prefer leaving House before Winter sets in, and the roads get bad.

Tuesday, 8th November 1870.

Present: B. Homer Dixon Esqr. & J. Shaw Esqr.

No Applications.

670. Mary Ann Walsh: No. 48 Little Nelson St. A Married woman , lately from England, came to join her husband at Drummondsville but he left there before she arrived, does not know where he is, and is now left dependent on the charitable public, with four Children (girls), 6 years, 4 years, 18 months, & 6 weeks old respectively. Visitor does not know what she will do, the people with whom she is living took her in for a day or two, and one of her children is very sick. Visitor recommends a full ration of groceries, and 12 lbs. of Bread per week for the present. To have groceries & 8 lbs. Bread.

671. Amelia Sandell English ChofEngl. Married. Aged 45. Very ill in consumption, The husband fell of [off] a building and very much injured the spine of his back, and is now in General Hospital with loss of use of lower limbs. No children. Visitor recommends a full allowance of groceries, and 4 lbs. bread, which will have be sent to her. Emigrants. 5 months out. Avenue Lane 3 doors west of Chestnut St.

672. Emily and Charlotte Theobalt, in Case 668 went to Service Novmr. 10th.

Friday, 11th Novbr. 1870

Present, Revd. Mr. Boddy.

673. Patrick Dunnay: Aged 58, Native of Ireland, Roman Catholics Church, says he has been 17 years in Toronto. no family. Was deck hand on board of a Steam Boat, and got hurt in his back, which prevents his earning his living at present. Seeks shelter for a few days.

674. Joseph Theobald: and family in Case 668, left the Institution Novbr. 12th having been successful in getting a house.

675. Mrs. Longhurst. Mrs. Latch and two more Ladies applied on this womans behalf, stating that she has 4 children, 3 years, 18 months, and twins 7 weeks old. Brought a note from Police Magistrate stating that the husband was committed to Gaol as a Lunatic and

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recommending Mrs. Longhurst and Children for admission into the House. Sent the Case to the Visitor, and then to be brought before weekly Committee.

Tuesday, 15th Novbr 1870.

Present. Mr. Alderman Sheard, & E. Hobson Esqr.

676. Patrick Dunnay: in Case 674, brought a note from Revd. Mr. Jamot recommending his admission for some time. Admitted.

677. Mary Ann Walsh: in Case 670, To have 600 lbs. coal, ordered by General Board.

Friday 19th Novbr 1870.

Present Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson Esqr.

678. Rosina Mary Longhurst. A few doors east of Victoria, on South side of Queen Street, in a Lane first house. Emigrants. 3 months out. Aged 33. Husband aged 33, a Labourer out of Employment. very destitute, 4 children, girl 3 years, girl 18 mo. and twins (boy & girl), 7 weeks old. On account of the very

young family, Committee allow one full ration of Tea, Sugar and 8 lbs. bread per week for one month. See Case 675.

679. Alfred Atkey: 156 Terauly Street. English. Ch of England. Married. Aged 23, one child a boy 9 months old. Confined to his bed the last five weeks, apparently consumption. To have 600 [pounds] Coal, a grate, and a full ration of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & Rice.

680. Jane Dundas: 30 Centre Street. A widow aged 56. Irish. Ch of England. 24 years in Toronto, one child, a girl 15, in Service, Neighbours say Mrs. Dundas chiefly lives by begging. Wants relief. Committee offered her admission into the House, which offer she declined accepting.

681. Dennis O'Brien: aged 76. Irish. R.C. Church. in Canada since the Rebellion. Most always worked at, and near the Humber. Came to Toronto to get into the Poor House. no claim on this Institution. Advised to apply to the County Council.

682. John Maher: in Case 625, had nightly shelter in building for casual poor for a considerable time. was informed by Committee not to apply again but to go to work, being young and able.

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683. James Hogan: in Case 659, applied again for admission. Refused. Case was decided before.

684. Margaret Saulkey: A widow aged 54. Irish. Ch of Engl. formerly a resident of Toronto, and at one time an Inmate in this Institution, lived for the last few years at Thomsons ville. Says has no friends to support her, and being in bad health cannot support herself. seeks admission. To see the Doctor and if a fit case, to be admitted.

685. Mary Jane Walsh: 102 Richmond St. West, in the rear. said Number is a Gentlemans House. no such person about that quarter.

686. James Blakely: in Case 585, died this morning at five OClock A.M. Novbr. 20th.

687. Mary Jane Walsh: in case 685, came to the House for a few days shelter, says, she placed her children in House of Providence, and will herself go to service. Left Dcbr. 1st.

Tuesday, 22nd Novbr 1870.

Present, A. F. McCord Esqr & Revd. Dr. Green

688. John Smith, aged 40. Native of Ireland. R.C. 19 years in Canada, used to sail on the Lakes during Summer Months, and stay'd during the winter where the Vessel laid up. has had the Ague and was in Montreal Hospital for 8 weeks, came to Toronto last Friday, says is destitute of means and not able to work on account of a bad state of health. seeks admission. To see the Doctor, and if his statement is found correct with regard to being in bad health, he is then to be admitted for a week or two.

689. William Bryant: in Case 619, died this day Novbr. 22nd at half past ten OClock P.M.

690. William Law: aged 37. Native of Scotland. Ch of England. Served 12 years in the Royal Engineers, but stationed at Halifax where he took his discharge and came to Toronto. Brass finisher by trade, got Employment with Mr. Parker, Bay Street. Has no means to pay for his Board. asks permission to stay at the House at night, and have his meals until the end of the week when he will get paid, and then be enabled to get a Boarding House. Apparently a very steady respectable man. Left 28th.

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691. Edward Dunn: 47 Boulton Street. aged 29. Wife 26. Two children, girl 6, and boy 3 1/2 years respectively. Came from England last summer. his health got so bad that he had to go to Hospital some time ago, is now getting strong and will soon be able to get to work, but rather weak yet. Visitor recommends assistance 6 or 8 lbs. bread per week for two or three weeks. Sigar [cigar] maker. English. Ch of England.

692. Mrs. Cook: ^Elizabeth^ 287 Queen St. West, in the cellar. A widow in poor health. Has 3 children at home, the eldest is a boy of 13 who is anxious to get work, but is at home at present, and likely will be for the winter. She lost her husband last ~~winter~~ Summer by Sun stroke. English Emigrants. Ch of England. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a week.

693. Ann Wallace: Aged 34. Native of Ireland. Ch of England. Husband belongs to 37th Regiment, now stationed at Barbados, has to leave her husband on account of his drunken propensity. Will go to service, but seeks shelter for a few days until she can get a place.

694. Margaret Thompson: Aged 42. Native of Scotland. Presby. Church, came out on the 15th of April last, to join her husband who had come 2 years before, but on her arrival she found him dissipated, and lately left her altogether. in looking after him she got one of her feet badly frozen, and came to Toronto to get into General Hospital. Could not see the Mayor, came for shelter until she can get an order from the Mayor for admission into the Institution.



Tuesday, 29th Novbr. 1870.

Present. R. Wilkes Esqr.

695. Edward Dunn: in Case 691, to have 8 lbs. of bread per week.

696. James Hogan: in Case 683, applied again for admission, is willing to pay his pension to the Institution for his support. Mr. Wilkes wrote an agreement to that effect, which Hogan signed, and which he is to take to Major Macdonald, Staff Officer of Pensioners, and if accepted, the old Man to be admitted.

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Friday, Decbr. 2nd 1870.

Present, Revd. Alexd. Williams & R. Wilkes Esqr.

697. Edward E. Knight: in Case 656, applied for permission to go out once a week, or fortnight, to see his friends. refused, his friends are aware where he is, and will most likely come and see him if they can do anything for him.

698. Martha McConkey: in Case 621 in 1869, McCormack not McConkey. applied for admission. Admitted on condition, that she behave in a proper manner, and make herself general useful.

699. Margaret Eaton: an Out door Pensioner of this Institution for many years. made application for a new stove. Committee suggest that she come into the House, and if not that Out door relief be discontinued as she is a most incorrigible begger.

700. Margaret Lansberry: says came from Collingwood four Months ago, to nurse a son who was in the General Hospital and died there lately, applied for relief for herself and a little Girl about 12 years of age. would prefer going back to Collingwood but has no means. Mr. R. Wilkes gave her a Note to the Mayor recommending a free pass on the Northern R.R. to Collingwood.

701. William Moore: Dorsett House, Dorsett Street. This old Pensioner is about as he has been for many years, a worthless shiftless creature the wife is still more worthless if possible. one daughter aged about 14 years lives with them who earns about 60 [cents] a week. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week, and Coal when the time arrives.

Tuesday, 6th December 1870

Present. Revd. Dean Grasett.

702. Mary Ann McAlister: No. 186, Corner Queen & Sumach Streets. No person of that Name living there.

703. Mrs. [Emily] Gibson: 408 King Street East. Visitor has not been able to see her. but if the Committee will give temporary relief should the case be urgent, Visitor will call to day and report the Case on Friday. English Emigrants, from Clerkenwell London. Landed in Toronto 1st July 1870. Emily Gibson 31. Methodist {N}.C. 5 Children, boy 9, boy 7, boy 5, boy 3, boy 9 weeks old. Husband sick.

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704. William Lee: say 8 years of age, Coloured. was sent here by Mr. Alderman Banstead for admission. The Boy has been in Boys Home several times, and also in Gael. Decbr. 8th.

Friday 9th Decbr. 1870

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson Esqr.

705. Emily Gibson: in Case 703. 408 King Street East, to have bread for the present. Doctor to call upon the husband, and if reported sick as she states, to have Coal 600 lbs. and Groceries.

706. Margaret Coulter: Aged 32, Native of Northumberland, England. Emigrant. say's on account of some Misunderstanding between her husbands friends, and her own friends, she left her husband, and came to Canada with her Brother and his family who live now near Hamilton. Mrs. Coulter came to Toronto and was hired by Mrs. Bartlett Bull York Township. lived there with her little girl aged 5 years (which she brought out with her), until about 4 weeks ago, when she had to leave her place and come to Toronto Lying in Hospital to be confined, her baby a girl is now two weeks old. Seeks admission, having no friends to assist her and no means of her own. R.C. Church. Arrived in Canada on the 1st of July. Apparently a respectable woman. Committee admitted her & baby, also the little girl who is at present with Mr. Bulls family {yet}.

707. Elizabeth Kinder: 69 Queen St. west, in the rear. Married. Aged 28. Husband 39. 5 Children, all boys, aged 9, 7, 5, 3, 1 1/2 respectively. The husband has been in General Hospital for several weeks with Typhoid fever which has settled in his legs. likely to be in Hospital all the winter. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal, and 8 lbs. Bread per week. Granted.

708. Mary Ann McAllister: 186 King Street East. Widow, one Child. Husband drowned in the Bay last spring. Visitor has assisted to get up a subscription for her to obtain a sewing Machine. as she thinks she can support herself by tailoring [etc.] Recommended for an allowance of bread for a Month.

709. Mrs. Mitchell: 55 Edward Street. Visitor called, says they do not require anything now.

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710. Elizabeth Porter: Irish. R.C. 25 years of age. 3 Children. Girl 4, boy 2, and baby 12 weeks old. husband a plasterer. was formerly in the Army. left home 4 weeks ago for parts unknown. Mrs. Porter's Mother 70 years of age is living with them, they are trying to earn a living by pant making. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week. Live at 112 Edward St.

711. Thomas Kelly: brought a Note from J.E. Smith, and another from the Mayor recommending his admission. refused, Kelly not being a proper Case for this Institution. See Case 606.

712. John Barton: aged 19. Canadian. Methodist Church. Lived near Chatham, also in Brantford. Came to Toronto 1st of June, and went into Eye and Ear infirmary to receive treatment for bad Eyes, his friends from the Country paid for him for 3 1/2 Months, cannot do so any longer. Had shelter in St. Nicholas House on Stanley St. but cannot be Kept any longer as it is intended for small boys. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Jamot.

713. Celia and Alice Draper: in Case 652, were taken out of the Institution by their fathers friends, who will provide for them. Dcbr. 10th

714. Emily Gibson: in Case 705. Doctor reports husband very ill. sent Coal and Groceries. & 8 lbs. bread per week.

Tuesday, 13th Decbr. 1870.

Present, Messrs. J. McBean, G. Rowell & Revd. Mr. Darling.

715. Mary Conlan: No. 73 Boulton St. Aged 47. Married. 5 Children, boy 13, girl 9, boy 7, boy 4, and a girl 15 Months old. Husband Insane, was Kept for safe Keeping in Gael, Mrs. Conlan expect's he will shortly be sent to one of the Branch Asylums. Irish. R.C. Church. Visitor recommends the Case to Committee as she will require all the assistance that can be given.

716. John Barton: in Case 712, Mr. McBean will bring his case before the Committee of the Eye and Ear infirmary. in the mean time Barton is to have shelter until next Friday in Building for casual poor.

717. Ann Rutledge: 89 Louisa St. to be visited.

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718. Janett Hamilton: 15 Cherry St. Not in when visitor called, saw her afterward in the Street. From Glasgow 9 Months ago. Widow. Children. John 12, Louisa 9, Charles 6. all at home. John worked in the Mill's until they were closed up. Wants Coal and bread. say 6 lbs., latter, and former when distributed.

Friday, 16th Decbr. 1870.

Present. Messrs. J. McBean & G. Rowell & Revd. Mr. Darling.

719. William Kearney: in a Shanty in the rear of Shakesperes Hotel Corner of King and York Street's. Lives with his daughter who is a Widow, and has 5 Children. cannot afford to help the old man. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread per week.

720. James Bertram: 88 Bay Street. A respectable Man. is now past labour, very unwell, aged 74. Lives with a Mrs. Carter who Keeps a plain Boarding House. gets a certain amount for Keeping the old Gentleman. Mrs. Carter has no objection to get 10 or 1200 lbs. Coal if it comes in a manner that will not mortify her. Bertram has a room and stove of his own, and must have a fire all the time. Visitor recommends the above amount if, sent in a private Cart.

721. Mary Berkely: 70 Sumach St. Husband and Wife, and one Child. Visitor fears that poverty and illness have driven both husband & wife to drown their cares in drink. The husband was decidedly the worse for Liquor when visitor called, who feels also inclined to suspect that the woman had been indulging also. According to their own account they have had a great deal of sickness, lost two of their children this summer and the husband has had the ague. Mr. Allan would be disposed to allow them temporary relief in the shape of a little bread for a fortnight, and have the Case referred again for further enquiry. fears though that his present impressions are correct, and that it will be found that both husband and Wife are intemperate.

722. Catharine Hunter: Aged 50. Canadian. Chof England. says has been living in Toronto for 30 years. was Married, but husband left her 7 years ago. say's her Eyesight is bad, on account of which she left Service. Seems entirely destitute. seeks shelter for a few days. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Sanson. To have temporary shelter in building for casual poor.

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723. Sarah Hand: 438 King Street East. Husband and Wife and 3 Children, eldest 12. youngest not quite 2 years old. Very respectable people, Emigrants, came out in the fall of 1869, from England. Husband who is an elderly Man, got into work very soon after their arrival here, and they would have done very well, but for an unfortunate attack of illness, (inflammation of the lungs) which laid him up nearly all the summer, and now that he is getting better, he finds it's very difficult to obtain any steady work. Visitor recommends them for an allowance of bread for a Month, and Coal as soon as it is given out. then the Names to be sent again, and Visitor will see and report how they are getting on. To have 8 lbs. bread per week.

724. Mary McClinchy: 46 James St. East. Widow with 9 Children. Mrs. McClinchy was not in when Visitor called, but one of the children gave the following particulars of the nine children. the eldest a girl 19. is in delicate health and does nothing. second girl away from home. third. 16 years old. works at slop shop making trowsers [etc.]; Boy 15 at home. another girl 14 and a boy out at service. another small child at home. 2 more in the House of Providence. The Mother goes out to wash and scrub [etc.] Visitor presumes it is Coal that she wants. and from the scanty supply of chips which were seen in the stove it appears they stand in need of some little help in that way. They might be allowed Coal once, until Visitor has an opportunity of hearing more of their Case from Mrs. McClinchy herself.

725. Michael Furlong: Aged 70. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. seeks admission, recommended by Mr. Boxall. Furlong was in the House last winter, and did not behave himself as he should have done. says is not well, and not able to work. To see the Doctor.

726. John Barton: in Case 716. Allowed shelter awhile longer, and Mr. McBean will see Dr. Rosebrugh.

727. Ann Rutledge: rear of No 89 Louisa St. Widow. R.C. Church. Native of Ireland. Aged 40 years. 4 Children, boy 12, girl 10, girl 9, and boy 3 years of age. Appears a clean industrious Charwoman. To have 8 lbs. bread per week, and Coal and soup when given out.

728. Bridget McInerny: 52 Boulton St. to be visited.

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729. George French: Aged 64. Irish. ChofEngl, Resident in Toronto 18 years. Very feeble for his age. No friends, and not able to earn his living. Had out door relief during Winter Months for some years. Seeks admission into the House during the Winter. Recommended by Revd. Dean Grasett. Admitted.

730. Thomas Johnson: in Case 657, left the House on his own account, will try to get into General Hospital.

Tuesday 20th December 1870.

Present. Mr. Alderman Sheard, and Mr. E. Hobson

731. Matilda Att: 15 Cherry Street. Husband, James, a labourer, Visitor did not see him. From Poplar, (East end of London, England) 1 year last August. Children, Margaret, 12. Susan, 8. & Naomi, 6. Chof England. Recommended 8 lbs. bread, also Coal when distributed. A few articles of clothing would be well bestowed, as the furniture and Childrens Clothes were sold not long since for rent, and Mrs. Att is very near her confinement.

732. Ann Conlin: 188 King St. East. Widow. 2 young Children. Husband Killed about 5 or 6 Months ago. she goes out occasionally to work and scrub. is living with a decent old woman who seems to have taken her in from motives of charity. Visitor would recommend her for Coal twice, and a small allowance of bread for six weeks. To have 6 lbs. bread per week.

733. Catharine Kearney: 115 Nelson St. an old and well Known pensioner on the House!. goes about with her basket in Summer, and looks for her Coal and wood in Winter as a matter of course! Visitor is afraid we must look upon her as an anual pensioner. She has no friends to look to, and really believes that so long as she can earn anything with her basket, she does not come to us. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a couple of Months.

734. Ann Thompson: 39 Ontario St. Visitor recommends this Case to the consideration of the Committee. She is a Widow with four Children. The two eldest are working out and assist to pay their Mothers rent. the other two are quite young 9 & 7. She appears to be a very respectable woman, and anxious to do all she can for the support of her family. but cannot pay rent and buy food. and provide fuel also. Recommended for an allowance of Coal to be sent as soon as given out.

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735. Bridget Pickering: 132 Richmond St. west, has two children. her husband is in the Lunatic Asylum. Visitor did not see her, saw her Mother who lives with her. Lives rent free. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a week, and Coal twice when the time comes for given it out.

736. Bridget McInerney: 52 Boulton St. in the rear, Widow. Aged 40. Irish. R.C. one daughter aged 13, but is not able to do much, having a partially broken back. Earns enough to pay the rent. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week, and Coal once.

737. Barbara Armstrong: 22 Wilton St. A widow, aged 54. Has five children at home. A boy 16 who earns at Shoemaking ten shillings a week, & another boy 11 years old. Three girls, the eldest 14 was going to service but is delicate & was prevented by taking a fit lately; two other girls 10 & 8 respectively. Knits and sews for a living being unequal to hard work because of a bad Knee. Respectable and tidy. Irish. ChofEngl. To have bread and Coal.

738. Margaret Gartland: 17 1/2 Renfrew St. A Widow. Aged 44. has one girl living at home 19 years old who earns [dollars] 2,50 a Week by sewing. Has another girl in Service. Says that owing to sickness she is unable to work. Irish. R.C. Bread allowed, and also Coal alternately with Ann Quinn.

739. Ann Quinn: same adress as above. A Widow, without children. lives with Margt. Gartland. Not at home when visitor called. takes a situation from time to time, but is now out of one. Recommended for bread, and while living with Gartland to have Coal alternately with her.

740. Bridget Fahey: 31 Dummer St. A Widow, with 5 Children. a boy 13, who earns [dollars] 1,50 a week, a girl 11, two boys, 7, & 4, and a girl 3. Out at work when Visitor called, and seems to get a fair share of it. Very poor and the House comfortless. Irish. R C. Church. Bread and Coal recommended.

741. William Merritt: first house in rear of St. Stephens Church College Street. Aged 80 years, wife aged also, both very infirm. Not able to do anything for a living. Irish. Chof England. Visitor recommends Coal as last year, and as soon as given out.

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742. Rachel Peppworth: 64 Chesnut [Chestnut] St. Emigrants, from England two Months. The husband bad with Rheumatism. 2 Children, Girl 20, who try's to support the family by sewing, and girl 13. Methodist Church. Doctor says the Man is willing to work but not able. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

743. William Hewlett: see Case 319 in 1869. Died this Morning (Thursday), at 10 Minutes past Nine OClock A.M. Debr. 22nd.

Friday, Decbr. 23d 1870.

Present. Mr. Alderman Sheard & Mr. E Hobson.

744. Alfred Allan: 53 York St, in the rear. Married, Aged 24 Wife 24. Chof Engl. 3 Children, boy 8, girl 4, and baby 6 weeks old. Emigrants from England. pay [dollars] 4. rent for one dilapidated room per

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Month. Recommended to the consideration of the board. To have 8 lbs. bread a week, and Coal when given out.

745. Caroline Glover: 7 Elliotts row. King Street west. Widow. Aged 45. 5 Children. Girl 20. Girl 18. Girl 15. Girl 13, and boy 9 years of age. Visitor did not see any of this family, got the information from another party in the same house. Out at work, one of the girls is in bad health. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week. English Methodist.

746. Hannah Murney: rear of 267. Queen St. west. Aged 43. Husband 44. one child a girl nearly 12 years old, at School. Chof England. English. All in good health. Visitor leaves the Case to Committee.

747. Mary Ann Henry: Temperance St. west of Bay Street. it is the only dwelling house west of Bay St. Widow aged 45. Chof England. very much afflicted on one side of her face, by which she has lost one of her Eyes. No fire in her room for several days, had to Keep in bed to Keep herself warm. Visitor recommends 900 lbs. Coal all at once. and a hundred pounds of flour as she cannot come for her bread on account of the cold affecting her face.

748. Margaret O'Brien: 12 Duchess St. An old pensioner. See report's of the last half dozen years! very decent & respectable but old and infirm. Peddles about in Summer. can do nothing in Winter. Recommended for a small allowance of bread, and Coal 3 times.

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789. Catharine Kearney: 115 Nelson St. much the same case as Mrs. O'Brien, only not quite so old. Recommended for a loaf of bread weekly and Coal 3 times.

790. Catharine Stuart: 88 George St. Widow. No Children. Case reported upon last year. washes and scrubs, but like many others cannot manage without assistance in the Winter. Recommended for bread for 2 Months & Coal 3 times.

791. ~~Margaret~~ ^Sarah^ Boyd: 428 King Street East. Widow, with one Son, an idiot boy. Mrs. Boyds case visitor has reported upon in previous years. she is a very decent respectable woman, supporting herself and this idiot Son mainly by her Needlework. Visitor recommends bread and Coal for the winter.

792. Ellen Rutherford: An old widow woman, living in a Miserable Garrett with scarcely an article of furniture in it. No Children, but very destitute. Recommended for small allowance of bread for six weeks and Coal twice.

793. Emily Day: and)

794. Sarah Bryan: ) both living in rear of 8 Power St. and both out when visitor called at the House.

795. Mrs. Kimber: 62 Duke St. Husband and Wife. 3 young Children, 2 elder ones earning something for themselves and helping to pay the rent [etc.] Emigrants, came out in the Medway last year. got work at first, but out of Employment for some time now! If they could be allowed some wood if any is given out, it would tide them over their present distress. Visitor only recommends them for it once.

796. Alexander Rugland: 46 Duchess St. Husband and Wife. The Wife almost entirely blind. This Case Visitor reported upon last Winter, and would recommend that they be again allowed Coal this winter, bread they had all Summer and are still receiving.

797. Mary Ganett: 46 Duchess St. see report of last and previous years. She is now confined to her bed with Rheumatism. Recommended for Coal.

798. Mary Ann Joselin: 483 King Street East. No Material change since last Winter. Coal, and 6 lbs. bread a week.

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799. Elisa Bolyne: rear 41 Cherry St. From East end of London 7 Months ago; husband Henry John, hopes soon to get employment from the Telegraph Company. Children, Elisa, 8. Margaret, 6. Louisa, 4. Mary Ann, 2, Henry John 2, Months. Methodist. Coal and 8 lbs. bread.

800. Elizabeth Burns: 10 Erin St. rear of Trinity Parsonage, with Thomas Phair. An old woman, 30 years in Toronto, Widow. has a daughter in Kingston. R.C. has been in receipt of a loaf weekly, of which Visitor recommends a continuance; also Coal in season.

801. Thomas Litson: Aged 38. English. Chof Engl. Was 10 years in the 29th Regiment, took his discharge last May 12 Months. worked on the Railroad where he met with an accident getting badly crushed by an embankment falling on him. Seeks admission for a time until he gets better. Admitted.

802. Michael Furlong: in Case 725, To be admitted on condition, Not allowed to go out, and that he behave himself in a proper manner, if not, to be dismissed from the Institution.

803. Thomas Hall: Aged 74. English. Methodist Church. Formerly an Inmate. seeks admission again. says cannot agree with his Wife. An old resident of Toronto. Admitted.

804. John Smith: in Case 688, to see the Doctor, and not well to earn his living, he is to be allowed shelter a little longer.

805. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope St. See Case 533. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a week instead of 6 lbs. on account of sick husband. and Coal when given out.

806. Margaret Brown: lives in Watkins lane, rear of York St. west side, entrance on Richmond St. Married. Husband left her, does not know where he is. Aged 23. Husband 26. 3 Children. boy, 7. boy, 3 1/2, and a girl 1 year old. Chof England. Emigrant. from England last June. She and her poor children are in a wretched condition. Works when she can get it to do. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a Week. Coal and Soup when given out.

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807. Frederick Smyth: Aged 30. English, Emigrant, came out last May Chof Engl. worked on the Railroad when able, was laid up for a long time with the Ague. Now out of Employment and without means seeks shelter for a few days.

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Present, Messrs. J. McBean & S. Rogers.

808. Elisa Nicholson: 66 Bathurst St. Irish. Protestant. Husband an old Soldier. was employed in digging drains for the City contractor caught cold which ended in Rheumatism. so that he has been unable to do anything for several Months. Recommended Coal & Bread.

809. Elizabeth Lawson: rear 369 Queen St. west. Protestant recently from England, Mr. Lawson is a bricklayer by trade, but has been in ill health, so that he has done but little, and now can get no employment. 5 Children, 2 boys, 3 girls. Recommended for Coal and bread.

810. Rose Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. Wife of John Tracey an old soldier, whose present occupation is that of sweep. One daughter, a strong healthy young woman. and a little boy.

811. Mary Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. Widow of John Tracey, Junior. who was Killed on the Railway. Irish. R.C. two Children, a girl aged 15, who is at Service. and a boy aged 12 or 13 who is able to work if he can get anything to do. Mrs. Tracey is generally employed at Ashalls in picking rags.

812. Mary Harrison: 479 1/2 Richmond St. west. Visitor called at 5.30 in the afternoon. heard voices within Keeping a "Merry Xmas" Knocked at the door, and was told to come in the Morning, but when Visitor intimated that it would not be convenient to do so. was requested to go to hell. The party appeared to be very Comfortable & merry without the assistance of the House of Industry.

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813. Martha Carr: 19 Emily St. an old out door Pensioner, aged 74. Widow, ChofEngl. She gets 4 lbs. bread. To have Coal 3 times.

814. Mary Madigan: 132 Richmond St. west. Aged 67. R.C. Ireland. Receives 4 lbs. bread a week. Recommended for Coal twice. gets a quarter Cord wood from St. Vincent de Paul's Society.

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815. Ellen Anderson: 157 York St. Widow, aged 52. Chof England. Emigrants not long from England. has one Son aged 13, who earns [dollars] 1.25 a Week and lives at home. She will require assistance, seems to have not much energy about her. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a Week, and Coal 3 times.

816. Ellen Marshall: 71 Boulton St. A Widow, aged 64. R.C. Irish. Receives 4 lbs. bread per week, to have Coal 3 times.

817. Mary Ferry: 132 Richmond St. west. Aged 56. Chof Engl. Emigrant, lately from England. has one girl 14, who is not well at present, or else would be out at Service. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week, and Coal 3 times & Soup. Lives rent free.

818. Mary O'Brien: 69 Boulton St. Widow, aged 72. Irish. R.C. an old Pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal 3 times.

819. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. west. Spinster, aged 74. Irish. R.C. another old Pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread a week and Coal twice, gets wood from another Society.

820. Isabella Brown: 26 Andersons lane. left ^by^ her husband 4 Months ago, latter having gone to the States. Has 2 Children, a boy 3, and a girl 5 years of age. a charwoman, seemingly respectable, living in a very cold and uncomfortable house. English, and belongs to English Church. Recommended for bread & Coal, also a Grate.

821. Julia Burton: rear 34 Dummer St. Lives with a family named O'Brien. Is a Widow, and has a girl aged 19 in a decline, and another girl 13, whose shoulder is powerless owing to an attack of small pox. sews for a living. uses landlords stove. Irish. R.C. Wants bread & Coal. To have 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

822. Catharine Dalton: 28 Dummer St. A Widow with 3 Children. two boy's 9, & 7. and a girl 3. In very weak health, and has a wretched miserable room to live in all confusion and dirt, for which she can scarcely said to be responsible, there being two beds in the small space forming her room, parted by a stove.

823. Caroline Pullman: 119 Robinson Street. Has a husband named Gilmore whom Visitor found in the House drunk & he ~~was~~ said he was suffering from heart complaint. The Case speaks for itself.

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824. Mary Nolan: has a wretched room at 28 Dummer Street. she is an aged widow without children who peddles during the summer apparently of unsteady habits. Has no stove of her own. Irish. R.C. Church. would recommend Nolan bread, & Dalton (in Case 822,) bread and Coal.

825. Edward Meares: Is an old Pensioner, aged 75, living in a room corner of Robinson & Strachan St. No wife or children. No stove. Is unsteady. Left to decision of Committee.

826. Margaret Slattery: rear 27 Dummer St. a widow, with 2 girls, 11, and 4. Is a charwoman, and takes a room from a family named Turner, gets from 2, to 4 days a week Employment. Irish. R.C. wants Coal and bread. To have 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal.

827. Ellen Mooney: 15 Maria St. Has a room in rear. Husband away since May last and not heard of. Two children, boy 13, girl 10. the latter begs for her. Is a Washwoman with a couple days work in the week. Irish. R.C. To have Coal & bread.

828. Ann Sheppard: a Widow who has a room from one Robinson at 123 Robinson St. Very ill in bed for 3 Months. has one boy 12. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Winters Coal to be sent at one time. Also bread & an allowance of Groceries.

829. Mary Gormley: 25 Grogg Lane. A Widow aged 50. living in a cold comfortless house without proper protection from the cold. Has a boy 13 years old. Washes and scrubs for a living and gets only a Moderate share of work. Irish. Chof Engl To have Coal and bread.

830. Susan Woods: Corner Spadina Avenue & Bloor St. An old Case well Known to the House; to have usual aid.

831. John Mason: 60 Bishop St. An Emigrant out of work, and of course very poor. has a Wife and 3 Children. a boy 5, girl 3 1/2, and girl 2. takes lodging with a family Named Bellimen. English. Coal and bread allowed for a Month, to be then visited again if necessary.

832. Jane Redditt: Not in St. Patricks ward.

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833. Mary Addison: Spadina Avenue, North of Judge Wilson. Visitor recommends the Committee to say in this Case that they have been informed she harbours bad characters, & therefore no relief.

834. Hannah Asher: stays with above, because she can't as she says easily get another house. Her case is well Known to the Superintendent. Recommended for usual aid for a Month, and an allowance of Groceries.

835. Rebecca Heffer: 229 King St. East. This Case was referred to Visitor by Mr. Allan. From London, (Lambeth) last May: Husband George, working near Hamilton. Eldest son William, aged 20, working near same place. Daughter Rebecca, aged 18, at Service here: Elisa, 14, in Tobacco factory George, 13, sells papers: Richard, 11: Albert, 9: Edward, 5: Emma, 3 1/2: Alfred, 2: In all 9 Children, 7 at home washes and scrubs when she can. Chof England. Recommended Coal, and 8 lbs. bread a Week.

836. Sarah Barron: Church Street. No Number, last house but one, East side, South end. From Devonshire last spring. Husband is a ship carpenter. Two children at home, William, 6. Margaret, 4. ChofEngl. Mrs. B. was told that coal was being given out by the ton, and thought she would apply for her share. They do not appear in great want, but Visitor would recommend Coal once. further relief can be granted when required.

837. Elisa Burrows: rear 37 Cherry St. Visitor called there 3 times. at third visit saw husband who professed entire ignorance of his wifes application. Let him remain for the present in his happy indifference.

838. Margaret Brennan: aged 60. A Widow, Native of Ireland, R.C. Church. In Toronto 14 years, an out door Pensioner of the House, say's is not able to work, and consequently not able to pay her rent. Seeks admission for the Winter. To see the Doctor, and if nothing infectious about her, to be admitted.

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839. Elisa Goodwin: 28 McMahon St. Widow. 4 Children. the eldest Girl grown up, and assists her Mother in working for some of the ready-made-clothing establishments. eldest boy also earning a little. two other children going to School. Mrs. Goodwin is a very respectable and industrious woman, (Visitor reported upon her Case last year), and manages to support herself and Children well enough in Summer, but the expence of fuel is more than she can manage in Winter, and all day yesterday bitter cold as it was, they were sitting without fire in the House. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and if she asks for it, would allow her bread for a Month or six weeks.

840. Bridget Hayes: Lane rear of Cartys soap factory. An old Case reported upon in previous years. Widow, with a family of young children, 3 at home. Mrs. H[a]ys scrubs and washes when she can get it to do. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for a Month.

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841. Honora Boyle: 113 Nelson Street. An old pensioner! A Widow. No children. Decent and respectable. Recommended for her usual winter allowance of Coal, and a little bread for six weeks.

842. Catharine Edwards: 308 Queen Street east. Widow. 2 Children, one an idiot girl. Case has been reported upon in previous years. Recommended for coal twice, and on account of the child, bread for two Months.

843. Mary Hartnett: 308 Queen Street East. A wretched worthless woman Visitor fears, from all he heard of her. Not living with her husband who lives on Ontario St, and goes about collecting ashes and grease [etc.] is able to support his wife, if she would remain at her own home.

844. Mary Ann Jacobs: Lane rear of Cartys soap Factory. Husband a drunken worthless character, has deserted her. 3 Children, 1 daughter earning a little at a paper factory. the others at school. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for a Month, or six weeks.

845. Margaret Curran: 133 King Street East. There must be some mistake in the addres[s]. as No 133 is a shop nearly opposite the English Cathedral!

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846. Mary Kearney: )

847. Ellen [Elisa] Kelly: )

848. Elisa McKewen: ) No. 81 George Street. A batch of Widows!. all pretty much alike in age & circumstanc{es} and all cases reported upon, and in receipt of relief from the House, for several winters past. Visitor would recommend that they all be allowed Coal twice. and if they apply for bread, to allow it to them for a Month or six weeks.

849. Ann Conlin: 188 King Street East. reported upon before. See Case 732.

850. Mary Clark: 186 King Street East. Widow. with two children, and an aged Mother living with her. see report of previous years. - A very decent respectable Woman. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for six weeks.

851. Emily Day: )

852. Sarah ~~Ryan~~ ^Bryan^: ) Rear No. 8 Power Street. Both English Emigrants. came out last Autum[n]. are now, and have been for some time, out of work. appear to be very respectable decent people. willing and ready to work if they could get it to do. Suffering very much for want of fuel. Visitor recommends them for Coal once, an allowance for each.



853. Mrs. [Emilia] Kimburn: 77 Sydenham St. Husband and one child. Husband has been in Hospital for several weeks, but is now able to get to work again. Emigrants and very decent people. Mrs. Kimburn is near her confinement, and as her husband is only just beginning to earn a little money again, Visitor recommends them for one load of Coal.

854. Allan McQuarry: in Case 664, cannot get Employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

855. Benjamen [Benjamin] Jobert: 36. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. Canadian. Workes at making Sashes & blinds, was burned out in Ottawa and came to Toronto, worked only 9 days, when Mr. Clements got his place destroy[e]d by fire. in trying to save some articles Jobert got to near the fire and burnt his feet badly. seeks shelter until his feet get somewhat better, when Mr. Plenderleaf will employ him.

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856. Edward Oram: Aged 41. Native of England. Baptist Church. say's came from England only two weeks ago. Occupation a Sailor. cannot get Employment & has no means to support himself. seeks shelter for a time.

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857. The Committee to advertise and open Tenders met to day.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr. Revd. Mr. Broughall & J. Tyner Esqr.

The following Tenders were red [read]. For Bread. Miller & Anderson the 4 lbs. loaf 9 1/2 Cents. Charles Beatty the 4 lbs. loaf at 9 cents. David Bee, the 4 lbs. loaf at 9, cents. Mr. Bee's Tender was accepted having last served the Institution, and given satisfaction. Three Tenders for supplying Groceries were sent in. Toronto Tea Company. Robert Lawson, and James Shields [and] Co. Mr. Shields' Tender being the lowest was accepted. Mrs. Harpers Tender for Milk at 18 cents per Gallon was accepted, being the only one in. John McCarters Tender for Soup meat at 3 cents per pound was accepted.

858. Jane Wigglesworth: rear of 11 Edward St. English. R.C. Married. one child, a boy {2} years of age. Husband aged 30, has been confined to the House by sickness for last 3 Months. which exhausted their means of support [support]. still continues very ill. Recommended for a full allowance of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal [etc.] 600 lbs. Coal, and 6 lbs. bread per week, also a grate.

859. Elizabeth Hocker 112 Edward Street. Aged 46. A Widow. English Chof Engl. Two years and a half from England. Her Son died two Months ago who used to support his Mother. Very respectable. Recommended by Mrs. Perkins.

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Present, Revd. Dr. Topp & S. Rogers Esqr.

860. Julia Robinson: 229 King Street East. Lives with Mrs. Heffer in Case 835. From London 4 Months ago. husband William, a Foundry man, now near Ancaster, looking for work. Children, William, 4: Catharine, 2 1/2. Chof England. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread & Coal, which might alternate with Mrs. Heffer as they have a stove in Common.

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861. Johanna O'Meeley: rear No. 3, Derby Lane, King Street East. Widow, 5 years in Toronto, able and willing to work, but says she cannot get it. Eldest boy aged 14, is promised a place in the "Montreal House". 2 other boys, aged 9 & 7. Girl 5. Irish. R.C. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

862. John Richardson: rear 45 Carlton St. Aged 71. Not able to work. living with his daughter, who has 6 Children, all very badly off. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice. Irish. Chof Engl.

863. Mary Durand: 48 Magill St. 74 years old. Widow, very badly off. English Church. Irish. To have 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

864. Mary Carney: 88 Mutual Street. 53 years old. 1 boy 12 years old, goes out scrubbing and washing. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times. Irish. R.C.

865. Cecilia Edmonds: 22 Queen St. East. 70 years old, husband 78. Not able to work. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times. Irish. R.C.

866. Bridget Fahey: rear of 87 Queen St. East. 56 years old. Widow, 2 Months from Ireland. No relations. 4 lbs. bread a Week. Roman Catholic Church.

867. Ann Spelling: 25 Richmond St. East. 37 years old. Widow with with 3 Children under eleven years. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread. Coal 3 times.

868. Thomas Hall: 67 Stanley St. 74 years old. Wife 66. Not able to work, English Church. English. 6 lbs. bread Coal 3 times.

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869. Jane Chambers: 37 Stanley St. 50 years old, goes scrubbing & washing. Irish. Chof Engl. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

870. Bridget McCarty: 49 Stanley Street, not in when visitor called.

871. Margaret Sweeney: 43 Stanley St. 49 years old. Widow. sick in bed. sells Apples. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, Coals twice.

872. Mary Carroll: rear 77 Stanley Street. 55 years old. Widow. 2 boys, 9, and 7 years of age. sells fish. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, and Coals twice.

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873. Alice Murphy: 146 Gerrard St. 35 years old. husband, 50, a Labourer. 10 Children, 8 at home. Irish. 18 years in Canada. R.C. 6 lbs. bread, Coals 3 times.

874. Margaret Gale: 6 Victoria St. 75 years old. A Widow. Not able to work. Irish. Chof Engl. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

875. Mary Wilkinson: 101 Richmond St. East. Not in when visitor called.

876. Mary Rutherford: 35, Queen St. East. 60 years old. Spinster. Not able to work. Chof England. Ireland. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

877. Elisa Janes: 35 Queen St. East. 40 years old. one child 5 weeks old. Husband left her. Emigrants, from England. English Church. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

878. Catharine White: 23 Queen St. East. 64 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

879. Bridget Ketts: 100 Richmond St. East. 67 years old. not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

880. Bridget McCabe: 112 Nelson St. 80 years old, Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

881. Bridget Connolly: 82 Stanley St. 45 years old. Widow. one child 9 years old. goes out scrubbing and washing. From Ireland. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

882. Mary Spence: 82 Stanley St. 61 years old. Not able to work. Widow. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

883. Thomas Burns: 81 Stanley St. 80 years old, wife 75. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

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884. Margaret Lennon: 125 Tecumseth St. Irish. Chof Engl. 70 years of age. Knitting her sole means of support. afflicted with Rheumatism. Recommended for Coal & bread.

885. Jane Smith: rear of 129 Tecumseth St. English. Chof Engl. 25 years in Toronto 3 Children, two girls 10 & 12 years of age, and boy 1 1/2 year. Husband saws wood. but only has Employment with two persons. To have Coal.

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886. Elisa Barrett: 14 Camden St. English. Chof England. 5 years in Toronto. Widow, with 5 Children. eldest 17 years of age, a girl. girl 10. & girl 6. 2 boys 8 & 15. Recommended for Coal.

887. Mary Maloney: 33 Camden Street. Irish. R.C. Widow, 5 Children, eldest 12 years of age. Recommended for Coal & bread.

888. Mary Maroney: Lane opposite Ritchys Terrace. Adelaide St. w. Widow, aged 68. Irish. R.C. has one boy aged 12 who goes to school. an old Pensioner of the House, Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week, and Coal 3 times.

889. Johanna Strachan: 71 Boulton St. Widow, aged 55. R.C. from Ireland. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week. Coal 3 times.

890. Mary Marshall: 101 Richmond St. west, in the rear. No such person living there.

891. Johanna Sims: Lane opposite Ritchys Terrace. A Married woman her husband in the Hospital. Visitor did not see any of them, got the information from another party, would like to see her before he recommends.

892. Jane Redditt: 263 Queen St. west. in the basement. Widow. Chof Engl. Irish. aged 48. works in Tobacco factory. Visitor thinks a Woman of her age, ought to get a living for herself. Committee to judge. Committee allowed Coal & 4 lbs. bread. It appears the Woman made a mistake giving her age to visitor. she is 55.

893. Mary Ann Bayhem: 35 little Richmond St. Nelson not Richmond St. A Widow, aged 55. Irish. R.C. Has a daughter aged 23. both very sick in bed, the Widow with inflammation of the lungs, the Daughter with Typhoid fever. Very respectable require assistance only a short time. They had 600 lbs. Coal from the House, Visitor recommends a double ration Groceries, thinks that is all they will require.

894. Jane Kingham: rear of 15 Maria St. Laid up with sickness. Visitor recommends that Coal be sent to her as during past years.

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895. Fanny Jordan: 15 Maria St. a worthy old Widow well Known to the House. Receives Bread. Recommended for Coal.

896. Sarah Bloomer: 47 Maple Lane. Received bread during the Summer. To have Coal as heretofore.

897. Mary Grace: 32 Dummer St. Not at home when Visitor called. Has a room up stairs to herself, for which she pays a [dollars] 1, a Month, and earns about a shilling a day by picking rags. Is a Widow about 50 without Children, and said by Landlady to be very respectable. Irish. Roman Catholic. To have Coal and bread.

898. Hanna Ellis: 29 Grogg Lane. A Widow living in a cold dirty miserable house. Has one Son aged 19 who usually works in a lumber yard, but is now said by the Mother to be out of Employment. She herself is unable to work. Irish. Chof England. Coal and bread allowed for a Month or two, to help them during Winter.

899. Catharine Cox: 52 Dummer St. Is a Widow, aged 31, with two Children a boy aged 10, and a girl 7. Washes & scrubs for a living. Is now out of work. Lives with a family Named Hull. Irish. R.C. Coal and bread.

900. Johanna McDonnell: rear of 10 Duchess St. Nothing new to report from past years, except that the poor little boddy [body] is getting older and more infirm. Recommended for Coal three times, and a small allowance of Bread for two Months.

901. Madeline Booth: 117 Nelson Street. Reported upon last Year. Mrs. Booth is a Widow. her only boy helps her to pay the rent, she herself is in wretched health, her lungs being very much affected. Recommended for Coal three times, and Bread.

902. Sarah Lynch: 90 George St. Widow, one child. does what she can to support herself. but is very badly off for fuel. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice, and a small allowance of Bread for a Month. Allowed Coal 3 times, as she wants no bread.

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903. Mary Mandeville: 100 George St. Not at home when visitor called. but found four small children cowering over the remains of a few coals in the stove, and looking half frozen, they said the father was dead. The Mother was out working. The Mother called at the House of Industry, where her Case is Known. Committee allowed 8 lbs. bread, & Coal.

904. Mary Rogers: 115 Nelson St. A very decent old boddy [body], sells Newspapers throughout the summer and autumn, as long as she can stand out of doors. See report of previous years. In the same room with Mrs. Rogers are two other Widows

905. Mrs. Donovan: ) and

906. Mrs. [Ellen] Courtney: ) both old and infirm. They all use the same stove, and Visitor would recommend that coal be allowed (one rather liberal allowance to serve the whole of them,) three times, and a small allowance of bread for each, say to the middle of March.

907. Ann Doherty: Lane rear of Cartys soap factory. Husband deserted her in the Autumn and has not since been heard of. There are 5 Children, the youngest an infant four Months old. Under the circumstances Visitor would recommend that she be allowed Coal once, and bread for a Month, and then to be visited again, to ascertain if the husband has turned up.

908. Catharine Forbes: 88 George St. Not in when Visitor called.

909. Catharine McNamara: 89 Caroline St. Widow, 1 Child 8 years old. a decent respectable woman. Case reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal 3 times

910. Mary Martin: Corner of Queen & Power St. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks. The Case has been frequently reported upon in previous years.

911. Richard Gremetty: 10 Sydenham St. English Emigrant wife and three children. Visitor visited and relieved them a few weeks ago, they being very destitute of clothing bedding and blankets. Very respectable decent people. Husband has work but one load of Coals would be a great boon to them, as all their ready Money for this Month has been absorbed by the rent.

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912. Robert Gray: Aged 62. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. An Engraver. came to this Country last September. did not get any employment. asks to stay for a few days shelter. will try to get to Montreal. was admitted since for a time.

913. Isabella McKenzie: 75 Centre Street. Scotch. Deciples [Disciples] Church. Widow, 48 years of age. a respectable industrious charwoman. supports a Grandchild a few Months old, the Mother doing nothing for its support at present. Recommended Coal and bread.

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914. Elizabeth McKenzie: 26 Albert St. See report of last year. Recommended for Coal, and Bread.
915. Margaret Dunwoodie: 145 University St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 44 years of age. 5 Children. girl 23, in the States. Girl 20, in Service, boy, 18, in work, boy 11, and boy 9, at home. appears a clean active charwoman. Wants Coal.
916. Resdon Bacon: 98 Centre St. See report of last year. Recommended for Coal and bread.
917. Ellen Mitchell: 55 Edward St. English. Chof England., Married. 34 years of age. Arrived in Toronto from England 4 Months ago. Husband a plasterer in bad health. 4 Children, girl 15, in Service, girl 13, boy 6, and baby 8 Months old at home. 8 lbs. bread & Coal
918. Mrs. Brown: is not Known at 155 Elizabeth St.
919. Mary Ann McCoslin: rear of 137 Centre St. Irish. Chof Engl. Widow, 56 years of age. in bad health. Ague. requires one daughter at home. 4 Children, girl Married, Girl 23, at home, boy 21 in work, at [dollars] 4 1/2 per week. boy 18 years of age at [dollars] 3 1/2 per week. Visitor thinks they might do for themselves.
920. Rosanna Horseman: rear 5 Emma St. Irish. Chof England. a Widow. 60 years of age. No family, has been in the Hospital for the last 5 Months with a bad leg, now unable to work. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread weekly, and Coal.
921. Ann Hawthorn: 99 Sayer St. was not at home when Visitor called.

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922. Elizabeth McCallum: 79 Sayer Street. Canadian. Chof England. Married. 24 years of age. 3 children. girl 9, a Sisters child, boy 2, and a girl 6 Months old. Came from Montreal a year ago. Husband a carpenter, fell from a building 3 Months ago and has not been able to work since. To see the Doctor, and if the statement about him not being able to work is found correct. to have relief. Doctor examined McCallum, and states he is hardly able to do hard work yet.
923. Rachel Davis: 79 Sayer St. Irish. Methodist Church. Married. 27 years of age. has been in Toronto 2 years. husband a Labourer. 4 Children, boy 7, boy 4, 2 girls twins 1 year old. if they are industrious they can support themselves.
924. Ann Duvall: 58 Emma St. See former report. Recommended for bread and Coal.
925. Theresa Thoroughgood: rear of 151 Centre St. See former reports. her husband unable to work. A large family. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week, and Coal.

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926. Caroline Lane: 99 1/2 Sayer St. See former report, receives 8 lbs. bread per week, on account of two children left on her hands, is to have Coal also.

927. Margaret Goodwin: 25 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. A Widow, {5}5 years of age. Has been in Service but on account of bad health had to leave, she requires some assistance. Recommended for Coal turn about with Margaret Tansey. & 4 lbs. bread.

928. Margaret Tansey: 25 Elizabeth St. See former report. Recommended for bread. Coal turn about with above Goodwin.

929. Catharine Flood: 66 Elizabeth St. not at home when Visitor called. she is now a Widow, her husband died this summer, see former report. She receives 6 lbs. bread. to have Coal also.

930. Penelope McMillan: rear of 36 Terauley St. see former report. receives bread. Recommended for Coal.

931. Sarah Williams: 117 Terauley St. An old pensioner. see report of former years. had bread all summer, to have Coal.

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932. Sarah McGregor: 15 Albert St. Irish. Chof England. Widow. 88 years of age. Received bread all summer. to have Coal.

933. Elizabeth Neal: 75 Centre Street. See former report. An old pensioner on the House. receives bread. To have Coal.

934. Phoebe Gray: 102 Sayer St. An old Pensioner, reported upon in previous years. had bread all summer. to have Coal.

935. Ann Bo}es: Coloured. 201 Centre St. See report of former years. Recommended for bread and Coal.

936. Melinda Smith: 68 Sayer St. was not at home when Visitor called, but her Case is Known at the House. to have bread & Coal.

937. Frances Percy: 140 Elizabeth St. said she required no assistance from the House.

938. Jane Smith: 62 Louisa St. Canadian. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. Married. 26 years of age. 2 children, girl 5, and girl 3 years of age. Husband a labourer, have been a few weeks in Toronto. have been living in the States and the western parts of Canada. No claim on the House of Industry.

939. Mary Mitchell: who formerly lived on Duke Street, has now moved to Victoria Street, No. 36. Mr. Allan thinks the Case is so well Known at the House, and she is such a very deserving person, that probably the Board would authorise Superintendent to send her Coal 3 times without being visited again

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by the Ward Visitor. should be sorry if she were obliged to go up to the House in this weather particularly. Nancy not Mary.

940. Jane Tweedy: 28 Albert St. Aged 85. Native of Scotland. Methodist Church. Very respectable old woman. Spinster. Recommended for her usual allowance of Coal, 1200 lbs.

941. Mary Sergeant: rear next 234 Elizabeth St. Spinster aged 55. Irish. Chof England. Afflicted with Rheumatism. Very industrious deserving Woman. Recommended for her usual winter allowance of Coal, 1200 lbs.

942. Margaret Wilson: in Case 238. to have Coal 3 times.

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943. Mary Ann Whealan: A Widow aged 61. Ireland. R.C. respectable. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

944. Mary Hartnett: in Case 843, Mrs. J. Gilmor called at the House and explained to Committee about Mrs. Hartnett, who has not left her husband, but husband left his wife and Children and lives with another woman.

945. James Miles: Aged 70. Irish. Chof England. 14 years in Canada owned a farm at Stratford, but his brother took it from him, came to Toronto 3 weeks ago to get into the Poor House. made application to day for admission. Was advised to go back to Stratford where he has a claim & to apply to his own Municipality.

946. Mary Read: 55. Native of Ireland. Methodist. says lived in Canada for Many years. came to Toronto to look for a son whom she could not find. Widow. seeks shelter for a few days.

947. Mary Ann Coulter: aged 5 years, daughter of Margaret in Case 706, was sent here to day from Bartlett Bulls. R.C. English.

948. George Norris: Aged 23. Native of England. Chof England. 18 Months in Canada, very unfortunate. had the Ague for a long time, and when recovered of that, was working in Hamilton digging a pit a stone fell upon him and broke his leg. Came to Toronto to look for work. his leg is hardly well yet, and always will be lame. no means, seeks shelter.

949. Michael Greaves: 40. Irish. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. says came from Port Hope, on his way to Hamilton where he has friends. seeks shelter for a few days to rest himself

950. John Malony: 50. From Ireland. R.C. says came from Montreal on his way to London, C.W. [Canada West] where he expects to get employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

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Tuesday. January 3rd. 1871.

Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & E. Hobson Esqr.

1. Michael Shannon: Clover Hill. Irish. R.C. Church. Married. 64 years of age. 6 children, boy apprenticed earns [dollars] 1 1/2 a week, girl 17, and girl 16, in Service, boy 15, earns [dollars] 1 1/2 a week, girl 14 and girl 11, at home. Shannon is unable to do much work. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week, and for the season.
2. Mary Hurley: Clover Hill. And [an] old woman, says she is one hundred years old. Irish. R.C. Has been in receipt of bread all Summer. Recommended for Coal.
3. Elizabeth Elmsley: 54 Emma St. Coloured. Methodist. Married. 19 years of age. Husband 27, he works in a Tobacco factory. They came from the States 6 Months ago. No children, both in good health. No claim.
4. Ellen Laughlan: 187 Centre St. See former report. received 8 lbs. bread all Summer. Recommended for Coal.
5. Elisa Jolland: 253 Elizabeth St. see former report. received bread all the Summer, recommended for Coal.
6. Fanny Howard: 156 Centre Street. English. Chof England. 2 Children, girl 2, and a boy one year old. Husband a Labourer. came here from Quebec 2 Months ago. they really have no claim on the Institution, but Committee will allow them bread and Coal.
7. Elizabeth Jackson: rear of 30 Centre Street. Coloured. Methodist Church. Widow. husband died 6 Months ago. 11 Children, 3 in Service, 8 at home, some of them go out to work. Recommended for Coal, they are getting 8 lbs. bread a Week from the House.
8. Elizabeth Hooker: 112 Edward St. was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed that she is a steady industrious Woman. Widow. Recommended for Coal and bread.

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Tuesday, January 3rd. 1871.

9. William Alexr. McBurney: 47 Sayer St. Irish. Presbyterian. Married. 58 years of age. Architect by profession. He is now confined to bed by a Paralytic stroke, himself and Wife are now supported by their

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two daughters who work at dress-making, but are not able to continue to do so without some assistance. They appear clean respectable people. Visitor would recommend a grate for the stove. 600 lbs. of Coal, full ration of Tea, Sugar, [etc.] and 8 lbs. bread weekly if they want it.

10. Jemima Wood: 18 Elizabeth St. was not in when Visitor called, was informed that she is a steady industrious woman with 3 Children. Husband lately died in Lunatic Asylum, where he had been confined for some years. See report of previous years. Recommended for Coal and bread.

11. Fanny Moore: rear of 12 Terauley St. A clean industrious Woman, a Widow, with four children. see former report. receives bread, recommended for Coal.

12. Mary Cogan: 79 Agnes Street. A Widow, with 4 Children of her own, and 2 others she took to Nurse, who are now left on her hand without pay. See former report. To have Coal, and 12 lbs. bread per week.

13. Ann Hawthorn: 99 Sayer Street. A Widow, with 3 Children. See last years report. Recommended same as last year.

14. Bridget Purcell: 10 Albert St. No such Number 18 being the lowest Number.

15. Catharine Potts: will apply to the board on Friday.

16. Ellen Purtell: 29 Ann Street. 88 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

17. Mary O'Brien: rear 89 Ann Street. 60 years old. Widow. 2 Children. 12 and 9 years. Irish. R.C. bread, & Coal 3 times.

18. Ann Mack: 21 Queen St. East. Widow, aged 48. Irish. ChofEngl 4 Children, eldest learning a trade. Bread. Coal 3 times.

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19. Mary Booth: 311 Church Street. 43 years old. suffering from diseased & bad legs. Irish. Methodist. Recommended 4 lbs. bread a Week, and Coal 3 times.

20. Catharine White: rear 21 Victoria St. Not in when Visitor called at the House.

21. Elizabeth Johnson: 49 Victoria St. Not in when Visitor called. she is an old Pensioner, receives bread, to be allowed Coal 3 times.

22. Mary McCarty: 46 Stanley Street. 50 years old. One girl 9 years old. Washer woman. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week. and Coal twice. R.C. Irish.

23. Mary Boylan: 68 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.

24. Julia McCarty: 49 Stanley Street. No such Number.

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25. Johanna Riley: 82 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.
26. Ellen Perkins: 98 Richmond St. East. 70 years old. Widow living by herself. Not able to work. ChofEngland. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.
27. Catharine Norton: 101 Richmond St. East. does washing. 45 years of age. Widow, with 3 Children. To have 6 lbs. of bread, Coals 3 times.
28. Elise Donaldson: 9 Emily St. W. Methodist. Widow, aged 37. has 3 Children. Girl 14. Girl 10. and a boy 7. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week, that is 4 lbs. for the Widow, 2 lbs. for the boy aged 7 years, the other two must do for themselves. Coal 3 times.
29. Frances Wood: rear of 46 King Street West. Aged 50. Church of England. Irish. Widow. One girl aged 9 years. a decent person, would not apply if she could help it. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread. Coal 3 times. I[t] appears the Name is Hood not Wood.

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Tuesday. January 3rd. 1871.

30. Mary Green: 373. Queen Street West. it is out of Visitors district.
31. Elizabeth McCauly: 15 Emily St. She gets bread. Visitor was informed by different parties, that Mrs. McCauly gets bread and begs. She lives with her Son in law. would be as well to strike her of the list and see how she gets on, if she can pay for Whisky, she ought to be able to pay for bread.
32. Elizabeth Gibson: in rear of the lot west of Methodist Church, Queen St. west, between Peter and Brock Streets. Widow. aged 39. Chof England. English. 2 boys, aged 12 and 9. Works at tailoring. gest on very well in Summer. but cannot in Winter without a little assistance. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a week, and 900 lbs. Coal sent all at once.
33. Ann Kirk: 61 Queen St. West. Not there, Visitor could not find her. She is an old Pensioner. Visitor recommends her a loaf, and let her bring the right number.
34. Catharine Hunt: Lane opposite Ritcheys Terrace. (this used to be an awful den, but the two tenants there are much improved), Widow, aged 50. R.C. Irish. Two Children, a boy 13, and a girl 11. Keeps her place clean and comfortable. The Children ought to be doing something for themselves and help to get a living. She had no relief for some years. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.
35. Emily Stuart: 35 Colborne St. 3rd Story. Native of Woodbridge Ontario. Daughter of Dr. Williams. Husband an absenter these 12 Months: does not know where he is. Removed from Elm Street about 4 Months ago. 1 Child, Norman, aged 3 years. Recommended for Coal, which is all she asks. To have bread also.

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36. Jane Copps: rear 18 South Park St. From London, England, last May. husband (visitor did not see him), a hawker by occupation, wife say's he is sickly. They have 3 Children, Frederick, aged 14, earns [dollars] 1 50 per week at a Confect[i]oners. Rachel 6. Alice 1. Recommended for Coal and 6 lbs. of Bread a week.

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37. Mary Ann Mines: 235 King Street East. up stairs, entrance from Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. Out looking for work. Visitor saw husband. a stoker and driver. From Mile end, London, England. 6 Months ago. very anxious to get employment here. has applied to Mr. Currie, Dicky and others, unsuccessfully. has good testimonials from English employers. does odd jobs, when he can get them. Children, Mary Ann 12. Louise, 10. Thomas, 7. William, 6. Henry, 9 Months. ChofEngl. Coal, & 8 lbs. bread.

38. Mary Flinn: 194 Palace Street. upstairs. was visited last Winter, while living on Pine St. Widow, many years. Has a daughter aged 21, at home now, owing to ill health. R.C. Irish. Coal, and 4 lbs. bread.

39. Mary Jane Cull: same address as the preceding. From East end of London, England last May. Patrick husband a labourer. Visitor did not see him. 1 Child, Elisa Jane 17 yrs. R.C. Coal alternate with Mary Flinn, & 4 lbs. bread.

40. Catharine Madigan, next 44 East Street. No such person known on the Street, and no number 44. the only Number Visitor could find are 6 and 16, quite close to each other. Where 44 should be is a vacant hollow, North of Palace St.

41. Mary McLaughlan: Derby Lane, 2nd house from Parliament St. North side. An old Case, see previous reports, notably January 31st 1863. Family is scattered. Children Married and in the States: one here with a large family. but none of them aid their parents. The old Man is sick and disheartened. Coal, and 4 lbs. bread.

42. Ann Sawtell: an old Out door Pensioner. receives bread, recommended to have Coal sent her. she is sick at present.

43. Margaret Akers: opposite Hospital Gate. Mrrd. [married] 2 Children. says her husband is sick and not able to work. Committee referred this Case to the Doctor, who visited and reports Akers is confined to bed with Consumption. To have 600 lbs. Coal, rations, & bread.

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Present, Mr. Alderman Sheard & Mr. E Hobson

44. Mary Valentine: 5 Hope Street. Her husband is in bad health and has been so for the whole summer. Has 5 Children, 1 boy 4 and four girls 9, 8 & 2, and baby a fortnight old. Poor, but said by the neighbours to be very deserving. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread & Coal.

45. Ann Flood: in a lane behind 119 Robinson St. off Bishop St. Lives with Mrs. Howith (alias Lovelace) in a small house consisting of two small rooms, served by one stove. A Widow, 60, with a Grandchild (a boy) 9 years old, whose Mother is in the Hospital. Used to sell fruit in the summer. A suspicious looking woman & a Man (said to be a Neighbour) in the House when Visitor called. believes this woman is Known to Superintendent to whom Committee is referred.

46. Mary Howith: above referred to, receives aid from the House, which is to be stopped, as Visitor was told she is Married to a Man Named Lovelace.

47. Mary Tirrell: 27 Grogg Lane, out when visitor called. A widow with two Children, boy 8 & Girl 10. Lives with Mrs. Fallis who is apparently a respectable woman, and whose stove she uses. Works and begs alternately for a living. also drinks occasionally. Irish R.C. To have bread.

48. Caroline Saunders: rear of 9 Renfrew St. Visitor believes there are plenty people in the House with her to support the family. A daughter Married a few Months ago & her husband live with them. She gets plenty of work, and other Children are able to work.

49. Margaret Bray: rear of 9 Renfrew St. to have Coal in addition to bread. see former report. said she had her Coal to day.

50. Mary McKenzie: 180 Lumley St. aided by St. Mary's Church. sojourns in a house not habitable. Strong and able to work,

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51. but said to be very lazy, left to Committee.

52. Ann Heenan: 80 Dummer St. A Widow without Children, living with her sister who is very poor. Is asthmatic. Usually washes for a living, now unable owing to illness, aged. To have bread & Coal as last year. Irish. R.C.

53. Bridget Lyons: rear of 80 Dummer St. A Widow with 2 Children boy 8, and girl 10. Lives with



54. Fanny White: whose husband has left her with 3 Children to support. Aged 9, 7 & 4, two others able to take care of themselves. It is suggested to the Committee that these two Woman being young and healthy are well able to provide for themselves.

55. Sarah McPhail: 20 Maple Lane. See old report. Only applies when she cannot well avoid it. Recommended for Coal.

56. Bridget Clark: 284 Queen St. West. A Widow, with a boy 5 years old. (see old report) Very cold uncomfortable house. Irish. R.C. Wants Coal only.

57. Ellen Collens: 6 Dummer St. A Widow, her husband being dead four Months. Has one girl aged 10 & two boys 8 & 6. Out when Visitor called. said to be industrious & work hard for a living seemingly. Comfortable respectable house. Irish R.C. Decision left to Committee after further inquiry by them.

58. Catharine Carberry: 6 Dummer St. up stairs. Her husband has been badly hurt and is not able to work, otherwise would not apply. she gets occasional employment Has one boy 6. Irish. R.C. Recommended for temporary relief.

59. Julia Shannon: 12 Robinson St. Married again to a Man Twist who only lived with her 5 Months. Has a cold uncomfortable House and is very poor. Three Children, 11, 9 and 2, two of whom have just been badly scalded. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal allowed.

60. Mary Livingstone: 280 Queen St. west. An old Widow very unsteady in habits who is always moving about, bread & Soup allowed but no Coal recommended.

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61. William Fitzgibbon: 125 Robinson Street. 33 Strachan St. last address the correct one. An Emigrant 14 weeks in the Country, who cant yet procure Employment. Wife is dead. Has 5 Children, all girls. 15. 13. 11. 9 & 7. a painter by trade. English. Methodist. Recommended for temporary relief.

62. Rebecca Nelson: A Widow aged 58. used to be irregular in her habits, now seemingly steady. She lives with a daughter who has 3 Children & sews for a living. House very cold & uncomfortable. Scotch. Presbyterian. To have bread & Coal.

63. David Walsh: 29 1/2 Strachan St. A Packer by trade, but is also a general labourer, but out of work & very poor. Children without proper clothes. Has 3 boys, 9. 5 & 3. and 3 Girls, 11. 4 & 2. Wants temporary assistance. English. Chof England. Recommended for Coal & bread.

64. Harriett Sullivan: 34 Carr St. A Widow with 5 Children. girl 12. boy 10 1/2. boy 9. boy 7 & girl 5. gets one or two days work in the week. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal recommended.

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65. Isabella Carr: 12 Bishop Street. A very disreputable woman, keeping a lot of disreputable woman about her. Committee will not grant relief to this Case.

66. Ann Mulqueeny: 51 Maple Lane. A spinster nearly 50 years old, used to wash & scrub. Now laid up. Twenty years in Toronto, but this is the first time of applying. Has a room from a friend for which she pays a dollar a Month. Irish. R.C. To have bread and Coal.

67. Elizabeth Hargrave: 20 Maple lane. A Widow 37 years old with a Girl 3. sews straw work for a living. Has rooms up stairs. Poor but apparently deserving. Recommended for Coal and bread, and an allowance of Groceries. English. Chof England.

68. Catharine Corcoran) and

69. Matilda Robinson: ) Cner {Corner} Howell St. could not be found.

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70. Thomas Gormley: 100 Ann St. 70 years old. suffering from sore leg. saws wood. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

71. Mary Wilkinson: 101 Richmond St. East. 39 years old. Widow. 2 Children. 9, and 7 years. goes out scrubbing and washing. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

72. Mary McGee: 3 Dalhousie St. 68 years old. A Widow, not able to work, lives on charity. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

73. Elizabeth Fitzpatrick: 112 Nelson St. 40 years old. widow not able to work. in a decline. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice. ChofEngl.

74. Elisa Shea: 43 Stanley Street. Aged 41. Husband a Cripple 43. peddles Apples. 4 Children, aged, 10. 8. 5 & 2. Wife goes out scrubbing. 8 lbs. bread & Coals 3 times. Irish. R. C.

74. Bridget Hart: 40 Stanley St. 43 years old, A Widow with 3 Children, aged 11, 9. years, and 1, 8 Months old. Sharwoman [Charwoman]. 6 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

76. Elizabeth Buggie: 40 Stanley St. 43 years old, husband 60. two children, 10 & 12 years. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

77. Ann Dunlevie: 18 Stanley Street. Aged 43. husband 53. 2 Children, Joseph & Sarah, 5 & 2 years of age. Saws wood. Irish. ChofEngl. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

78. Ann Cook: 73 Stanley St. 55 years old. Husband left her 3 years ago. 2 children, 9 & 11. 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

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79. Mary Muirhead: rear 101 Richmond St. East. 60 years old. Widow, unable to work. 4 lbs. bread. Coal twice.

80. Randolph Lawrie: Adelaide St. West. Coloured. Aged, feeble, and Rheumatic, an old citizen of Toronto. Native of Virginia. Baptist. Receives bread. Recommended for Coal.

81. Mary Ann Welsh: 48 little Nelson St. see Case 677. Visitor recommends double ration of groceries & double allowance of Coal, 3 of her Children are sick. receives 8 lbs. bread a week.

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82. Ann Lloyd: 12 Elliotts Row. An old Pensioner. She gets bread, Superintendent knows all about her, he will as usual send her 900 lbs. of Coal all at once, and as soon as he can.

83. Mary Green: 273 Queen St. west. Widow aged about 40, has one daughter going on 14, this girl ought to be at service. and she herself a smart woman in the prime of life, ought to be able to get bread for herself. This woman is like many more young widows put on the list when the children were young, and expect to be kept on as a matter of course. Might be allowed a little relief for this winter. Visitor would advise Committee to tell Mrs. Green she has to do for herself after this winter.

84. Ann Howes: 36 Watkins Lane. lately from England. ChofEngl. Aged 33. Husband 35. 2 Children, boy 8 & girl 5. On account of being strangers, and their first winter here, Visitor recommend help. 6 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times. but these able bodied Man should be given to understand not to come for relief another winter.

85. Jane Yowell: 362 Queen St. west. A poor old feeble woman. she gets 4 lbs. bread a Week, she to have Coal 3 times.

86. Jane Redditt: lives with her who is also receiving bread from the House, she is to get Coal once, and no More, earns 20 Cents a day, and uses same stove as Mrs. Yowell who is also recommended Groceries, a small allowance.

87. Johannah Sims: Boulton Street Lane. this is the second time Visitor called at her place but she was out to work each time. if she has plenty work, she ought not to want help. one boy aged 12. Husband is in Hospital. Visitor left word for her to call at his House.

88. Thomas Jones: 27 Melinda St. Native of Newport Monmouthshire from London, England last May. Labourer. Children, Alfred 6. William, 4. Alice, 4 Months. Chof England. Recommended for Coal and, 6 lbs. bread.

89. Jane Fraser: Derby lane. An old Case: Visitor will call on her when next in this part of the Town. Meantime Coal, and 6 lbs. bread can be safely given her.

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90. Emma Munroe: 102 Agnes St. English. Presbyterian Church. A Widow 56 years of age. 4 Children, girl 16, girl 14, girl 8, and boy 6 years of age. The girl 16, and 8, are cripples. Mrs. Munroe appears a clean respectable person. Visitor recommends, Coal, soup and 10 lbs. bread a Week.

91. Phoebe Gibbons: 110 Edward St. English. ChofEngl. 38 years of age. 4 Children, girl 14 of weak Mind, girl 9. boy 6. & boy 3 years of age, all at home. Husband a paper hanger out of work. Arrived here from England in July last. Appears a clean respectable Woman. The money the husband earned has been expended in furniture. Recommended for Coal, Soup, and 8 lbs. bread a week during the Winter.

92. Grace Langley: 110 Edward St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. Aged 59, a cripple on crutches, unable to work. Lives in same room with Fanny Hamilton. Recommended for coal turn about with Fanny Hamilton every 3 weeks. & bread & soup.

93. Fanny Hamilton: 110 Edward Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 45 years of age. No family, a Charwoman, says she is not strong. Coal turn about with the above Case, & bread.

94. Sarah Waller: 223 Sayer St. English. Methodist Church. Married 38 years of age. 5 Children, boy 20, boy 18, girl 12, girl 6 & girl 4. Husband a labourer. No work at present. Arrived here from England in July last. has taken their earnings to buy furniture. They appear a clean industrious family. Soup. Coal, & Bread.

95. William Connell: 99 Elizabeth St. Came from Montreal in September last. himself & wife. No claim on Toronto.

96. Matilda Bagley: Next door to 75 Hayter St. Irish. Chof England. Widow 35 years of age. 6 Children, boy 16 at work, girl 14 in service, boy 12, boy 10, boy 8, girl 6 years of age. Mrs. Bayley is a clean industrious woman but in bad health. Recommended for Coal, soup & 10 lbs. bread a week.

97. Ann Connell: 46 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Marrd. [married] Aged 35. 4 Children, 10, 7, 6 & 1. Husband a discharged Soldier, 4 Months in Canada, husband gone to the States, to look for work. Coal, soup & 8 lbs. bread.

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98. Rachel Peppworth: 64 Sayer St. English. ChofEngl. Marrd. [married] 45 years of age. 2 daughters, 20 & 12 years of age. sews to support the family. Husband a Corn & Flour dealer, but is much troubled with Rheumatism, consequently unable to attend to business.

99. Bridget Purcell: 10 Albert Street, rear of the Chapel. Irish. R.C. Widow 43 years of age. 2 children, a daughter 10, & a boy 7 years of age. Charwoman, and Visitor was told an industrious woman. Recommended for Coal, soup & 6 lbs. bread a week.

100. Sarah Hayes: 10 Albert Street, rear of the Chapel. Irish. R.C. Married, 56 years of age, a cripple. Husband 70 years of age, works for the Corporation when he can get work. No family. Recommended for Coal.

101. Bridget Geroe: 377 Queen St. East. Widow, with 2 Children. An old Case. reported upon in previous years. Not altogether satisfactory but still there is the distress when winter comes, and fuel is not to be had. Recommended for Coal twice.

102. Margaret McGill: 377 Queen St. ~~wes~~ East. occupies a room in the same House with Mrs. Geroe. Has been very ill all summer, and is still not strong enough for work. Has Children but they are all out in the Country, having been sent there during the Mothers illness. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a Month.

103. Catharine Lawlor: Husband and wife and 8 Children. The husband fell from some scaffolding about 8 weeks ago, and injured his hip, and has scarcely been able to do any work since. Visitor recommends them for Coal once, and the Case might be referred to him again. Perhaps they might be allowed bread for the same time, with the intimation that is was only given as a temporary relief until the husband is again fit for work.

104. Jane O'Neill: 303 Queen St. East. Lane in rear, entrance off of Power St. Husband and wife and five Children. The husband nearly blind. they have been receiving bread through the summer. Case reported upon in previous years. Coal recommd.

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105. Mary Davidson: Pine St. East side, a few doors North of Queen St. A very decent old woman. widow. 1 Child. supports herself very well in Summer, but can do little in Winter. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for 6 weeks (a small loafe).

106. Ellen Gallagher: Pine Street, East side, a few doors North of Queen. Widow. No Children. An old Case well known to the House. Recommended for Coal twice. Bread if she asks for it.

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107. Caroline Wilkinson: Pine Street. Not at home when Visitor called.

108. Margaret Hartree: 71 Pine St. Widow. 2 Children. girl at service. boy at home. See report of previous years. Recommended for Coal only. twice.

109. Mary Weymes: 76 Pine Street. An old Case. reported upon for some years past. Nothing new to add, except that she is in more wretched health than ever. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

110. Phoebe Carling: 104 Pine Street. Visitor cannot make out exactly whether the old woman is insane or in her right senses! However that she is in distress there can be no doubt. She says that her husband is alive and living in the States! and as far as can be make out has Married another woman leaving this wife to shift for herself! She (Mrs. Carling) has no friends or conexions [connections] of any Kind here. and is apparently. entirely dependent upon the charity of strangers. Where she is lodging now. she pays no rent, but she has not even a bed to lie upon. Visitor would recommend her for Coal once and bread for a Month. The Case then to be referred again.

111. Sarah Sanson: Pine St. west side, second door from Corner of Pine & Parliament St. Husband and Wife and two young Children. English Emigrant. Husband a Bricklayer has been in good Employment since their arrival here. but it has taken every shilling of his earnings, to purchase furniture cooking stove &c. and then the wife was confined a few Months ago, and has since been ill with fever. Recommended by Visitor for one good load of Coal, and that Mrs. Sanson be also allowed a little Tea and Oatmeal once. This assistance will be well bestowed, and will tide them over this season while the husband is unable to work at his trade.

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112. Thomas Malone: Corner of King & Caroline (Sherborne [Sherbourne] St.) South. East side. Not strictly within St. Davids Ward, but as the Case is an urgent one, Visitor thought it best to report upon it without waiting to refer it to the Visitor of St. Lawrence Ward. Malone broke his arm a few Months ago. They lost their only Child. and the wife had fever and ague through the summer. and is now lying in a very weak and dangerous state with typhoid fever. They are in great destitution as he could not go out to work, even if he was able and strong enough. as he has to attend upon his wife day & night. Visitor recommends him for Coal once a good allowance, and some Tea & Sugar & Oatmeal for the Wife.

113. Mary Wardrobe: 44 Duchess St. Husband and Wife and 4 Children and a very old woman. the wifes Mother. Husband laid up with bad leg. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for a Month.

114. Ann Hare 53 Duchess Street. Widow, No Children. A very decent little woman does her best by washing, scrubbing &c. to support herself. Recommended for Coal only twice.

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115. Elizabeth Skinner: Rear 47 Sumach St. Husband and Wife. 3 Children. two very young, one elder one. 16 years of age. Emigrants. Husband Printer by trade but cannot get work in his peculiar brand preparing blocks &c for printing pictures &c. they are apparently in much distress particularly for fuel. Visitor recommends them for Coal once and bread for a Month, will the enquire into the Case again.

116. John Morris: 383 Queen Street East. Husband and Wife. Emigrants. Husband had work at the Rolling Mills until 6 weeks ago. since then hardly any employment. and they are in distress especially for fuel. Visitor recommends them, and also

117. Mary Creighton: living in the same House for Coal twice and bread for a Month. Mrs. Creighton has a very large family of young children and her husband is also out of work at present. Visitor would strongly recommend assistance to both these parties, because the first winter is sure to be a trying one to all Emigrants. and once over that, they will be able to get on comfortably enough. Committee allowed Morris 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal. and Creighton 12 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

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118. Mary O'Neill: Lane rear of Carty's soap factory. Widow. 3 Children. an industrious woman deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal twice. bread for one Month.

119. Johanna Bermingham: Ramsays Lane. between Berkely & McMahon St. Widow. A very respectable Woman. supports herself very well in Summer, but like many others cannot manage the fuel in Winter. Recommended for Coal twice.

120. Mary Ann Stock: 24 Britain St. Husband & Wife. & 4 Children. Husband very industrious but in such wretched health as to render him almost incapable of work, but he has struggled on until now without assistance after working when he was utterly unfit to do so. Visitor strongly recommends them for Coal twice.

121. Bridget Burns: 68 Caroline St. The Case has been reported upon in former years. She lives close to Visitor who Knows her circumstances well. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

122. Isabella McAdams: 42 Duchess St. received bread all the summer. Visitor recommends Coal also.

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123. Mary Davey: 46 Elizabeth St. English. Chof England. Married. 29 years of age. Arrived in Toronto from England 16 Months ago. No family, but near her confinement with her first child. Husband a labourer in bad health has been 4 Months in the Hospital with ague & bad Eyes. On account of bad



health & & Mrs. Daveys near confinement, Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal, full rations of Tea, Sugar [etc.] for a Month, & 6 lbs. bread a week.

124. Bridget Efferson: 85 Sayer St. A decent old Charwoman. see report of last year. Allowed the same, Coal & Bread.

125. Elizabeth Reid: rear of 137 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Husband in bad health, with large young family. Recommended the same assistance as last year. See report.

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126. Ann Barber: East side of Elizabeth St. 3 doors North of Hayter. Not at home when Visitor called. A widow. Irish. Chof England. 2 young Children. An industrious charwoman. See former report. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

127. Jane Ames: 154 Terauly St. See last years report. A very respectable widow but very poor. bad Eyesight unable to fine sewing. eldest boy apprenticed a tailor, the Mother is afraid he is in consumption. eldest girl a cripple. the youngest confined to bed through illness. This poor woman is much to be pitied. Visitor recommends full ration of Sugar Tea &c. 600 lbs. Coal a Month, and a grate, she is in receipt of bread from the house.

128. Louisa Dalbear: 132 Richmond St. west. A married woman. aged 28. Husband a few months older. no Children. Arrived here a few weeks ago from England. A blacksmith by trade out of Employment, expects work next month. quite destitute. To have Coal and 4 lbs. bread for a month, and be visited again.

129. Catharine Moriarty: 11 Emily St. Irish. R.C. A widow, with 4 children, none of them in when Visitor called except a little girl aged 11. Visitor will call again, in the mean time to allow a loaf of bread.

130. Maria Matthews: 71 Boulton Street. Visitor did not see them but was told they are young people without a family. the wife 30 and husband about 40. Not new comers. cannot be deserving.

131. Catharine Ryan: rear of 121 1/2 Adelaide St. west. Not in when Visitor called.

132. Elizabeth Balsam: rear of 74 Adelaide St. west. Widow aged 34. 3 Children. girls, 13, 9, and 6. Chof Engl. English. sews for a living, but cannot do so at present, having a very sore finger. very decent, respectable. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread for 6 weeks and Coal twice. Visitor will call there again by that time.

133. Ann Kirk: rear of 267 Queen Street west. An old pensioner. 4 lbs. bread per week, and Coal twice, uses the same stove with Alice Torphey.

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134. Alice Torphey: rear of 267 Queen St. west. Widow. R.C. 2 Children. a decent worthy person. Aged about 42. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread and Coal turn about with Ann Kirk.

135. James Clarke: Dorsett Manse, Dorsett Street. Aged 39. Wife 36. 6 Children, girls 10, 12, & 7. boys 5, 3 years & 8 months. Chof Engl from England the summer before last. Clarke is a harness maker. cannot get employment at his trade has been trying other kinds of work. Visitor recommends a full allowance of bread, Coal, & soup.

136. Johanna Sims: Boulton St. Lane opposite Ritcheys Terrace. A married woman. Husband in the Hospital and has been for a length of time . A decent looking person. Aged 44. R.C. Husband Presbyterian. works when she can get it to do. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a week. Coal twice. and if any more relieve is required Visitor will see her again.

137. Margaret Whaley: 97 Richmond St. East. 49 years old. 2 children under 9 years of age. Scrubs and washes for a living. to have 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice. Irish. R.C.

138. Harriett Cangden [Cangdon]: 97 Richmond St. East. 30 years old. husband 31. Bricklayer by trade . 7 Months from England. Presbyterian Church. Coal & bread recommended.

139. Catharine Eagan: 97 Richmond St. East. 73 years old. living on Charity, not able to work. 4 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times.

140. Mary Boylan: 68 Stanley St. 60 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. to have 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

141. Ann Camp: 81 Stanley St. 40 years old. husband away in the States 8 years. 2 Children, ~~2 Children~~, 12 & 9 years of age. sells Fish. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

142. Bridget Latham: 18 Stanley St. 50 years old. Widow with 2 Children. Charwoman. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

143. Robert Hart: 48 Magill St. 32, wife 20. 2 Children. He suffers from Asthma not able to work. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

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144. Catharine Ryan: widow aged 40. Irish. R.C. one boy at home aged 12. girl 13 at Service in St. Catharines. gets her own living. appears a decent poor woman. to have 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice. Lives in the rear of 12 1/2 Adelaide St.

145. Catharine Corcoran: not to be found at the Corner of Richmond and Bathurst Streets.

146. Elizabeth Evitt: 479 Richmond St. west. Irish. Chof England. Husband suffering from paralysis, has been unable to do anything for several years. has a pension of 9 d. [pence] a day. Mrs. Evitt has done nothing for 3 Months. Recommended Coal and bread.

147. Elenor Peter: 15 Tecumseth St. wrong number given.

148. Ellen Kearns: 48 Douro St. Irish. Chof Engl. 2 Children, boy aged 10, girl 13, delicate. depends upon her needle for a living. Recommended for bread & Coal.

149. Amelia Partridge: Borden Street. St. Stephens Church. a Case well known to the House, & a very distressing one she is struggling hard to do for her family, and is giving her eldest son a trade. The family at present are in a very bad state, and the usual aid is recommended.

150. Anna Thwaits: 33 Cedar Street. An Emigrant, here seven Months, and lives in a house quite unfinished & comfortless, built by her Son. Apparently respectable. Has been obliged to pawn her clothing, blankets, jewelry [etc.]. Her husband (aged) poisoned his hand some time ago & is very weakly. Has 8 Children at home, 6 boys. One 21 years old sick with fever: two others 16 & 14 at work, & 3 aged 12, 6 & 5 respectively. two girls, 9 & 2 1/2. English. Bread and Coal allowed. It is recommended that the Coal be sent all at one time, because of the distance. Committee will allow 12 lbs. bread a week. & 1200 lbs. Coal.

151. Martha Smith: No. 3 Hope Street. A perfect nuisance to her neighbours as being the keeper of a House of ill fame.

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152. Elizabeth Ferguson: 36 Maple Lane. A widow for last 10 months Has 3 Children, a boy 2 years old, and one girl 18 who works at shoe making, and another 8 months old. sews for a living, but can get very little employment & is very badly off at present. a clean respectable looking place. English. R.C. To have Coal and Bread allowed.

153. Margaret Jones: 45 Bishop Street. An Emigrant aged 23, with 2 Children, a boy 3, and a baby 3 weeks old. Her husband is a Gunsmith, but can only get a little labouring work occasionally to do. Very

poor. In the same house with Mary Ann Marsh below, with whom she may have coal alternately. An allowance of Groceries recommended because of her recent confinement & Bread, 8 lbs. a week.

154. Mary Ann Marsh: 45 Bishop Street. An Emigrant aged 28. Husband a labourer but cant get work. No children. Very poor, and says she herself can't get employment. English. Bread allowed & Coal alternately with Jones.

155. Mary Pollard: 5 Renfrew St. A widow aged 59. who has charge of two grand children, a boy 5, and a girl 3. for whom she receives [dollars] 2, a week. Has a couple of rooms for which she pays [dollars] 2 1/2 a Month. Irish. Methodist. Coal twice allowed & bread.

156. Anna Smith: 37 Nassau St. An Emigrant, whose husband is out of Employment. Thre [three] children at the house, all girls, aged 9, 6 & 1 years. Both husband and wife get occasional work. Their house is very cold. The usual assistance allowed for a couple of months, English. Chof England.

157. Sarah Johnson: 86 Dummer Street. Not home when visitor called. Her husband (one of the children told visitor), went to the Country before Christmas and "works at nothing" when he is at home. She has five young children, 2 girls & 3 boys. goes out washing and nursing. Left to decision of the board.

158. Rebecca Fitzsimmons: 34 Front Street. next Newbigging House. An old Case, See previous reports. No change to note. Coal & 4 lbs. bread recommended.

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159. Sophia Shiffler: {283} King Street East. 3d story. German, widow. From within 14 miles from Hamburgh. 19 years in Canada: 3 years from Hamilton. Has a son who is, she says, "a great drinker" and does nothing for her. Lutheran. Coal, and four pound of bread recommended.

160. Catharine Madigan: East Street, west side, rear of 3rd door below Makers Corner & north of Rolling Mills. There is a wall opposite her door. Husband, William, a labourer, out of work and lately from Hospital. one year in Toronto from Hamilton Children, John 11, Mary 10. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

161. Sarah McIntosh: 46 Duchess St. Husband & Wife & 4 Children. Husband has been at work at Dickeys foundry and the oldest boy 14 years of age has just got employment at Lambs factory. all that is required is temporary relief in consequence of the husband having been prevented from earning anything for some weeks past. Visitor therefore recommends them for coal once.

162. Bridget Eagan: rear 53 Duchess Street. Widow, 4 children. eldest girl out at Service and so helps to pay the rent. 3 other young children. Mrs. Eagans Case has been reported upon before, she does not lose anything for the asking, but she is really a steady hard working woman herself, and visitor thinks at this time of year, deserves coal twice, and bread for a Month or 6 weeks.

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163. Elizabeth Smith: 31 Duchess St. widow a very decent old body. one daughter at service who helps to pay the rent. Mrs. Smith herself knits stockings &c, and does her best to support herself. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and a small loaf a week.

164. John Eaton: 85 North Park Street. An aged man and his wife an old and feeble woman, one grand child living with them. Eaton is a decent old man. saws wood [etc.] but too feeble to do very much. Coal 3 times, and bread for 6 weeks.

165. Jane Burgoyne: 23 Regent St. Widow. Case reported last year. Daughter then living with her, went out of her mind. Mr. [Mrs.] Burgoyne is now living alone. Coal 3 times & bread.

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166. Cecilia Convoys: Sherborne [Sherbourne], formerly Caroline St. Visitor reported upon her Case every winter for years past. she is a respectable and industrious woman, and a little coal and bread in winter is well deserved. Coal 3 times, and bread 4 lbs. a week during the winter.

167. Ann Rawlinson: McMahon St. East side of head of the Street nearly opposite the English Cemetery. Husband went to England nearly two years ago, in hopes to get his Eyesight restored by medical treatment there. Visitor believes Mrs. Rawlinson to be an industrious woman, who does the best to support her family, which consists of 3 children, the eldest a girl of 13 had gone out to service and was getting [dollars] 2 a Month, but fell down and hurt her knee lately, and is now at home, the other children are very young. Visitor recommends them for Coal 3 times, and bread for the winter.

168. Thomas Jacobs: Corner of Pine and Queen St. Wife & 4 children A Shoemaker by trade. has been out here for a twelve month. In bad health. Suffers very much from Rheumatism, and says he has not been able to make sufficient by his trade to keep his family in food & fuel. It seems strange that any one with a trade should be compelled to apply for relief. nevertheless the whole aspect of things in this Case, showed extreme poverty, and Visitor does not think any intemperance. Would recommend Jacobs to be allowed Coal twice, as it would be well bestowed.

169. Isabella McAdams: 42 Duchess St. reported upon before see Case 122.

170. Elisa Death: 88 George St. Widow, formerly lived in Service. In bad health and had to give up her last situation in consequence. Visitor recommends bread & Soup, and will make further inquiries about her at the place where she lived before Coal will be recommended.

171. Mary McDonald: 88 George St. Husband and wife & 9 children, all young. Husband works about the wharves in summer, & saws wood or anything else he can do in winter. They are really industrious people, but the 9 Children are rather more than they can clothe, and feed, and keep warm in the winter,

{and} in consideration of the size of the family! Visitor would allow them Coal twice, and bread if they ask for it.

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172. Catherine Mooney: 46 Duchess St. Widow, old and infirm. very destitute and sadly in need of fuel. Recommended for Coal twice, bread she has been receiving all the summer.

173. Elisa Worley: 100 Pine St. Husband and 3 young children, Emigrants, came our last summer. Husband a painter by trade but has been doing all sorts of work, anything in fact he could get to do, down to digging post holes & sawing wood. with what he has earned this Autumn, they have bought bedding stove &c. but now since he had been idle for the last four weeks, their funds are pretty well exhausted. Visitor thinks it is one of those cases where timely assistance extended to them now, will tide them over the first winter, and they will probably never require it again. They are therefore recommended for coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

174. Susan East: 81 Ontario St. East. formerly McMahon St. Husband and wife and two Children, one an infant 2 Months old. English Emigrants. Husband a Bricklayer. did well at his trade after he came out here last summer, but has had one or two attacks of illness and lately dislocated his shoulder. Wife was also confined 2 months ago. all this has thrown them back very much. Visitor would therefore recommend them for Coal twice. bread for 6 weeks and a small allowance of Tea sugar & Oatmeal for the wife who is still weak after her confinement.

175. Ann O'Neill: Queen St. one door East of Pine Street. Widow. 2 children. Daughter out at Service. one little boy at home. scrubs and washes. A decent industrious woman. Recommended for Coal twice & bread 6 weeks.

176. Frederick Burnham: Aged 16, Canadian, His mother who is at present staying at Dr. Aikin's, applied on his behalf for admission until Monday, when he will get Employment in Mr. Murphy's Lumber Yard.

177. Ann Gard: 2nd cottage on Brunswick Avenue. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends Coal. the Case is well known at the House.

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178. Sarah Murry: Aged 40. Irish. R.C. A widow 21 years in Canada. Lived in Hamilton where her children are now. In Toronto for last 3 years. says, she hurted her leg and wishes to be taken into the House for a time. To see Doctor, and if as she states is true, to be admitted. Dr. Ogden examined & states that Mrs. Murry has a badly sprained Ankle and is unable to work at present.

179. John Freeman: Aged 31. Canadian. Chof Engl. worked in London C. W. [Canada West] but that is done with now. came to Toronto to look for employment & is foot sore. seeks shelter for a few days.

180. David Weir: A boy 16 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. came out to Canada some years ago with his father who settled in Port Dover. The father went last Summer to Thorn Hill and got Employment in a factory, and wrote to the boy to come to him, instead of going directly on the receipt of the Letter, he went a month after, and found his father had left Thorn Hill [Thornhill] and no one could inform the boy where his father had gone to. came then to Toronto found his money spent, and finally had to come for shelter here.

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Present. Mr. E. Hobson Revd. Mr. Broughall & J. Tyner Esqr.

181. Catharine Ellamonge: 29 Wellington St. opposite Exchange. This Lady has of late figured in the Police court. she says in consequence of bad repute brought upon her house by former residents. Visitor has no reason to doubt her story, and recommends her for usual allowance of coal. her two elder boys are giving her now some assistance. Committee allow 6 lbs. of Bread & Coal 3 times.

182. Catharine Stanley: alias McDonald. foot of Church Street, west side, next Blacksmith shop. up stairs. Husband is Thomas McDonald, a labourer, who arrived from London, England, last Month, and is now unable to work from a sore leg. 2 children, Ann, 3. Catharine, 1 year. Chof Engl. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

183. Margaret Curran: 255 King Street East. in the rear. This number is a Lumber Yard at the corner of Princess Street. there is no person living in or near it.

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184. Riley Herbert: 92 South Park Street. Labourer from Kensal Green, 5 months ago. Visitor did not see him. wife, Ellen. Children, Elizabeth, 12, was at service, but obliged to leave on account of ill health. Anne 11, William, 9, at School. Ellen, 6, George 8 weeks. Chof Engl. Coal, and 8 lbs. bread.

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185. George Chandler: 93 South Park Street. Wife, Mary Ann. 4 Months from Brixton, London, Visitor did not see him, out looking for work. Wife gives him an excellent character. She has a sore foot and his unable to do much. Children, Elisa 12, John, 9, Charles, 7, Edmund, 3, William, 18 Months. Chof Engl. Coal, and 8 lbs. Bread.

186. Thomas King: 17 South Park Street. From Woolwich Arsenal 5 Months ago. wife Margaret. has two girls at service. Children at home, John 12, Thomas 10 1/2, Charles 9, Michael 7. Chof England. Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

187. Ann Linley: Reardens Lane, rear of Cherry St. East side, 1st House. See previous reports, nothing particular to note: Mrs. Linley seems an industrious body and anxious to get on. Receives bread. Coal recommended.

188. William Howes: 159 York St. Married, aged 32. Wife 26. one child 2 years old. Carpenter by trade but can't get work. Came here late last season from London, England. Chof Engl. Bread and Coal recommended for a Month. if he gets work will not want relief then. Visitor did not see him, but saw his wife, who seems a decent looking person.

189. Louisa Moulson: 166 York Street. Visitor did not see the man or his wife, but saw the family Fry who live in the same rooms learnt, that Moulson has 3 Children, 5, 3, & 1 1/2. A Labourer, who came from England last Summer, cannot get much Employment, Visitor recommends assistance until the first of March. and if he does not get Employment by that time, may be reported again.

190. Fanny Fry: 166 York St. Marred. [married] Aged 22. Husband 24. No Children. In same rooms as above. New Comers. Visitor recommends for Committee to advise that both man and wife go to service for the winter.

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191. Matilda Robinson: 125 Robinson St. Husband aged & infirm. Herself very industrious. Does general work. Has 3 Children. a boy 11, girl 20, girl 15. All delicate in health. Irish. Chof England. To have bread now, & a little Coal by & by, as Mrs. Sheppards Coal has gone who lives with her.

192. Catharine Tye: 11 Baldwin St. Not in when visitor called. An Emigrant. Has a wife and 5 small children. Bricklayer by trade. Very little work done by him since he arrived. Now shovels show &c. wife cant get any work to signify. Very poorly off very bedding, furniture &c. English. Left to Committee when they see Tye.

193. Rosanne Lee: 60 Bishop Street. A widow aged 75. No children. Not able of late to work. owns the place but lets a part of it, reserving a couple of small rooms. Refers to Superintendent for character. Irish. R.C. Fuel and bread allowed.

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194. John Masons: Wife, in Case 831, who lived in the front part of above House, has gone to service.

195. Elizabeth Beresford: 2 Willow Street. An Emigrant, 6 Months in the Country. Husband jobs about and sometimes earns 2 or 3 dollars a ~~Month~~ week, sometimes nothing. 4 Children, 10 years of age and under. has two rooms only in the House. English. Chof Engl. Bread, and Coal twice allowed.

196. Ann Sawtell: sick in bed for last 3 weeks, allowed groceries.

197. George Chessell: 474 Little Richmond St. English. recently from England. Chof England. Employed part of the time, but spent all he could earn in procuring various necessities for the House. so that when Winter set in he was without means of support. Two Children, both ill. Recommended for Coal and bread.

198. Mary Hewitson: West side of Tecumseth St. 2nd. door S. of Richmond St. wife of John Hewitson. a Shoemaker, who arrived from England 1st of August seven Children. eldest a girl at service. second a boy of 13 small for his age, for whom they would be glad to get a place. Hewitson not able to get sufficient work to meet expences. seem respectable people. who look forward of being independent of our Institution for relief next year. Coal & Bread.

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199. Mary Hickling: 60 Bathurst Street. Irish. R.C. 64 years of age. In Toronto 33 years. widow. one daughter 28 years of age, now in Hospital. pays [dollars] 1.25 for a room. and not being very strong is not able to take heavy work, but depends upon what she can earn by Knitting. Recommended for Coal and bread.

200. Mary Jeff: South East corner of Richmond & Tecumseth St. Wife of John Jeff. a Labourer recently from England out of Employment. but cheerful & hopeful. Mrs. J. disposed to make the best of everything and in another year will no doubt be independent. Five Children. from 13, downwards, just procured a place for the eldest. Recommended for Coal and bread.

201. Mary Ann Price: 54 Edward St. English. Chof England. Married, 30 years of age. one boy 7 years old. Husband a labourer has been ill for the last 6 weeks and not able to work. Arrived from England 6 months ago. Recommended for Coal twice & a little bread.

202. Arthur Potter: 65 Elm St. Irish. Chof Engl. Married, 45 years of age. 5 Children. boy 15, boy 13, boy 11, boy 9, girl 5, and boy 2 years of age. Came from Quebec a year ago. Visitor thinks they have no claim all being in good health and able to support themselves. Recommends no relief.

203. Ann Everst: 46 Elizabeth St. English. Chof Engl. Married. 37 years of age. 6 Children. boy 13, girl 11, boy 9, girl 5, boy 2 years of age, and a baby a few days old. Husband a Bricklayer, came from England 6

months ago. has had much sickness in the family. On account of her confinement Visitor recommends 600 lbs. of Coal, with Tea, Sugar, [etc.] & 10 lbs. bread a week.

204. James Gallaher: 88 Elizabeth St. Irish. Chof England. Married. 46 years of age. Labourer. 4 children, girl 13, boy 10, girl 8, boy 6 years of age. Came from Quebec in May last. No claim on Toronto. may have soup.

205. Ann French: 88 Elizabeth St. Irish. Chof Engl. Widow. Charwoman. in good health. one boy 10 years of age in the Orphans Home. Visitor thinks she is quite able to support herself without assistance from the House. Cannot recommend.

206. Louis Delaney: 51 University St. Visitor will give a half price ticket.

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207. Mary McBeth: rear of 38 James St. west. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. Widow 63 years of age. No family. appears a clean respectable woman, in bad health unable to work. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

208. Mary Ann Andrews: 68 Elizabeth St. Visitor called but she was not at home. It is recommended that her allowance of 8 lbs. of bread a week be increased to 10 lbs.

209. The Misses Smith: 113 Queen St. East. The Visitor would recommend for their usual winters allowance. A bag of flour and a supply of coal. The Case of these old Ladies has been reported upon from year to year, they are now very old and feeble.

210. Catharine Stephens: 67 MacMahon St. now all called Ontario St. East. No children living with her. one daughter married who helps her Mother a little with her rent. Mrs. Stephen is a very old and feeble woman. Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread for two Months.

211. Henry Finney: Husband and wife living at 121 Queen Street, East. Husband a very industrious man but sustained a rupture which for some time disabled him from work. 3 Children. Visitor reported upon this Case last year when they were in great distress soon after their arrival in the Country. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

212. Jane Atkins: rear of 47 Sumach Street. Husband, wife & 4 children, English Emigrants. Husband a lithographic painter by trade has had no Employment, and cannot get any at his own trade, but has been sweeping chimneys and doing any labouring work he could possibly get to do. ~~be this as it may, the unfortunate Man has now been suffering for months~~ They have had hard times of it, and the wife has had to pawn most of their clothing and bedding to keep the family in food and fire. The eldest daughter was out at service, but has had to come home to attend upon her Mother who is expecting her

confinement daily. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks. also a little Tea, Sugar & Oatmeal for the Mother. Soup also.

213. Mary Kane: 20. Irish. R.C. says was sent out by Government from poor House 3 years ago. lived in Service several places, lately out of Hospital. Not strong enough to work. seeks shelter for a few days.

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214. Maria Hardy: rear of 49 Sumach Street. Another Emigrant family and the husband unfortunately the same trade as Atkins (in Case 212), lithographic printer, and there is no work of that kind to be had here. Hardy has been doing his best to obtain other work, but it has been a trying winter for them, and they have suffered much for want of fuel. Visitor recommends them for coal and bread. Coal twice, bread for a month or 6 weeks.

215. Henry Charlton: 56 Sydenham Street. Husband wife & 4 Children. This Case Visitor reported upon two years ago. was under the impression then, that the husband was not quite steady. be this as it may, the unfortunate man has now been suffering for months from disease, and has not been able to leave the House. To day Visitor found him trying to glaze some windows for a builder in his own house. The wife has only been lately confined, and altogether they have been in very bad plight. Visitor recommends them for coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

216. Rebecca Clark: 58 Sydenham St. Husband and wife & 7 Children the youngest a few weeks old. English. Emigrants. came out a year ago this last summer. Last winter Visitor recommended them for assistance. The Husband has been working through the summer at Hamiltons foundry but has been out of work for 3 weeks, and they will not take him on again, until Tuesday or Thursday of next week. in the mean time his wife has just been confined, and they find it pretty hard work to keep themselves and their children in the bare necessaries of life. If they could have one good Load of coal and bread for a Month, it would be a timely assistance and they would probably require no further relief this season.

217. Julia Hammond: living in the rear of No. 8 Power St. A very old infirm woman, only one child living with her. Visitor reported upon the Case last year. recommends her strongly for coal & bread, Coal 3 times. Bread for 6 weeks.

218. Catharine Mooney: 44 Duchess St. A widow woman, old and infirm, gets her living by washing [etc.] in Summer. very badly off for fuel. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for a Month.

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219. Margaret Leahey: 76 North Park St. Not at home when Visitor called, but knows the Case very well. Mrs. Leahey earns her living by peddling. she has no children, but is a very old woman now. and can do but little to support herself in winter. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

220. Sarah Shippcotte: in Sydenham Street. Visitor cannot find such a person, nor such a number as 15 although went up and down both sides of the Street a half a dozen times.

221. Catherine Daley: certainly does not live at the rear of 71 McMahon Street. there is no such person at that number or near it.

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Present, The Mayor, Revd. J. M. Laurent, Mr. J. Tyner, Revd. Mr. Broughall

222. Alice McKenna: 19 Emily Street. Husband left her years ago. Aged 30. Irish. R.C. has two boys, one 7, & one 5. An industrious person. 6 lbs. of bread a week, Coal twice, & Soup.

223. Honora Kremens: 67 Boulton St. Widow aged 53, R.C. has one daughter, aged 17 who is far gone in consumption. To have 4 lbs. bread a week, coal 3 times, and groceries for the sick girl.

224. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. R.C. Irish. Spinster. aged 68. 4 lbs. bread a week. Coal twice & soup.

225. Mary Boulf: Watkins Lake. aged 44, husband 47. Emigrants. not long from England. 2 daughters, one 13, one 11. at work when they can get it. Methodist. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week. Coal once & soup. Visitor will see them again in a months time.

226. Maria Day: 50 Adelaide St. west. Widow, aged 46. Emigrant. Chof England. late from England. Respectable. 4 lbs. bread a week and Coal, 900 lbs. all at once.

227. Ellen Meehan: 132 Richmond St. West. Widow. Ireland. R.C. Church. uses the same stove with the woman Pickering, coal twice, not more than four times between them. & 4 lbs. bread a week.

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228. Margaret Cowan: Watkins Lane. Emigrant. Presbyterian. lately from England. Aged 48. Husband 52. two boys, 13 & 10. 8 lbs. bread per week for one Month. Coal twice, & soup.

229. Foundling: Male. Mrs. Monroe, Matron of Boys Home, brought this child, and made application for it's [its] admission. stating that it was left last Friday Evening on the steps of the Boys Home. About 18 Months old, very much neglected & seems not likely to live. nothing known about it's parents. After some consideration of Committee it was agreed to admit the Child.

230. Frederick Williams: Lives in a log House on the Gael farm. English. Emigrant. from England since last August. out of Employment. Wife, and 3 Children. Chof England. expects his Wife's confinement every day. Apparently very respectable. Committee allowed, 900 lbs. Coal, full ration of Tea, Sugar &c & 8 lbs. bread a week.

231. William Weeks: 85 Agnes St. English. Baptist Church. Labourer. Married. 39 years of age. Came from England 18 Months ago. He is now confined to the House with bad legs, when in health he works for Mr. Clark Yonge St. Trunk Maker at [dollars] 6 a week. Visitor recommends them to the Doctor to report upon his Case. and if found unable to work, to have 8 lbs. bread a week, Coal & Soup for a Month & Visitor will visit again.

232. Mary Farrell: 82 Stanley St. 80 years old, widow not able to work. living by Charity. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice. R.C. Irish.

233. Edward Clare: 93 Stanley St. 28 years old. Wife 27. No family. 9 months from England. cant get work. English Church. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal once.

234. Julia McCarthy: 49 Stanley St. 55 years old. A widow, one Grand child 11 years. Scrubs & washes. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

235. Johanna Riley: 82 Stanley St. 40 years old. two boys 11 & 9. Widow, does washing & scrubbing. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread, Coal once.

236. Jane Burke: 44 Stanley St. 34 years old. husband left her, 6 years ago. two boys, 10 & 7. scrubs & washes. Chof Engl. 6 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

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237. Widow Collins: Widow Collins a respectable old woman who has a room with a family named Kirkbride, living North side of Darcy Street. the middle house of seven. Visitor knows her to be a respectable woman, and recommends her to the favourable consideration of the Committee. not in when Visitor called. To have 600 lbs. Coal at once.

238. Grace Smith: 37 Nassau St. A widow who has a Daughter living with her that has been deserted by her husband & has recently been confined. Besides the baby she has a little boy 1 year 9 months old. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal for 2 Months.

239. Elizabeth Sibbett: 3 Renfrew St. A widow whose Case has been reported for two or three years. It is much the same as last year, but she would be glad of the usual relief which is recommended for two months.

240. Charlotte Simmonds: 11 St. Patrick Square. Her husband went away in the Gunboat "Heron" and has not been heard of since last April. Has two children a boy 10 & a girl 8. Washes for a living and is Visitor believes an industrious woman. Has a couple of tidy rooms up stairs. the House is very cold and she finds it very hard to get on without her husband. English. Chof England. Coal and bread allowed.

241. Mary Murray: 11 St. Patrick Square. A widow aged 55, one Child with her aged 13, out of Employment at present, he was taken sick while taking the "Telegraph" about early in the Morning. She is weakly and is able only to knit for a living and is therefore very poor. seemingly a deserving woman.

242. Caroline Wilkinson: 3 doors from the Corner of Queen, on Pine St. East side. Widow, one child at home, a boy of 7 years. washes & scrubs when she can get it to do. Recommended her to be allowed bread for a Month, Coal once.

243. Maria Smith: 348 King St. East. in an alley off North side. Husband and wife and 5 Children. Emigrants. Husband a Labourer. laid up at present with Rheumatism. has not had steady Employment. Visitor found them miserably bad off for fuel. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month.

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244. Robert Terry: Lane running from Sydeham [Sydenham] St, parallel with Parliment [Parliament] St. The house just about opposite of rear of 176 Parliment [Parliament] St. Wife and 3 Children. Emigrants. They have been peddling about through the summer, and been trying to get a living by selling or rather collecting rags for them who sell them. Visitor thinks it is a case where temporary relief is called for. and would recommend them for one rather extra allowance of Coal, and bread for a Month.

245. Sarah Shipcotte: 15 Sydenham St. Husband and Wife & 3 Children. Emigrants. Husband had work at the Rolling Mills until six weeks ago. hopes to get on again in another week. 3 young Children the Wife expecting her confinement almost imediately. All their Money was exhausted sometime ago, and they

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are very badly off both for fuel & food. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, or one extra allowance as the Wife is expecting her confinement. Bread for a Month and for the Wife a little Tea, Sugar & Oatmeal.

246. Ann Doyle: Corner of River & Don Street. Widow, several Children. Mrs. Doyle was recommended for relief before. Visitor did not stay to take down the Number [etc.] of the Children, as there were two of them ill with Scarlet Fever! Mrs. Doyle received bread all summer. Recommended for Coal twice.

247. "Note" Hon. Mr. Allan Visitor of St. Davids Ward begs to call the attention of the Committee to the Cases which he has reported upon from time to time among the English Emigrants. It will be seen that Visitor recommended for relief, even in some cases where the husband has been but a short time out of Employment, and may probably soon obtain work again.

Visitor has done so upon these grounds. In almost every case. The Emigrants have had to purchase bedsteads if not bedding, cooking stoves, chairs & tables [etc.]. the cost of these, absorbs a very considerable part of their wages for the first few Months. then perhaps there is sickness, or the Wife has been confined, or there have been weeks of enforced idleness when the husbands, could get nothing to do. under these circumstances temporary relief. judiciously administered, serves them from breaking down altogether, when

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otherwise discouragement at their prospects and particularly suffering from want of fuel, in a climate far more severe than they are accustomed to, would probably lead to drinking and all sorts of evil ways. Visitor trusts the Committee will pardon his suggesting that when any of these cases come before them. a few words of Kindly encouragement to these people, would have an excellent effect. while they could be told at the same time, that relief is only given to tide them over their first year's troubles, and that they should endeavour above all things to avoid having to become dependent in this Country on "parish relief", even from our House of Industry.

248. Jane Sinclair: 4 doors East of McBeans factory on Buchannan [Buchanan] St. Native of Scotland, Methodist Church. Widow 30 years of age. 6 Children, girl 13, girl 3, boy 10, boy 7, boy 5, & boy 1 year of age. all at home a respectable industrious woman, not in good health. Visitor recommends 12 lbs. bread a week, Coal & Soup.

249. Mary Foster: 156 Sayer St. Irish. Methodist. Spinster. Aged 58. lives by washing a sober industrious woman. Recommended for Coal twice{.}

250. Edward Morton: Corner of Elizabeth & Edward Street. Aged 32. Married. English. ChofEngl. 2 Children, a girl 6 & a boy 4 years of age. Painter by trade. Eighteen Months from England. Was getting on

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very well, until he met with an accident, falling of the University building which laid him up in Hospital for some Months. To have Coal, all he ask's for.

251. Charles Andrew: Aged 33. English. Chof England. 6 Months from England, had some Employment in Hamilton. came down to Toronto to look for Employment. without means, seeks shelter.

252. James McGrath: 28. Irish. R.C. 8 Months from the old Country, part of the time in the States and part in Canada. has been brought up to tailoring, is out of Employment, & out of means. wants to get shelter in House of Industry.

253. John & Catharine White: Man and Wife. Irish. Chof Engl, he is a labourer at present out of Employment. They are well Known at the House. want to come in for the Winter.

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Present, The Mayor, Revd. Mr. Laurent, Messrs. J. Tyner & E Hobson.

254. Mary Jeffries: 10 South Park Street. was out when visitor called, getting medicine for sick husband. From Battersea Bridge, London, last Summer. Has 5 Children: two eldest boys sell papers, the other 4 at home, 7, 5, 3, & baby 5 Months, the 7 years old is a very intelligent quite little girl, from whom the above particulars were gathered, she says all her Mother needs is some Coal, which Visitor recommends.

255. Ann Smith: 11 Pine Street. From East end of London last August,. Husband, Edward, a labourer; Visitor did not See him Children, {Amelia} Edward, 8, Anne, 6, William, 4. Chof England. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

256. Mary Ann Brown: 17 Cherry Street, up stairs, From West end of London last July; husband Walter, labourer, Visitor did not see him. Children, Amelia, 3, Mary Ann, 6 weeks, Chof Engl. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

257. Phoebe Morris: same house down stairs, came from same place at same time. Husband, William, a painter. Children, William 5, Amelia 3, Alice 2 weeks. Chof Engl. Coal & bread.

258. Harriett Carpenter: 35 York St. No such Number. A vacant Lot.

259. William Pew: 176 Adelaide St. Aged 26, Wife 28. Congregational two Children, eldest one year & 10 Months & baby 4 Months. Carpenter by trade. 6 lbs. bread a Week until 1st March. Coal twice.

260. William Beaven: Elliotts row, did not state the Number.

261. Margaret Walsh: 166 York Street. Widow aged 55. R.C. Irish. two boys, the one past 15, the other past 12. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

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262. Julia Murphy: rear 27 Dummer St. Lives with Mrs. Slattery who has aid. Has been with her for a fortnight. Not in when Visitor called, but her boy said that his father was in Gael. Four Children boy 14, who jobs about, a girl 7, & 2 boys apparently 5 & 2. Works when she can get Employment. No stove of her own. Recommended bread.

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263. Louisa Cornish: 8 Dummer St. A Widow aged 42. Has 2 Children, boy 7, and girl 12. Sometimes takes in washing, sometimes goes out to work. very poor. A son aged 21 who used to help her having died of consumption. A Nova Scotian, R.C. Bread & Coal recommended.

264. Martha Jones: 478 Bathurst St. A Widow. Coloured. Aged 43, who has bread already. 6 Children, a boy 14 who carries out the washing [etc.] 4 girls 17, 10, 8 & 6 & a boy 2. Takes in washing for a living. was previously recommended by Mr. Hobson. To have Coal 3 times Perhaps it had better be sent all at once, as the distance is so great.

265. Ann Donnelly: opposite 18 Wilton St. A widow about 40 years of age, with 5 Children who has been for several years in receipt of aid (see old report) a deserving Case, Recommended for Coal and bread.

266. Ann Rennihan: opposite 18 Wilton St. Not at home when Visitor called. said by the Nighbours [neighbours] to be a deserving Widow, who does charwork for a living, Has 3 Children. From what visitor heard about her, he would recommend relief for two Months at lest.

267. Johanna Hanrahan: 34 Elizabeth St. West. Husband not heard from for 7 years. aged 60, has one boy 12 at School. Lives with a Mrs. Sullivan who has help from the House, there being another woman also living with them, has no stove, though she told Visitor she had, and when asked to show it, she said it was not yet put up, and then that her Clergy was going to give her one. The place is a miserable dirty & cold abode. Irish. R.C. Recommended bread & soup.

268. Elisa ^S.^ Kelly: opposite 88 High Street. Not long from the old Country. Her husband is ill at present and unable to work, and she cannot get Employment. Has four children, all young. English. Recommended for usual aid.

269. Hannah Rees: 160 Spadina Avenue. She is recently from England. Her husband is laid up for last 6 weeks with inflammation of the Kidneys, and has had a relapse on account of his cold room. having had no fuel. They have one child, a boy nearly 2 years old. 600 lbs. Coal recommended, to be sent at once, and an allowance of Groceries. If necessary Visitor will see them again.

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270. Jane Connell: rear of 38 James St. west. Married. R.C. Irish. 50 years of age. Husband left her 15 years ago. 4 Children, all doing for themselves. Lives with a Married son, From what Visitor could learn it appears she requires no assistance cannot therefore recommend.

271. Charles Jewiss: McDonnells yard, Terauly [Terauley] St. English. Chof Engl. Married, 42 years of age. 6 Children, Girls {4} & 12. boys, 8, 6, 4 & 2, A Ship Carpenter. Visitor explained to them that the House of Industry was not intended to assist Married Men in good health. The Case left to the Committee. Committee allowed Coal & 10 lbs. bread on account of the young family.

272. Joseph Newman: 14 Hagerman St. English. ChofEngl. Married Brickmaker. 42 years of age. came from England late in July last. 4 Children, girl 14, do [ditto] 12, boy 10, & boy 7 years of age. on account of late arrival Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread & Coal with

273. "William White" turn about as they live in the same house and have one stove between them. White also is an Emigrant. English ChofEngl labourer. Married, 34 years of age, has 4 Children, girl 8, boy 6, boy 4, years of age, and a baby 5 Months old. To have 8 lbs. bread a week. Coal with Newman, & Soup daily.

274. Margaret Fraser: 217 University Street, says she did not apply to the House for relief.

275. Judy Mullins: 40 Stanley St. 50 years old. Husband 60. No family. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread & Coal once.

276. Ann Lynch: 40 Stanley St. 60 years old a Widow, has one boy who works in a Tobacco factory & earns a Dollar a week. R.C. Irish, To have 4 lbs. bread a Week & Coal once.

277. Ann Deagan: 567 Yonge St. 60 years old. Never was Married. living by Knitting, not able to work much. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread a Week & Coal once.

278. Ellen McNamara: 18 Stanley St. Visitor recommends "Nothing".

278 1/2. John Smith: in Case 804 in 1870. Left the Institution.

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279. Mary Kelly: 117 Nelson St. She is a Widow with 3 Children. Visitor recommends Bread & Coal for a Month.

280. George Murdock: 426 King St. East. Neither husband or Wife in when Visitor called, but one of the Children, a very intelligent little lad, said that his father was a bricklayer, but out of work at present, because work was not to be had, and that while work was plenty in Summer, he had lost a great deal of time from illness, from which he was still suffering more or less. and his Mother he said had a little baby, only a few weeks old, and there were 5 of them young Children altogether. Visitor thinks they might be allowed Coal at all events, say twice.

281. Mary Ann Bennett: 188 King St. East. Not in when visitor called, but what the people of the House say about her, she must be a very old woman, with only one Eye, whose Case was reported upon before, and who is really almost incapable of doing anything for her own support. Received bread from the Institution all summer. Recommended for Coal.

282. Elisa Cahill: Corner of George & Gerrard St. Husband in very bad health. Picks up a living by selling bones rags [etc.]. They are very badly off for fuel. and Visitor recommends them for Coal twice & Bread for a Month.

283. Ellen Ryan: No. 9 Lane between McMahon & Parliment [Parliament] St. Widow with two Children. Not at home when Visitor called. but the woman in whose house they lodged told Visitor, that Mr. Ryan was a very decent but very destitute person. that both her children had been ill during the first part of the winter with Measles [etc.] and although Mrs. Ryan went out to wash and scrub, whenever she could get it to do, she could not earn enough to Keep herself and Children in fuel and food. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for six weeks.

284. Bridget Halloran: 48 George St.)

285. William Beech: 182 King St. East)

286. Sarah Hitchlock: 228 King St. East.)

287. Stephen Buckley: 49 Pine St.)

There must be some Mistake about these Cases, as they could not be found at the Number given in.

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288. Mary Parrott: 145 Jarvis St. was not at home when Visitor called. The people with whom she was lodging, who were very respectable. told Visitor that Mrs. Parrott was an old Woman, who supported herself entirely by her needle. but she was now advanced in life and very rheumatic, and not able to work very much. Recommended for Coal.

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289. Ann Lawans: Aged 16. United States. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. says lived in Brampton 3 years, came to Toronto a Month ago Lived in Service. And is now destitute, slept in Police Station last night, seeks shelter until Tuesday when she will get a place on Gerrard St.

290. Mary Gilkinson: application was made for her admission by some Ladies belonging to Elm Street Church who have been supporting for better then [than] two years. The Case was referred to Dr. Ogden and if a suitable case to be admitted. Dr. examined and found her all right. She was paralysed but is now able to walk about. Native of England. Aged 60. Methodist. 40 years in Toronto.

291. Mary Ann Watkins: was sent here by Alexander McNabb Esqr. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for admittance, having been arrested as a Vagrant. Says, she is 32 years of age, originally from Ireland. R.C. came from St. Catharines (where she lived), 3 Months ago and was taken into House of Providence with her boy, but not being willing to work she was sent to Gael. Apparently out of her mind.

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Present, W.J. MacDonell Esqr. & J.T. Smith Esqr.

292. Elizabeth McConvoy: rear of 30 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married. 32 years of age. 3 Children, boy 7, boy 2 & Girl 3 years of age. She is on the Books for bread, and thinks she will be able to do without Coal. Husband will be discharged from Gael in a Month.

293. Rachel Davis: 79 Sayer St. reported upon before.

294. Mary Fowler: next to 104 Sayer St. Visitor made enquiries but she is not Known in that neighbourhood.

295. Ellen Meehan: 132 Richmond St. west. reported upon before.

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296. Maria Pierpoint: rear of 136 Richond [Richmond] Street west. Lives in a damp cold place. must be very destitute. Revd. Mr. Puncheon she says helps her. has a boy about 15. Recommended for Coal twice & 4 lbs. bread.

297. Rachel Burton: 66 Boulton St. Aged 27. Husband 29. 4 Children. boy 8, boy 6, girl 3 years of age, and a girl 3 Months. Chof Engl. Emigrants, late from England. 8 lbs. bread a week for one Month & Coal once.

298. Elisa Leonard: lives in the same house with above. Aged 22, husband 27. has 3 children, girl 5. boy 3, & baby 20 Months. Emigrants. Chof Engl. lately from England. Recommended for a Month, say 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal once. visitor thinks Leonard & Burton use the same stove.

299. William Beavan: 8 Elliotts row. aged 43, Wife 42. Chof England. Emigrants, lately from England. 3 Children, boy 7. girl 4. & girl 2. Beavan is a painter by trade has been out of work for a long time. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a Week until 1st of March, Coal twice & soup.

300. Mary Henderson: No. 20 Front Street. rear of Rochester House. Not at home when Visitor called.

301. Ann Boulton: 14 Elliotts row. Widow. R.C. was not in but the Case is Known to Visitor, applied last year but afterwards withdrew the application, since then she has lost her husband. Aged about 40, has four Children, girl 11, girl 10, boy 6 & boy 4. workes when she can get it to do at washing [etc.] Worthy of assistance. 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal 3 times.

302. Moses Murphy: 8 Jordan St. An old resident. Aged 73, R.C. lives in a little room with his daughter, who has a family herself and is not able to assist him much. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal twice.

303. Mary Sullivan: opposite 18 Wilton St. aged 41. Her husband is a labourer but cannot get work now, except very occasionally. She is a charwoman and is very industrious, getting about 3 days work in the week. Has seven Children from 12 years and under, the eldest takes care of the little ones when Mother is away from home at work. Irish. R.C. To have Coal & Bread.

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304. Ann Bain: 7 Renfrew St. aged about 34. Husband is asthmatic & rheumatic, quite unfit for work for some time, She used to sew till lately but now her Eyes are too weak. one child a boy about 8 years, apparently a sad case. They have been obliged to burn some of the furniture. Irish. R.C. To have the usual relief.

305. Joseph Myers: 53 Cherry St. Not at home, but Visitor saw the Wife. from London, England, last June: lived on little Richmond Street. was visited there last summer. subsequently burnt out. Cooper by trade, in bad health. was discharged from Employment here, in consequence of not having Canadian tools. 1 Child, Joseph, aged 7. House is well furnished and they seem respectable people. Chof Engl. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

306. Mary Ann Kimber: 62 Duke St. Since Visitor reported upon this Case last. the husband has met with a severe fall, which has so seriously injured his back and hip, that he is scarcely able yet to move about. This has of course thrown them back again very much and under the circumstances therefore Visitor would recommend that they be allowed Coal again, and bread to be continued for another Month.

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307. Sarah Hitchlock: 328 King Street East. Husband a Bookkeeper. came out here thinking to "better" himself and family. is in miserable health and cannot succeed in obtaining steady employment. Visitor found them in great destitution both for fire and food. Visitor gave them some Coal, (an order for 50 [cents] worth half price), and when that is exhausted, recommends to be allowed some once again. also bread for a Month or 6 weeks.

308. Samuel Whitley: 30 Oak Street. Husband and Wife & two young Children. English. Emigrants, and case much the same as preceeding one. The husband has not had steady Employment, their means are pretty well exhausted, and unless temporary relief be afforded, much suffering must ensue. Recommended for Coal once, & bread for a Month.

309. Mary Ann Watkins: in Case 291, Committee cannot admit her having no claim, and having been dismissed from a Charitable Institution already either through misconduct or Insanity.

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310. Mary Collett: Living on the Kingston road on the other side of the Don. English Emigrants. Husband a Rope Maker by trade, but has been obliged to turn his hands to other things out here, taking any labouring work he could get. but he has been out of work for the greater part of the winter. and with their large family of 6 Children, they have found it very difficult to Keep from starving. Visitor recommends them for Coal at half price once, and bread for six weeks.

311. David Brady: who was sent here by the Police Magistrate having been arrested by the Police, was refused admission, the Man being well Known at the House as having no claim on the Institution, and having been residing for many years at Hoggs Hollow. was recommended to apply to his own Municipality.

312. Margaret Wright: Aged 44. Irish. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. 8 years in Toronto. Spinster. Has two girls, 11, & 12, to Keep who belonging to a brother of Mrs. Wright of whose whereabouts she Knows nothing. To have 4 lbs. bread a week, & Coal.

313. John Black: 121 Berkely [Berkeley] St. Not in when Visitor called. but the Man is as mad as a March hare? Visitor really hardly Knows what to recommend in this Case. That he is in want there is no doubt! That he has brought it upon himself is equally certain but how far he is accountable, it is difficult to say. Visitor prefers to leave his Case in the hands of the Committee.

314. Ellen Tomkins: 45, says is a Widow, came from Richmond Hill some 6 weeks ago, lived in Service in this City for about a Month, but could not get her wages, so left her place, going about the City she fell and broke her arm, was sent here on the 19th for admission by the Mayor. she left yesterday 25th and

was seen begging about. has not returned since. Some people in the House Know her to be a Vagrant, has also been in Gael. Irish. R.C.

315. William Duke: Aged 60. English. Chof Engl. Says has been a resident in Canada for 35 years. chiefly in Toronto. No family. His wife is in General Hospital paralysed. says he is not able to work on account of Rheumatism and swelled feet. Seeks admission.

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316. William McGrath: 35, Irish. Chof Engl. & his Wife Elizabeth aged 29, Canadian. say they came from Hamilton before Christmas looking for work, which they could not get. now without funds. seek shelter until the weather somewhat moderates when they will endeavour to get back to Hamilton.

317. Gabriel Dunlop: Scotch. R.C. Wife and family live in Ohio State. on his way to Ottawa hunting up property worth a Thousand pounds. was sent by the Mayor for shelter & something to eat. requires rest for a day or two.

318. Elizabeth Kilburne: 89 Caroline St. Husband and Wife both elderly people. Husband a blacksmith by trade. went up to the Muskoka district last summer, and was employed for some time there, but the Contractor "broke down," and the poor Man never was paid his wages. He is hoping to get work almost immediately in one of the Foundries here, and in the Meantime Visitor recommends them for Coal once, and bread for a Month.

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Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & J.T. Smith.

319. Margaret Curran: rear 231 King St. East. Husband, James, labourer, from Deptford last June. willing and able to work but can find no steady Employment. The family were burnt out last summer near the Don, and lost pretty much all they had, Children, Catharine, 14. Margaret, 10. Mary, 8. James, 6. Michael 1 1/3. R.C. Coal and 8 lbs. bread.

320. Emma Beek: 27 Melinda St. Visitor did not get that far yesterday will call there to Morrow.

321. John Bayless: 116 York Street. A Married Man, aged 45. Wife 42. Emigrants. Chof Engl. Arrived here from England last May. they have one boy living with them aged 10 years who is blind. the Man cannot work yet. His Wife gets a little washing. assistance recommended until 1st of March, Coal, 6 lbs. bread a week & soup.

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322. Mary Pollock: 132 Richmond St. w. Widow. R.C. aged 63. a soldiers Widow 4 lbs. bread & Coal, until 1st of March.

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323. Mary Jane Clappison: 33 Little Nelson St. Lost her husband not long since, who when alive used to earn [dollars] 11, a week at Jaques [Jacques] & Hayes'. The Widow is 23 years old, has 3 Children, 5. 3. and a baby 7 Months old. English Chof Engl. Visitor recommends all the coal to be sent at once, 900 lbs.

324. Elenor Peters: 153 Tecumseth St. Scotch. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. In Toronto 10 years. two girls, 11 & 12 years of age. eldest at service, earns her living by sewing & Knitting. Recommended for Coal & bread.

325. Bridget Corcoran: 530 Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. No family. Husband cuts wood for two or three families. but cannot get work enough to Keep them both. Recommended for Coal.

326. Elizabeth Patten: rear of 518 King St. west, in one of Evans' houses. Has charge of an orphan boy 8 years of age. pays [dollars] 3, rent. sews, but has done little recently. Recommended for Coal.

327. Jane Moffatt: 23 Duke Street. Widow. husband died a few Months ago. leaving a Wife and young family of Children quite unprovided for. Mrs. Moffatt appears to be a very respectable Woman, and anxious to do all she can to support her children. Coal and bread.

328. Margaret Whitley: Yard in rear of McMasters 92 Duchess St. Widow, with a family of young Children, the youngest but a few Months old. an industrious decent little woman. well deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

329. Catharine Johnson: 44 Duchess St. Husband ill, and now under medical treatment, is in wretched health at all times, and in consequence constantly out of work. Mrs. Johnson though otherwise hearty enough, broke her arm near the shoulder a year or two ago, which interferes a good deal with any hard work she may have to do. Visitor recommends Coal once

330. Elisa Collins: 21 Ontario St. Visitor could not find any such person or Number. The Numbers are defective on old Ontario St. and as McMahon St. is also called Ontario St now. Mrs. Collins had better describe what part of the Street she lives in. whether North or South of Queen, or North or South of Duke St.

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331. Mary Ann Stock: 24 Brittain [Britain] St. Reported upon last year. They are English Emigrants. The husband a very industrious hard working man, has been doing his best to Visitors Knowledge, to earn a living for himself and family. but is utterly broken down and quite incapable of working any longer. They have a large family, and have struggled on bravely. the eldest boy was out at service, and although out of Employment just now, will soon be in place again. They are all young Children at home. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for six weeks.

332. Richard Bustard: Lane in rear of 70 & 72 Duchess Street. An old Man and his wife. a very decent worthy couple too old for work now. They get a small allowance from St. James' Church. but are very short of fuel in this severe weather, and Visitor would recommend them for Coal once.

333. Ellen Simpson: living on St. James Street byond [beyond] the School house. A Widow whose case has been reported upon two years ago. Visitor recommends for Coal once, (small allowance).

334. Mary Fowler: is not Known next door to 104 Sayer Street. This is the second time she was looked for & could not be found.

335. Thomas Davis: 68 Agnes Street. English. Chof Engl. Married, 46 years of age. Shoemaker by trade. 6 Children, girl 12, girl 5, girl 2. boy 11, boy 9, boy 7. They came from England in May last. there is work at shoemaking all the year round. has had 600 lbs. Coal at half price. might be allowed a little bread & soup for a Month.

336. Louisa Clark: is not Known at 225 Elizabeth St.

337. Isabella Johnson: is only remaining at 84 Agnes Street until she can rent a room. she was not in when Visitor called appears she has two Children. Husband in the States. she may require a little bread & soup, but no Coals for the present.

338. Ann Wilcox: No. 65 Agnes Street, has no claim on the Institution, her home is in Hamilton.

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339. William Stafford: 13 Baldwin St. aged 30. Emigrant. only 6 Months in the Country, A shoemaker by trade, with a Wife and 3 Children. Says he has only recently got employment, having been out of work for some time. Wants a little fuel which is all she cares for. Visitor would recommend Coal once only, as

both he and his wife are working. If they eally [really] want by and by Visitor will call again. English. Protestant.

340. Sarah McBride: rear of 27 Dummer St. This woman is now living with a Man Named Turner who is said not to be her second husband. Visitor has visited two woman already in this house & Elisa West is a fourth, a mere Vagrant, who might have a bowl of soup and nothing more as she has no children. The house is a miserably, dirty, small place, for such a Number, and it was said, that they are a lazy, drunken set, who have Notice from the Landlord "to quit". There is another family Murray, living in the place.

341. George W. Bays: Queen Street west, in a room over a furniture store three doors West of Dummer St. This is a special Case & requires immediate attention. The Man has been laid up since New Years day, and the Wife is now ill in bed, They are newly Married. He is 32 years old, she is 22. Visitor would recommend that coal be sent there as soon as possible, as neither is able to go to the House. He is English. Protestant.

342. Thomas Lewis: 33. Native of Wales. Chof Engl. From England last October. Labourer. worked about as long as he could get work to do. No Means to pay his way. Seeks shelter.

343. David Duncan: aged 42. Scotch. Presbyterian [Presbyterian] Church. 8 years in Canada, 2 years in Toronto, lately got his fingers slightly frozen. was recommended by Mr. Alderman Riddell for a weeks admission.

344. Andrew Duncan: Widower, brother of above, aged 38, was not able to pay his rent, so the landlord took his goods, is consequently without a home, seeks shelter for a few days, until he can get a place or employment.

345. Thomas Williams: aged 49. Irish. Chof Engl. Emigrant, came out in the Crocodile last July. has been a long time out of Employment, tramped from place to place seeking work & could not find it. Seeks shelter.

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346. Margaret Cook: aged 7, and William Cook aged 5 years, were sent here by the Mayor for admission, the Mother Elizabeth Cook having been sent to General Hospital, Emigrants, Natives of Ireland. Chof England. Came out here last summer, the Father of the Children died of Sun stroke shortly after his arrival, and the Mother is in Consumption. There are two more children, one with a farmer in the Country, the other a boy 13 in Toronto earning a Dollar a week. See Case 692 in 1870.

347. Lucinda Garrabrant: Aged 26. Native of Denmark, but in the States since 9 year old. Chof Engl. After her husbands death she came to Canada and lived with some friends at Wellington Beach. was sent by the Mayor of Hamilton to Toronto with her two Children, George 4, and Lucy 2 years of age. wants to

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get one, or both of the Children into the Orphans Home. Having no means to pay her way she came here for shelter. January 30th.

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348. William Duff: 93 Adelaide St. west. A Married Man aged 26. Wife 26. R.C. one child aged 5 years in the House of Providence, and a baby only a few weeks old at home. Came out from Ireland the summer before last. Visitor leaves this Case to Committee to decide upon.

349. Ellen Meehan: 132 Richmond Street West. A Widow. R.C. she lives with her daughter (Pickering), who has two children, and her husband in the Asylum, gets coal twice, & 6 lbs. bread a week. Visitor recommends for the Widow Coal once, and 4 lbs. bread a week, to help the daughter whose children are young.

350. John Graves: 163 Richmond St west. could not be found.

351. Emma Beek: 27 Melinda St. was not in when Visitor called, learned that she is a widow of about 40, has no children. she ought to be able to get bread for herself.

352. Lucinda Garrabrant: in Case 347. Committee will allow her for a few days, but recommend that she go back where she came from.

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353. Sarah Johnson: 86 Dummer St. This woman was not in when visitor called before (see Case 157). Her husband is in the States for he could not get work here to suit him. Has 5 Children from 11 years and downwards. Supported by a few Ladies. Has had a good deal of sickness lately. A Canadian. Protestant. Recommended for Coal and bread.

354. Maria Ferry: next 22 Willow St. East of Bishop. Husband unable to get work and recently gone to the States. Not at home when Visitor called but lives with a Mrs. Brady who says she has one child, a very cross baby which prevents her from getting work. very poor and destitute. Said to be a deserving woman. English. Protestant. Recommended for Coal and bread.

355. Louisa Yewman: 13 Dummer St. Recently from the old country, England. Husband out of work till recently, and has had death and sickness in the family. Has 3 little girls, and seems very poor. Recommended for help for one month as she asks only for temporary aid. To have 8 lbs bread and Coal.

356. Mary Ann Baynan: See Case 893 in 1870. No. 35 Little Nelson St. Visitor recommends another full allowance of Groceries, also another supply of Coal. It appears both Mother and daughter are somewhat better.

357. Ann Saville: lane east of Cherry Street, 3rd. house from Palace St. Husband, Robert, works in Gas House, is now confined to bed with severe inflammatory complaint. From Hackney (London), last June and children, Margaret 7, William 5, Martha 3, Charles 1 3/4, Church of England. Coal and 8 lbs bread.

358. William Patterson: 233 King Street East. Front room upstairs. Native of Northumberland, wife Jane. From London last May, was for a while in employ of Rice Lewis & Son as clerk. Children Lizzy, 21 at Service. Emma 20, William 9, Elisa 6. Visitor did not see either of the parents. Information gathered from Emma. William is a smart boy, and might be made into something if taken in hand. ChofEngl. Coal and 6 lbs bread.

359. Thomas Williams: in Case 345. To have Temporary admittance.

360. Edward Oram: in Case 856 in 1870, Admitted for a short time.

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361. Thomas Lewis: in Case 342, to have temporary admission, but must try his best to get employment.

362. William Duke: in Case 315, Committee admitted him into the House.

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Present, The Mayor, Revd. J. F. Jamot and E. Hobson, Esqr.

363. Camilla Childs: 29 Baldwin St. Husband out of work, but she does what she can to support the family. A deserving and industrious woman, and very poorly off. Has five children at home, recently there has been sickness in the family. Scotch. Protestant. Recommended for Coal twice, if it could be sent all at once.

364. Jane Spencer: 2 Wilton St. Aged 28. Husband a labourer, who has "only a little to do". She was ill during a great part of the summer & could not work. Emigrants from England about 7 Months. Has 3 boys 5, 2 1/2 and a baby. Visitor recommends Coal once.

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365. Hannah Collins: opposite 88 High Street.

366. Jeremiah Cantey: same house, a widower without children. These parties give the excuse of no work, although when visitor called about 7 O'clock last evening they seemed to be returning from work.

367. so with John Healey: opposite 88 High St. The row of houses has a bad reputation for drink & rowdiness, and Visitor will not take the responsibility of giving aid, but leaves them to the Committee.

368. Sarah May: 161 University St. English. Chof Engl. Married. 23. One boy 3 years of age. Husband a butcher, in bad health at present, Emigrants, from England in May last. Coal once, 6 lbs. bread for a month.

369. Emma Oakley: rear of 66 Terauley St. Was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed that they came from England in May last. Husband a labourer out of work and two young children.

370. Sara Waller: 223 Sayer St. See case 94. To have another month's relief, same as before.

371. Isabella Johnson: rear 63 Elm St. Coloured. Baptist. Married. 30. Charwoman, husband in the States, left 2 years ago. 3 children, boy 8, in Boys Home. Boy 4 and girl 2. 6 lbs. bread, soup and Coal.

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372. Susan Bonner: of South Park St. From Tottenham, last June. Husband, William, a labourer. 4 Children, girl 8, boy 6, boy 4, boy 2, another expected shortly. Chof Engl. Coal and 6 lbs bread.

373. Margaret Hadley: 29 1/2 South Park Street. From London last September. Husband John, a labourer. Children, Elizabeth 11, James 5. Chof England. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

374. William Herbert: 31 1/2 South Park Street and brother to Riley Herbert of 2 South Park Street. Is a Bricklayer, saw wife Mary Ann from London last September, expects plenty of work during the season, but rather dull at present. Mother lives with her, one child Lydia, 9 weeks old. Methodist. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

375. Mary Ann Henderson: 20 Front St. Visitor could not find her some time ago, she called him this morning, was on the list last winter. Appears to be a decent poor woman, but can't work even if she got it to do, being afflicted for some time with Rheumatism. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a week, she wants no coal this time.

376. Bridget Halloran: 84 George St. This old woman sent in her name some time ago but gave the wrong direction. She is very old and infirm. Visitor would allow her an allowance of bread for six weeks and a little Tea and sugar.

377. Mary Kennedy: 84 George St. Husband and wife and four young Children. Mrs. Kennedy is a respectable hard working woman, but is unfortunately in great poverty. Very much Visitor thinks owing to an idle husband, who although in bad health, could do much more than he does towards the support of his family, and seemingly not over steady either. Nevertheless Visitor would allow the poor woman bread for the sake of herself and little ones. say for a month.

378. Jane Allen: 74 McMahon St. A widow with three children, all young. Apparently in great want, especially fuel. Her manner and appearance puzzled visitor a great deal. Whether it was that cold and misery had stupefied her, or whether she was rendered stupid by drink he could not really say. Visitor feels disposed however to give her the benefit of the doubt, and let her have small allowance of coal, and perhaps bread for a month.

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379. Elizabeth Collis: rear of 21 Ontario, North of Queen St. Collis has just been with Visitor who thinks it rather strange that their next door neighbours did not know of any such persons living in the neighbourhood. Has questioned Collis very closely and his story seems all straight enough. He has been working at times for Jaques and Hay, & latterly for Dixon's, the Carriage builders and is promised work again there in a short time. He says they are without firing, and altogether in great distress. They have an infant, a month or two old. They seem very respectable people, and visitor would recommend them for Coal once and bread for a Month.

380. Patrick McConvey: aged 75. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic church. A resident in Toronto 20 years, has two sons and a daughter in Toronto who will do nothing for the old man. Seeks admission. Admitted.

381. Ann Elizabeth Armstrong: Aged 32. Irish. Chof Engl. Widow, 6 years in Canada, lived latterly in Service, now out of place, and no means, seeks shelter until she can get a place again.

382. Mary Jones: Aged 29. Widow. English. Emigrant, out since last July. Husband died last November at Oxbridge [Uxbridge] where they were living. Two children, a girl 4, and a boy 2, living with some friends at present. Mrs. Jones came to Toronto to see whether she could make a house for herself and children, if not she will go to service. In the meantime is destitute and seeks shelter for a few days.

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383. Mary Jane Henderson: 474 Queen St. West. A widow aged 44 living in a very cold comfortless house. Visitor believes her to be a deserving woman. Has one child of her own, a delicate daughter about 15 who does a little plain sewing from time to time and also a foundling aged 16 months. An Irish Protestant. Coal and bread recommended for a month.

384. Margaret Spence: 16 Eden St. Aged 50. Husband has a weak leg and can do but little work. Just now she is unable to work, although willing, as she has a bad cold. One girl aged 9. Said to be known to Superintendent. English Methodist. Coal and bread. Husband Coloured. Committee granted nothing.

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385. Bridget Gettings: 22 Stanley St. 35 years old. Widow with 3 Children, boys under 13 years. Ill with dumb ague, Not able to work, and living in misery and want. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

386. Thomas Malone: 331 King St. East, 3rd. story front room. Labourer, from County of Wexford last summer, stopped a while in Cobourg. No children, all died. Broke his arm. Wife sick in bed and worn to a skeleton, attended by Dr. Aldright. R.C. Says he got coal from House some time ago on recommendation of Alderman Hallam. They certainly need much assistance, and visitor would advise an allowance of tea & sugar, with usual quota of Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

387. Ann Horan: 231 King Street East in yard. Husband a labourer, sick for several months past. Has been in Hospital, in bed most of time. Came to Canada from Ireland in 1831. Been in Toronto since the time of McKenzies Rebellion. R.C. Two girls at service, no other children. In this Case also visitor recommends tea, sugar, with Coal and 4 lbs. bread.

388. John Graves: rear 136 Richmond St. West. Has no family but himself, aged 56. Chof Engl. English. Must have spent his time poorly. Has nothing but as he stands, seems fit enough to work. Perhaps the Committee will give him 4 lbs. bread for a few weeks.

389. Catharine Moriarty: 11 Emily St. Widow aged 45. R.C. Has two boys 13 and 15 respectively, one girl aged 11. Case was reported upon a month ago, (See Case 129). Visitor did not see her then, and did not find her at home this time. had better call at Visitor's House.

390. Bell's family of that Name living in rear of the old Emigrant Office on York Street, they did not apply, they suppose some friend applied for them. Scotch, look poor enough, have a large family of children.

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Three or four of them small. If they apply visitor recommends that they be dealt with liberally, they paid their way out, cost them a large sum. Bell says he's an accountant, don't look like one.

391. Maria Edwards: 121 Adelaide St. West. upstairs. says is a widow, aged 37. Respectable looking person, who as Visitor told her would command good wages. Says has been in Service, but at present is not well. Her children disposed of in Charitable Institutions. Visitor thinks she may have help for a month. Coal once, and 4 lbs. bread.

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392. Mary Ann Leason: No. 6 Cottage Lane running East off of Parliament St. Between Oak & Don St. Husband and wife and six children. 2 elder children earning a little. 4 small things at home. The husband has been out of work for some time past. he is a Bricklayers labourer. Has a prospect of something to do as soon as the weather becomes milder. The wife has been ill and suffers now from dropsey in the legs. They are English Emigrants. Came out last Autumn and visitor thinks are very respectable decent people. One load of Coal and a little bread for a Month would tide them over all their troubles for this winter, and would be well bestowed.

393. Mary Berkely: 70 Sumach St. Husband and wife and one child. Matters seem to have improved since visitor visited them. The husband looked sober and the Cottage tidy and neat. He has had some odd jobs to do. Visitor would recommend them to have their allowance of bread continued for another month. See Case 721 in 1870.

394. [Mrs.] Winter: 95 Beech Street. Husband died 3 weeks ago, was employed on the Grand Trunk Railway, first as labourer & afterwards to check goods [etc.] put on the cars. Six children, 4 little ones at home. Mrs. Winter appears to be a very respectable decent woman, and while her husband lived, they were beyond the reach of want, but his death has of course deprived them of all means of living except what she can earn herself. Visitor recommends them for bread and a little soup for six weeks. They cannot burn coal having only a wood stove, and not being able to afford to buy a grate.

395. Sarah Ryan: rear of 8 Power Street. Visitor has watched the Ryans and other family living in the same House. The husbands have been doing any stray jobs they could possible pick up. They have had a hard struggle to keep themselves in food and fuel and pay their rent. one more load of coal would carry them over the winter, and would be the last assistance they would require and visitor recommends them for it. See Case 852 in 1870.

396. Fanny Howard: 156 Centre St. (in Case 6) requires no more relief. Receives money from her husband who is now at work at the Government Road.

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397. Bryan Wright: Strachan Avenue, 1st door south of Queen Street. English. Chof Engl. 9 months in Toronto. Wife and one child, an infant of 3 months. Out of work since a week before Christmas. Visitor recommends them for coal.

398. Harriett Pepper: Aged 71. Irish. Chof Engl. Widow. Lived for many years in Montreal, last seven years in Toronto, used to receive out door relief from the institution. No friends to do for her. Seeks admission. To see Doctor, and be admitted if a suitable Case.

399. Mathew Devenport: Aged 25. English. Methodist. Emigrant. Came from England last September to the States, work failed there, he came to Toronto last Sunday morning. No means. Had to come for shelter to House of Industry, expects something to do shortly.

400. George Beevor [Bevor]: Aged 51. Native of Ireland. Has been tramping about the country looking for work and cannot find it. Beevor comes now and then with the same tale asking for shelter, says now he is foot sore, wants rest for a few days.

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401. Catharine Galvin: Dorset House, Dorset Street. Widow, aged 40. R.C. Has no family but herself at home. Sews for a living, but can't get anything to do now. Coal once and bread for a Month.

402. Mary Ann Earle: 11 Elliotts row. Aged 44. Husband 44. Chof Engl. Came from England the Summer before last. 5 Children (5 Children), boys, 9, 2 1/2 & 1 year, Girls 8 and 6 years. Husband has steady work. Gets only [dollars] 5 a week. Might be allowed Coal once or twice and soup, no bread. Committee allowed Coal once and no more. Had relief last year.

403. Ellen Pearce: 5 Elliotts row. Married. Aged 38. Husband 40. Chof Engl. Came from England the summer before last. 3 Children, boy 8, boy 6 & girl 5. Labourer can't get much to do. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal twice and soup. Committee cannot do anything for this family, had relief last year.

404. Margaret Slattery: removed to 30 Dummer St. denies having sold her coal. Visitor recommends that coal better be stopped.

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405. Mary Summers: 121 York Street. R.C. Irish. Married. Aged 30. Husband 27. A strapping hearty young fellow, was sitting on the side of the bed bare footed and bare legged just getting up. They have one child aged 14 Months. Visitor recommends that they give up the child to the Sisters, the wife to go to service, and let the loafing husband do as he may.

406. Catharine Moriarty: 11 Emily St. Widow aged 45. Has two boys and one girl, boy 15, learning a trade, boy 13, at school. She goes out to work when she can get it, the little girl takes care of the House when the Mother is out. Would like to go to place, but has not clothes fit to go anywhere. Came last summer from England where her husband was killed while at work. Irish. R.C. To have 6 lbs bread and Coal twice.

407. George Morris: 3rd. house on Cedar St. A Labourer aged 50, his wife is 48. Has 7 Children at home (a very small house). One is a married daughter without children whose husband is also there. Next a daughter 17 who works at fancy box work. A girl 12, 3 boys 9, 6, & 4 and a girl 3. They say they can't get work. Morris has "only earned [dollars] 15 since Christmas". His wife is a tailoress, but says she can't get employment. An English family who were aided last year. Visitor leaves them to the Committee.

408. Mary Grace: 23 Dummer St. The landlady Mrs. Healey says decidedly Grace did not sell her coal.

409. Bridget Hudson: Alias Colwell. 30 Dummer St. No stove, and denies having sold her coal, but Visitor was not satisfied with device.

410. Melinda Richards: 99 Sayer St. Coloured. Methodist. Widow. 35 years of age. 2 Children, boy 15 in Service at [dollars] 6 a Month and board, and girl 3 years of age at home. earns a living by charing and sewing. Visitor thinks she is able to provide for herself and child without assistance from House of Industry.

411. Charles Higgins: 52 Centre St. English. Chof England. Came from England 18 Months ago. Labourer, Married, 42 years of age. No children, himself and wife in good health and well able to support themselves if industrious.

412. Frederika Cline: 112 Sayer St. Case is well known. To have assistance.

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413. Elizabeth Lawson: 61 Edward Street. Coloured. Baptist Church. Widow 40 years of age. 3 children, girl 18, 13, & 11 years of age, who assist their Mother who is an industrious laundress with plenty of work. Visitor thinks she can do very well without assistance.

414. Emma Buckley: 49 Princess St. Husband and wife and four children. English. Emigrants. Came out last September. Husband got work at once, but a few weeks afterwards sprained one arm and wrist so badly as to prevent him from working altogether. After some weeks of idleness, he went to work again, and in lifting some boards injured his arm again, and now for the last Month, he has not been able to do any work. They had parted from time to time with various articles of clothing before applying to the House, and when visitor called on them yesterday afternoon found that they had scarcely had enough in the House, to give them more than one meal for the day. Visitor recommends them for bread, soup and coal for a Month.

415. Mary Munroe: 115 Jarvis St. Husband and wife. Husband utterly broken down in health, certainly not fit for work at present. The wife, too, is in miserable health. Munroe was a cooper by trade, and they were once very comfortably off. Visitor thinks they have fought off as long as they could, applying for relief, and perhaps a load of coal now would be well bestowed and bread for a Month.

416. Mary Ann Wade: 47 Sumach St. Husband and wife and four children. The Case was reported upon last year. They are English Emigrants. The man is a White smith by trade. Unfortunately there is little work to be had in his special trade, and he seems utterly helpless and unfit to push his way in other things, and he has bad health besides. They have struggled on somehow or other, all last summer, and through the Autumn, and Winter thus far, without any assistance, but seem fairly broken down now. Visitor recommends Coal and bread for a Month.

417. Margaret Sullivan: 10 Duchess Street. Widow. No Children. Peddles about with a basket in Summer. Bad health and not able to do much for herself in winter. Recommended for an allowance of Coal and bread for a Month.

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418. Abraham Selfe: 87 South Park Street. From Bristol, England last May. has been porter with Mr. Stanton, Paper maker, and will return to his employ soon as able. is now recovering from Rheumatic fever. Wife Elizabeth, native of London. Children, Thomas 10, James 8, Edwin 6 (these three go to Palace Street school), Mary Jane 4, William 15 Months. Chof England. Coal and 8 lbs. bread, also allowance of Tea, sugar [etc] for sick man.

419. Ann Thomas: aged 35. Widow, Coloured. Methodist. 5 Children, 2 in service, and 3 at home. Charwoman, very industrious. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

420. George Leach: Aged 19. English. Chof England. Came from England last May, worked about in the Country till last Octbr., when he took sick and came to Toronto, got into Hospital, discharged from there last Monday. Has no friends or means, came here for admission into House of Industry. To see Doctor and if a proper Case, to be admitted.

421. Alfred Davis: Aged 29. English. Chof Engl. Came from England last October, was employed at St. Catharines, work failed there. Came to Toronto seeking Employment, says can do clerking. No means to pay his way. Seeks shelter.

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Present, Revd. Mr. Boddy, B. Homer Dixon, Esqr. and J. Thom, Esqr.

422. Mary Carroll: 84 Stanley St. Aged 55. Works in a rag shop. Lives in a very cold room, Irish, R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal once.

423. Maria Baxter: 88 1/2 Victoria St. 38 years old, husband 43 years. 6 Children, girls under 15 years. Emigrants, five Months from England. Baxter is a painter by trade out of Employment. Methodist. English. Recommended 8 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

424. Louisa Sutton: 497 1/2 Richmond St. West. Husband recently met with an accident at the Coal yard and has been unable to work. The Doctor says it will be several weeks before his leg will be of much use to him. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

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425. Jane Heeney: 20 Christopher Street. Was not at home when Visitor called. Was informed by the person keeping store in the same house that she was a steady industrious Charwoman. 2 boys, said to be 7 & 11 years of age.

426. Mary Fowler: (in Case 334) said to live next door to 104 Sayer St. This is the 3rd. time visitor called there to find this woman, she is not known there.

427. Henry Smith: 56 Richmond Street West. A widower. Presbyterian. 6 children, 4 girls 17, 16, 12 & 9. Two boys, one 10 1/2 and one 22 years of age who is sadly afflicted, and ^not^ altogether right in his mind, cannot do anything towards his own support. The Man himself does not earn much. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a week, coal twice and soup. Came from England summer before last.

428. Mary Ann Bright: Was taken in by a kind woman who lives at No. 188 Richmond St. West. Mrs. Bright is aged about 71. Chof Engl. Her husband lives with his son in law, Wm. Henderson, the Auctioneer. Mrs. Inman, with whom she lives, cannot afford to give her firing or bread. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread and coal once.

429. Sarah Hendrick: 79 Sydenham Street. Husband suffering from stricture in the throat or windpipe. He is under medical attendance at the Hospital now. A steady excellent workman, could get constant employment at Hamilton's Foundry where he is much liked and respected, but when these attacks come on they of course incapacitate him for all work as for the time he cannot even swallow liquid. Mrs. Hendrick is a most respectable industrious woman who would not apply for anything were she not driven to it by absolute necessity. They have four young children. Visitor recommends them strongly for both Coal & bread.

430. Jane Aitkins: rear of 47 Sumach Street. (See Case 212) Visitor would like her to have Tea, Sugar, and Oatmeal. She is just approaching her confinement, and would like her to have an allowance of Coal during her confinement. Visitor is going to send the husband down to Montreal, where he has been offered some work at his trade lithographic printing.

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431. Agnes Elliss: Aged 21. Lower Canadian. Chof England, who was committed for concealing the birth of her child, was sent here by John McNab Esqr., County Crown Attorney for a few days admission, until she can get into service.

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Present, B. Homer Dixon Esqr. And J. Thom, Esqr.

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432. Emma Kirkland: 390 Adelaide St. West. Wife of W. J. Kirkland. English. Chof England. Husband a carpenter who has been ill for three Months and brought to great distress. 5 Children, eldest 12. Recommended for Coal and bread.

433. Ann Susan Oliver: 117 Berkely Street. Widow aged 50. English. Chof England. Had the misfortune to brake [break] her arm by a fall. lives with a Son in Law who is not very well able to support her. Seemingly very respectable. Emigrant, came out last June. To have Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

434. Catharine Adams: living in a lane running South from Queen Street between Dr. Wright's house & McFarries shop. Husband left her some Months ago to shift for herself with a very large family of young children. Recommended for one load of Coal.

435. Dahlia Draper: see Case 713 in 1870. Left the Institution with her infant yesterday. Will go to her friends at Brantford.

436. Agnes McKee: 45 Edward St. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Married. 32 years of age. 3 children, girls, 8 & 4, & boy 6 Months old. Husband a Painter, now in Gaol for abusing his wife, requires bail. Mrs. McKee is in bad health. Visitor recommends Coal once and no more.

437. Michael D'Esterre: Aged 28. Irish. Chof Engl. Emigrant. Was for some years in the Army in the East Indies, was wounded, and discharged with a limited pension of 9d. [pence] a day. Had shelter here for some time. Left this morning to look for work.

438. Alfred Davis: in Case 421. Left to seek Employment.

439. Thomas Lewis: in Case 361. Left, to seek Employment.

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440. Hannah Sanigar: rear of 192 Centre Street. English. Chof England. A widow, 68 years of age. Has a grandson living with her aged 18, who earns [dollars] 3 a week. came from England in August last. The old lady appears to be a clean industrious woman. Visitor recommends 300 lbs. Coal, and soup.

441. Jane Atkins: Corner of Pine and St. Davids Street. Emigrant. Aged 25. Married. Husband a carpenter out of Employment. 8 Children. English. Chof England. To have 12 lbs. bread & Coal.

442. Thomas Kelly: 46 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Resided in the States for some years. Came from Buffalo last night seeking Employment in Toronto, none to be got at present. Without funds, seeks shelter until Monday, when he will endeavour to get back to the States.

443. Thomas Earle: in Case 317 in 1869. Died this day Febry. 19th, aged 57 years.

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444. Sarah Sanson: Pine Street in Case 111, to have relief continued.

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Present, E. Hobson, Esqr.

445. William Ovell: Rear 86 Ann Street. 30 years old, wife 28. 3 Children under 7 years. Can't get work, White smith by trade. Emigrants, from England last July. English. Chof England. To have Coal once, and 6 lbs. bread a week.

446. Robert Lee: rear of 17 Agnes Street. Emigrants, from England 10 Months. Married. 44 years of age. Bellhanger and white smith by trade. Not able to get much work at present. Son 18, not living with them. English. Chof Engl. Steady, but very poor. To have Coal, all he wants.

447. Isabella Read: 40. Native of Ireland. Chof England. Says has been 30 years in Canada, and last 24 years in Toronto. A widow. Lost the toes of both feet by frost 2 winters ago. Not very steady. Brought a Note from Mrs. Grasett recommending her Case to the consideration of Committee for admission.

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Present, E. Hobson, Esqr. And R. Gilmor, Esqr.

448. Catharine McBride: 90 Adelaide St. East. Not living there.

449. James Busby: 88 1/2 Victoria St., 29 years old. Wife 26. One Child. Labourer, can't get work. Emigrants, in Toronto since last May. English. Chof Engl. To have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal once.

450. Jane Norris: 205 Yonge St. 32 years old. Husband 33. A Clerk out of Employment. Emigrants arrived in Toronto last September. English. Chof Engl. To have 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal once. 4 Children.

451. Elega Brogden: Dorsett House, Dorsett Street. Widow, aged 35. Chof Engl. Irish. Has 3 Children, girl 12, girl 9 1/2 and boy 7 years old, going to School at present. The eldest has been working with her Mother at a Tobacco factory, but not working now. She has struggled through the winter so far, but wants some assistance for 5 weeks to come. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal twice.

452. Charles Ayles: 26 Cherry St. Has been receiving aid from the St. Georges Society. From Lime house (London) last June. Cooper by trade. worked awhile in Yorkville, latterly for Goderham [Gooderham] & Worts. Just recovering from effects of a severe fall, which has rendered him unable to work for some

time past. Wife, Mary Ann was out looking for a place for one of her girls. Children, Mary Ann 16, at service, William 14, Jane 12 (out with her Mother), Emma 10, Charles 8, Alice 6, Elisa 4, Amelia 5 weeks. Chof Engl. Coal, & 8 lbs. bread.

453. Thomas Beament: East of Don Bridge, 2nd. house on south side. Visitor enquired at every house on the south side between the Bridge and the forge, including latter, but could find no such person who could direct him (Visitor) to Mr. Beament.

454. Elizabeth Skinner: rear 47 Sumach St. reported upon by Ward Visitor (See Case 115). Mrs. Skinner was confined a few days ago, for which, with other reasons, relief might be continued.

455. Susan Sampson: 96 Pine St. The ward visitor has already reported upon this. Husband being unwell, relief may be continued for another Month.

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56. Lawrence Hart: rear 65 Sydenham St. Visitor found this gentleman on calling 2nd. time. Came here from Limerick in 1852. has two boys in the States since last July. Has been twice married, once in Limerick and once in Toronto. Neither wife living. Children at home, Martin 12, Stephen 11, Margaret 9, Kitty 7, Jeremiah 3. R. Catholic. Hod carrier, slightly paralised [paralyzed]. Although his Name figured in today's Police report (Feb. 22nd.) both he and his landlord say there is some mistake about the matter. Might be allowed 6 lbs bread & Coal.

457. Margaret Cowan: Watkins Lane, has been receiving some assistance up to the present. The visitor thought she may get along with that, but her husband got a fall and by it got disabled, which rendered him unable to work for some weeks. She is therefore recommended to get Coal once more & her bread for another Month.

458. John Bright: Aged 41, Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. A Cripple with only one leg. Tailor by trade, was formerly an Inmate. Was admitted again on 10th. but the Case was not entered at the time.

459. George Hodges: Aged 37. English. Belongs to denomination called Plymouth Bretheren. Emigrant 6 Months from England, stayed in Hamilton, but came to Toronto to get into General Hospital. Is an Auctioneer, was recommended by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

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Present, Messrs. A. F. McCord & R. Gilmor

460. Dora Welsh: 46 Monk St. Husband is in the Hospital having been injured at work two weeks ago. Has 3 children, a boy 9, girl 7, and boy 5. Gets a little Employment but not enough to keep the family. Apparently a respectable woman. Irish. Roman Catholic. Coal once allowed and bread for a Month, or to stop when her husband is out of Hospital.

461. Ellen Gartley: 43 Stanley St. 38 years old. Husband a Shoemaker, at present in Gael. 3 Children under 8 years of age. very destitute. Irish. R.C. Coal once and 4 lbs. bread.

462. Catharine McBride: Rear 90 Adelaide St. East. 56 years old, husband 56. No Employment. 3 Children, 10, 7, & 5 years old. Coal once & 6 lbs. bread.

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463. Jane Lennox: 15 Cherry St. rear entrance, upstairs, with Janett Hamilton. Native of Montreal, but brought up in Toronto, aged 25. Chof England, unmarried, but has a boy George, 13 Months old: the father is, she says, George Lyne, (formerly a brakesman on the Grand Trunk, now perhaps on the great western,) who promised to marry her, but did not. She has no friends or relations, Mrs. Hamilton took her from charity, but being poor herself, is not able to give much more than House room. If the child were disposed of, Lennox might go to service. Visitor is not aware that the House of Industry can do anything in the Case beyond making a small allowance of bread.

464. Elizabeth Winter: in Case 707 in 1870, to have a full allowance of Groceries on account of husbands ill health, who is now at home.

465. Charles Drass: aged 9 years, went on trial previous of being apprenticed with Thomas D. Campbell, Township of Sullivan. Febry. 9th.

466. George Reid: Aged 21. Irish. Chof England. Worked for Grand Trunk for 17 Months. Now out of Employment seeks shelter for a few days, expects to be employed again shortly.

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Present A.T. McCord Esqr.

467. Thomas Swallow: rear of 17 Agnes Street. English. Chof England. Married. 31 years of age. 2 Children, girl 4, boy 1 year of age. came from England 18 Months ago. A Bricklayer by trade, has been in

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bad health, and consequently unable to work for some Months past. Recommended for 300 lbs. Coal, & 6 lbs. bread a week.

468. Ann Gardner: 33 Louisa St. Canadian. Methodist Church. Widow, 22 years of age, one child a girl aged 2 years. Mrs. Gardner supports herself and child by sewing but work is slack at present. she appears a clean industrious person. Recommended for 300 lbs. Coal.

469. Mary Ann Stock: in Case 331. Doctor visited husband, reports that the Man has been ill but is getting better. Committee will allow 8 lbs. bread per week until 1st of April.

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470. Emma Kirkland: in Case 432. Visitor recommends an allowance of bread as the husband is not able to work yet. To have 8 lbs. a week.

471. Andrew McGregor aged 11, & John McGregor aged 7 years. were brought here by the Police to be taken care of until Monday, their Mother Bridget McGuire having been locked up in the Station for drunken & disorderly conduct. Canadians. R.C.

472. James Cambridge: Aged 16. from England 3 years. Lived in Georgetown came to Toronto looking for Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days. English. Congregationalist.

Tuesday, 7th March, 1871.

Present. Revd. Mr. Williams

473. Mary Ann Baynam: 35 Little Nelson Street. She and her daughter have been very ill pretty much all the winter. The daughter on whom she depends for support is now getting pretty well, but not yet able to get to work, they will require assistance this Month. It is for the Committee to say, whether this Family will get single or double ration this Month, although they are getting better, they will require relief as much now as two Months ago. They have been getting double rations before. To have 300 lbs. Coal, and double ration of Groceries.

474. Isabella Reid: in Case 447 asked leave to go out to bring home some clothes which she said were left in a place where she boarded. has not returned since yesterday morning.

475. Thomas L. Gordon: Aged 36. Native of Ireland. Presbyterian Church. Lived for years at Renfrew and its vicinity as Shoolmaster [Schoolmaster]. Came to Toronto yesterday says, looking for work, Applied to



the Mayor who sent him here to have his Case enquired into. The Man has no claim on Toronto, but seems in bad health, solicits a few days rest in building for casual poor.

476. Sarah Walter: 223 Sayer Street: To have her relief continued for another Month on account of her recent confinement.

477. Ann Connell: 46 Elizabeth St. to be continued on the list, her husband has left her for some time.

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Present, R. Wilkes Esqr. & Revd. Alex. Williams

478. Joseph Jenkins: No. 80 Dummer St. Recommended by Revd. Dr. Fuller his Case to be sent to Visitor, to be enquired into.

479. Julia Robinson: formerly 229 King Street East. Lives now at 233, with Sophia Sheffler. Change of quarter is owing to cheaper rent & being in debt to her late Landlord. Her boy has gone to Caledonia, with a Man who came for him. says she Knows nothing about her husband and thinks he has left her entirely. Visitor is not quite clear about the case, but it may perhaps be as well to give her the Months allowance which is all she wants.

480. William Wearing: King Street East North side, 2nd door East of Jarvis Street. 3d story back room. From Yorkshire some 17 years ago, has been twice married: present wife Elizabeth is from Buckinghamshire, has grown up children living near Toronto, but never sees them. Wearing was not at home. wife says he is an old man & rather a slow coach at work. Methodist. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread for a Month & Coal.

481. Mary Ann Wade: 47 Sumach St. No one in but a little boy, aged 9. From what visitor saw & heard, would feel disposed to recommend that allowance be continued for the present Month.

482. Jane Winters: 54 Sydenham Street. From Ireland, 12 Months last September. Husband John, died about 4 Months ago, was in employ of Grand Trunk. Children, George aged 14 picks hair, Evans 13, at Stantons paper factory. Mary Ann 12, was to be apprenticed at Golden Lion. Jane 10 1/2, John 7, Albert 4, Methodist. Mother is rheumatic. Recommended say 8 lbs. bread & Coal. Committee allowed 12 lbs. bread per week.

483. John Wyley: says is 17 years of age, brought up in House of Providence until 9 years of age, when he went to a farmer in the Country. came to Toronto last December, and has been for the last 3 Months in Gaol. was sent here by the Mayor to be taken care of for a week or two until he gets stronger. The boy appears to be Idiotic. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a week or two, but if he does anything improper to be dismissed at once.

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484. Catharine Sharp: 45 Spadina Avenue. Visitor could not find her.

485. Thomas Digman: in Case 645 in 1870. Left the Institution March 11th says he has got Employment.

486. Ann Brown: in Case 402 in 1870, left the Institution March 11th it is said by Inmates that Brown and above Case will go into Housekeeping together.

487. Ann McNab: aged 48. Irish. R.C. Has her 3 children in Girls Home, and husband has left her. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett for a few days shelter in building for casual poor.

488. Fanny Abbott: 66 Emma St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. aged 25. one child, a girl 2 years old. Near her confinement again. No relief on account of the loose life she is leading. She was formerly an Inmate under the Name of Faley, & left last spring.

489. Thomas Liston: in Case 801 in 1870. Left the Institution this Morning March 14th expects to get Employment on the Rail Road.

490. George Leach: in Case 420, left the Institution yesterday. March 13th.

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Present. J. Thom Esqr. Revd. Dean Grasett

491. Ann McNab: in Case 487. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a time.

492. Susan Bonner: in Case 372. Husband a labourer still out of Employment. 4 small children, and expects shortly to be confined again. To have Coal once more.

493. John Wyley: in Case 483 left yesterday on his own account.

494. Sarah Hand: 438 King Street East, to have her bread and Coal continued until 1st of April.

495. Jenny Lee: who went on trial last year with Mr. Collins, was returned to the House. Cause -- her temper. March 13th.

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Present. J. Thom Esqr.

496. Mary Ann Lyons: Aged 20. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Spinster. Came from Ireland 9 Months ago. has been in Service but on account of sickness had to leave several places, she is now confined to bed with dysentery. Lives with a Mrs. McKee 45 Edward St. To have 300 lbs. Coal & single ration. and 4 lbs. bread a week.

497. Rebecca Greentree: 120 York St. A Married woman, aged 31. Husband 28. ChofEngl. About a year & a half from England. They have one child, aged 8 Months. No Employment at present, and no means, expects work in a week or two. The baby is sick and they have no fuel. Recommended for coal, and 6 lbs. bread for two weeks but no longer.

498. William Richardson: 38. English. Chof England. Emigrant, from England 3 Months, a Labourer. Very anxious to get some Employment was sent by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

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Present, Messrs. J. McBean & G. Rowell

499. Joseph Jenkins: 80 Dummer Street. Lives with an old widow named Johnston who "gives him a bed on the floor" beside the Kitchen stove. Has been with her a Month. An old Man who begs for a living. Was not within when Visitor called. supposes he might have a little bread.

500. Robert Lee: in Case 446, To have Coal once more.

501. William Cameron: Aged 53. Canadian. ChofEngl. Has been in search of Employment, says could not find any. seeks shelter for a few days, will then go back to Glengarry where his friends are.

502. Mary Beard: aged 22. Born in England, in Canada 20 years. Not Married, has one child, a girl 12 Months old. Lived with her parents on 3d. Concession line, Township of Tecumseth. says Parents are tired of her & her child, came to Toronto & is destitute, applied for shelter at House of Industry.

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503. Mary Smith & child in Case 78 in 1870, left the House March 23. She has got a place at [dollars] 3 a Month, and her child is allowed to be with her.

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Present, G. Rowell Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Darling

504. Henry Smith: in Case 427, to have Coal once more, and her allowance of 8 lbs. bread per week continued until the 1st of April.

505. Joseph Jenkins: in Case 499, to have a loaf of bread for the present, and soup if he likes to come for it.

506. Benjamin Potter: applied a Month ago, but the person in whose house he lives told the Visitor that there was no such person living there, that was a mistake. Potter is a married Man aged 25, wife 27. Emigrants, arrived here last June. ChofEngl. Wife just confined with her first Child. badly off for proper nourishment. Visitor recommends Coal, bread for two weeks, and an allowance of groceries.

507. George Reid: Aged 21. Irish. ChofEngland. Two years from the old Country. Worked in Grand Trunk Freight shed for 18 Months, now out of Employment, seeks shelter for a few days. See Case 466.

The Committee for revising List of Indoor & Outdoor Poor met to day March 27th at half past 3 OClock P.M.

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson (Chairman), J. Tyner, Revd. Mr. Broughall, Mr. J. Shea, & Revd. Mr. Williams.

Committee advise to have the Soup Kitchen closed after next Friday being the last day of March. Also to strike of [off] the List all Families receiving Out door relief, except extreme cases who are usually retained on during summer Months.

All Indoor poor able to earn their own living to provide for themselves as soon as possible.

508. Rachel Williams: a Married woman who lives at 208 Terauly [Terauley] St. says, that about 2 years ago a Man Named William Nixon brought a Male child 8 days old to her to nurse and he would pay her [dollars] 6 a month said he was the father, the Mother having died a few days after her confinement. Mrs. Williams agreed to the terms, and took the

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Child, never saw the man again or his Money. after a time she applied to the Corporation, who allowed her [dollars] 5 a Month for about 18 Months. The Mayor will not allow the City to pay for it any longer but advised Mrs. Williams to apply to House of Industry.

Committee decided that Mrs. Williams' child above referred to be admitted in Case she cannot dispose of him by adoption: such admission being allowed only in consideration of the very peculiar circumstances of the Case.

509. Ann Coulter: a Married woman, lives 213 Bishop Street. Brought a Male child here for admission. says she nursed it for 2 years and 2 Months, and was paid by the Corporation [dollars] 5, a Month, but the Mayor refuses to pay for it any longer. The child was sent to her by Captain Prince when 6 weeks old, a Foundling, nothing Known about its parentage. Admitted, being a foundling. Named George Laidlaw.

510. Margaret Wiltshire: 13 Baldwin St. Suffering from cancer, an incurable Case. Her husband has gone to the country in search of work. Has 5 Children. Recommended for groceries and an allowance of Coal.

511. William Midland: 506 King Street west. Emigrant, recently from England, but out of Employment and now ill. Recommended for Coal, and Groceries. Wife and two Children. ChofEngl.

512. Catharine Eagan: 97 Richmond St. East. To have Coal once more, and her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

513. Patrick McKew: 84 Stanley Street. Coal once more, and ration of 6 lbs. of bread continued during summer Months.

514. Mary McLean: Lives on a lane between Baptist Church and Bond Street. To have 300 lbs. of Coal once more, and her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

515. Benjamin Bowditch: Aged 26. Emigrant, from England since last November. English, Chof Engl. is a waiter by occupation, out of Employment. No means to pay for his Board. Came here for a few days shelter until he can get some Employment. Seems a very respectable Man.

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Tuesday, 28th March, 1871.

Present, R. Gilmor Esqr.

516. David Fletcher: Aged 44. Emigrant, from England 9 Months. ChofEngl. worked at Cheltenham, Canada West. took bad with diarrhea, which brought him in a low state of health. Came to Toronto with a view of getting into Hospital or some charitable Institution for a time till he gets better. Admitted for a while with the understanding that he make himself useful as far as able.

517. Madeline Booth: 117 Nelson St. rear entrance. Visitor called twice, but could find no one in. said by the Neighbours to be out at work.

518. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane, King St. East. The old Man is still confined to bed: says he was visited by a Doctor from the Hospital who prescribed half a Gallon of best brandy sling morning and evening. There is probably some mistake about the Matter: at any rate, the old Man, a life long teetotaler, is much averse to a remedy which might frighten even a six bottle man. Could not the House Doctor manage to visit him. Meanwhile Visitor recommends a continuance of bread & Coal. also an allowance of Tea, Sugar &etc.

519. Julia Robinson: 231 King Street East. Stays with Mrs. Sheffler. was confined on Friday last of a dead child;. altogether "is doing as well as can be expected", but is nevertheless in a very miserable way. Visitor recommends a continuance of bread & coal: also one ration of Groceries, although the latter was not asked.

520. Thomas Malone: 231 King Street East. Not in, room locked. Visitor was told by Mrs. Sheffler that wife died in Hospital not long since, and that child is also dead:. Malone gone to work. If all this be so, it may be well to wait till Malone makes further application

521. Ann Horan: 231 King Street East. Husband is pretty much in the same state as when visitor saw him last: sits up occasionally, but spends most of his time in bed. Relief can be continued a while longer.

522. Doctor examined Mr. Fraser in Case 518, and found him really ill.

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523. Doctor examined Mary Ann Welsh in Case 81 and found her in rather poor health, suffering from scrofulous enlargement of the ~~lungs~~ glands. Recommended by visitor for 600 lbs. Coal, full allowance of groceries and a continuation of her allowance of 8 lbs. bread. To have 1200 [lbs.] Coal.

524. Elizabeth Cook: in Case 346. has left the Hospital, and took her two children out of this Institution, says, is able to provide for them. March 29th.

525. Rachel Williams: in Case 508, brought the Child for whose admission she applied to the Institution as agreed by Committee. March 30th. The child is called Frederick Nixon.

526. Margaret Brennan: in Case 838 in 1870. Left the Institution on her own account, will take up her old occupation during summer which is peddling about with a basket.

Friday 31st March. 1871.

Present. R. Gilmor Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Givins.

527. Mary Beard: and child in Case 502, to be admitted with the understanding that she make herself general useful.
528. Elizabeth Kinder: ration of 8 lbs. bread a week continued.
529. Ann Lloyd: to have 4 lbs. bread a week continued during summer.
530. Martha Carr: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.
531. Bridget McCan: continued on List during summer 4 lbs. bread Weekly.
532. Jane Gowell: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
533. Mary O'Brien: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
534. Moses Murphy: 4 lbs. of bread weekly continued during summer.
535. Sarah Hendrick: weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
536. Elizabeth Neal: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
537. Sarah Williams: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
538. Ellen Laughlan: ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.
539. Sarah McGregor: 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.
540. Margaret Goodwin: 4 lbs. bread a week until 1st of May.
541. Fanny Moore: 8 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.
542. Charlotte McCan: Weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued.
543. Elisa Gunson: to have 300 lbs. Coal, Bread 4 lbs. Continued.
544. Jane Ames: to have 8 lbs. bread a week during summer Months.
545. Elisa Jolland: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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546. Grace Langley: her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
547. Alfred Atkey: allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
548. Elisa Wheat: to have 300 lbs. Coal. Allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
549. Margaret Eaton: Allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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550. Phoebe Gray: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
551. Matilda Bagley: 8 lbs. bread a week continued during summer Months.
552. Clara Stain: allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
553. Ann Duval: ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
554. Emma Munroe: allowance of 8 lbs. bread a week continued.
555. Amelia Sandell: 8 lbs. bread continued. & 1200 " [lbs.] Coal for the summer.
556. Mary Andrews: ration of 10 lbs. bread weekly continued.
557. Caroline Lane: ration of 8 lbs. bread continued during summer.
558. Mary Cogan: 12 lbs. bread a week continued during summer Months.
559. Madeline Booth: 300 lbs. Coal once more. 8 lbs. bread a week to 1st of May.
560. Harriett Congden [Congdon]: 600 lbs. Coal. Bread 6 lbs. continued
561. Sarah McQuiggan: 300 lbs. Coal. 6 lbs. bread weekly continued.
562. Isabella McAdams: 300 lbs. Coal. 6 lbs. bread continued.
563. Elizabeth Jackson: 300 lbs. Coal. ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.
564. Alice McKenna: 300 " [lbs.] Coal. 4 lbs. bread until 1st of May.
565. Elizabeth Johnson. Coloured. ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
566. James Hogan: in Case 696 in 1870, had leave to go out last Saturday, has not returned, will most likely try to draw his pension. April 3d.
567. Frederick Smith: in 807 in 1870 left the Institution, will go to Barrie where he expects employment. April 3d.
568. Edward Oram: in Case 856, gone with Smith, the above.
569. William Duke: in Case 362 left the Institution this Morning April 3d without saying he was going after being for Months in the House and recovering his strength so as to be fit for work.
570. John Oak: Aged 26. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. 2 years in Canada. Has been sailing on the lakes in previous years is now looking out for a birth [berth] again. seeks shelter in the mean time. Apparently an industrious Man.
571. Jane Curran: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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572. William Dunleavie: in Case 601 in 1870, Left the Institution on the 19th of March without leave or saying he was going to leave, Not returned since.

573. William Graham: Aged 30. English. Baptist. Emigrant. Out since last Christmas. Out of Employment just now. brought a Note from the Mayor recommending Graham to remain for a few days until he can hear from his friends in the States.

Tuesday, April 4th 1871

Present. Revd. Dr. Tapp, & S. Rogers Esqr.

574. Jane O'Neill: her weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued.

575. Bridget Burns: 4 lbs. bread a week continued during Summer.

576. Cecilia Edmonds: allowance of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

577. Ellen Marshall: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

578. Johanna Lynch: weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued.

579. Honora Gillan: her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

580. William Turner: 6 lbs. bread a week continued during summer.

581. Catharine Flood: 4 lbs. bread continued, to 1st of May.

582. Elisa Durke: applied for the admission of an idiot boy (her eldest child), aged 17 years. Committee cannot hold out any hopes for her, as this Institution is not intended for such Cases.

583. Mary Rutherford: Allowance of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

584. Daniel Mulloy: in Case 631 in 1871 left the Institution this day April 4th on his own account, without saying that he intended to leave.

585. Mary Hickling: to have her weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

586. Sarah Bloomer: her ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

587. Martha McConkey: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

589. Caroline Ryan: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

590. Ellen Davidson: aged 31, called at the House with a young child about 3 Months old. brought a Note from the Mayor requesting her Case to be enquired into. she was very much under the influence of drink. says her husband left her a Month since. The woman was incapable of making a statement, and went away again.

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Friday 7th April 1871.

Present, Revd. Mr. Topp, & S. Rogers Esqr.

591. Margaret Broom: Watkins Lane, has been getting assistance during last winter. this person although young and hearty is in real poverty, her husband left her last fall, soon after they came here from England. she thinks he is in the Province somewhere, but has sent her no assistance has 3 young children, and being a stranger gets not much to do. told Visitor that some days she has nothing for the children to eat. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread a week until further Notice.

592. Henry Aldous: aged 25. English. ChofEngl. Emigrant, from England since last August. A Book Keeper out of Employment, without any means at present to support himself. applied for a few days shelter while looking about for Employment.

593. Doctor visited Alfred Allans Wife at 154 King Street west. she said she had inflammation of the bowels on Wednesday so bad that a Doctor from the Rossin House who was sent by some Lady, thought it impossible for her to recover. He ordered cold water to be applied, and yesterday she was out of danger. Doctors report is that she had Histerics [hysterics], a nervous complaint, free from danger, and a complaint that she can bring on or asume at any time. She is not seriously ill now nor has she been, although her husband may firmly believe that she is. Although not sick, yet she is not strong, but will complain the longer she is tempered.

594. William Hunter: 24 years of age, English. ChofEngl. Emigrant from England 8 Months. worked in Chatham Canada West until lately when he came to Toronto looking for Employment. without means, seeks shelter for a few days.

595. Mary Lawrie: alias Wilson, aged 26. Irish. Chof Engl. was lately in Lying in Hospital where she was confined 3 weeks ago of a boy. was sent with her child here for shelter by the Police Magistrate until Monday.

596. Ann Mulqueeny: Maple Lane, is rheumatic and cannot work. Visitor recommends that her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread be continued, until she gets better.

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Tuesday, 11th April 1871.

No Committee present.

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597. Margaret Douglass: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.

598. Margaret Gale: weekly allowance of 4lbs. bread continued.

599. Marie Davie: 46 Elizabeth St. Doctor visited and reports. The husband poorly and his sight very bad.

600. Phoebe Carling: allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.

601. Margaret Wiltshire in Case 510, Visitor recommends some bread.

602. Thomas L. Gordon: in Case 475, left the Institution on his own account. The man seems to be deranged in his mind.

Friday, 14th April 1871.

No Committee present.

603. Mary Madigan: 132 Richmond St. west. Says is 67 years of age, has none but herself. lives rent free. had relief last winter. wants her bread continued. Visitor leaves the Case to Committee.

604. Mary Ann Bennett: an old Case. Visitor does not think that she is capable of supporting herself, and would therefore recommend that her bread be continued during summer.

605. Margaret Lawrie: Coloured. 421 Adelaide St. west. Both Mrs. Lawrie and her husband are aged, and unable to do much for themselves. Visitor would therefore recommend that their allowance of bread be continued.

606. Robert King: in Case 600 in 1867. Applied for a few days shelter until he can get into General Hospital.

607. John Milling: Aged 50. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. Emigrant 12 Months out. Out of Employment just now. seeks shelter for a few days.

608. Henry Bolton: Emigrant. English. Aged 27. ChofEngland. Out since last August. Recommended by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

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Tuesday, 18th April, 1871.

No Committee present.

609. Elizabeth Evitt: 479 Little Richmond Street, wishes to have the assistance of the House continued during the summer. She is not able to earn anything, and her husband is afflicted with paralysis so as to be utterly helpless. Visitor would be glad if both the allowance of bread and also the tea &etc. could be granted as in former years.

610. Margaret Wiltshire: in Case 510. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a week for the present.

611. Margaret Saulky: an Inmate in Case 684 in 1870, left the Institution, has friends in New Market [Newmarket] with whom she intends to live.

612. Penelope McMillan: rear of 36 Terauly [Terauley] St. to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer Months.

613. Jane Sinclair: Buchanan St. 4 doors East of McBeans factory. To have a weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread a week.

614. John Oak: in Case 570 left the Institution April 19

615. Henry Aldous: in Case 592 left the Institution do [ditto]

616. John Grandy: Aged 25, English. Methodist. Came from the States to Canada looking for work. without means, seeks shelter.

617. John Williams: Aged 30. English. ChofEngl. has been in the Army. No means, expects work shortly at Mr. Leslie, Kingston road. seeks shelter in the mean time.

618. John Baxter: aged 24. Native of Sotland. Ch of England. Emigrant, 15 Months out, landed in the States were [where] he was employed until last fall when he came to Canada. A druggist at present out of Employment. No means, seeks a few days shelter.

619. Mary Hudson: to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

620. William Richardson: in Case 498. left the House. 21st April.

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Friday, 21st April, 1871.

No Committee present.

621. Mary Huton: Aged 20. Native of this City (Toronto), ChofEngl Not Married. was lately confined at Lying in Hospital with a boy now a Month old. says she is an orphan, lost her parents when quite a child. No friends. Was sent by the Mayor for a few days admission, as she is utterly destitute of means.

622. John Ferguson: Aged 55. Native of Ireland. Presbyterian, in Canada Eleven years. came from Township of Harvey wants to get into General Hospital, is bad with rheumatism. Seeks shelter for a few days.

Tuesday, 25th April 1871.

Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent, & J. Tyner Esqr.

623. Andrew Allison: to have his allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued.

624. Ellen Purtell: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. to be continued.

625. Ann Silver: ration of 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

626. Sarah Boyd: Visitor thinks that under the circumstances Mrs. Boyd might be allowed the bread throughout the summer on account of her idiot son, dependent entirely upon her.

627. John Handford: in Case 414 in 1870, left the Institution being strong enough now to earn his living.

Friday 28th April 1871

Present, J. Tyner Esqr.

628. Mary Madigan: in Case 603, might be without relief during summer.

629. Elizabeth Evitt: in Case 609. to have some Groceries allowed on account of her sick husband.

630. Robert King: in Case 606, allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a few days.

631. Mary McGee: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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632. James Coleman: in Case 407 in 1870. Aged 70. Irish. ChofEngl. seeks admission for a few days until he gets better, suffers at present from a severe cold. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending Coleman to the favourable consideration of the Committee. Admitted for a time.

633. George Morshead: Aged 30. Emigrant. English. Ch of England. Out since last February. A Clerk, without Employment. No means. seeks shelter for a few days.

634. Francis McGlynn: Aged 29. Native of Ireland. Ch of England; 4 years in Canada, came lately from Montreal where he was for some Months in the hospital. caught a fresh cold, and is not able to work at present if he could get Employment. No Means. seeks shelter at the House.

Tuesday. 2nd May. 1871

Present, J.T. Smith Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

635. Catherine Keating: wife of Timothy, 319 Queen Street East. Applied for a combination of her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread during summer Months. granted.

636. Mary Gilkinson: (in Case 290) an Inmate complained that Louisa Hibbard another Inmate, called her unpleasant Names. Committee advised that they try and agree together in future. If any further complaints are made to be referred to General Board with recommendation that both parties be provided with quarters somewhere else.

Friday, 5th May. 1871

Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

637. Francis McGlynn: Allowed to remain in the House for a short time until he gets better. See Case 634.

638. George Flowers: Aged 26. English. Chof Engl. Emigrant. A Month out from England. Was in Canada 3 years ago, went home then. Bad Eyes, No means to pay for his board. seeks shelter for a time. Dr. Rosebrugh is attending to his Eyes. thinks his sight is somewhat improving.

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639. John Stuart: Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. 74 years of age. 40 years in Canada. Lived chiefly at George Town. Came to Toronto to look for a Son whom he could not find. The old man is foot sore and tired and seeks shelter for a few days.

640. Ann Johnson: 30 years of age. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. 14 years in Canada. lived in Toronto at Service. Moved to New-Market when she got Married. Now in search of her husband who cleared out



and left her without a change of clothes. No Means to pay for her lodgings [lodgings]. seeks shelter for a few days, and if she cannot find her husband, will go to service.

641. Adolphus Homer: a cripple with one leg, aged 39. A Native of Brantford, Canada. Came to Toronto without Means. on his way to Branton where he has a Brother. seeks shelter for a day or two.

642. Mary McKay: Aged 32. Married. Native of Ireland. R.C. does not live with her husband. Came from Oswego with her youngest child a boy aged 2 1/2 years. will try and get a situation where she will be able to take her child with her. stopped in a boarding house as long as she had Money to pay her way. Now without means. seeks shelter.

643. William Duke: rear 137 Chesnut Street. A Pensioner with 8 d [pence] sterling a day. No Children. 55 years of age. Wife 45, who is paralised on right side, and otherwise in impaired health. To have 4 lbs. bread a week for a Month. See Case 569.

Tuesday. 9th May. 1871

Present, His Worship the Mayor, Revd. J.F. Jamot, & E. Hobson Esq.

644. George Flowers: in Case 638. Doctor to report upon his case by next Friday.

645. John Stuart: in Case 639. Must go back to his own Township has no claim on the Institution.

646. William Whitten: Aged 72. Native of Ireland. Chof Engl.

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says, has been 19 years in the States and Canada alternately. came from Rochester 6 weeks ago. if he could get a pass to Guelph he would trouble no one, as he has friends there. To call at the Mayors Office.

647. Joseph Jenkins: who lives at No. 80 Dummer Street. has no family, and is partially paralised, applied for relief in the shape of a loaf of bread a week, admits he begs. Committee will not grant him Out door relief, but offered him admission into the House, which offer he declined accepting.

Friday. 12th May. 1871

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

648. Doctor examined George Flowers in Case 644, who has sore eyes from granular lids. He strongly denies ever having any specific disease, and Doctor is unable to find any evidence to the contrary. Allowed to have shelter for a few days.

Tuesday. 16th May. 1871

Present. J. Thom Esqr.

649. Margaret Oliver: Aged 37. Native of Scotland. Chof England. Widow. 2 Children, Girls, aged 13, & 7, in the "Girls House". Mrs. Oliver has been for the last 9 weeks in the General Hospital she is not strong yet, seeks admission until able to go to place again. Admitted for a time. Must make herself useful while an Inmate.

650. William Brown: an Inmate (Blind), See Case 656 in 1866, Left the Institution this day May 18th on his own account without permission.

Friday 19th May 1871

Present J. Thom Esqr.

651. Julia Power: Aged 35. Married. Irish. R.C. Husband a sailor away on the lakes. was lately confined the baby a boy now 9 days old. had to leave the place where she boarded. destitute and weak, came to the House for admission. brought a Note from the Mayor.

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652. Julia Butter: see Case 643, in 1870. went on trial previous of being bound with Alexander Sutherland of Sydenham.

Tuesday. 23. May. 1871.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

653. Mary Duke: her husband brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her case to be enquired into. The case has been attended to. See No. 643.

Friday 26 May. 1871.

Present, Messrs. J.E. Smith. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

654. Julia Power: in Case 651, to be admitted with her child. Mr. Tyner (Visitor), to be requested to enquire into the character of the woman at the people with whom she boarded.

655. Maria Ferry: 132 Richmond St. west. had relief last winter says she has not been well lately. applied for nourishment. says cannot eat bread. To have Sugar, Tea & Oatmeal this once.

656. Mary Henry: an Out door Pensioner had flour last winter instead of bread. applied for a little more of the same. To come in a Months time, when she is to have another bag.

657. Rebecca Heffer: An Emigrant, had relief last year, applied again. Committee consider she ought to try and get on without help from the House during summer.

658. Henry Aldous: in Case 615, applied for admission. says is in a bad state of health. To see the Doctor by next Tuesday.

659. George Morshead: in Case 633. applied also for admission. Doctor to report in his case by next Tuesday.

660. Francis McGlynn: in Case 634. would like to get to Montreal. Advised to apply to the Mayor for a pass.

661. William Brown: in Case 650. was admitted again on condition that he behave himself in future.

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Friday. 26th May. 1871.

662. Martha Gilmore: rear 99 Parliament Street. The husband is now ill and has been more or less an invalid for some years. by trade he is a journeyman Waggon Maker. but has been unable to work at his trade for some time. What the exact nature of his complaint is, Visitor could not quite make out whether the lungs were affected, or from general debility and ill health. although he is comparatively a young Man. The wife appears to be a particularly nice respectable person they have a family of 5 children. None except the eldest boy (who is 12 years old but not strong), They have of course been reduced to great straits as the father has been earning nothing for Months. Visitor thinks that they might be allowed bread for a few weeks and perhaps a present allowance of Tea, Sugar, & Oatmeal.

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English. Methodist Church. boy 12, boy 9, girl 7, girl 5, & boy 18 Months. To have 12 lbs. bread a week for a time, & a double ration of Groceries.

663. John Ferguson: in Case 622 died this day May 28th. Consumption.

Tuesday, 30th May, 1871

Present. A.T. McCord Esqr.

664. Henry Aldous: in Case 658, Doctor examined and states that Aldous has consumption pretty well advanced in the right lung. He is at present quite unable to work and it is rather doubtful if he ever gets able to do much. Mr. McCord wrote a Note to Mr. Mason Secretary of St. Georges Society recommending his Case. in the mean time to be admitted into the Institution.

665. George Morshead: in Case 659. Doctor examined, who states that Morshead has a small ulcer on the top of his foot, produced by the rubbing of his boot. Dr. wants rest and a little warm water for a few days, when (Doctor thinks), it will be all right. There is not much the matter with him.

666. John Blyth: Aged 69. Native of England. Chof England. 17 years in Toronto. No family. has been respectable and seen better days, but confesses has been fond of a drop. brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his Case for admission. June 1st. See Case 675.

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667. George French: in Case 629 in 1870, left the Institution will go into the Country to get fresh air.

668. Francis McGlynn: in Case 660 left the Institution.

Friday, 2nd June 1871.

Present, No Committee

669. Elizabeth Walmsley: an Emigrant, out from England 3 weeks. English. Chof England. Aged 34. A Widow. says, has 2 children in Liverpool. Recommended by Dr. Oldright for a few days admission, as she is in a weak state of health.

670. William Lee: in Case 704 in 1870 ran away from the Institution. June 3rd.

Tuesday. 6th June 1871

No Committee present.

671. Edward E. Knight: in Case 697 in 1870. Left the Institution will go in the Country where he expects Employment.

672. A deserted Female child, aged say about 3 Months was admitted (May 26) on application of Mrs. Irvin, and placed out to Nurse next day May 27th. with Ann Flood 66 Elizabeth Street. at [dollars] 5 a Month. Nothing Known of its parents.

673. Ann Moons: in Case 611, had leave to go out, on the 6th has not returned yet June

Friday. 9th June 1871

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

674. Mary Fowler: rear of 114 Chesnut St. applied for admission of Mary Duke who is afflicted with paralisis and whose husband has deserted her. See Case 653. Doctor Ogden to report upon the Case by next Friday.

675. John Blyth: in Case 666, to be admitted.

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June 12th 1871.

676. Mary Ann Cook: who lives at 81 Ontario St. East, brought a Male Child 2 weeks old, whose Mother died a week after its' birth in Consumption, it appears the Father (a weak minded man), is not able to support it. Mrs. Cook applied to the Mayor who sent the child to House of Industry for admission. Parents are Natives of Holland.

Tuesday 13th June, 1871.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

677. Mary Duke: in Case 674. Doctor examined the Case, states that she is paralysed but able to walk a little, says she would go up steps into the yard. Her leg is swelled but not sore. She is not a fit case for the Hospital. Admitted.

678. Julia Power: in Case 654. left yesterday with her child. Now able to provide for herself.

679. Elisa Kingswood: says is a Nurse at the "Girls Home", that a Male child say a Month old was brought to that Institution last Friday night by a Man named Hughes, who lives on Beech St. who found it near a fence not far from his house. deserted. Miss Elliott Secretary of Girls Home applied to the Mayor, who Elisa Kingswood says, ordered the child to be sent to House of Industry.

680. Ann Cunneyworth: lives at 39 Maple Lane with her Son who has been ill for some Months. She has been afflicted with Rheumatism for years, and is now seriously ill from it. Is advancing in years and infirm and unable to support herself. Recommended for an allowance of Groceries. Chof England. English. 60 years of age.

681. Matthew Kerr: Aged 73. Irish. Presbyt. 25 years in Canada, lived at St. Catharines, and in the County of Peel, came to Toronto to seek Employment. Would like to become an Inmate in House of Industry for a time. No Claim.

682. The child in Case 676 died this Morning, June the 15th, at half past seven OClock.

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Friday. 16th. June. 1871.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

683. Mary Ann McCosling: applied for relief during summer Months, application refused.

684. The child in Case 679. was sent to Nurse June 14th with Jane Sinclair at [dollars] 5, a Month. approved by Committee.

685. Martha McCormack: in Case 698 in 1870. Left the Institution on her own accord. Drunk, and abusive as usual.

Tuesday, 20th. June 1871.

No Committee present.

686. Daniel Fletcher: in Case 516, had leave to go out to Post- Office, did not return, but appeared in Globes Police report under heading of Drunkards as an old offender, and was sent to Gaol for a Month.

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Friday 23rd June 1871

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

687. Catharine Murell: Widow. Blind, 80 years of age next Septbr. English. Chof England. An old resident. Daughter applied for her admission, also recommended by the Mayor. Doctor to call on her and report. Doctor called and reports all right, clean and a fit Case for admission. Admitted. Has a Married Son who lives in the rear of 71 University St.

688. Frederick Wray: 93 Adelaide St. west. Emigrants, late from England. A Married Man aged 27. Wife 30, 3 Children, boy 11, girl 3, and baby 9 Months, not in good health, has been to work for Jaques & Hay, but had to give it up, being a stranger with a young family Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread per week, for on Month, but no longer.

689. Richard Kellane: say 60 years of age, Native of Ireland, an old resident. Blind. was brought here for admission. Left next Morning. says has means to support himself.

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Tuesday, 27th June 1871

Present, Revd. Mr. Givins & R. Gilmor Esqr.

690. Benjamin Bowditch: in Case 515, left the Institution having obtained employment.

691. George Morshead: in Case 665, left the Institution, went to Kingston where he expects a situation.

692. Mary Huton: and Child left the Institution, without mentioning she intended doing so. in Case 621.

693. John Campbell: Aged 40. on his way to Hamilton asked a few days rest. Scotch. Presbyt.

694. William Catlin: English. Chof Engl. aged 50. formerly a Soldier out of Employment just now on account of a sore foot. asked permission to stay for a few days until he gets better.

Friday, 30th June 1871.

Present. Revd. Mr. Givins

695. David Marshall: aged 54. English Chof England. A Sailor. came from Montreal, on his way to London Old. Lame. seeks shelter for a few days to clean himself up. Allowed to remain in Building for usual poor.

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696. Michael Allgraves: 64 English. Chof Engl. 24 years in Canada. A Blacksmith by trade. lived in Berwick, came to Toronto to look up some friends, but could not find them. seeks shelter until Monday. Granted.

697. John Jones: 20 years of age. Canadian. Chof Engl. Came from Quebec, his Native place, looking for Employment. brought up to the Grocerie [grocery] business. Out of means, seeks shelter for a few days.

698. Silas Williams: aged 51. English, says, belongs to the church. came from the States last week, to Kingston, now on his way to the states again. Seeks shelter for a night or two.

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699. Robert Harris: aged 61 Irish. Presbyterian. from Owen Sound. came to Toronto with a view of getting into General. Hospital, but could not get admittance. bad legs. seeks shelter for a day or two, when he will return to Owen Sound.

Tuesday. 4th July. 1871.

Present. S. Rogers Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

700. William. Alexd. McBerny: Aged 58. Irish. Presbytarian. Carpenter by trade. fall of [off] a building some 10 years ago and has been crippled ever since. His wife supports herself, but is not able to support her husband at present. McBerny is desirous of getting admission into the House for a time, hopes it will not be for long. Admitted.

701. David Marshall: in Case 695. applied for admission into the Institution for a time as he is not able to work at present on account of injuries received from a fall into the hold of a vessel. Admitted.

702. Richard Allgraves: in Case 696. applied for admission, has no claim on Toronto. advised to apply to his own County Council. allowed to have shelter until to Morrow.

703. John Jones: in Case 697. Allowed to stay in Building for casual poor for a few days longer.

Friday. 7th July. 1871

Present; E. Hobson Esqr.

704. John Blyth: in Case 675. wants leave to go to St. Georges. Society with a view of getting a weekly allowance of Money. was informed by Committee that whatever Money may be granted to him while an

Inmate in this House, would be claimed by the Institution, to help to pay for his support. Preferred leaving the House.

705. The Male Foundling: 684 died this Morning, July 8th at Mrs. Sinclair at Chesnut [Chestnut] Street.

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706. Jane Dundas: 111 Elizabeth Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, aged 56. Charwoman. one daughter 18 years of age who has been ill for the last two Months, had to leave her place and come home to live. To have single rations for two Months and 6 pounds bread a week during the same period.

Tuesday, 11th July, 1871.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

707. Johanna Riley: Irish. R.C. an outdoor Patient for relief during winter Months for some years. Aged say 40. 3 Children, boy 11, and boy 9, both away from her on the Street somewhere. She came lately out of Lying in Hospital where she was confined of a girl now 3 weeks old. A Widow four years. seeks shelter for a time as she has no means or money.

708. Charles Pearce: aged 21. Emigrant. 3 weeks from England. English. Chof Engl. A cripple with only one leg. Has no Employment. says he was sent by the Mayor for shelter until Friday next, when the St. Georges Society will meet, from whom he expects to get relief or be sent Home again.

709. Sam Ellis: Aged 43. Irish. 9 years in the Country. Orthodox Church to be sure. A hard stone cutter out of Employment, came from Madoc. seeks shelter for a day or two.

710. Margaret Crawford: Aged 25. Canadian. Methodist Church. was born below Kingston where she lived until a few days ago when she came to Toronto with the intention of getting into some charitable Institution. says she is married to a Soldier but does not know where he is or where to find him. has one child, William, aged 10 Months. seeks shelter for self & 2 child.

711. William Young: 52. Irish. Presbyt. from Ireland since April. stopped in the Lower Province, where he could get no Employment, came to Toronto in hopes of doing better. seeks shelter.

712. Charlotte Ray: 34. English Chof Engl. Came from Montreal to Toronto 12 Months ago to looks for a husband whom she has not found. Left 3 Children in Ladies benevolent Asylum in Montreal. seeks shelter.

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713. Ann Buckley: 33. Irish R.C. Church. Widow. came last night from Quebec where she lived for last twenty years. was told she would better her condition by coming to Toronto. has a boy (Thomas), with her aged 10 years. without means, asks shelter for a few days. sent from the Mayors office.

Friday, 14th July 1871

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applications

Tuesday 18th July 1871

Present, Revd. E. Baldwin

714. Thomas Kelly: in Case 711 in 1870, applied again for admission, brought a note from the Mayor, recommending his Case to be brought before the Committee. Revd. Mr. Baldwin wrote a note, for Kelly, to take to his worship the Mayor, explaining why applicant was refused admission by General Board in August last.

715. Samuel Otter: Aged 25. English. Chof Engl. 6 weeks from England. A grocer out of Employment. Sees shelter for a few days.

716. John Scott. aged 38. Native of this City. Chof Engl. Butcher. Son of Jonathan Scott an old resident. had his feet frozen last winter. lately from General Hospital. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission. To be admitted.

717. John Oldland: Aged 47. English. Chof Engl. Emigrant only a few Months out. Out of Employment, was sent from the Mayors Office for shelter for a few days.

~~Tuesday~~ Friday 21th July.

No Committee present.

718. Daniel Fletcher: in Case 686. Served his term in Gaol. Came back to House of Industry for readmission. Mentioned the Case to Chairman, who granted shelter for a day or two but no more.

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Tuesday, 25th July. 1871

Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent, Messrs. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

719. Sarah Peacock: A widow aged 71. English. Chof England. In Toronto since 1842. was an Inmate in 1868. has been for the last 9 Months in General Hospital from which she is now discharged. No friends & No Means. Mr. Hobson applied for her admission. Admitted.

720. Emma Allan: 24 years of age. English. Chof Engl. Emigrants, 12 Months out. had relief from the Institution last winter. husband and 3 Children. George 8, Alice 4, & Florence 8 Months. States that they lived on Queen Street west near the old Turn pike and were burnt out yesterday at one OClock, and lost everything belonging to them. Were sent here from the Mayors Office. Gave them shelter in Building for casual poor.

721. Mary Ann Bennett: an old out door Pensioner for many years. was sent to day by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate for admission having been arrested as a Vagrant by the Police. Widow. Aged 62. Irish. R.C. Church.

Friday, 28th July 1871.

Present. J. Tyner Esqr.

722. Mary Ann Bennett: in Case 721. To be admitted.

723. William Young: in Case 711, went into the Country looking for work, got Employment on the Railroad, but could not stand it. came back to the House for a few days shelter. Allowed to stay in building for casual poor for a few days.

724. Ann Affleck: in great distress. Her husband has been in Hospital for some weeks and she is without the means of supporting her children. Visitor recommends a liberal allowance of bread for a Month. Emigrants from England two years. English. Chof England. 3 children, girls 7. 3. & 8 Months.

725. A written application was made by Mr. Allan Cameron & Mr. McCord for the admission of an old resident Named Black. Admitted.

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726. Ellen Sullivan: on a Lane in rear of Cosgrove, Corner of Queen & Dummer Streets. Not at home when visitor called being down at the Hospital to see her husband, who has been there for 2 or 3 Months, suffering from sore legs. Has seven Children. the eldest 13, and the youngest 3. The Mother washes for a living and the family seem to be in a very uncomfortable condition the house being extremely untidy to say the least. R.C. Irish. Temporary aid recommended. To have 8 lbs. bread for a Month.

727. Joseph Pearton: Aged 60. English. Chof Engl. 12 Months from England. A Labourer, came lately up from Montreal looking for Employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

728. Mary Wilson: and Child in Case 595, applied for shelter until Monday.

Tuesday, 1st August. 1871.

Present, W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

729. Margaret Saulkey: in Case 611, applied for a few days shelter.

730. Henry Harris: Aged 21. Labourer. English. Chof England. Emigrant 3 Months out. seeks shelter for a few days. having been out of Employment on account of sickness.

Friday. 4th August. 1871

Present, W.J. MacDonnell Esqr.

731. David McGonegal: Aged 50. Native of Ireland. A Pensioner in receipt of 9 d. [pence] a day. No family excepting his wife who is in Service. seeks admission on account of bad health. To see the Doctor, and the Case to be brought before next weekly Committee.

732. Ann Gray: aged 27. from Branchton near Harrisburg. near her confinement, arrived in Toronto to day looking for a husband who she says deserted her. wants to be taking [taken] into the House. Canadian.

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Tuesday. August 8th 1871.

Present, Rev. J.F. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

733. David McGonegal: in Case 731. Cannot be admitted.

734. Margaret Saulkey: in Case 729 allowed to remain in building for casual Poor for a few days longer, all she asks.

735. Johanna Riley: and Child in Case 707. to be admitted into the House for a time, with the understanding that she make herself General useful.

736. Rebecca Greentree: High Street, first door west of Denisons Avenue. Very poor family, partly in consequence of an accident and illness among them. Her husband who has recently got work after illness, has just been again laid up, and she is confined of a child only a short time, (the only child surviving). Visitor recommends bread and Groceries. English. Chof England.

737. William Davis: and wife, No family, came out 12 Months ago from England and settled at Goderich, but came to Toronto a few days ago having been sent by the Mayor of Goderich. Applied to the Mayor of Toronto for assistance who sent them to House of Industry. English. Painter by trade. both in good health. Recommended by Mr. Hobson to apply to Mr. Bitton a Painter on Agnes Street for Employment.

Friday, 11th August. 1871.

Present. Revd. J.F. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

738. Julia Burton: A Widow aged 43. Irish. R.C. Church. has received relief during Winter Months for some years. Children are doing for themselves. says, has a bad finger therefore not able to work at present. seeks admission for a time. Admitted for a time.

739. James McKenny: in Case 530 in 1870. left the Institution

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740. Emily Hackett: 15 Robinson St. In Canada 3 Months, having arrived from England in April. 5 Children, 2 boys, 3 girls, from 9 years and downwards. Husband has been a Clerk & Traveller in the old Country, is of weak health, and not yet in Employment. apparently respectable people. ChofEngl. English. Recommended for aid.

741. Elisa Read: 60. A Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. An old resident in this City, says was burnt out a Month since, on the Corner of Beech & Sumach Street, wishes to be allowed shelter until Monday.

742. Julia Donohue: 57. A Widow. Canadian, born in Toronto. Has a broken arm. asks shelter until Monday, when she will try to get admission into Hospital.

Tuesday, 15th August 1871.

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Present Revd. Mr. Boddy.

743. David Edwards: aged 30. English. ChofEngl. Emigrant 6 weeks out. A Clerk, but worked out here as farm labourer, now in bad health. brought a note from the Mayor recommending his admission for a few days until he gets better. admitted.

744. John Scott: Aged 70. Irish. ChofEngl. 37 years in Canada. A Blacksmith by trade. Lately from Cobourg, on his way to Niagara. Not well seeks shelter for a few days.

745. Robert Gray: in Case 912 in 1870, left the Institution on his own account. August 16th. was given to drink last few days.

746. G. H. Parminter: lately out from England. respectable looking old Man. who was admitted into the House for a few days on 11th of August, left to day, August 16th expects Employment on the Narrow Gauge. Came back again on the 19th, and left for Hamilton on the 28th where he expects to get Employment.

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Friday, 18th August 1871.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & B. Homer Dixon

747. Sarah Hatch: a Married Woman with five Children, who lives at 128 Duke Street. States to Committee that about 2 weeks ago a Woman named Sara Humphrys who had been confined at Lying in Hospital brought her infant (female), 3 weeks old to Mrs. Hatch to nurse, for which she agreed to pay [dollars] 1.50 a week, was living then as Cook with Mr. Grants family, where she left last Monday, supposed for the States, leaving the child behind, for whose admission Mrs. Hatch now makes application. Committee cannot relieve her Case.

748. John Jones: in Case 697, who has been in the House ever since, was ordered by the Committee to leave on Monday next.

Tuesday, 22nd August 1871.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

749. David McGonegal: in Case 731, again applied for admission. refused on account of his Case having been decided upon by previous Committee.



## Toronto House of Industry

24 August 1871

750. in accordance with requirements of the Inspection act 1868 the undersigned this day makes an inspection of this Institution, it being an Establishment receiving Government aid, the several dormitories, day rooms, store rooms, and the domestic Department of this House were all visited and the whole found in the most admirable Order, and scrupulously clean and neat throughout.

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The two rear yards were in a very tidy state and the ornamental portion of the grounds attached to the house are well and neatly kept.

The beds, of which there were 89 made up during ~~my~~ his visit, were very comfortable and the bedding clean & of good quality and quite sufficient for the requirements of the house.

There ~~are~~ were 70 In door residents on the Register on the occasion of his inspection. Of this number he saw and conversed with 51. Say 23 men 18 women and 10 children. the remainder although they sleep in the house were absent at the time. The health of the house is singularly good only three persons were found in bed whose only ailments appeared to be old age.

There are eight physical defectives in residence six of whom are blind, and two ~~have~~ who have not the use of their legs, the last named (one of whom is quite idiotic and the other an imbecile) are a great trouble and care and are not proper subjects for an institution of this character.

Not a single complaint was received from any of the inmates, but all expressed themselves

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being perfectly satisfied with their treatment They were all very cleanly in appearance and were comfortably dressed and some of the women were very neat and tidy in their dress.

From an examination of the books it would appear that at the present time that in addition to maintaining 70 indoor poor, 73 families in the city are ~~daily~~ weekly receiving from 4 to 12 lbs. of bread, and in cases of extreme poverty accompanied by sickness rations of Tea Sugar rice oat meal & Coal are also distributed

The general management of the affairs of this important public charity is all that could be desired and the funds economically but efficiently expended so as accomplish the greatest possible benefit, all of

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which is in great measure due to the excellent system of administering its affairs, and the efficient and thorough manner in which the Trustees Managers and Committees perform their duties, as well as the excellent domestic management of the Superintendent Mr. Duckett.

S.H. Langmuir Inspr. [Inspector]

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751. The female Foundling in Case 672, died this morning. August 24

Friday, 25th August 1871.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson.

752. Mrs. Munroe: Matron of "Boys Home" brought a note from Mrs. Grassett recommending the admission of a boy say three years old. It was found by making inquiries that the mother belongs, and lives at Eglinton. The application was therefore refused.

753. James Duncart: English. ChofEngl. 7 years out. Resided chiefly in the states, and for the last four years travelled with a show. says is in bad health. seeks admission.

754. William Amos: 55. Irish. ChofEngl. 4 years in the Country. Labourer, 4 months in Toronto. In bad health, seeks admission into General Hospital. seeks shelter in the meantime.

755. William E. Lash: 19. English. ChofEngl. Emigrant 5 weeks out. A Clerk out of Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days.

756. Joseph Foley: 52. Irish. ChofEngl. 7 years in the Country. worked about from place to place. seeks shelter for a few days. Not well, and no Means.

757. Dora Martin: A widow (white woman), husband was a Coloured Man, 6 Children the 4 eldest are provided for at Guelph [Guelph] where she lived for years. She is quite blind. says the Mayor of Guelph send her to Toronto with her two youngest Children. Irish. R.C. Came here for shelter for a few days, will then try to get back.

Tuesday, 29th October [August] 1871.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

757 1/2: Sarah Hatch: In Case 747. applied again for admission of the Child left with her, brought a Note from the Mayor recommending the Case. Mr. Hobson will call upon the Mayor and make some arrangement. Mrs. Hatch to call again to Morrow to know the result. Child admitted August 30th.

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August 29th 1871.

758. James Duncort: in Case 753, to see Doctor and if in bad health as he states, to be admitted for a time. Doctor examined and states that Duncort is not fit for hard work just now, but able to do some light work. admitted for a time.

759. David Edwards: in Case 743, went to place with Dr. Wm. Ogden on Queen St. August 31st.

760. Wm. Sanders: 30. Wife 30. 3 Children, girl 7, Boy 4 & girl 4 Months old. Emigrants from London, England. 3 weeks out. Live at 88 Bishop St. to have 8 lbs. bread a week, say for 2 weeks. Sanders is a Shoemaker & expects to get work.

Friday, 1st September 1871.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

761. Jane Sloane: for whose admission application was made some time ago, was brought to the House yesterday. Doctor examined & states she is free from contagious disease. It is said she is 106 years of age. originally from Ireland. Baptist Church. 80 years in Canada out of which she resided 70 years in Toronto. Her friends have agreed to pay for her support to the Institution through the hands of Mr. Love, on Yonge Street, 8 dollars per Month.

762. William James Elliott: aged 20. English. ChofEngl. 2 years in Canada. Out of employment at present. seeks shelter.

763. Dan Ryan: 44. Irish. R.C. 18 Months in Canada. Labourer. Out of Employment. seeks shelter.

Tuesday, 5th Septbr. 1871.

Present R. Wilkes Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

764. Three children Named Livingstone were brought last night by the Police, having been found wandering about, two were taking away this Morning by the father, and the youngest was enquired for

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by the Mother, who stated to Committee that she has no home having parted from her husband. Committee allowed her to stay to night. will pay fare to her parents to morrow.

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765. Foundling Male in Case 229 and Foundling Female in Case 757 were baptized this day by Revd. Mr. Hill of St. James Cathedral. Boy named George Street, & Girl Margaret Smith.

766. Catharine Long: Aged 72. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. came to Canada a year after the Rebellion. 17 years a Widow. Children all away from her. says she has no means of support. Apparently respectable. Recommended for admission by Mr. C. Gamble.

767. Sarah Duggan: who was apprenticed by the Trustees and Managers of this Institution, to John Hughes of Toronto, on May the 1st, 1861 returned to the Institution Septbr. the 6th instant. says was advised to do so by friends on account of bad treatment received from Mrs. Hughes.

768. Deserted Female Child in Case 757 died this day Septbr. 8th at half past twelve OClock A.M.

Friday, 8th Septbr. 1871.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

769. Mary Livingston: in Case left the House last Tuesday and has not returned since.

770. William Turner. Aged 70. Wife Amelia, aged 69. Natives of England. Chof England. Resided in Toronto about 20 years. Received Out door relief for many years. Now unable to provide for themselves any longer, seek admission into the House. Admitted.

771. Samuel Wedge: formerly an Inmate, See Case 553 in 1870. says is now 83 years of age. Wedges memory must be failing, as he made out to be 84 years of age in 1868. English. ChofEngl. appears to be in a very feeble state. seeks admission again. Admitted on condition not to be allowed off the premises.

772. Mary Ann Andrews: 68 Elizabeth Street is in receipt of 10 lbs. of bread a week, brought a Note from the Mayor recommending further relief on account of two of the Children being laid up with scarlet fever. To have 2 lbs. Sugar, 1/2 lbs. Tea, 4 lbs. Rice & 4 lbs. Oatmeal.

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773. George Coles Tender for bread during the month of Septbr. at 10 cents per 4 lbs. loaf was accepted on 28th of August last.

774. John Lebreton: 35. English. ChofEngl. Emigrant, 6 weeks out. Dyer by trade. Came from New Market [Newmarket] with Note from a Doctor recommending his admission into General Hospital. has a very bad foot which will most likely require an operation. was sent here by the Mayor for a few days admission.

Saturday, Septbr. 9th 1871.

Committee on Coal met this Morning to open Tenders, at 9 O'Clock, A.M.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & J. Tyner Esqr.

775. The following Tenders were opened.

William Myles' tender for Sranton [Scranton] or Pittston [dollars] 6.60 Briar Hill [dollars] 6.95. Marsilon [Massillon] [dollars] 6.00

Mr. Devans Tender Pittston [dollars] 7.00 Briar Hill [dollars] 7.50 Nova Scotia [dollars] 7.00 Marsilon [Massillon] [dollars] 6.{00}

P. Burns' Tender Pittston [dollars] 6.50 Briar Hill [dollars] 6.40 Marsilon [Massillon] [dollars] 5.50

G. Chaffey's Tender Pittston [dollars] 6.75 Briar Hill [dollars] 6.75 Marsilon [Massillon] [dollars] 6.00

John Snarrs' Tender Pittston [dollars] 6.65 best soft Coal [dollars] 6.49 Marsilon [Massillon] [dollars] 5.76

P.D. Congers' Tender Hard Coal [dollars] 6.45 Briar Hill [dollars] 6.75 Marsilon [Massillon] [dollars] 5.75

After careful examination of the Coal, Committee accepted the Tender of Mr. Conger.

Tuesday, 12th Septbr. 1871.

Present Revd. Dean Grasett

776. Joseph Black: [Case] 725 came in the House to day, having been admitted. Aged 81. Native of Ireland. Presbyt. Church. Resided in Toronto 40 years.

777. Catherine Long: in Case 766 left the House on her own account.

Friday, 15th Septbr. 1871.

No Committee Present

778. Julia Burton: in Case 738 left the House last Wednesday without leave, and has not returned since.

779. John Jones: in Case 748. Recommended by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

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780. Sarah Duggan: in Case 767. went to Service at Colonel O'Hara's.

781. Ann S. Spreckley: 411 Little Richmond St. Husband & 3 Children, girl 9, boy 4 & girl 14 months. Emigrants, 6 weeks out. English. Chof England. Recommended by the Mayor for assistance.

782. Stephen Sullivan: Aged 40. Wife Elisa, aged 39, & 4 Children, Matthew, 13, Julia, 9, Margaret, 7, and Daniel 2 years of age. Came for shelter, said had been turned out by their Landlord. Emigrants out since last May. Irish. Roman Catholics.

783. Andrew Robertson: Aged 62. Scotch. Presbyterian. A Cripple, seeks shelter. See Case 392 in 1867.

784. Henry Wilson: 49. English. ChofEngl. 46 years in Canada. Carpenter by trade. came from Collingwood. Is trying to get to Oshawa as soon as friends will find means, seeks a few days shelter in the mean time.

Tuesday, 18th Septbr. 1871.

Present G. [J.] Rowell, Esqr.

785. Bridget Wheeler: 29. Irish. R.C. Church. Widow, with two Children, Mary 13 & Thomas 8. Came from Weston. seeks shelter for a few days until she can procure a lodging for herself & children.

786. Ann Robertson: rear 38 Centre St. English. Presbyt. Widow. 42 years of age. 4 Children, Girl 16, works at Child's & Hamilton at [dollars] 2.00 a week, boy 14, errand boy at Riddall, earns [dollars] 2.00 a week, girl 6 & girl 4 years of age. Mrs. Robertson is rather delicate. To have 4 lbs. bread a week.

Friday, Septbr. 22/71.

Present G. [J.] Rowell, Esqr.

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787. Rebecca Heffer: Aged 43. Married. Husband went to the States 8 months ago to look for work, not heard from him since. English. Chof England. 6 Children at home. George 15, earns [dollars] 1.25 a week, Richard 13, sells papers, Albert 9, Edward 7, Emma 3 1/2, Alfred 2 1/2. To have 8 lbs. of Bread a week until Visitor reports on the Case.

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788. Elizabeth Esson: Application for her admission into House of Industry referred to General Board.

789. William Harden: 45 Carlton St. 41 years old, a labourer. far gone in consumption. Wife Jane, and one child 4 years old. English. Chof England. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week & Groceries.

790. Eliza Whitaker: 328 Richmond St. west. English. Chof England. In Toronto 2 years. No children. Husband has recently been ill and out of Employment. Recommended for sick allowance [etc.]

791. Joseph Williams: Aged 25. English. ChofEngl. Emigrant, 6 months from England. A Grocers Clerk out of Employment. seeks shelter for a time.

792. Sophia Hillier: 36 years of age. English. Baptist Church. 3 years in Canada, chiefly in New London in Service, but on account of bad health had to go into Hospital. Doctor Moore it appears recommended her to go back to England, her disease being such as not likely to be cured. The Mayor, after coming out of Hospital sent her on to Toronto. she was in service here with Mr. Hurst on Adelaide St west for four months when she had to give up again on account of the old complaint. being destitute and without friends applied to this Institution. Revd. Mr. Givins wrote a Note to Dr. Moore requesting him to Apply to corporation of New London to forward [dollars] 10, toward paying expenses to send her home, and Mr. Givins & Mr. Gilmor will endeavour to collect amongst friends the other [dollars] 20 which it will cost to send the poor girl home. Meantime to be admitted.

793. Johanna Strachan: Boulton St. 56. Spinster. R.C. Ireland. an old out door Pensioner. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week.

794. Michael Try: says is 82 years of age, looks more like 60. Irish. R.C. Resident in Toronto 40 years. for the last 14 months in General Hospital. says is destitute and not able to work. Brought a note from the Mayor recommending his Case to Committee.

795. John Robinson: Aged 53. from Yorkshire, England, 6 years ago. ChofEngl. worked about the Country, says had a slight stroke lately. Brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending his admission for a few days.

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796. Samuel Punter: 60 years of age. English. Chof England. 34 years in Toronto. Served 15 years in the Army. Worked at labouring work. a week out of Hospital where he was 4 Months on account of a hurt he received unloading lumber from the Carr's. No friends, No Means, and not able to work. seeks admission.

Friday, September 29th 1871.

Present Revd. Mr. Givins & R. Gilmor Esqr.

797. Mary Duke: in Case 677 left the Institution on her own account to take care of Persons House and Child.

798. Michael Try: in Case 794. To be admitted. to make himself useful.

799. John Robinson: in Case 795. To be admitted for a time.

800. Samuel Punter: in Case 796. To be admitted.

Tuesday, 3rd October 1871.

Present S. Rogers, Esqr.

801. Letitia Potter: Dorsett House, Dorsett Street. A Married woman aged 40. Husband 42. has 3 children, all girls 12, 7 & the baby 12 months old. Chof England. About 2 years out from London, England. Husband a weaver, in bad health saws wood but cannot do too much. Wife washes. eldest girl has been out, but came home in bad health, not being well used where she had been. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread, say for a few weeks. where they live is enough to make them all sick. all live in one small dirty room about 6 feet below the surface, and pay for that dirty hole [dollars] 3, a month.

802. Mary Slattery: Aged 32. At 464 Richmond Street west. A Widow sent from England to this Country to better her condition. 6 Children William 11, Minnie 10, John 9, Frederick 7, Kate 5, and Mary 2 years of age. two Months in the Country. was wrecked in the Gulf on her way up and lost all she had. one of the children has been ill for some time. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread a week and an allowance of groceries for sick child.

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803. Mary Scully: aged 18. Canadian, born at Port Credit. R.C. 3 years in Toronto. was sent by the Mayor for a few days admission she being sick. Dr. Ogden examined the Case and finds she had fever of Typhoid character, and on his recommendation the Mayor granted an order for the girls admission into Hospital.

Friday, 6th October 1871.

Present S. Rogers, Esqr.

804. Ann Affleck: in Case 724 to have 8 lbs. of bread a week continued on account of her husband, who is now out of Hospital and at home, but not able to work being afflicted with abscess in throat. to have also a double allowance of Groceries for this once.

805. Louise Hibbard: in Case 621, in 1868, left the Institution last Tuesday and went to service.

806. Mary Carroll: 22 Bishop Street. Aged 32. 5 Children, boy 14, earns [dollars] 1.50 a week, girl 10, girl 7, boy 4, & girl 2 years of age. out since last August. Husband came out last May twelve Months and joined the Volunteers for Red River where he is now. expects to get money soon to get to her husband. Irish. ChofEngl. To have 12 lbs. Bread for one Month.

Tuesday, 10th October 1871.

Present Revd. D.J. McDonell

807. Madeline Booth: 117 Nelson Street. Visitor visited and has really nothing more to add to reports of previous years. She has 3 Children, 2 boys 1 girl all at School. She is in very bad health and can do but little towards the support of herself and Children. She certainly cannot get on without assistance and Visitor would recommend her for an allowance of bread, and some Coal when it is distributed.

808. John Patterson: 23 years of age. an English Emigrant. 2 Months out. ChofEngl. A dry goods Clerk out of Employment, seeks shelter for a day or two.

809. John McDonald: 27. Native of Antiga West Indies. apparently a common vagrant. seeks shelter. Presbyt.

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Friday, 13th October, 1871.

Present, Messr. J. Tyner & E. Hobson.

810. John Downing: 54 years of age. English. ChofEngl. A tailor by trade. 28 years in the States, came to Canada last July. has a sore finger and sore foot, which prevents him from working just now. No Means and no friends. had shelter for a few days, wishes to stay a few days longer. Allowed to do so.

811. William Richardson: in Case 620, was sent by the Mayor for few days shelter, allowed to stay a few days longer.

812. John Dalton: 77 years of age. Irish. R.C. 10 years in Toronto. Nearly blind, No means of support. Recommended for admission by Mr. Tyner who has Known him for some years. admitted.

813. Mary Smith: and Child (John), in case 503, made application for admission for the Winter, will make herself general useful. admitted on these terms.

814. William Turner & Amelia Turner: in Case 770, left the Institution yesterday. the old man has work promised by a Mr. Watkin. they are both better in health and think of getting on very well with the assistance of a few friends.

815. Thomas Lidbitter: 60. English Emigrant, 14 days out. Plymouth Brethren. Chemist, out of Employment. seeks shelter.

816. Janett Kirkwood: aged 48. Spinster. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. in Canada since 3 years old. came up from Montreal, to look for a situation, wants shelter in the meantime.

Tuesday, 17th October, 1871.

Present, Revd. E. Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr.

817. Susan Knifton: who has charge of the Emigrant sheds brought a Note from Mr. Donaldson Emigrant Agent recommending the admission of William Clark, aged 4 years. deserted by the Mother who came out about 7 ^Months^ since from Jersey in the ship Minerva. Admitted.

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Tuesday, 17th October, 1871.

818. William Johnson: 63 years of age. English. Chof England. A resident in Canada 40 years. an old soldier in receipt of 25 cents Pension per day. says has no settled home. seeks admission, is willing to pay his pension to the House.

819. Ronald McDougall: aged 36. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. 2 years out. a Butcher by trade. has sore legs, seeks shelter until he can get into General Hospital.

820. Sophia Hillier: in Case 792, left the Institution this day 19th. Revd. Mr. Givins through some friends collected money enough to send her to England.

821. John Bertram: aged 71. English. ChofEngl, was formerly an Inmate (see Case 776, in 1869), but left this last spring on his own account, was sent for readmission by Alexd. Macnabb P.M. having been for the last Month in Gaol.

Friday, 20th October 1871.

Present. E.H. Rutherford Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

822. Emily Hackett: in Case 740. To have 12 lbs. bread a week for one Month, full allowance of Groceries & Coal Grate, on account of sickness in the family.

823. Mary Slattery: in Case 802 to have 12 lbs. bread a week instead of 8 lb. 600 lbs. Coal & full ration of Tea, Sugar, Oatmeal & Rice on account of scarlet fever & whooping cough in the family.

824. William Johnson: in Case 818 to bring a note from Major Macdonald to bring a note to certify that the pension will be paid to the House during Johnsons stay in it.

825. John Bertram: in Case 821 to be readmitted.

826. Ann Barns: 58. Irish. Chof England. Wife of James Barns a pensioner. says her husband is trying to get in to General Hospital, and she has no place to stop, seeks admission. Allowed to stay in building for Casual poor for a few days until she can get a place.

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827. Thomas Evitt: aged 67, Wife Elizabeth aged 70. Evitt has been a soldier and receives a pension of one shilling and four pence sterling per day. Received outdoor relief for some years from this Institution both winter & summer, application was made for their admission lately. Mr. Hobson & Supt. called on them, found them in a most wretched condition, but nevertheless they do not feel inclined to become Inmates in House of Industry at present.

Tuesday 24th October, 1871.

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Present, J. Tyner Esqr.

828. Richard Killane: in case 689. applied again for admission. brought a recommend from Mr. McCord. It appears the man has some Money, and being giving to understand that his treatment would be the same as other Inmates preferred staying and paying his board elsewhere.

829. Ann Finney: 82 Victoria St. 39 years old. husband 32. labourer. Visitor found them under the influence of liquor. 4 Children. aged 17, 11, 6 and 2 years. the girl 17 stone blind. four years from England. To have 6 lbs. bread per week on account of the blind girl and the little ones.

830. William Boulton: 81 years old, an applicant seeks admission for self and wife Margaret aged 70. Residents in Toronto 27 years. English. ChofEngl. without means or home. have children grown up who have families of their own, and cannot do anything for their parents. Doctor to examine and if proper cases to be admitted.

831. Daniel Murphy: aged 30. Irish. R.C. Church. belonged formerly to the 27th Regiment when in Canada. was discharged in England, and came out again a twelve Months since. Worked on a Railroad and got his ancle [ankle] and one of his fingers sprained. Seeks shelter until able to work again.

832. Ann Carlyle: 50 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Married. Husband in general Hospital. Mrs. Carlyle is crippled with Rheumatism. Recommended by the Mayor for admission.

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833. Ann Phibbs: an Inmate died this day (October 27th), at half past two O'Clock. A.M. Aged 76. See Case of admission No. 202 in 1856.

Friday. 27th October 1871.

Present, Mr. J. Tyner. Revd. Mr. Laurent & Mr. R. Gilmor.

834. Ann Carlyle: in Case 832, to be admitted.

835. John Redmond: in Case 636 in 1870. left the Institution on his own account without leave, as he has been very trouble some of late, Committee advise that he be kept out.

836. Daniel Murphy: in Case 831. Allowed shelter for a few days longer, will soon be able to go to work again.

837. Robert Gradwell: Aged 49. English. ChofEngland. Carpenter by trade. 15 years in Toronto. Paralyse. Without means or home. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughall for admission. admitted.

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838. Thomas Mangel: 101 Ann Street. Visitor has not reported yet, but as the Case is Known to Revd. Mr. Laurent, 8 lbs. of Bread per Week will be allowed. Mangel lately met with an accident and is now a Cripple upon crutches. Married. 3 Children. Dennis 13, Kate, 10, & John 3 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church.

839. Richard Killien: in Case 828. applied again for admission to the House, and having some means is willing to pay the usual charge per Month in such cases. The Committee having referred to a previous Case 716, of Jane Sloane, it was found that she is charged [dollars] 8 5.00 ^[note in margin: NS. L.{G.}]^ per Month, and he expressing a willingness to pay this sum, it was agreed to admit him on such Condition. He also agreed to pay over to Superintendent his Money ([dollars] 160.), to be deposited in the Dominion Savings Bank for his (Killien's) benefit.

840. Ann Afflick: in Case 804, Applied for Groceries and fuel, says her husband is still laid up. To have Groceries, but no fuel.

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841. Sarah Monkhouse: 99 Duke Street. No such person living there. 99 Duke Street is a large new house and there is no poor person in any other house near it.

842. Richard Hughes: Aged 42. An Emigrant from Lancashire England, a twelve Month out. A Locomotive Fireman. worked at labouring work at Petrolia. Came to Toronto last Sunday week, and for shelter here last Friday. Bad with diarrhae [diarrhea]. Methodist Church.

843. John Bright: in Case 458. Left the Institution, intends going in the Country, to get Employment at tailoring.

Tuesday. 31st October 1871.

Present. Messrs. J. T. Smith. W. J. MacDonell & R. Gilmor.

844. William Richardson: in Case 811 states that he would like to go to Hamilton. advised to go to the Mayor and try for a pass.

845. Thomas Lidbitter: in Case 815. says that if he could be allowed to stay one week longer, he would then be prepared to provide for himself. Allowed to stay on those conditions.

846. John Jones: advised to look for a situation, as he cannot be allowed to stay in the House much longer. See Case 748.

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847. James McKenny: formerly an Inmate, made application for admission again. Advised to apply to Mr. Hays, late Jaques and Hayes for Employment.

848. Richard Hughes: in Case 842. Allowed to remain until he gets better.

849. Mary Hartnett: Aged 50. Married. Husband a Carter collects grease and Ashes, able to support his wife, but they cannot agree together, quarrell and fight, drink the Cause on both sides. 3 Children, girl 10. boy 8 1/2, and boy 6. Irish. R.C. Church. Mrs. Harnett was recommended for admission by Mrs. J. Gilmor. Admitted with the understanding that she make herself general useful.

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850. Martha Carr: an old Out door Pensioner of the House for some years, was recommended by Revd. Mr. Darling for admission. she is 75 years of age, and in consequence of an accident is incapable of work. She is now a burden upon an industrious family who have to work hard for their own support and on whom she has no claim. Mrs. Royd. No. 79 Elizabeth Street. 30 years in Canada. Irish. ChofEngl. Admitted.

Friday. 3rd Novbr. 1871.

Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr. & J.T. Smith Esqr.

851. Catharine McDonnell: aged 25. A Widow. 12 Months from Ireland. ChofEngland. 2 Children, Catharine, 7 years old, in Girls House, Sara Jane, 5 Months old, with her. seeks admission for self and baby for the winter. Admitted on condition that she make herself general useful.

852. Sarah: Christian: 31 years of age. Lives at 23 Duke Street. Husband and Wife and 3 young Children. wife only confined a fortnight ago. Husband has been ill with ague. is a Jewel Case maker by trade, but cannot get any Employment of that Kind here. so has been working at a packing box Manufactory since they came out here. would get on pretty well but for his repeated attacks of ague. Visitor recommends them for an allowance of bread for a Month, and some sugar, tea, & Oatmeal on the Wifes account. seem worthy of relief. From London England 11 Months ago. ChofEngland. 8 lbs. bread a week.

853. Ann Doyle: 83 Queen St. west. Widow, aged 58. Irish. R.C. Church. 4 Children. Girl 19. Girl 16 at Service, boy 13, & boy 11. from the respective ages of this family it would seem as if they should not want any assistance, and would not, had not affliction entered the House. The daughter of 19, appears to be far gone in Consumption, not likely ever to work again. the boy of 13, has [dollars] 2 a week, but



boards at home. pay rent [dollars] 4 a Month. The Visitor recommend 6 lbs. of bread a week until further Notice, allowance of Groceries also.

854. Michael Furlong: formerly an Inmate. applied for readmission. Not allowed to see Dr. Rosenberg daly [daily], unless requested to do so by a Note from the Doctor.

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855. George Tilbrook: rear of 13 Maria street. Broke his back on 26th of August by falling from a Scaffold and lies completely helpless, the lower part of his body being paralysed. Has 3 Children all girls, aged 8 years, 2 years, & 11 Months respectively. English. Chof England. Out a twelve Months last June. Visitor recommends all the help that can be given, including Groceries.

856. Jane Burke: 20 Christopher Street. Canadian. Chof England. Widow, aged 33. 2 boys, 6 and 10 years of age. unable to work on account of a bad leg. To have 6 lbs. bread a week.

Tuesday. 7th Novbr. 1871.

Present. Revd. J.F. Jamot & E. Hobson Esqr.

857. Susan Tillbrook: in Case 855. Allowed 8 lbs. bread a Week. Groceries and 600 lbs. Coal, on account of helpless husband and young Children

858. Henry Stanley: Aged 24. says, came out from England about 14 Months, and about a Month from Montreal. worked on the Railroad. Native of England. ChofEngl. In bad health through a severe cold. Was sent by the Mayor for admission, if found to be a proper Case.

859. Elizabeth Sandford: The Matron of Magdalen Asylum applied for her admission into House of Industry. Doctor Ogden to call, and report by next Friday.

Friday. 10th Novbr. 1871.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

860. Ann Spreckley: in Case 781. To have 8 lbs. bread a week.

861. Henry Stanley: in Case 858. To be admitted, after examination by Doctor.

862. Mary Ann Andrews: in Case 772. To have 600 lbs. Coal on account of sickness in the family.

863. Cornelius Daley: applied for admission. seems in a bad state of health. Doctor to examine, whether a proper Case for House of Industry or Hospital.

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Friday. 10th Nobr. 1871.

864. Mrs. Eiken: called on behalf of Elizabeth Sandford in Case 859. Doctor Ogden visited, and reported. that Sandford is a Native of Canada, about 37 years of age. Formerly resided in Toronto, then she went to Kingston where she remained about 5 years. About 3 or 4 years ago she returned to this City, and has been living in the Magdalen Asylum ever since. She is said to be a Married woman, but her husband being a worthless fellow deserted her several years ago. Her Mind was weak when she came from Kingston and it has been getting worse ever since. She is now in a state of utter imbecility, able to walk and go up and down stairs with assistance, but in every other respect she is more helpless than a child, she has to be washed, dressed and cleaned like an infant, and Doctor is not sure that she does not require feeding. Her speech is so affected that it is very difficult to understand anything she says. Committee told Mrs. Eiken that Sandford is not a Case for this Institution, and cannot be admitted.

865. Robert Bennett: 10 years of age. Canadian. Chof England. To be admitted for a time until his Mother can get a place for him.

866. Phoebe Buckner: Don Mount. Visitor recommends some bread and a small allowance of Tea & Oatmeal, and will again report upon the Case next week. They are in great distress.

867. John Courtney: Aged 44. English. ChofEngl. 18 years in Canada. A Blacksmiths helper. came from Hamilton to Toronto, seeking Employment. seeks shelter for a few days in the mean time, as he has no means to pay his way.

Tuesday. 14th Novbr. 1871.

Present. Revd. Mr. Boddy & Messrs. J. McBean & B. Homer Dixon,

868. James Murray: 64 years of age. Irish. R.C. 27 years in Canada. came from County of Oxford to Toronto last August. committed Larceny, and was sent to Gael, term expired last Thursday. came to House of Industry for shelter last Friday evening, been here ever since. Now applies for admission. By his own account he has no claim on this Institution, having been a resident and property holder in Norwichville, County of Oxford for many years. Committee recommend that Murray apply to his own Municipality.

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869. Phoebe Buckner: in Case 866. to have 8 lbs. bread per week.

Friday. 17th Novbr 1871.

Present. J. Thom Esqr.

870. Sarah Buttrick: applied for relief. lives over the Don Bridge, on the North side out of the City limits. advised to apply to the Reeve of that district.

871. Ann Crosby: rear 14 Albert Street. Irish. R.C. Church. Married. 28 years of age. 4 Children, boy 5, and boy 2 years of age, and twins, 14 days old. husband a labourer. From Montreal 8 Months ago. really no claim on this Charity. It is stated that husband spends considerable time in drinking and loafing, instead of supporting his family. Temporary relief recommended. single ration.

Tuesday. 21st Novbr. 1871.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

872. William Taylor: 63 years of age. Irish. ChofEngland. 40 years in Canada, most of that time in Toronto. A Carter & Labourer. Not able to work at present on account of Rheumatism. destitute, was sent by the Mayor for admission if found to be a proper Case. Admitted.

873. Richard Hughes: in Case 848, died this Morning at 10 OClock.

874. Ellen Cooper: an Inmate, who was admitted Debr. 1866. left the Institution this Morning on her own accord without given Notice to any one. 22 Novbr. See Case 962 in 1866.

875. Cornelius Daley: in Case 863. Doctor examined and states that Daley wants rest all he requires. Admitted. Irish. R.C.

876. Ann Phibbs: in Case 833. The Revd. Dean Grasett handed over to Superintendent [dollars] 23.61 to be paid to Treasurer for benefit of Institution. The Money was in Savings Bank and belonged to aforesaid Ann Phibbs. Burial expenses amounting to [dollars] 10 to be paid out of it.

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Friday. 24th Novbr. 1871.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

877. Elizabeth Russell: from Gloustershire [Gloucestershire], England. Methodist. 4 Children, Fanny, 9. Harry. 6. Frank, 3. and Bessy 1 year and 8 Months of age. Arrived in Toronto last Friday. to join her Husband who came out 5 Months ago, and whom she found in General Hospital paralised through an accident which happened about 2 weeks ago by cleaning out a Well, and the Buckett by some means struck him in the head. Mr. Donaldson Emigrant Agent sent them to this Institution for admission. they have been staying in the Emigrant sheds since their arrival. Doctor Ogden examined them as to their state of health, and reports that there is nothing about them to prevent their admission. Mrs. Russell is within a few Months of her confinement. Admitted, with the understanding that she make herself useful and look after her own Children.

878. John Jones; in Case 846, applied to Committee for an Outfit of Clothing, says has a place to go to if better clad. Has no claim on this Charity. advised to get to work and earn his living or else get back to Montreal where he came from.

879. Mary Doyle: Aged 25. Irish. RC. says came from Ireland 12 Months ago, and lived in London C.W. [Canada West]until a few days since when she came to Toronto. Was sent by the Mayor for a few days shelter. behaves rather in a strange manner.

880. Catharine Moyls: Aged 50. ChofEngl. Canadian, from Port Perry. arrived in Toronto a few days since, expecting to get into General Hospital, not being able to get in there she applied for admission into House of Industry. No claim, advised to get back to Port Perry where she belongs. had shelter here since her arrival.

881. John Harrington: 79 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended by the Mayor for admission if, found to be a proper Case. Harrington was formerly an Inmate. See Case 370 in 1870. Allowed to remain in Building for casual poor for a time, to test his behaviour. Harrington would not agree to that, and left. Came back a few days after and was admitted into the House.

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Friday. 24th Novbr. 1871.

882. Jane Moffatt: Rear of 22 Sherbourne Street. No such Number within Visitors district. the first number North of King on Sherbourne Street (late Caroline St.) begins with 40.

883. Samuel Stockwell: 4th house North of Queen on River Street. They were not in when Visitor called, but the next door neighbour stated that the husband was then in Hospital, and had been ill with Typhoid fever for many weeks, they had two young Children and were in great distress. The wife had gone to the Hospital to see her husband. Visitor thinks under the circumstances they are certainly entitled to relief both in the shape of coal and bread.

884. Sarah Hendrick: No. 10 Sydenham lane. Husband afflicted with stricture of the Wind pipe which constantly incapacitates [incapacitates] him for work. He is now out and at work but is liable to be laid up at any time. They are at present getting bread from the House, and Visitor would recommend them for Coal when it is distributed.

Tuesday 28th Novbr. 1871.

No Committee present.

885. Elisa Gailey: 66 Bishop Street. Aged 62. A Widow, without Children. Infirm and unable to work. Irish. ChofEngl. respectable woman. Recommended for bread. 4 lbs. a week.

886. Mary Ann Harmond: No. 5, first Lane East of Renfrew St. Left a Widow about a Month ago. Aged 43. Has five Children, a boy 9, a boy 7, girl 5, girl 2, and baby 6 Months old. Got a little help from St. Georges Society and depends upon casual assistance as the baby is a great tie on her at present. Seemingly a respectable woman. Native of Newfoundland. Anglican Church. Recommended for bread &.

887. Rosanne Lee: 60 Bishop St. Not in when Visitor called. an aged Widow who received aid last year as a very deserving person. Has no children but a Niece suffering from heart disease is dependent on her. Irish. R.C.

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Tuesday, 28th Novbr. 1871.

888. William Pettigrew: 20 Bishop St. Aged 52, Wife 34 years old. without Children. The Man is suffering from a very badly-bitten thumb and quite unfit for work, a carpenter by trade. An Irishman. ChofEngl. a little aid recommended for the present time.

889. Anne Boulton: 11 Elliotts Row. Widow aged 41. R.C. Irish. has 4 Children, girl 13, girl 11, girl 7. & boy 5 years of age. her health is not very good. Recommended for 6 or 8 lbs. bread a week until further orders.

890. Rebecca Heffers: 439 King St. East. Husband in the States, had gone to look for work there. Has heard nothing of him for many Months. She herself is suffering from bad Eyes which incapacitates for work. She has two daughters away from home, one Son a boy of 13 or 14 gone to work at a Tinsmiths, and five small Children at home. Visitor recommends her for an allowance of Bread for a Month, and one load of Coal when it is given out. Heffer is already in receipt of 8 lbs. bread a week. See Case 787.

Friday 1st December 1871.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

891. John Read: 328 Little Richmond St. English, in Toronto since June 1870. Stone cutter and paver by trade. has been ill about 3 Months and though now able to walk about is quite unequal to work. His daughter Mrs. Boulton (a Widow) is suffering from typhoid fever. and has with her two helpless Children, boy 5 years, and boy 3 Months old. They are wholly dependent upon the Kindness of others. ChofEngl. Recommended Coal. Bread and an allowance of Groceries. To have 600 lbs. Coal, full allowance of sick ration, and 8 lbs. bread a week.

892. William Moore: Wellington Avenue west of Niagara Street, in the Ravine. opposite Mr. Platt the Brickmaker. English. ChofEngl. In Toronto about 20 years. an old pensioner of the House. Three in family at home. Daughter 15 years of age might help herself. Moore complains of Rheumatism. says that he is unable to work. Recommended for Coal and bread.

893. Margaret Lettore: 11 Richmond St. East. 60 years old. French. R.C. Cant work, one child a girl 18 years old, a helpless cripple. 6 lbs. Bread.

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Friday, 1st December 1871.

894. Mary Lloyd: 57 Richmond street East. 37 years old. Husband left her. sews for a living. 9 years in Toronto, from Lower Canada. one child 7 Months old. English Church. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread. To have relief on 1st of January

895. Benjamin Patterson: a labourer 66 years of age, looks much older. Native of Ireland. English Church. Resident in Toronto 14 years. Not able to work. No means, and no home. Recommended by Mr. Joseph Duggan who has Known him for years. To see Doctor. at 3 O'Clock, and if proper Case to be admitted.

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896. Richard Killien: in Case 839, informed the Committee that he will leave the House, would prefer living near Mr. Mattheson who will try and cure his Eyes. Will pay what he owes to the Institution according to agreement.

897. Daniel Murphy: in Case 836, to see Doctor about his finger whether it prevents him earning his living.

898. Thomas Lidbetter: in Case 845. it appears he cannot get employment, to look about again to day and to morrow, and if he cannot succeed to be admitted into the House with the understanding that he make himself general useful.

Tuesday, 5th Decbr. 1871.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

900. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane. receives bread. Visitor recommends now the usual allowance of Tea Sugar [etc.] and will report upon the Case more fully.

901. Mary Ann Harmond: in Case 886. To have 12 lbs. bread a week instead of 8 lbs. a double ration of Groceries for this once. and Coal at New year.

902. George Monk: 58. English. Methodist. 15 years in Toronto. Accountant. homeless. seeks admission. to see Doctor, if clean, to be admitted.

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Tuesday. 5th December 1871.

903. Margaret Burns: Aged 77. Irish. R.C. 25 years in Toronto. A Widow 30 years. Has a very bad leg. Applied to the Mayor for admission into House of Industry. The mayor recommends her admission if found a proper case. To see the Doctor and be examined on account of her leg, and if all right to be admitted.

904. Robert Livsay: 19 years of age. English. ChofEngl. an Emigrant 6 Months out. Brought a Note from the Mayor last Saturday recommending shelter until Monday. The boy is quite helpless with Rheumatism. To see the Doctor. and be admitted into the House.

905. Frederick Wm. Sanders: 31 years of age. English. ChofEngl. Cabinet Maker. 6 Months from England. worked for Jaques & Hay. is now destitute on account of a bad rupture and general bad health. seeks admission. to see the Doctor, and if not a Case for Hospital to be admitted into this Institution.



906. Esther Elliott: No. 14 Elliotts row King Street west. A Married Woman, aged 38. Husband aged 40. Has 2 Children, a boy 6 years & a boy 18 Months old. lately from England. ChofEngland. Husband a Boot fitter says cannot get work. appear to be respectable people. being strangers in the Country the Visitor recommends that they be assisted during the coming winter. say 6 lbs. bread a week. Refused on account of belonging to St. Cryspen [Crispin] Society when there is plenty work outside of this society to be got.

907. Elisa Nicholson: 69 Strachan St. aged 30. Her husband is ill and unable to work, but has a small pension. She is unfit for hard work but Knits when she can get employment. Has one Child a boy 4 years old. The house cold and uncomfortable, too large for their use, a room would be sufficient and they would be more comfortable. Irish. Anglican Church. Bread recommended. 6 lbs. a Week.

908. Mary Hewitt: No. 71. in a lane between Bishop & Strachan Streets. A widow well Known to the House. Has two children. Says work is short now and will be during the winter. unsatisfactory Case. but Visitor supposes a little relief must be given. Committee cannot grant relief at present, but she may have it beginning January. say 6 lbs. bread a Week & Coal.

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Tuesday, December 5th 1871.

909. Ellen Ashton. Husband and one child. Husband a shoe cutter out of work at present. His Father was in the employ of Mr. Cox Merchant on King Street, and got into trouble there lost his situation, and the Son had to support him, his Mother, and another Brother all the Autumn. This, with his being thrown out of Employment, in consequence of the bankruptcy of his own Employer Mr. Patterson wholesale Boot and Shoe Maker had reduced them to great distress and Visitor recommends that they be allowed bread for one Month and one load of Coal when it is given out. opposite 45 Sydenham

910. Elisa Burke: 301 Queen St. East. was out when visitor called. was informed by the little daughter that the Husband is in the Hospital with disease of the lungs. Mother goes out to wash and scrub when she can get it to do. There were four Children at home cowering over the stove with a handful of shavings in it. Visitor thinks it a Case for relief. bread and Coal when given out, and at the end of the Month to be referred again.

911. Martha Carr: an Inmate, see Case 850. In the habit of going out without leave although told not to do so, is out again to day. Committee order that she not be allowed to come into the house when she returns to day, but be accomodated in building for casual poor until Friday, and then to be brought before the Committee. Preferred leaving the House until Friday, and then apply for admittance.

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Present. Messrs. E. Hobson. R. Wilkes & Revd. A. Williams.

912. Rosanna Ramboa: rear of 32 Agnes Street. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow, 28 years of age. resident in Toronto 2 years. 2 Children, girls, 6 & 4 years of age. youngest appears in bad health apparently the dropsey. Charwoman. Not able to work at present on account of sick Child. To have 6 lbs. bread a week

913. Elizabeth Rawlins: in the rear of North West Corner of Hayter & Elizabeth St. No such person Known there.

914. Elizabeth Brebner: 135 Victoria St. 52 years old. one Child a boy aged 14 years, who earns dollar 1.25 a week. pays [dollars] 3 for a room. Husband dead 12 years. 15 Months from England. ChofEngl.

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915. Richard J. Rose: 66 Edward St. No such Number to be found.

916. Bridget Walker: 31 Grogg lane. Not at home either time when visitor called. Is but a short time a Widow. has one boy eleven who usually attends school. Visitor was informed that she gets on an average about 3 days work in the week. pay's [dollars] 3, a Month for house. Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread.

917. Ellen Ashton: in Case 909. to have 6 lbs. bread a week for one Month.

918. Michael Ryan: 74. Irish. R.C. 22 years in Toronto. Married. cannot agree with his wife, seeks admission. Lives rear 108 Dummer St. Case referred to visitor.

919. John Johnston: 40. Irish. ChofEngland. Married. 12 years in Toronto. Labourer. partially paralysed for the last 12 Months, not able to work. The Wife Catharine applied for his admission into House of Industry, as she is not able to work for him, having Rheumatism herself. Brought also a Note from the Mayor recommending the Case if found satisfactory. To see Doctor, and if all right to be admitted.

920. Mary Jane Barrett: died this day Noon. Debr. 9th See Case of admission, 117 in 1870.

921. David Edwards: aged 30. Native of Wales, England. ChofEngl. Out of Employment at present. Recommended by Dr. U. Ogden for a few days shelter, who also will try to get a place for him in the Country. Left Decbr. 21st.

922. Richard J. Rose: Edward Street, opposite Mr. Riddle. English. ChofEngland. Married. 37 years of age. Shoemaker, works for Holmes, steady Employment at [dollars] 7. a week. 5 Children. boy 10. boy 6. boy 5. girl, 7. and girl 6 Months old, all in good health. The boy 10, brought a Note from Mr. Robert Walker & Son recommending relief, having pleaded want, and No Employment.

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923. Michael Shannon: 191 Sayer St. Palsied. Not able to work. Married, one Girl 10 at home. Old Out door Pensioner for many years. Irish. R.C. To have 8 lbs. bread a week.

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Tuesday. 12th December. 1871.

Present. Messrs. J.Tyner, E. Hobson & Revd. Dean Grasett.

924. Henry Dobson: 121 1/2 Adelaide Street West. up stairs. Married. aged 43. Wife 36. ChofEngland. English. In this Country about 17 years. No Children. says is not well in health having burst a blood vessel six weeks ago. has been in the Hospital some few days. says cannot work. Visitor did not see the wife who had gone out to work. to see the Doctor, and if as he states not able to work to have 4 lbs. bread a week

925. Mary Ann Dunlop: 309 Queen St. East. Husband was drowned in the Bay a few Months since, has a daughter grown up, who was out at service, but came home to be with her Mother after her fathers death. She is going out again immediately, but there are three young Children at home. The Mother goes out to wash and scrub. Visitor recommends her for coal once, and bread for a Month, after that to be referred to Visitor again.

926. Ann Linley: 301 Queen St. East. Not at home when visitor called, had gone out for a days work. Three gaunt dumpy looking children were in the House, one girl about 13. the other two very young. father dead. Visitor would think from the appearance of things, that it was clearly a Case of relief. Coal when it is given out, and bread for two Months. The girl 13 stated to Committee that there are 5 Children, girl 16, lives out as Nurse girl at [dollars] 5, a Month. Girl 15, out as Nurse girl at [dollars] 4, a Month, girl 13, (the informant), boy 6, and girl 3 years at home. 6 lbs. bread & Coal when given out.

927. Bridget Halloran: 91 James Street East. An old Widow Woman who lives sometimes with one daughter a Mrs. Whelan at 91 Jarvis St. and sometimes with another a Mrs. Clements somewhere else. Visitor recommends a small allowance of bread for the winter, but thinks she must make up her mind where she is going to take up her quarters permanently for the winter before Coal can be recommended.

928. Bridget McDonald: 91 Jarvis Street. living with Mrs. Halloran who lives 91 Jarvis Street also & not James St. Widow with two Children. has a very bad leg and foot. Recommended for bread for a couple of Months, and Coal once.

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929. Phoebe Buckner: living at the Don Mount. Husband ill in Hospital and one Child laid up with fever also. She has received relief from the House before. It is a distressing Case. Visitor recommends her for a little Sugar, tea, &c. and Coal twice when it is given out. Committee will allow a double allowance of Groceries this once, and some bread also, but no further relief, as she lives on the North side of Kingston road outside the City Limits and therefore has no claim on this Charity.

930. Benjamin Jobert: Canadian. Presbyterian. Has been out of Employment for some time on account of sickness, and consequently without means. came last Saturday for shelter, obtained work yesterday with Mr. Clements builder, seeks shelter for a few days longer until he gets Money to go to a boarding house.

Friday. 15th Decbr. 1871.

Present. Revd. Dean Grasett & E. Hobson Esqr.

931. Jane Lauder: 195 Centre Street. English. Methodist. Married. 23 years of age. husband a labourer. 1 child 4 Months old. were living in Chicago during the fire and lost all. came to Toronto. They are in want of everything. To have 4 lbs. bread a week and Coal when given out.

932. Mary Diamond: 73 Hayter Street. English. Baptist. Married. 70 years of age. husband a labourer 60 years of age. Has been working for Corporation all the Summer. both in good health now, and able to provide for themselves.

933. Elizabeth Lismore: No. 5, Lane off Renfrew Street. aged 36. Her husband in Hospital from fever. Has 2 children, girl 8, & boy 4 years. and of late only gets one days work in the week. has a single room up stairs, very comfortable, for which she is obliged to pay [dollars] 3, a Month. A Jersey woman apparently respectable belonging to English Church. Emigrants 12 Months out. Bread and Coal recommended. To have 8 lbs. bread a week, Coal when given out.

934. Bridget Fahey: 32 Dummer Street, a Widow aged 38. helped last year. Has 5 Children, a boy 14, who earns [dollars] 4 a Month, girl 12, boy 8, boy 5 & girl 4. On an average she gets 4 days work in the week. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal allowed.

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935. William McGarry: 31 Dummer Street. aged 37. six weeks out from London. is subject to fits. was discharged from the Army owing to bad health. wife is near her confinement and cannot work. Has four Children. A girl 14, who is going to a situation, a girl 10, girl 5 & boy 6. has only had a couple of days work since he came here. An Englishman R.C. usual aid recommended, they being in a wretched condition. Brought also a recommend from Mrs. Gamble.

936. Mary Cody: rear 18 Stanley Street. 66 years old, not able to work. A Widow, member of R. Catholic Church. 4 lbs. bread a week.

937. Jane Chambers: rear 102 Adelaide Street. East. 45 years old. Widow, one boy 13 years old. A Washerwoman. English Church. Visitor thinks her not worthy of relief. The case is Known at the house, and the boy she told visitor of, is not with her, having been apprenticed from this Institution five years ago. Committee will not grant relief, Chambers being in good health, and having no one but herself to provide for.

938. Charles Ashton: rear of 43 Pine Street. Husband, Wife, and three children, a boy 17, girl 13, and a boy 11 Months old. Ashton is a book keeper and accountant, and was for sometime in Mr. Merricks wholesale establishment on Yonge Street. Since that has been closed, he has been out of Employment. The boy was in Pattersons boot & shoe Establishment, until Patterson failed, and he too like his father has been out of Employment. Mrs. Ashton assured visitor that her husband had made every exertion to obtain Employment but in vain, and that in the shoemaking trade, times were now so dull, that her son also had failed to get work. She said that they had parted little by little, with clothes and furniture to Keep them going, until at last they were reduced to such distress, that they were compelled to apply for relief, and certainly the looks of things inside their Cottage, confirmed all she said. Visitor recommends them for bread for a Month, and Coal once as soon as it can possibly be given out, and the Case to be again referred. 8 lbs. bread a week. English. Chof Engl.

939. William Turner: 471 Parliment [Parliament] Street. An old pensioner of the House. Husband and Wife. Nothing to add to previous reports, but that each year, the old couple become more infirm, and the husband less capable of work. Visitor recommends them for bread and coal for the winter. See Case 816.

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940. Ann Winskell: 52 Caroline on Sherburne [Sherbourne] St. Widow, one child. grown up but in bad health. goes out to wash and scrub. English Emigrants came out here in July. cannot make enough to pay rent and buy fuel [etc.] Recommended for bread for one Month, and coal once.

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941. Mary Ann Cook: rear of 81 McMahon Street. aged 45. German. Methodist. Husband, Wife, and one Child. The husband ill and quite unable to work. he is a baker by trade. The Wife seems a hardworking woman, and visitor dont think anything but actual necessity, would have made them apply for assistance. Recommends them for bread for six weeks. Coal twice.

942. Joseph Mabey: 54. Emigrant, from London England where he Kept a Tavern. ChofEngl. out about 5 Months. says cannot get Employment, and partially disabled by having lost the use of one arm. seeks admission until spring. To see the Doctor.

943. Mary Ann Dunlop: in Case 925. Widow, 43. Irish. Presbyterian [Presbyterian]. 5 children, Elizabeth 20, will go to place soon. Robert J. 17 cannot get work. Christina, 16. working at Book folding earns [dollars] 2, a week, Alexd. 11, with Mr. Grant, gets [dollars] 4, a Month. Mary Ann 9, going to school. to have 8 lbs. bread a week, and Coal when given out. To be referred again at the end of the Month.

944. Margaret Saulkey: Case 734. applied for admission. To have accomodation in building for casual poor, to see Doctor in the mean time, and have her Case brought before weekly Committee next Tuesday.

945. Hugh Harbell: 56, from St. Johns New Brunswick. Methodist. No incumberance. seeks admission. A Caulker by trade. Brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending his Case to be enquired into. Allowed shelter in building for casual poor until Monday.

946. Joseph Mabey: Doctor examined the Case and reports that Mabey is strong, healthy, well developed, able to work if willing. Can do anything with the arm below the head. See Case 942.

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947. A Male Foundling: say 14 days old, was sent here for admission by the Mayor. it had been placed when found, by the Police to nurse with Rachel Davis at 116 Simcoe St. at expence of the City, the Woman got tired of it, and brought it to the Mayor declining to Keep it any longer. Placed out to Nurse [at] [dollars] 5, a Month with Mrs. Flood.

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Present, Revd. Mr. Darling & J. McBain Esqr.

948. Mary Nolan: 28 Dummer St. aged 72. Has no children. Takes a room by herself but has no stove, using the stove of a fellow tenant. a miserable untidy place. an old pensioner of the house. Irish. R.C. visitor recommends relief usual in such cases.

949. Mary Pollard: No. 5 Renfrew Street. A Widow who has the care of two Grandchildren, and is well Known to the House. unable to do heavy work, but takes what light work she can get from time to time. Irish. Methodist. Visitor supposes she may have the usual aid.

950. Charlotte Simmonds: 11 St Patricks square. She has applied Visitor believes for the last two years. and he (Visitor) is afraid applies merely as a matter of course. she has not heard yet from her husband. has two children, and gets two or three days needle work in the week. Case left to the Committee. 6 lbs. bread a week, and Coal when given out.

951. David Walsh: 29 1/2 Strachan St. Has been a couple of years in this Country. aged 42. When Visitor asked him why he applied for relief, he said that he had been earning only a Dollar and a yolk shilling a day, and that that sum was not enough to support his Wife and seven Children on and have much to spare". He and his Wife think that they have only to ask in order that they may obtain relief. Visitor would say that the Committee would not allow it. To have some bread for this day.

952. Ann Donnally: 18 Walton St. A Widow with 5 Children, 3 girls and 2 boys. The children could not give the ages, as the Mother was out working. a sober industrious woman, living in a wretchedly cold uncomfortable house. Irish. R.C. usual aid.

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953. Julia Shannon: 125 Robinson St. out working when Visitor called, a Widow has 3 Children. 2 girls 10 & 3, and a boy 12 years. Has 3 days work in the week. Irish. R.C. Visitor believes a sober industrious woman. Usual aid recommended.

954. Helm [John]: an old Man and his Wife by this Name living with Wm. Foster 130 Bishop Street. a most pitiable case. The Fosters poor and in a very uncomfortable state, have taken these people in from pure charity and are unable to Keep them. Helm without "a stitch of clothing" lies in the Kitchen on a couch and is covered only by an old blanket, his Wife Keeping watch by his side night and day. The Man is apparently of unsound mind and if possible ought to be taken into the house as he is perfectly harmless. The Wife is in bad health. Visitor would recommend a little coal at once, & also some groceries [etc.] Committee consider Helm not a fit case for admission into the House, but will allow 600 lbs. Coal & bread and groceries. John Helm 75. Marrd. [married] English. Methodist.



955. Ellen Rutherford: 75 Sherbourne St. an old and infirm Widow woman, gets a living in Summer by selling Apples [etc.] cannot do anything in Winter. No children or relatives. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for two Months

956. Mary Conlin: 66 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. Irish. Aged 38. has 6 Children, boy 14, Girl 10, girl 9, boy 7, boy 5, & girl 2 years old. A worthy person for relief. 10 lbs. bread a week & Coal when given out.

957. Ann Conner: 132 Richmond St. west. Spinster aged about 60. R.C. Irish. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a week for the season.

958. Ann Fra'born: Derby Lane, next to No. 1. North side. Lives with another family, husband said to have left her about 10 days ago. has two children, boy, and girl: former very ill of scarlet fever. says she wants "every thing". Visitor advises that House Doctor call and see the sick child.

959. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane, (See previous reports), Old Man is very sick. says he is 91 years of age: Recommended for continuance of Tea and Sugar. perhaps the House Doctor would Kindly visit the old man. who has no medical assistance.

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960. Isabella Dunbar: Cherry Street. 4th house, East side, south of Pound. Has 3 Children, with prospect of another. Lives with another family, who Keep her on Charity. will go out to service soon as able. Husband left her some 10 days ago, has not been seen since, Recommended for Coal once, and 6 lbs. bread. Husbands Name, John, a Presbyterian [Presbyterian], Wife Chof Engl.

961. Peter Gordon: 60. Irish. Chof England. Came out 3 years ago, 2 years in Quebec, 6 Months in Montreal, and last 6 Months in Toronto. An indoor servant & waiter. Out of Employment at present. came here for shelter last night. applied to Committee for admission. To have shelter for a few days, and Revd. Mr. Darling will try to get a place for him if he can.

962. Catharine Moyle: in Case 880, brought a Note from Mrs. Grasett who recommends her admission. The Case was decided upon by a former Committee, the woman having no claim upon this Charity. Revd. Mr. Darling gave her a Note to the Mayor asking a pass to carry her back to her own Municipality.

963. Margaret Saulkey: in Case 944, Doctor examined and states that Saulky is not very strong just now. all she ask's for is a weeks shelter in building for casual poor, as she expects her daughter will come and do something for her.

964. Catharine Carney: 112 Jarvis St. 80 years old. No family. sells Apples in Summer, but nothing doing now. Irish. R.C, Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week.

965. William Smith: 96 Victoria Street. 27 years old. Labourer, Wife 26 years old, ill with inflammation of the lungs. only 6 Months out from Ireland. ChofEngl. Coal when given out.

966. Ann Anderson: Aged 68 A Widow. Irish. R.C. Church. Crippled with Rheumatism. says lived in Toronto back & forward for twenty years, brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her Case to be examined, and if a proper one for admission to be admitted, as she pleads destitution, and no home. Admitted on trial, and if she behaves herself may remain.

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Present, J. McBean Esqr.

967. Mary Sullivan: opposite 24 Walton St. Her husband a worthless fellow has left her for a long time to support the family. A steady industrious woman, with seven Children, the eldest of whom a girl 13 is obliged to take care of the little ones while the Mother is at work. A cold uncomfortable house. Very poor indeed. To have bread & coal.

968. Ann Rennehan: opposite 24 Walton St. Not at home when visitor called, out at work. Husband has left her; has four small children one a baby 4 Months old. From what Visitor could learn from a Neighbour, an industrious woman. To have Coal & bread.

969. Margat. [Margaret] Wells: Dorset House, Dorset Street. Widow aged 66. R.C, Irish. has no children at home. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

970. Isabella Carr: in Wilsons Yard rear 28 1/2 King St. west. Widow. aged 31. Chof Engl. English. 5 Children, 4 boys, aged 13, 11, 9 & 7, and a girl 3 years. The two eldest are out and doing for themselves, 3 at home. Mrs. Carr is afflicted has almost lost her sight, one Eye blind, the other very bad. 10 lbs. bread a week for the season and coal 3 times.

971. Susan Malley: Wilsons Yard rear 28 1/2 King Street ~~East~~ West. Married, aged 34. husband 50, Chof England. English. has one boy aged 16 who is a simpleton. Lately from England. To have coal and soup, no bread. Committee allowed 4 lbs. bread for the boy.

972. Ann Kavanagh: Wilsons Yard rear 28 1/2 King St. west. Married. aged 43. Husband 47. Chof England English Emigrants. Labourer. appear industrious. No means left. Visitor recommends Coal & Soup. Committee allowed 4 lbs. bread a week.

973. The Male Foundling: in Case 947, was brought back by Mrs. Flood who declines nursing it. was placed to nurse this day with Ann Kavanagh the above Case at [dollars] 5, a Month.

974. Mary Kearney: 309 Queen Street East. Widow, 3 Children. living in a miserable Cellar. the wonder is they are not all frozen there. Visitor recommends bread for a Month, & Coal twice.

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975. Margaret O'Brien: 12 Duchess Street)

976. Johanna McDonnell: 10 Duchess Street)

977. Ellen Thompson: 10 Duchess Street)

The two former of these are old pensioners whose Cases Visitor has reported upon from year to year. there is nothing new to add, except that they are getting a little older and less capable of doing anything for their livelihood after the Winter once sets in. Mrs. Thompson is not quite so old, but her Case is the same as the others. picking up a living by peddling apples [etc.] in the summer, and dependent upon charity for the Winter. Visitor recommends them all for bread, and Coal 3 times.

978. Ellen Marshall: 10 Duchess St. an old infirm Woman living in the next room to Mrs. Thompson, and sharing her stove with her. Visitor recommends her for a small allowance of bread, a little Tea & Sugar by way of a Christmas treat would not be amiss!

979. Margaret Sullivan: 10 Duchess St. much in the same plight as the other lodgers, and like them childless, but not able to earn enough to support herself during the Winter, occupying a Miserable wretched fireless room. Visitor recommends her also for bread for 6 Weeks, and Coal 3 times.

980. Honora Boyle: 113 Jarvis Street. Another Widow, and an old pensioner, circumstances the same as the preceding cases, Recommended for bread for six weeks & Coal twice.

981. Mary O'Neill: 115 Jarvis St. Not at home when Visitor called. 3 Children, all young. Mother goes out to wash [&] scrub. Visitor thinks from the result of his enquiries she is entitled to have some Coal sent to her, say twice, and bread for six weeks.

982. Mary Kelly: 117 Jarvis Street. This poor Woman a Widow, has been very ill with inflammation of the lungs. she has three children, the eldest has been ill also. Visitor recommends her to have bread, & Coal three times, and in consideration of their illness, a little tea, sugar & oatmeal this time.

983. Ann Hare: 53 Duchess St. a Widow, one daughter, quite young. cleans offices. Recommended bread for 6 weeks, coal twice.

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984. Catherine Mooney: 44 Duchess St. a very old woman in very old woman in very feeble health, has one daughter who helps to pay her rent. Visitor recommends Mrs. Mooney for a small allowance of bread, and Coal 3 times.

985. Sarah Grimelty: No. 8 St. Davids St. opposite new Baptist Church on Parliment [Parliament] Street. Husband and five young Children. Emigrants. came out Summer before last. have done pretty well, but rather tightly pushed now, and Visitor recommends that one load of coal be sent them.

986. Cornelius Daley: in Case 875, died this Day. Dcbr. 22nd.

987. Application was made by Dr. McCallum for the admission of thee [three] Cases now in General Hospital. These Cases were referred to our Medical Officer Dr. U. Ogden, who examined, and reports as follows.

988. Caroline Norris: aged 61 years. English. Has lived in Toronto for three years. Became paralyzed last February. has been in Hospital since April. She is perfectly helpless and bedridden, unable even to use the bedpan alone or even to turn or cover herself. Her Mind is completely gone and at the time of Doctors visit she was rather restless and noisy, and looked as if it might be difficult at times to Keep her covered, or on the bed, although the assistant House Surgeon said there had been no difficulty of the Kind. She has to be washed, cleaned, dressed and fed like a child.

989. John Tyner: Aged 44 years. Irish. formerly lived in Kingston, but has resided in Toronto for the last 4 or 5 years, (he says), he is a strong healthy Man, quite free from contagious disease. and perfectly blind.

990. John Smith: Aged 73 years. Scotch. has been 3 Months in the Hospital. Says he formerly lived partly in Toronto and partly about the mouth of the Humber, but for the last four or five years he has lived at the Grand River, from whence he came to the Hospital. He had a sore leg but it is almost all healed now. There does not appear to be anything else the matter with him but age. He would be a suitable case for admission if he had a claim on the City, but Doctor is not quite sure he

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has, rather thinks he belongs he belongs to the Grand River Counties. Doctor made an agreement with the assistant House Surgeon [surgeon] that if we took any of the above named, into the House of Industry, we should have the privelege of sending others now or at any future time, an equal number to the Hospital without charge for treatment, but as Dr. McCallum is out of Town, would suggest, in the event of the Committee admitting any of them, that their reception should be delayed a few days, till the Doctor returns and confirms his assistant's agreement.

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Present, Revd. S. Givins & R. Gilmor Esqr.

991. Henry Smith: 65 Richmond St. west. Aged 49. A Widower. 5 Children, 4 girls, two of them young woman, the next two 13, & 10. and one boy 11 years of age. Received assistance last winter on account of being strangers in the Country. Visitor thinks they must have been paupers at home to apply again. The Committee will please judge.

992. Georgina March: 141 1/2 York Street. aged 42. has 3 Children in this Country living with her, boy 18, boy 12, and girl 12 Months. She came out in advance of her husband, her passage having been paid by a friend. expects her husband in the spring. the eldest boy is in a situation and will perhaps pay her rent for her. appears to be a decent person. English. Chof Engl. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal 3 times, also soup.

993. Fanny Hood: in the rear of 46 King St. west A Widow aged 50. Chof Engl has one little girl, not her own, is trying to bring her up. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread a week, & Coal 2 or 3 times.

994. Ellen Anderson: in the rear of 46 King St. west. was not in when Visitor called.

995. Mary Madigan: 132 Richmond St. west. was not in when called upon, but Visitor Knows her history, she being an old pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread a week, and Coal twice, soup if she wants it.

996. Moses Murphy: 13 Emily Street. An old Widower, has a little room to himself. Aged about 75. R.C. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a week in perpetuity, and Coal 3 times.

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997. Bridget Pickering: 132 Richmond St. west. Widow aged 26. has 2 Children, girl 3 years, and a girl 18 Months old. Her husband died in the Asylum during the year. her Mother also lives with the young widow. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a week & coal 4 times.

998. Alice Murphy: 40 years old, husband 51. Saws Wood. 10 Children, all at home. Irish. R.C. 8 lbs. bread a week, & Coal 3 times.

999. Mary Carroll: rear 77 Stanley St. 50 years old. Two boys, 7 & 10. sells fish. Irish. R.C. to have 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

1000. Elisa Shea: 92 Church Street. 50 years old. Husband aged 48, a Cripple with one leg, peddles apples. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, Coal 3 times.

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1001. J. Pointon: 56 Richmond St. East. 41 years old. sick in bed, very bad. Wife aged 43. 4 Children, aged from 7 to 16 years. wishes to see the Doctor. R.C. 8 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times.

1002. Margaret Gartland: 17 1/2 Renfrew St. A Widow who is Rheumatic and unable to do much hard work. used to wash & scrub. Has one girl at home aged 16, who is delicate but able to sew for a living. Irish. R Catholic. To have Coal 3 times.

1003. Ann Rawlinson: Markham Street. second house North of Arthur (or Dundas), aged 52, husband {6}0. the former Rheumatic, the latter a Shoemaker but unable to work owing to ague, No Children. apparently deserving. an English family who came out last July. want temporary aid. To have Coal twice.

1004. Elizabeth Ferguson: 20 Maple Lane, a Widow with 3 Children, a girl 19 at work, a boy 3, and a girl 19 Months. Sew's for a living and finds it hard to get along in the winter. Aided last year. English. R.C. To have bread and Coal.

1005. Angelina Rowell: Venauley St. No. 5 Baxters Row. Aged 23. has just been confined a Month with a boy, Another boy aged 2 years. Her husband the same age is a labourer out of Employment. English. Chof England. To have bread and Coal for the present.

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1006. Mary Quigley: Hope Street second house from Robinson St. A Widow aged 50. Has two boys, 8 & 6. A Charwoman Known to the House. is rheumatic. Irish. English Church. Coal & bread.

1007. Euphemia Russell: lives in the front part of above house. unmarried, aged 30. Has but one hand, and is blind. Is now ill in bed. used to support herself by selling a book of her poetry. A Canadian, & Presbytarian [Presbyterian]. Visitor recommends that coal be sent her, also Groceries by Mrs. Quigley & bread.

1008. Sarah Darby: rear 18 South Park Street. From County of Kent, England, last spring. No Children in this Country, some in England, Husband James a labourer, in bed with disabled right arm. Chof England. Recommended for Coal twice, and say 4 lbs. bread.

1009. Thomas Robinson: aged 26. Came out last February from England. Chof England. Painter by trade. says had not steady Employment. got some frost bites on his feet, had shelter since last Saturday. seeks shelter for a few days longer. Granted

1010. Henry Woods: aged 24. An Englishman, from England since last May. Chof Engl. also a Painter by trade out of Employment. had shelter since last Saturday. seeks shelter for a few days longer. Allowed shelter for the present.

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Wednesday Decbr. 27th 1871

1011. The Committee to open and inspect Tenders for the year 1872 met this day at 10 OClock A.M.  
Present, Revd. Mr. Broughall, Mr. J. Tyner & Mr. E. Hobson.

The following Tenders were opened.

Dunn & Scott' soup Meat at [dollars] 2.25 per 100 lbs.

John McCarter do [ditto] at [dollars] 2.50 per 100 lbs.

Wm. J. Bird do [ditto] at [dollars] 2.50 per 100 lbs.

Hutty & Son do [ditto] at [dollars] 1.90 per 100 lbs.

J. Hewlett do [ditto] at [dollars] 2.00 per 100 lbs.

Messrs. Hutty & Sons Tender being the lowest was accepted.

G. Coles Tender for bread at 10 [cents] per 4 lbs. loaf for the Months of January. February & March next was accepted.

James Shields & Co.' Tender for Groceries was accepted.

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Richard Lee's Tender for Milk at 20 [cents] per Gallon.

John L. Playter do [ditto] at 15 [cents] per Gallon.

Margaret Harper do [ditto] at 18 [cents] per Gallon.

Mrs. Harpers Tender being otherwise satisfactory was accepted.

1012. Margaret Tansey: No. 27 Elizabeth St. 70 years of age. Husband 65, is not able to work on account of a very bad leg. Old residents. ChofEngl. Irish. To have Coal and bread.

1013. Elizabeth McKenzie: a Widow aged 67. Native of Scotland. Congregationalist lives at 26 Albert Street. To have 1200 lbs. Coal, & 4 lbs. bread a week.

1014. Jane Tweedy: 28 Albert Street. Spinster Aged 86. Native of Scotland Methodist Church. An old Pensioner. to have 1200 lbs. Coal as usual.

1015. Sarah McGregor: 79 Agnes Street. A Widow, aged 83. Irish. Chof England. An old Pensioner in receipt of bread, to have Coal.



1016. Mary Cogan: 18 Agnes St. in receipt of bread to have Coal also.
1017. Jane Dundas: 102 Agnes Street. has 6 lbs. bread weekly. to have Coal.
1018. Elizabeth Neal: rear 16 Agnes St. A permanent pensioner. Coal.
1019. Emma Munroe: 102 Agnes Street. in receipt of bread. to have Coal.
1020. Charlotte McCan: 22 Elizabeth St. gets 4 lbs. bread weekly, to have Coal.
1021. Mary Ann Andrews: 68 Elizabeth St. to have Coal in addition to her bread.
1022. Elisa Jolland: an old Pensioner all the year round. to have Coal. 255 Elizabeth.
1023. Elizabeth Jackson: 30 1/2 Centre St. gets bread 8 lbs. to have Coal also.
1024. Margaret Eaton: 180 Centre St. permanent pensioner. to have Coal.
1025. Ellen Laughlan: 187 Centre St. in receipt of 8 lbs. bread. To have Coal.
1026. Ann Robinson: 38 Centre St. to have Coal in addition to bread.
1027. Michael Shannon: 191 Chesnut St. on the list for bread. to have Coal.
1028. Ann Silver: 137 Chesnut St. to have Coal for the Winter. gets bread.
1029. Phoebe Gray: 102 Chesnut St. receives bread, to have Coal also.
1030. Fanny Moore: 12 Terauly [Terauley] St. in receipt of bread. to have Coal.
1031. Jane Ames: 156 Terauley St. Coal during Winter, gets bread.
1032. Ann Duval: 62 Emma St. An old pensioner gets bread. to have Coal.
1033. Grace Langley: 36 Terauley St. gets bread, to have Coal also.
1034. Jane Burke: 20 Christopher St. To have Coal, gets bread.
1035. Matilda Bagley: next 77 Hayter St. receives bread. to have Coal.
1036. Mary Hudson: 12 Ezar [Czar] St. gets bread, to have Coal also.
1037. Ellen Purtell: 29 Emma St. Not Known there.

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Present. Revd. S. Givins & R. Gilmor Esqr.

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1038. Ann Quinn: 314 Little Richmond St. west. Irish. Chof England. A Widow, 16 years in Toronto, 71 years old. has at present no other means of support then the assistance of friends. seems a highly respectable woman. Recommended for Coal and bread.

1039. Margaret Lennon: 123 Tecumseth St. Irish. Protestant, aged about 69. In Toronto 16 or 17 years, suffers from Rheumatism. is a respectable woman who can do but little for her own support. Recomd. Coal & bread.

1040. Louisa Miller: 479 1/2 Little Richmond St. west. French Canadian. R.C. aged about 56. Toronto resident for 8 years. has two sons aged 11, and 8 years. earns a little as Charwoman. Recd. Coal & bread.

1041. Louisa McCarthy: 125 Tecumseth St. French. Widow of Charles McCarthy who has been dead 7 years. has one boy aged 9. and no other means of support then her own labour supplemented by the Kindness of neighbours. she has been in some measure disabled by an attack of Rheumatism. Recommended for Coal and bread.

1042. Rose Tracey: 125 Tecumseth St. Irish. R.C. wife of John Tracey an old soldier, who was employed as chimney sweep but received an injury by the breaking of a ladder and has done nothing since. In Toronto since 1840. about 68 years of age. Recommended for Coal and bread.

1043. Margaret Lawrie: 421 Adelaide Street west. An aged Coloured woman (who has recently lost her husband), is an old Citizen of Toronto and quite incapable to earn her own living. Native of Virginia Baptist. a respectable woman. Recommended for Coal & bread.

1044. Mary Lloyd: 101 Sayer St. Canadian, Chof England. Married. 37 years of age. one Child 9 Months old. Husband a tailor who left 16 Months ago. she appears a clean industrious Woman who supports herself by sewing. Recommended for Coal.

1045. Ann Boles: rear 201 Centre St. Coloured aged 54. Married. Methodist, born in the States. her Mother aged 84 is living with her. 4 Children. 2 in Service, & 2 at home. Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

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1046. George Gleason: rear of 26 Centre Street. American. Shoe Maker. Married, 50 years of age. 2 Children, girls, 10 & 6 years of age. earns from four to five Dollars a week, in bad health. Visitor informed that he is a steady industrious man. Recommended for half price Coal.

1047. Maria Smith: 127 Sayer St. English. Methodist. Widow. Aged 29. 5 Children, girl 8. girl 5, girl 3. boy 7. and boy 1 year of age. Three of them in the Orphans Home, 2 at home with her. appears a clean respectable person. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a Week & Coal.

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1048. Isabella McKenzie: rear of 16 1/2 Agnes Street. Scotch. Baptist. Widow 52 years of age. 2 daughters 23 & 22 years of age, work at Bookfolding, but not much work at present. Visitor cannot recommend the Case, as he thinks they should go to service and not live upon Charity, all being able to work.

1049. Margaret Walsh: 21 Elizabeth St. Irish. R.C. Widow, 55 years of age. two boys aged 13 & 15 years. the eldest does a little as an errand boy. A very dirty woman as well as the house. If they would be industrious Visitor thinks they may do well, they live with others as bad as themselves. can not recommend such a bad lot.

1050. Richard Warwick: 63 Elm Street. English. Chof Engl. Married. 57 years of age. a labourer in bad health. 3 Children, boy 12, girl 9. and girl 4 years of age. Visitor thinks they will require some assistance. Warwicks sight is very bad.

1051. Margaret Brennan: is not Known at No. 65 Elm Street.

1052. Catharine McNamara: 231 King Street East. Widow, one Child. Mrs. McNamaras Case will be found reported upon for several Winters past. Visitor has nothing new to add, except that she is becoming less able to earn her own livelihood, and cannot get on without some assistance during the winter Months. Recommended for a small allowance of bread, & Coal twice.

1053. Julia McCarthy: 89 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.

1054. Mary McGee: 71 Stanley St. 68 years old, not able to work, Irish. R.C. Recommended Coal 3 times, & 4 lbs. bread.

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1055. Bridget Connally: 82 Stanley St. 46 years old. one boy 9 yrs. goes out to wash and scrub. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread. Coal 3 times

1056. Bridget McCabe: 112 Jarvis Street. 78 years old. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. To have Coal 3 times & 4 lbs. bread a week.

1057. Mary Rutherford: 35 Queen St. East. 60 years old, suffering from Rheumatism. Not able to work. Ch of Engl. Irish. Spinster. Receives bread. to have Coal 3 times.

1058. Cecilia Edmonds: 21 Queen St. East. 70 years old. Husband 79. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

1059. Thomas Hall: 40 Adelaide St. East. 75 years old. Wife 65, Not able to work. Chof Engl. English. 6 lbs. bread Coal 3 times.

1060. Mary Booth: 311 Church St. 43 years old. husband left her 10 years ago. suffering from sore leg. Not able to work. Methodist. English. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

1061. Sarah Bloomer: Rear 17 Maria Street. has taken a room from a Married daughter and requires firing. A little Coal in addition to the bread she now receives.

1062. Ann Mulqueeney: 51 Maple Lane, a spinster aged 54. Is living with an old couple named Davis. Is rheumatic as last year. People think her past work, and she gets but little Employment. Irish. R.C. to have bread & Coal.

1063. Hannah Ellis: 29 Grogg Lane. A Widow aged 50. Has one boy about 19 "not doing much", and she says she is unable to work. along with her lives

1064. Mary Tyrrell: who is also a Widow, aged 45. who says she does what work she can get, and has two Children, a girl 10, and a boy 8, a cripple. This house is a miserable place, the people are apparently a shiftless set. They have the blind wood cutter, David Porter, now lodging with them. The house seems to be a rendezvous for stragglers. These two Cases left to disposal of the Committee.

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1065. Richard Hull: 52 Dummer St. aged 56, a short time out of the General Hospital. has not been able to work for 3 Months. His Wife aged 50 owing to acute rheumatism is altogether unable to work. 2 Children, a girl 18 who tries to support her parents, and a boy 10 at school. House clean and tidy. Irish. Chof Engl. to have Coal and bread.

1066. Elizabeth Burns: 11 St. Patricks square. A Widow aged 72. lives alone up stairs, An old recipient of aid. Coal allowed in addition to the bread.

1067. John Richardson: Corbett St. first house North of St. Patrick St. A Widower aged 72. without Children. Has a room from a Man Named Cowley, says he cannot get much to do. Irish. To have Coal say twice.

1068. Elisa Wheat: No. 10 Johnsons lane. An old Widow of 78 Winters, Chof Engl. very feeble. gets 4 lbs. bread a Week. to have Coal.

1069. Ann Kirk: rear of 276 Queen St. West. An old pensioner aged about 60. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

1070. Alice Torphy: with whom the above lives, and occupies the same rooms, and uses the same stove. Has one girl at home aged 9 1/2. R.C. Irish. A decent industrious Widow of about 40 years of age. To have 4 lbs. bread, & Coal turn about with above.

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1071. Anastatia Hanton: could not be found.

1072. Jane Yowell: 263 Queen St. West. in the Cellar. Aged 73. Chof Engl. Cannot live very long, is very ill confined to her bed. receives bread. to have Coal 3 times, & Groceries.

1073. Jane Redditt: a Widow of about 60. Chof Engl. she lives with the above and is very Kind to her in attending to her wants. to have Coal, and perhaps the Committee will allow the same quantity as above Case it would help to Keep this wretched damp cellar warm.

1074. Isabella Philip: rear 141 Elizabeth St. Blind Widow. Coal & bread.

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1075. Hannah Sanigar: Aged 68. A Widow. English. Chof Engl. one grandson 18, in Service, to have Coal & bread. No. 23 Elizabeth St.

1076. Mary Whealan: rear 13 Albert Street. Aged 62. A Widow. R.C. Irish. To have Coal same as last year.

1077. Johanna Hinchy: 5 Emma St. To have Coal twice.

1078. Jane Heeney: rear 230 Sayer Street. Not at home. to have Coal twice.

1079. Louise Hibbard: in Case 805. Made application for readmission says is bad with rheumatism, and not able to do the work that is required of her in Service. The Committee will admit her, with the understanding that she behave herself in a more becoming manner then formerly when an Inmate, if not to be dismissed from the House without bringing her before Committee.

1080. Ellen Stevens: 76 McMahon St. Widow, a very old and infirm woman. Has only one Child, a daughter, but she is married, and has a large family (seven) of her own, and can do but very little for her Mother, except to help her a little with her rent. Visitor recommends Mrs. Stevens for bread, & Coal 3 times.

1081. Mary Wardrobe: 44 Duchess St. Husband and Wife & five Children, and Mrs. Wardrobes Mother, a very aged and infirm woman. Husband has been ill for several weeks. The eldest boy, and eldest Girl are earning a little. The boy goes to Mrs. Cousins on Shuter Street every Morning, to black boots & Knives [etc.] and Mrs. Wardrobe herself earns something by cleaning Offices [etc.] Visitor thinks they are industrious people, and in consideration of the husbands illness, and their having so large a family including the old and infirm Mother, would therefore recommend them to be allowed bread for six weeks and Coal twice.

1082. Mary Rogers: 115 Jarvis Street. and old Case reported upon for several years. earns a living in Summer by selling papers. has very bad Eyes. cannot stand out in Winter. one son, a boy partly crippled. Visitor recommends her to have Coal twice, and bread for the Winter.

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1083. Ellen Courtney: 115 Queen St. East. Self and husband a very old Man. Mrs. Courtney has lately broken her arm, and under the circumstances, Visitor would recommend them for Coal twice as there is an old and decent woman living with them and using the same stove. Bread for six weeks.

1084. Catharine Edwards: 319 Queen St. East. Not in when visitor called, but has frequently reported upon the Case in former years. She is now living in a wretched Cellar, and by the looks of things must be as wretchedly off as ever. She has one crippled Child. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for 2 Months.

1085. Margaret Martin: on St. Paul Street. a few doors off of Queen St. Widow. No Children. an old Pensioner on the House each winter Visitor recommends her for a small allowance of bread for six weeks, and Coal twice.

1086. Margaret Gale: 94 and Jane Sinclair 97 (rear of) Duchess St. Visitor has tried in vain to find, thinks there must be some mistake in the address which has been sent to him.

1087. Jane Chambers: say 50 years of age. Irish. ChofEngland about 17 years in Toronto. homeless and without friends. Brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending her Case to be examined into, and if found a proper person would recommend admittance. She is well Known at the House. Allowed shelter in Building for casual poor for the present. See Case 937.

1088. John Thomas: aged 80. English. says he is a Protestant but forgot what particular Church he belonged to. A Labour [Labourer], 14 years in the Country, most of his time in County of York. had shelter for some time, desires to stay a few days longer, will then try to get back in the Count{y}.

1089. Joseph Jenkins: 45. Irish. Chof England. is partially paralysed. says has been so for about 6 years, & about that number of years in Toronto. had Out door relief from the Institution last year. says is destitute, and cannot work for his living. Brought a Note from Revd. Mr. Williams, recommending shelter, until Jenkins can apply to Weekly Committee for admission.

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1090. John Pinner: aged 22. English. Chof England. occupation Stuart [Steward] on board ships. says has been 5 Months in this Country, and now out of Employment. had shelter for a Week, not obtained Employment yet. seeks shelter a few days longer.

1091. Thomas Wilton: Aged 29. English. Chof Engl. A Labourer 7 Months out from England. No work at present, and apparently no means, had shelter. would like to stay on a few days longer.

1092. Thomas Gough: Aged 40. English. Presbyterian. Labourer. 8 Months out. No work. seeks shelter until he can get Employment.

1093. Thomas Culley: aged 27. English. Chof England. 7 Months out from England. has been in the States. came to Toronto last Friday looking for Work, & to House of Industry for shelter.

1094. James Haley: Aged 32. Native of Ireland. R. Catholic. A Baker by trade. Came from the States to Toronto looking for Employment, but could not succede on account of not belonging to the Union. seeks shelter for a few days, will try to get back to the States.

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Tuesday, 2nd January, 1872

Present. Revd. Dr. Topp & S. Rogers, Esqr.

1. Ann Bain: 7 Renfrew St. A delicate woman herself with a husband suffering from Astha [Asthma]. They find it almost impossible to work. one child, a boy nearly 2 years old. Irish. Chof England. Bread and coal allowed.

2. Elizabeth Sibbett: 3 Renfrew St. a widow, aged 49, who has been for years in the habit of sewing for a living. Has 4 Children. The oldest, a girl 18, earning [dollars] 3 a week, a girl 16 works at the book trade, just now off work for a few weeks. A girl 12, at school and a boy 9 years of age. The necessity of granting aid to this case left to the Committee.

3. Sarah McPhail: 45 Maple Lane. A Widow whose eldest daughter aged 20, is weak and helpless. next girl is a book folder aged 14, and youngest 12 is at school. Washes for a living and finds it very hard to get along in the winter. A little coal allowed as heretofore.

4. Maria Whithorn: 45 Bishop St. A widow aged 47 with one Son aged 19, who she says is weakly. Peddles for a living, seemingly very poor. Irish. Belongs to English church. Bread allowed and Coal a couple of times.

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5. Mary Wilkinson: rear of 82 Dummer St. A widow with boy 9 & a girl 7. is a vagrant living on alms. Have a room without a stove, taken from a Mrs. Walker, a dirty place. A little bread and soup allowed.
6. Emily Broomhead: 215 Hope St. From England last May. her husband is a painter but cannot get work. She is industrious and does whatever she can to support the family. The man also turns his hand to anything he can get. Has 6 Children, 5 at home, all boys, 13, 10, 7, 4, 1 1/2 years respectively. Bread and Coal allowed.
7. Catharine Gordon: 131 Bishop St. A widow a short time, in very reduced circumstances. Has one boy 6. She is about 50, is very simple and helpless and visitor recommends that he [her] coal be sent to her at once. Irish. R. Catholic.
8. Anastatia Hinton: 132 Richmond St. West. Not in when Visitor called.

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9. Jane Curran: 119 Portland Street. Irish. Chof England, aged 63. An old Pensioner who still needs assistance. Suffers from rheumatism and is not at present able to appear before the Committee. Receives bread. Coal recommended.
10. Mary Coleman: Little Richmond St. 2nd door East of Tecumseh south side. Irish. Protestant. attends no place of worship, and is inclined to the excessive use of intoxicating liquors. Has one son about 14 years of age who met with an accident while attending to his work as butchers boy. he has been confined to his bed about a fortnight and will probably be unable to do anything for some weeks. For the boy's sake therefore Visitor recommends Coal and bread.
11. Catharine O'Brien: 479 Little Richmond St. Irish. R.C. In Toronto 8 months. No family. husband has a pension and has been employed during the summer with a builder. comfortable.
12. Mary Harrison: 479 1/2 Little Richmond St. Irish. No Church. In Toronto 24 years. Seems cheerful and happy & fairly comfortable.
13. Mary Maloney: Rear of 33 Camden Street. Irish. R.C. has a husband in the Asylum. Five children oldest of whom aged 13, takes care of the children while her Mother is at work. Coal and Bread recommended.
14. Agnes Summerhays: 50 Garrison St. English. Chof Engl. 4 Children, eldest 17 years of age, but subject to fits and requires constant watching. Husband has been out of Employment for some time and seeks temporary assistance. Recommended for Coal & bread.

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15. Elisa Jones: rear of 28 1/2 King Street West. Wilsons yard. Aged 41. Husband 44. No family, only themselves, but he has no work at present. Came out late this season from England, took all they could scrape up to recommence house keeping. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice, & soup.

16. Patrick Wm. ~~Brown~~ Brien: Dorset House. Dorset St. Married. aged 37. Wife 38. Chof Engl. 3 Children, boys 4 & 2, and baby 3 weeks. in the prime of life, but very little work just now, but expects some shortly. Coal once, 6 lbs. bread a week for 3 weeks. dirty people, something wrong.

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17. Alexander Ruglan: and wife 112 Richmond St. West, an old couple. They appear to have seen better days. she has lived with some of the best families here as Cook. Visitor knows nothing of their former history but what they say of themselves. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times, as they live in a damp cellar.

18. Bridget McCan: 132 Richmond St. West. An old pensioner, Aged 75. A decent lady. Irish. R.C. gets 4 lbs. bread permanently. To have coal twice. Lives rent free and gets a little wood from St. Vincent de Paul.

19. Ann Doyle: 83 Queen St. west. Widow. R.C. Irish. 3 Children. The oldest, a girl of 18, is at Service but now in bad health. Boy 13, gets [dollars] 2 a week. they are in receipt of 6 lbs. bread a week. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

20. Ann Lloyd: an old Pensioner receives 4 lbs. bread a week. To have 900 lbs. Coal also.

21. Mary Dew: rear of 55 Queen St. West. This is a new Case. A Shoemaker by trade. The visitor went and got a promise of plenty work for him after a few days. To have Coal once and 6 lbs. bread for one Month.

22. Margaret Broom: Watkins Lane. deserted by her husband. has 3 children, boy 7, boy 5, and girl 2. Chof Engl. This poor woman has hard times of it. Receives 6 lbs. bread a week. To have coal.

23. Mary Spence: 82 Stanley St. 56 years old. A Widow. Works at a Ragg shop. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

24. Margaret Sweeney: 40 Stanley St. Widow 40 years old. Sells apples. Irish. R. Catholic. To have bread 4 lbs. a week & coal 3 times.

25. Mary McCarthy: 40 Stanley St. 50 years old. husband 60. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

26. Bridget Hays: 68 Stanley St. 48 years old. 2 boys under 10 years. Goes out to scrub & wash. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

27. Sarah Ketts: 68 Stanley St. 40 years old, & husband 40. Labourer. near sighted. 3 Children under 7 years. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

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28. Patrick McKew: 40 Stanley St. Aged 72. Wife 72. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

29. Catharine White: 23 Queen St. west. 63 years old a Widow. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread and coal 3 times. West not East.

30. Catharine Stuart: 112 Jarvis Street. 60 years old. A widow. Scrubs and washes. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

31. Mary Carroll: 101 Richmond St. East. 50 years old. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread. Coal 3 times.

32. Elizabeth Shanahan: 88 Adelaide St. East. 75 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times. aged 75. Not able to work. Husband in the Hospital. Chof England. Coal 3 times & 4 lbs. bread.

33. Mary Godfry: 25 Victoria St. aged 75. Not able to work. Husband in the Hospital. Chof England. Coal 3 times & 4 lbs. bread.

34. Elizabeth Smith: 31 Duchess St. An old woman 50 years of age, nearly blind. Daughter out at service, helps her Mother a little with the rent. Mrs. Smith's case was reported upon last year, and it is really a Case for relief. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice and a small allowance of bread.

35. Bridget Eagan: ) rear of 53 Duchess St.

36. Mary O'Connell: ) do [ditto] do [ditto]

Both widows. Mrs. Eagan goes out to scrub and wash. Mrs. O'Connell is too old to do anything for herself. Mrs. Eagan has one child, a boy 4 years old. Mrs. O'Connell has one Son also. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice between them, and a small allowance of bread for each for six weeks.

37. Sarah Lynch: 90 George St. An elderly woman not in good health, has a very bad leg, but tries to support herself as best she can, and now only asks to be allowed some Coal, which Visitor recommends her for twice. She is a widow and has one Child, a boy.

38. Ellen Gallagher: 326 & Mary Harnet 309 Queen Street and John O'Niel 41 Duke Street, Visitor could not find. There must be some mistake about the address. 41 Duke St. for instance, is a large 3 story brick house.

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39. Elizabeth McKenna: ) 81 George St.

40. Mary Kearney: ) do [ditto] do [ditto]

Both widows occupying the same room and using the same stove. Mrs. McKenna is in very bad health, and from the account given of her to Visitor from a neighbour, she is most certainly an object of Charity. Mrs. Kearney is able to do something for herself and works occasionally at the Tobacco factory. Recommended that they be allowed Coal twice between them, and a small allowance of bread to each.

41. Elisa Kelly: 81 George St. Widow with four children. Mrs. Kelly supports herself by peddling fish & fruit in summer time, but cannot get through in Winter, without help. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

42. Ann Bagley: 81 George Street. Visitor has reported upon this Case in previous years. She is a most industrious hard working and deserving person. She only asks to be allowed a load of Coal, which Visitor recommends her with great pleasure.

43. Elisa Wooley: 100 Richmond St. East. Pine not Richmond St. Husband, a labourer, has been ill and out of work for several weeks. They have 3 young Children. Visitor believes both husband and wife to be industrious and anxious to avoid coming to the House if they could help it. Recommended for Coal once, one pretty liberal allowance & bread for 6 weeks.

44. Ann Borland: ) 130 Pine St.

45. Mary Stuart: ) 130 Pine St.

Mrs. Stuart appears to be the Landlady and Mrs. Borland the lodger! the latter is an old and infirm woman. Mrs. Stuart seems strong and active. Visitor thinks Mrs. Borland's is a case for the House of Providence, as she has no children, and will certainly never be able to do much for herself, but Visitor believes [believes] they are full there at present, and would therefore be disposed to recommend that one load of Coal be sent to Mrs. Stuart, and that bread be allowed Mrs. Borland for one Month. The case then to be again referred.

46. Phoebe Gibbons: is not Known at No. 40 Edward Street.

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47. Mary Slattery: 60 Don Street. Husband left her in England, and she came out to this Country with her children, seven, in November, the youngest only born a few weeks ago. She has been receiving bread from the House, and Visitor recommends her for Coal twice.

48. Sarah Burns: 76 McMahon Street. Widow. 2 Children, boy & girl. goes out to scrub and wash, but is in bad health and at this time more especially, cannot earn enough to support herself and children. Visitor recommends her to be allowed bread for six weeks & Coal twice.

49. Emily Morris: 403 Queen St. East. No children of their own, but Mrs. Morris had left with her an infant to nurse brought to her by a woman who promised to pay her and send clothes for the child. the Mother came to Mrs. Morris with a respectable woman living in the neighbourhood, so that Mrs. Morris had no suspicions that all was not wright [right]. The woman, however, has since disappeared, leaving the infant on Mrs. Morris' hands, who has had to clothe it herself and it is of course a serious burden upon her, as she cannot now go out to work as the child requires her constant attention as she is bringing it up by hand. Under the circumstances Visitor recommends that she be allowed a load of Coal, and he (Visitor) will see what can be done for her elsewhere.

50. Jane Fielding: from Collingwood, yesterday. Brought a Note from Mr. McNabb, Police Magistrate recommending her admission for a few days. Committee cannot admit her, as she is a Case for Lying in Hospital, and she came from Collingwood to Toronto for that purpose of being confined.

51. Anne Hurd: Widow, very respectable, to have 1200 lbs. Coal.

52. Thomas Hayes: rear of 10 Albert St. Irish. R.C. Widower. 70 years of age, a respectable steady old man. Visitor recd. [recommends] Coal, and 4 lbs. bread a week.

53. Catharine Flood: 66 Elizabeth St. This case is well known at the House. Recommended for same as last year.

54. Mary Henry: 10 Terauley Street. The case well known. Recommended for 1200 lbs. Coal all at once.

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55. William Smith: 41 Terauley St. Irish. Chof England. Married. 27 years of age. Labourer. No children. wife sews and works a sewing machine. Came from Ireland on the 1st day of June last. This case, visitor cannot recommend for relief, being both young and able to work.

56. Rebecca Greentree: Markham St. 2nd door North of Arthur. Her husband is very ill of inflammation of the lungs, and she is unable to work having an infant in arms. he has been ailing for some time. Visitor recommends an allowance of groceries, also bread and a Month's coal.

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57. Jemima Wood: Rear of 137 Centre St. The case is well known at the House. Recommended to have the same as last year.

58. Fanny Hamilton: Rear of 87 Elizabeth St. Says she is not able to work on account of Rheumatism in her hand. She will see the Doctor on Friday. See report of last year.

59. Elizabeth Gibson: 129 Agnes Street. English. Chof England. A Widow 40 years of age. Tailores. A very clean, respectable woman. 2 Sons, eldest in the Country 13 years of age, youngest 10 at home. To have 900 lbs. Coal all at once.

60. Jane Simmonds: 170 Sayer St. Irish. Chof Engl. Married. 37 years of age. Husband a labourer. 7 children, girls 12 & 6 and boys 10, 8, 6, 2 & 1 year of age. Visitor was informed that they are industrious, but on account of much sickness in the family during the summer they are much in want. Coal & Soup.

61. Elizabeth Reid: Rear 137 Centre St. An old Case, to have same as last year. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

62. Joseph Thoroughgood: rear of 151 1/2 Centre Street. To see Doctor, and if unable to work, to have same as last year.

63. Bridget Efferson: 101 Centre Street. See previous report. Recommended for Coal and bread.

64. Samuel Lewis: 58 Emma St. See former report. Coal recommended.

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65. John Tyner: in Case 989 ^1871^ was admitted into this Institution. says, is 45 years of age, Irish. Chof Engl. A Labourer. 20 years in Canada, about 6 years in Toronto, Blind for the last 5 months. In Hospital last 4 1/2 months.

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66. John Read: 228 Little Richmond St. English. Chof England. In Toronto 18 Months. Carpenter. has been laid up since August and unable to do a days work. Mrs. Boulton his daughter a widow has also been very ill, and still continues so, she has one child, a boy of four. They are quite dependent on the kindness of others. Recommended for Coal and bread.

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67. Mary Hanna: Corner of Brandt & Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. In Toronto 11 or 12 years. Husband a labourer. Was employed on Gravel Train of Northern Railroad and had his feet frozen. Recommended by Dr. Ogden. Bread & Coal.

68. Anastatia Hanton: 132 Richmond St. West. Widow aged 56. R.C. Irish. Recommended Coal twice, and soup, she gets a little wood from her church.

69. Mary Ann Martin: Dorset House, is a married woman, aged 26. Husband 28. Both are in the prime of life as far as age is concerned. She says her husband is in the Hospital for last 3 weeks, and that he has been sick best part of last summer. has two young children, and a brother aged 9 years. A wretched place, no stove, or anything else. says her things were taken for rent. Visitor leaves the Case to Committee to do the best they can for her.

70. Mary Ferry: 108 Boulton St. Widow. Chof Engl. Was not in when Visitor called.

71. Mary O'Brien: lives in Catharine St. close by the gate of the late Judge McLean. She is an old Pensioner. Aged 71. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread a week and Coal 3 times.

72. Thomas Atty: 36 Mutual Street. Not living there.

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73. Bridget Latham: 18 Stanley St. 51 years old. Widow. No. [number] Children. two under 11 years. Goes out to wash and scrub. R.C. Irish. To have 6 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

74. Catharine McCran: 48 Bond Street. 45 years old. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

75. Elizabeth Johnston: Coloured, 49 Victoria Street. 80 years old. Widow. Not able to work. Baptist. 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

76. Ann Deagan: 569 Yonge St. 50 years old, not able to work much. does knitting. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

77. Mary Ann McAllister: 100 Ann St. 50 years old. Widow, and boy 12 years old. Scrubs and washes. English Church. To have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal 3 times.

78. Bridget Fahey: 5 Victoria Street. 56 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread and coal twice.

79. Rose McCann: 23 Hackney St. A Widow without children. aged about 65. unable to work because of a bad foot, tho [though] usually industrious. Irish. R.C. To have bread and Coal.

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80. Mary McBirney: 54 Hackney St. Her husband a carpenter but was hurt 12 years ago and is now a Cripple. One daughter works part of the year at tailoring and tries to support her parents. An Irish Presbyterian. They have Coal from other sources but want food. A liberal supply of bread recommended as they have two grandchildren thrown on their hands.

81. Isabella McAdams: 128 Mill Street. Lives with her married daughter who is married to a Hatter named Anstey. Recommended for continuance of usual relief.

82. Mary Ann Joslin: 483 King St. East. See previous reports. The Son has quit Tinsmithing and expects Employment at Taylors safe factory. Recommended for the usual allowance, say Coal, and 6 lbs. bread weekly.

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83. Mary Clark: cellar rear 231 King Street East. was ejected lately from rear of 186 King St. East, and as she says her winter stock of fuel confiscated. Native of Ireland. over 20 years in Toronto. Widow of John, has two children, girl about 11 at service, boy about 10 at home, but out when visitor called. her Mother aged 70 or 80 lives with her. Recommended Coal twice and 6 lbs. bread.

84. Ellen Coffyn: 37 Alice St. English. Chof England. A widow, aged 28. 3 Children, boy 7, boy 3 years of age, and a baby 3 Months. Arrived from England in May last. Husband died of fever three days after landing. Mrs. Coffyn appears a clean respectable woman, but on account of the young family she is unable to work for their support. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal and soup.

85. Elizabeth Sullivan: rear of 12 Terauley St. husband and herself in good health and well able to support themselves. No relief.

86. Elizabeth Garrett: 46 Duchess Street. This is a Case which Visitor has reported upon for several winters past, and has nothing new to add now. Mrs. Garrett is now old and infirm but a most thorough and respectable woman. Recommended for Coal twice.

87. Margaret Gale: 94 Duchess St. An elderly woman. Widow. one child, a married daughter, also a Widow, not living with her Mother, and not able to do anything for her. Visitor thinks as far as he could judge, that Mrs. Gale is a Case for relief, and would recommend her for Coal twice, and the bread to be continued for some weeks.

88. John Eaton: Lane running off near the Priest's House by St. Pauls Church. the house about opposite the rear of 303 Queen St. A very old Man with a very old Wife. One child, a daughter and Grandchild. Eatons Case, Visitor reported upon in previous winters when he lived at North Park Street. He peddles about, saws wood, and does any little job that he has strength for, but he is too old and infirm to earn

enough to keep himself and wife in Winter. Visitor recommends him for Coal twice, and bread for five weeks.

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89. Rebecca Heffer: 439 King Street East. Deserted by her husband who left her and her five children to shift for themselves. Mrs. Heffer suffers from weak Eyes which prevent her from going out to wash as she used to do. They are certainly in great distress at present, and Visitor recommends them Coal once, they are receiving 8 lbs. bread a week.

90. Elisa Langridge: In a cottage rear of 346 King Street East. Entrance by a lane or passageway under the Front House. Husband, wife, and 3 young children. two months out from England. Husband a labourer, has been out of work, and cannot get any at present. A brother in law and his wife and Children, came out with them. The brother in law is a bricklayer, and has got work up at Sarnia and has written to Langridge to say that he can get plenty of labouring work there, if he can manage to get there. Visitor is going to arrange for his fare as he has not a sixpence, and in the meantime, would recommend that a load of Coal be sent to the wife, and that she be allowed bread for one Month, until her husband is able to send her some money. They seem very decent respectable people, and a little timely assistance will tide them over their first winter here.

91. Mary Mandeville: 100 George Street. A widow with four young Children in very destitute circumstances. Mrs. Mandeville who seems a cheery industrious woman, cannot manage to earn enough to keep them in food and fuel and pay rent at this time of the year. Recommended for Coal once, bread five weeks. If February proves a cold Month she may have Coal a second time. Committee allowed Coal 3 times, and 8 lbs. bread a week.

92. Julia Hammond: Power St. Widow with one daughter, very destitute case reported frequently before. Recommended for Coal twice.

93. Elizabeth Beresford: Strachan St. 2nd. brick house North of Queen St. Her husband is a labourer out of work, and they are in a very destitute state. There are five children, the eldest of whom is 11 years old, and one is a Cripple. English. Aged 32. To have bread and Coal for a couple of months.

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94. Eliza Gailey: 66 Bishop St. is recommended for Coal along with her bread.

95. Johanna Lynch: 235 Hope St. also recommended for coal.

96. Fanny White: 82 Dummer St. Not in when Visitor called. Neighbours say she is abandoned by her husband, and is sober and industrious. Does General work as she gets it. Has 3 Children at home, and two with friends. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

97. May Ann Harnett: 196 Queen St. West. Husband and herself arrived from England last April. he is a labourer and cannot get sufficient work to support them. has one baby 3 months old. scarcely any furniture. No bedding. Very destitute. seemingly steady. To have usual aid.

98. Ann Herman: ) 80 Dummer St.

99. Mary Johnson: ) 80 Dummer St.

Sisters, both aged and very poor, living together. Try to support themselves by washing. Irish. R.C. Recd. [recommended] for Coal & bread.

100. Ann Flood: 38 Bishop Street in the rear. A widow nearly 70. She is living with a Son who is troubled with gravel & is poorly. she lives on alms being unfit for work as she says. A grandson aged 11, lives with her. Visitor supposes she must have some bread and Coal, though thinks she is not in favour with the House.

101. Margaret Douglas: 228 Queen St. West. Recd. [recommended] for Coal as heretofore.

102. Mary Green: 43 Bishop St. A widow aged 60, one girl at service. No Children with her. has been suffering from a swelled leg. is living with a family named Corcoran. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal.

103. Mary Grace: 32 Dummer St. Her husband has been away for 6 years. No children, has a room very snug & tidy up stairs. Knits and sews for a living. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal allowed.

104. Joannah Hanrahan: 25 Grogg Lane. has been abandoned for years, and he turns up only occasionally. has one boy earning [dollars] 1 a week. Is nearly 60 years of age. Lives with a Mrs. Sullivan and cannot work owing to a bad leg.

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105. Mary Durand: College St. 3 doors East of St. Stephens Church. A widow aged 67. Lives with a Married Son who is dissipated and supports herself by soliciting broken victuals. unfit for work and miserable poor. English. A little bread & Coal allowed.

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106. Mary Brumell: 52 Dummer St. Lives with a family named Hull who receive some assistance from the House. Is a widow aged 76 living on alms. said to be sober and respectable. Bread & Coal.

107. Ann Kelly: 67 Strachan St. A widow aged 40. Has 6 children. 4 girls 10, 7, 5 & 3 and two boys 12 & 13, one of whom does what little jobs he can get in order to help his Mother. Takes in washing when she can get it. Irish. R.C. To have bread and Coal.

108. Joseph Jenkins: 1089 in 1871. Left Saturday 6th instant.

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109. Rebecca Heffer: 439 King Street East. See report, Decbr. 24, 1870. Has heard from her husband who is coming back from the States. Eldest daughter is married and of no service to her Mother. Boy, George soon expects employment from a brass founder. On account of Mrs. Heffer's defective Eyesight and enormous family (7 children at home), Visitor recommends Coal and 8 lbs. bread.

110. John Hadley: 29 1/2 South Park Street. See report upon Margaret Hadley, his wife, February 1st, 1871. Husband sick, looks miserably, and sits toasting himself before the stove. Recommended for Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

111. George Chandler: 93 South Park Street. Lived last winter in St. David's ward. Visitor did not see him, but as far as could be ascertained, seems a deserving Case. Coal & bread recommended.

112. Sarah Shipcotte: 82 South Park St. Lived last winter in St. David's ward. Came from Pimlico. Husband Robert a labourer out of work. Children, Helen 9, Robert 6, Susan 4. Another expected directly. Chof Engl. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

113. Mrs. Bigwood: 48 Bond Street. do not require relief.

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114. Ann Conlen: 231 King St. East 3rd. story. from County of Mayo, 2 years ago. Widow of William. 2 children, William 7, sick in bed, John 4. R.C. Can generally maintain her family without assistance and makes application very reluctantly. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

115. Matilda Hatt: 231 King Street east, 3rd story front room, adjoining Ann Conlen. See report upon Matilda Att (same person) Debr. 17th, 1870. Husband broake [broke] his leg not long since, and is unable

to do much. Eldest girl out of place. Mrs. Hatt is now in same condition she was at this time last year: that child died, she hopes for "better luck" on this occasion. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

116. Elisa Balguy: 250 Palace Street. See report, Decbr. 22nd, 1870. Husband has had odd jobs during the summer, but no regular employment. Occasional attacks of dumb ague. Coal & bread.

117. Ann Morris: 51 Bond Street. 60 years old. Widow, not able to work. Irish R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

118. Thomas Mangan: 101 Ann Street. 66 years old. In Hospital with broken leg. Wife 42 years old. 3 Children under 13 years. R.C. Irish. goes out washing. gets 8 lbs. bread from the House. Coal 3 times.

119. Thomas Gormley: 100 Ann Street. 71 years old. suffering from sore leg, not able to work. R.C. Ireland. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal twice.

120. Jane Harden: rear 45 Carlton St. 23 years old. Husband 45 years. Sick with inflammation on the lungs, not able to do anything, one Child 3 years old. her mother blind lives with her. English Church. 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal 3 times.

121. Rosanna Rambon: 196 Mutual St. 28 years old, a widow. 2 children under 10 years. Goes out washing. Chof Engl. Bread & Coal.

122. James Hazlitt: 154 Jarvis St. 40 years old, wife 35. 6 Children. Wife delicate. Chof Engl. 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal twice.

123. Mary Gillespie: 41 Stanley St. 45 years old, a widow, one child 8 years old. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

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124. Julia McCarthy: 49 Stanley St. 60 years old, one Child, a boy aged 11. from Ireland. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread & coal 3 times.

125. John O'Neal: Corner of Duke and Frederick St. Aged 59. nearly blind. 4 Children. Wife in gael. From Ireland. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

126. Mary McKewan: 2nd. door Watkins Lane. A young girl, but says is married, aged past 18, Husband 22. late from England. Married a few weeks and then seeks to live on Charity. Visitor advised that she go to service, hopes Committee will give the same advice.

127. Margaret Cowan: in the same house as the above. Married. Aged 50, husband 55. Presbyterian. Two boys at home aged 13 and 11 years. They came from England the summer before last. Irish. This

family should do for themselves and would, if not for an accident he had last season, and sickness since that. They are well now but out of work. Recommended for relief.

128. Mary Livingstone: 134 York Street. A widow, aged 64. Chof Engl. Has lately come into the St. Andrew's ward. Visitor does not know much about her, but thinks she is a worthless thing. Soup, if not too well. Known at the House. Coal once.

129. Susan Berry: 95 Boulton St. Has had the misfortune to get a worthless drunken husband. he is away now and no loss. She seems to be worthy and wants assistance very much and in poor health. Room nice & tidy. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread weekly & Coal 3 times.

130. Charles Tye: Rear of 71 Queen St. West. Married, aged 31. Wife 31. 5 Children: 4 girls, 11, 9, 7, 5, and a boy 2 years of age. A Bricklayer by trade. Had assistance last winter. Bricklayers earnt [dollars] 2.50 a day last summer. Visitor thinks if not careful some of these newcomers will become regular paupers. should be given to understand that this is the last winter to expect relief from the House.

131. Catharine Desiliond: 73 George St. The husband a carpenter by trade was laid up for many weeks with Canadian Cholera. Visitor recommends them for one good load of Coal, bread for a Month, and an allowance of Tea, sugar, and oatmeal on account of the wife's recent confinement.

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132. Thomas Tounsley: Sydenham Lane. East side North of Sydenham St. Husband and wife and 6 Children. only a few Months out from England. came to Oshawa first of all, where Tounsley got Employment at one of the large manufacturing establishments, at good wages, but when the winter began, they reduced their staff, and he came up here, hoping to obtain work at some of the Manufactories here. He has been unsuccessful so far, and he and his family have consequently been in great distress; when Visitor called Friday they were not only in want of fuel and food, but the children were very badly off for clothing. Both Tounsley and his wife appear to be extremely respectable people. He has most excellent testimonials from various Employers in England. He has some prospects of being employed at Hamilton's Foundry in the course of about 3 weeks. In the mean time, Visitor strongly recommends them for a liberal allowance of Coal once, and bread for one Month. Visitor feels sure they will not look for assistance of any kind after the Father has obtained Employment.

133, Jane Charlton: 56 Sydenham Street. Visitor has reported upon this case in former years. The husband a painter by trade, is now a perfectly helpless invalid, a very pitiable object as Visitor saw him today with no less than three carbuncles in different parts of his body. They have a large family of young children. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice and bread if Mrs. Charlton calls for it for six weeks.

134. Ellen Ashton: Removed to 58 Sydenham Street. Visitor reported upon this case a month ago. See Case 917. Found on visiting Mrs. Ashton today, that her husband has left her. Where he has gone she does not know, nor whether he has any intention of returning. She and her child are left without any means of subsistence beyond what she can earn, which is precarious enough at present. Visitor recommends her for a load of Coal, and bread for six weeks.

135. Sarah Boyd: 348 King St. East. Mrs. Boyd is a Widow with one Son, an idiot entirely helpless and dependant upon her, and on that account Visitor has recommended her in past years for assistance. She is now trying to add to her means by selling a few sugar plums, [etc.] but Visitor thinks she cannot get through the winter without help, and therefore recommends her for Coal. Receives bread already.

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136. Ellen Gallagher: East side of Pine Street, 4 or 5 doors North of Queen St. An old Case. and an old woman in bad health, hands all crippled with Rheumatism. No Children. Visitor recommends her for a load of coal and some bread, but thinks if she could be taken into the House it would be the best place for her.

137. Mary Davidson: East side of Pine, North of Queen next to Mrs. Gallagher, an old and infirm woman with one daughter who is very sickly. Visitor recommends her for Coal once, and bread for six weeks.

138. Mary Wymes: 76 Pine Street, not in when Visitor called. works at the Tobacco factory. from what Visitor remembers of her Case in former years, would think a load of Coal would be well bestowed and probably bread for a Month.

139. Ann Smith: 11 Pine Street, south of King St. [reported in Case 140]

140. Mary Ann Brindle: 13 Pine St. south of King St. Both Emigrant families. both in great present want, Mrs. Brindle is the worst off of the two, as her husband being only a labourer, has been longer out of work than Mrs. Smith's who is a Bricklayer. Mrs. Brindle was entirely without fire, and not very much food! when Visitor called on Saturday evening. Both recommended for a liberal allowance of Coal once, and bread for a Month. a little tea sugar and Oatmeal to Mrs. Brindle, who has a young baby would not be amiss. Neither of these families are properly speaking in St. Davids ward, but were sent in a mistake, but the distress being urgent, Hon. Mr. Allan thought it best to visit and report at once instead of referring to Visitor of St. Lawrence ward.

141. Margaret McGill: 377 Queen St. East.

142. Bridget Geroe: 377 Queen St. East.



Both living in one House, Visitor would like one load of Coal sent, and allow them both bread for a Month, but is not satisfied altogether about either Mrs. Geroe or Mrs. McGill, and intends to keep an Eye on them and make further enquiries.

143. Mary Ann Gardiner: 81 Sumach St. Emigrants. The husband has gone up the Country to look for work. the wife not long confined. Recommended for a good load of Coal, bread for a Month, and some tea, sugar, & Oatmeal for Mrs. Gardener.

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144. Rachel Burton: 48 Sumach St. Husband and wife and four young children. Emigrants, out this summer. Husband out of work since the cold weather set in. very decent respectable people. Recommended for a good load of coal, and bread for a Month or six weeks. Helped over this winter they will do well.

145. Elisa Gardener: 28 Ontario St. Widow. decent respectable woman. Recommended for coal once, bread for six weeks.

146. Ann Horan: 69 Ontario St. Widow. 2 daughters. one working at home at quilting, and the other is ill at present. Recommended for coal once, bread for six months.

147. Ann Thompson: 39 Ontario St. Widow. two young children, Mother works in Tobacco factory. Recommended for Coal & bread for a Month.

148. Jane Burgoyne: 115 Jarvis St. 60 years old not able to work. Irish R.C. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly.

149. Thomas Anglesie: 102 Agnes St. Irish. English Church. Marred. [married] 38 years of age. far gone in Consumption. by trade a Carpenter. unable to work. one Child a boy 3 years of age. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

150. Ann Loyd [Lloyd]: 12 Elliotts row. To have 900 lbs. Coal all at once.

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Present, Messrs. R. Gilmor, J. Tyner, E. Hobson & Revd. Mr. Williams

151. Ellen Cairns: 48 Douro St. Irish. Protestant. Toronto resident 34 years. A widow with one daughter at home aged 13, who might be at service and thus earn a living for herself and form habits of industry. Mrs. Cairns says she has been ill and unequal to the task of doing more than making a living for the summer, and that in the winter she cannot procure fuel.

152. Elisa Beard: Corner of King and Tecumseth St. in a lane off Tecumseth. English, Chof England. husband a Carpenter, has been in the Country since May. but husband has been in ill health. and is now out of Employment. No family. Recommended temporary assistance.

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153. Elisa Figgins: 1st Cottage south of Queen, Strachan Avenue. In Toronto 4 months. Husband a labourer at present earning [dollar] 1.00 a day Two Children, 6 & 4. Wife now in labour. place not very comfortable. Recommended one box of coal.

154. Catharine Corcoran: 125 Tecumseth St. Irish. R.C. 45 years of age. lives by washing and scrubbing. says that her hand is strained so that she cannot work. Is sometimes seen the worse for drink in the streets.

155. Margaret Hunter: 66 Palace Street: An old Case, was out when visitor called.

156. Joseph Diagree: 70 South Park Street. Out looking for work. so said his wife. From Bishopgate Street London, last June, in Company with some neighbours, who also, will in all probability soon be applying for relief. Husband is a labourer. they have one child, a baby named Sarah. Chof England. Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

157. Johanna Sims: lane opposite Ritcheys Terrace. deserted by her husband. Aged 41. R.C. has one boy aged 11. Says cannot get much to do. Recommended for Coal twice & 4 lbs. bread.

158. Catharine Galvin: not in when Visitor called.

159. John Mack: Dorset House. Dorset Street. Married, aged 45, wife 42. R.C. Not in good health. Not able to do much if he could get it to do. Cannot do without a little help. 4 lbs. bread, coal twice & soup.

160. Ann McLean: 54 Boulton Street. A widow aged 54. Scotch. cannot work on account of a very sore thumb. Coal 3 times.

161. Mary Pollock: 108 Boulton St. Widow aged 66. R.C. says if she could get coal will try to do without bread. Coal 3 times.

162. Mary Ann Henderson: 20 Front Street. Old Rochester House. A widow for 30 years. 62 years of age. Irish. Presbyterian. seems a respectable person. 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

163. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. west. Irish. R.C. Church. An old pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

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164. Elizabeth McCauley: 15 Emily St. An old Case who had relief in former years. Recommended for Coal and bread.

165. Bridget Ketts: in rear of 100 Richmond St. East. 75 years of age. Not able to work. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread and Coal 3 times.

166. Bridget Halloran: 101 Richmond St. East. 79 years of. Widow. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread weekly & Coal 3 times.

167. Ann Dunlevie: 18 Stanley St. 46 years old. Husband 65. 2 Children, boy 5, & girl, 3 years of age. The husband is a labourer out of employment at present, has a Brother who is sick living with him. Chof Engl. Irish. 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

168. Honora Gillan: opposite Cooks Church Queen St. East. aged 79. Widow used to peddle Apples, not able to work. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

169. Ann Anderson: 26 Dummer St. A widow, without Children, moving on crutches. Has been living a little more than a week with a Mrs. Hall, apparently a very respectable person, whom however owing to sickness Visitor did not see. Visitor fears Anderson drinks, suppose a little Coal might be sent once, & will visit again.

170. Ellen Mooney: 15 Maria St. aged 45. Husband away for 2 years, supports herself entirely by washing out. Has one girl at home aged 9. Her son able to support her has gone off and does nothing for her. Seemingly steady and respectable. Irish. R.C. Coal & Bread.

171. Hannah Asher: Spadina Avenue opposite Judge Wilson. now receives bread to have Coal also.

172. Joseph Twaites [Thwaite]: Junior. Cedar St. about the middle. Aged 25. Out of work for the last 6 weeks, and is in debt for the Lumber with which his little house is built. Has a wife & 3 children, girl 5, boy 3, and a baby. English. Bread & Coal for a Month.

173. Mary McBeth: rear of 38 James St. An old Pensioner who received relief in previous years. Visitor recommends that she receive the same as last year.

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174. Joseph Thwaites: Senior. Cedar St. about the middle. Aged 71. His wife is now ill. 7 Children at home, a boy 17, at work, boy 15, at work, boy 13, earning [dollar] 1 a week, girl 10, boy 8, boy 7, girl 3.

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He cannot get employment. The house is unfinished and terribly cold, quite unfit for occupation. Visitor recommends some bread and coal as they are evidently in distress.

175. Sarah Turner: rear 42 Dummer St. aged 38. one child, a boy 10. Husband is a labourer: was hurt last November and has not worked since. Her Eyes are very weak, which renders her unable to work. The house is new and quite damp & cold. Irish. To have bread and Coal. Formerly McBride.

176. Ellen Gartley: 31 Dummer St. Husband out of work. They are in a very poor state both as regards food and fuel. 3 Children, a boy 8, girl 3, girl 2. she says "No work to be had for woman except those who are in Constant Employment." Irish. R.C. Recommended for bread and Coal.

177. Harriett Sullivan: 25 Grogg Lane. A widow, the party whit [with] whom Joannah Hanrahan is living. Has 5 Children, Girl 13, girl 11, boy 10, boy 8, girl 6. a Charwoman. Irish. R.C. a little bread is recommended as Hanrahan has Coal and uses her Stove.

178. Sarah Blackstone: 31 Robinson St. Her husband is a house painter who has had a very hard struggle, since he came from England in September. Part of the time has worked for boys wages. at present has uncertain work, apparently respectable. 3 Children, the eldest a boy aged 14 for whom they are seeking a place. Recommended 600 lbs. Coal.

179. Mary McKenzie: 180 Lumley St. Scarcely anything more wretched can be conceived than the house she occupies. The glass is all out of the windows, the doors are bad, the plaster all off of the walls and the floors are broken. one can only wonder how she lived through the recent cold weather. A room in this house is occupied by a Mrs. Carr & her husband & child. the husband was dissipated but is trying to reform and wants a helping hand. another wretched creature, Irwin, complete the Company. Visitor recommends that bread be allowed all, and as they use a stove in common just now "for humanity's sake" would send them 600 lbs. Coal forthwith. They have not even clothing or bedding sufficient, not to speak of furniture.

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180. Susanna Sampson: 96 Pine Street. Husband wife and two young children, and the wife just expecting her confinement. Husband a bricklayer. but what whit [with] sickness, and some foolish contract which he undertook for building some chimnies [chimneys] in some new Cottages lately put up in this part of the Town, they have been left with little or nothing to carry them through the cold weather. The husband has now gone to Hamilton where he has been promised a job, and in the meantime Visitor recommends Mrs. Sampson for a liberal allowance of Coal once. bread for six weeks, and some tea sugar & oatmeal as she is expecting her confinement almost any day.

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181. Ellen Mitchell: 85 Sydenham St. Emigrants, came out the year before last, Husband a bricklayer. broke his knee cap this summer which through [threw] him out of work for some time. He has now gone to look for Employment at Chicago, and until he can send something to his family, Visitor recommends that they be allowed bread for one Month Coal once. They have four Children.

182. Ellen Rearden: 319 Queen Street East. a very old woman, case reported upon in former years. in bad health cannot earn enough to keep herself in Winter. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

183. Ellen Courtney: 75 Caroline St. Case frequently reported upon before, an industrious hard working woman. Recommended for coal twice.

184. Bridget Burns: next to the Chapel on Richmond, not Richmond but Duchess Street. Another old Pensioner. Recommended for Coal once, bread for six weeks.

185. Jane Sinclair: living in a room in the large brick house corner of Duchess and Jarvis Street. Widow with a large family. Has seen much better days. Doing all she can to support herself. strongly recommended for a liberal allowance of Coal twice.

186. Sophia Sheffler: Widow. rear of 65 Sydenham St. an old and infirm woman. A german [German]. Not in when visitor called, but she has been to see him (Visitor) twice. and as far as can be made out of her story. she has only one child a Son a drunken worthless fellow whom she cannot live with, and she is now lodging

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186. lodging with a family in the rear of Sydenham St. No. 68. Visitor does not think the old woman can possibly support herself, and therefore would recommend her for relief. Coal and a little bread, but Visitor is strongly of the opinion that it would be far better if she could be taken into the House altogether. Mrs. Sheffler does not want to come into the House. would rather receive relief and live outside.

187. Elisa Jane Brown: Aged 74. Native of Ireland. 24 years in Toronto. Widow. Not able to earn her living. Says has no friends to do anything for her, and is destitute. Seeks admission for the winter & rather talkative. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a while and if she behaves herself might be admitted.

188. Philip Riley: aged 14. Canadian. R.C. came for shelter until he can get a place. he is the eldest son of Joannah Riley in Case 735 in 1871.

189. Male Foundling: in Case 973 in 1871, died this Morning out at nurse January 14th.

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Present. Revd. E. Baldwin, Revd. Mr. Kay & E. Hobson Esqr.

190. Ann Tomlin: Richmond St. West, 7th door West of Portland St. English. Chof England. In Toronto since May. Husband a Baker. but not able to get Employment at his trade, and not able as a labourer to make provision for the Winter. seem respectable people. seven Children, girls, aged 8. 6. & 4. boys 13. 9. 2 & 5 Months. Recommended for Coal & bread.

191. Elisa Shelley: opposite 88 High Street. Her husband is a labourer and has been out of Employment since before Christmas and was also sick in the summer so that they are very poorly off. She is near her Confinement, Has 4 Children, 2 girls 8 & 6, and two boys 4, & 1 y, 10 months. English, and belong to English Church. Bread and Coal recommended.

192. Susan Woods: Coal recommended as usual.

193. Jane Kingham: Maria St. and

194. Wm. Merritt: College St. near St. Stephens, Coal be sent as usual.

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195. Ellen Sullivan: Lane off Dummer St. to the west. Her husband is in the Hospital and has been ill for a long time. Has 6 Children, 1 boy and five girls the eldest of whom is 14. Works for a living as she can get employment. Irish. R.C. Coal allowed in addition to her bread.

196. Catharine Dalton: 28 Dummer St. occupies the house along with Mrs. Nolan. Is a widow and has 3 Children, 2 boys, 10 & 7, and a girl 5. Is sick and unable to work, worse off than last year. Irish. R.C. Bread, and some Coal allowed in addition to Nolan's tho [though] they use the same stove.

197. Ellen Collins: 6 Dummer St. a widow with 3 Children, a girl 11 & two boys, 9 & 7. Works at Char work as far as she can, but is now rheumatic. is helped to a small extent by a daughter, but is very poor. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal recommended.

198. John Daley: 174 Strachan St. An old man aged 61. In summer jobs at gardening. No children at home. says he is too weak to work out in the cold during the winter & so cant earn anything. Irish. R.C. Recommended for a little bread and coal.

199. Ann Riley: 47 Esther Street. Husband out of work for the last six weeks, very poor. Has been obliged to pawn household articles & rugs. Has one boy 15 not at home, Arrived in this Country last June. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal recommended.

200. Mary Gormley: 24 Elizabeth St. was not at home when visitor called, had gone out to wash. See former report.

201. Phoebe Gibbons: 110 Edward Street. The family being much afflicted and having much sickness amongst them. Visitor recommends them for relief the same as last year.

202. Maria Rugg: 117 University St. English. Methodist Church. Married. 40 years of age. 5 boys, 13, 12, 9, 4 & 3, years of age. the two eldest earn a [dollar] 1.50 each per week. husband a grocer. No work at present. Came from England 5 months ago. a respectable family. Visitor recommends coal & bread.

203. Catharine Potts: rear 44 Louisa St. same as last year. 600 lbs. Coal.

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204. Rose Morton: 85 Sayer St. English. Ch of England. Married. 27 years of age. 3 children, girl 5, boy 7, and baby 1 year old. Husband a printer arrived from England two years ago. this Case Visitor cannot recommend. they ought to provide for themselves. It appears sickness has been in the family, on that account Committee allow 6 lbs. bread and some Coal.

205. Ann Cave: 85 Sayer Street. English. Chof England. Widow 56 years of age. 3 daughters, 18, 19, and 22 years of age, the two eldest in Service at [dollars] 5. and [dollars] 6. per Month. youngest works at the shoe business [dollars] 2 1/2 a week. Mrs. Cave appears a clean respectable woman in bad health. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

206. Elizabeth Lever: 21 Elizabeth Street. Visitor did not call on account of the character of the House. No relief.

207. Jane Fitch: 37 Avenue Lane. English. ChofEngland. Married. 27 years of age. husband a Carpenter, came here 18 Months ago. one Child a boy 3 years of age. Must provide for themselves. No relief.

208. Mary Hawes: same House as above. English. ChofEngl. Married. 24 years of age. 2 children, girl 3 years, and boy 5 months. arrived here from England 2 years ago. husband a strong healthy young man well able to support his family. No relief.

209. Elizabeth Young: 101 Elizabeth Street. Scotch. Chof England. Spinster. but unfortunately had a child 8 Months ago. has been in service but on account of sickness of the child she had to leave her Service. Visitor thinks it would be as well to give some assistance.

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210. Sarah Bright: 46 Centre Street. wishes admittance. having grown up children, and friends well to do Committee considers that she ought to live with them and her husband, who is alive and living with friends.

211. Caroline Webb: 68 Hayter Street. English. ChofEngland, aged 29. 2 Children, a boy 9, and a boy 5 years of age. Husband a labourer. arrived from England in May last. being their first year they will require to be assisted.

212. Bridget Geroe in Case 142, Came here intoxicated to have her bread cut of [off].

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213. Sarah Markey: 263 Queen St. West. up stairs. Married. aged 28. Husband 30. R.C. Her husband came out last August, got to work, and sent for his wife. she got here in November last. this shows some energy in the Husband. at present his health is not good, and as they are trying to recommence house keeping. Visitor recommends them 4 lbs. bread a week & 1200 lbs. Coal. She is a tidy person and seems worthy. Husband out of work at present.

214. Janett Kirkwood: 20 Victoria St. 46 years old. goes out to scrub and wash. Not sound in her mind. Presbyterian. 4 lbs. bread, Coal twice.

215. Mary Bray: 18 Stanley St. 40 years old. No family. goes out to scrub and wash. Irish. R.C. Coal twice.

216. Margaret Whaley: rear of 97 Richmond St. East. Husband in the States. 3 Children, one boy and two girls. goes out to wash & scrub. R.C. Irish. 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

217. Mary Ann Barrett: 97 Richmond St. East. 66 years old. not able to work. partly blind. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

218. Mary Duff: 231 King Street East. 2nd story. came here 3 years ago, from Orillia. Husband, William, was discharged in England from 5th Regiment Fusiliers: has seen Service in East & West. is now afflicted with a pulmonary complaint, for which he gets medicine from the Hospital, a Native of Kings County Ireland. Children, Edward 7, William 1 year. R.C. Coal, & 6 lbs. bread.

219. John Waller: 31 South Park Street. From Limehouse, London, 2 years next May. of German origin, speaks English rather imperfectly. Labourer, did not see him, lived last year on George Street. Wife Sarah, 4 Children, at home. Adelaide 13, Sarah 7 1/2, Emily 5, baby 8 Months. Chof Engl. Coal and bread.

220. Mary McDonnell: 92 South Park St. 4 years in Toronto. from Niagara, "was born in the Army". Husband Donald, a labourer, did not see him, lived last year on George St. 7 Children, 3 boys, 4 girls. ChofEngl. Husband, Presbyterian. Coal, and 8 lbs. bread recommended.

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221. Jane Moffett: rear 22 Sherbourne St. or rear 231 King St. East. the premises are identical. Widow one year of Alexander a labourer. lived last winter on Duke Street. Eldest boy James, 15 was employd' in Burks' family, but left, so his Mother says, on account of ill usage, Robert John 14, Elizabeth 11, Joseph 10, William 7, Mary Ann 5, all at home. 18 years in Toronto, from County of Antrim. Coal and 8 lbs. bread recommended.

222. Mary Ann Robinson: same address as Jane Moffett. was not in when Visitor called.

223. Mary Flinn: 194 Palace Street. upstairs. Visitor called twice but found no one in.

224. Sarah McIntosh: 38 South Park Street. there are no houses from 22 to 42, consequently no number 38.

225. Margaret Hunter: rear 66 Palace Street. has agreed with her husband on a final separation. has not seen him from 4 years. 2 Children at home, Patrick, aged 18, and one of the girls, the other in the "Girls' Home". never heard of her son James, who was said to have been stolen some time in 1866. Coal, & 4 lbs. bread.

226. Margaret O'Brien: 405 Queen St. East. Husband and wife and one child. The husband is a labourer, both he and his wife are elderly people. he has been out of work for some time, and Visitor hardly thinks it possible that they can get through the winter without assistance. They are recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a Month.

227. Mary McLaughlan: 114 Duke Street. a very poor and elderly couple, not in when visitor called, but the woman in whose house they lodged told me about them. from her description they must be deserving people, therefore recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month.

228. Phoebe Carling: 36 Duke Street. Visitor could not find any such person.

229. Catharine McBride: 128 Duke Street. Husband and wife both old and infirm. he does a few odd jobs sawing wood &c when he can get them to do. She is altogether past work. Recommended for Coal twice.

230. John Henderson: 2nd house in rear 79 Duchess St. no such person to be found.

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231. John Williamson: aged 51. Irish. Presbyt. 23 years in Canada. Lived this side of London, C.W. [Canada West] sick for last two years with Consumption. came to Toronto 3 weeks ago to get into General Hospital. was sent to this Institution by the Mayor for admission.

232. Elizabeth Benson: Aged 46. Canadian. ChofEngl. has been living in Toronto in Service. No family, and few friends. scalded her foot last fall, which has broke out again, and prevents her at present earning her living. was sent by the Mayor for admission.

233. Jane Burns: Aged 36. Irish. R.C. was sent by the Mayor for a few days admission. brought one of her Children a boy 7 years of age with her.

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234. Ellen Casey: 81 Stanley St. 36 years old. Widow. one boy 14 years old. goes out to scrub and wash. Cannot recommend her.

235. Sarah Curran: 21 Queen Street East, not in when Visitor called.

236. James Watson: rear of 136 Richmond St. West. was not in, his wife, old and hard of hearing lives in a wretched place, called a House, more like a shed. No fire. was to bring a Note to Visitor respecting character, but said note did not come to hand. if poverty, wretchedness and a want of ability to work is sufficient, Visitor can testify that as far as he could see if nothing is against them at the House, Visitor thinks they ought to have coal and bread.

237. Ann Sullivan: 93 Adelaide Street West. up in the attic. Married. They are in the prime of life, but have a family of 5 Children, from 12, down to 3 years of age. Irish. R.C. The two eldest going to School. Came out last spring. says the funds are run out. and husband out of Employment. Being their first winter in this Country Visitor would recommend them, for 8 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

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238. David Walsh: This Case was visited before, see 951 in 1871. Visitor understood him to say that he was in receipt of good wages, but he is out of work, and is therefore recommended for aid till he gets Employment.

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239. John Baxter: 21 1/2 Camden St. English Emigrant who has been in the Country about six Months. is by trade an anatomical modeler but since he came to this Country has been working as a labourer. 2 boys, aged 18 & 10. Father and son are both out of Employment, seem very respectable people. Recommended for coal and bread.

240. Julia Brierton: Strachan Avenue 2nd. door south of Queen Street. Irish. R.C. In Toronto 18 years. Lives with a Mrs. Day. has a son in the States, who has lately done nothing for her. There are two Children with her a boy aged 10 & a girl aged 6. while Mrs. B. has been a Widow 8 years. Mrs. Brierton suffers from Rheumatism. Recommended for Bread and Coal.

241. Octavia Leigh: 125 Elm Street. English. Chof England. Married. 29 years of age. 3 Children at home, boy 9, boy 2, and girl 5. a clean respectable industrious woman, works at straw work. husband a drunkard, away in the States. To have 1200 lbs. Coal, and a bag of Flour.

242. Jane Hill: rear of 155 Centre St. English. Chof Engl. Married. 47 years of age. 7 Children, girl 14, boy 12, boy 10, boy 8, girl 6, girl 4, and girl 2 years of age. Husband a labourer. In Canada 7 years, in Toronto 8 Months. This family are stated by neighbours to keep a very bad house and unworthy of relief. Visitor therefore recommends that no relief be given.

243. Emma Allan: 74 Gerrard Street. Visitor called twice and found no person in the House.

244. Sarah Bright: 46 Centre Street. wants no assistance.

245. Ann Barber: 230 Chestnut St. To have same as last year.

246. Bridget Collins: not known at 136 Elizabeth St.

247. Mary Sargent: To have 1200 lbs. Coal, and a Bag of Flour.

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248. George Baker: 30 Pine St. Husband wife and four children at home, Emigrants came here between 3 & 4 Months ago. Baker has been out of work, and rent fuel and food have exausted all he made in the autumn and early part of the winter, so that they have been obliged to pledge articles of Clothing [etc.] to pay rent and buy food. Visitor has been trying to get him work. (unfortunately he has lately ruptured himself) and hopes to succeed before long. In the meantime it is just one of those cases where a good load of Coal, and perhaps a Months allowance of bread will tide the family over their present trouble and give them fresh heart, and Visitor therefore recommends them. for one load of Coal. and bread for one Month.

249. Richard Grimetty: 8 David Street. Visitor reported upon this Case last year. They have a very large family of young Children most of whom unfortunately are suffering from croup. They are steady industrious people, and Visitor strongly recommends them for one load of Coal and bread for a Month.

250. Mary McClinchey: 46 David Street. Widow, 2 children, one very young. Mrs. McClinchey is a decent respectable woman. she obtained some assistance from the Society of St. Vincent & St. Paul but has had nothing since the early part of the winter. Visitor thinks we might allow her one load of coal and bread for a month or six weeks.

251. Margaret Leahey: East side of Pine. 2 doors North of Queen Street, Widow. no Children. an old Case. Recommended for one load of Coal, and bread for six weeks.

252. Sarah Mitchell: Aged 23. Not Married. from Cavan near Port Hope. says lived 2 years at Service in Toronto. has a child of six weeks old. The father of it Thomas Redman a tinsmith went off to the states, she is not in good health at present. brought a note from the Mayor recommending her admission for a week or two until she gets better.

253. Susan Christian: in Case 852 in 1871. Recommended for an allowance of Groceries on account of Groceries sickness.

254. Bridget Cullen: 39 Elizabeth St. Irish. Chof England. Marrrd. [married] 25 years of age. No Children. husband a well digger got cold some months ago, says not able to work. better see Doctor.

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255. Peter Courtney: in case 609 in 1866, died this Morning at 5 OClock. January 21st. Aged 88 years.

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256. Thomas Oliver: No. 3 Lane off Renfrew St. Has been laid up for a Month with a severe attack of Rheumatism. his wife has been confined only a fortnight, and has 3 other children, a boy 6 being the eldest. Is in a very poor state. English, & belong to Ch f England. Bread and coal recommended with an allowance of groceries.

257. Emma Archer: Hope St. 3rd. house from Robinson Street. Husband a stone cutter, apparently very respectable, came from England last spring, and was sick for nearly 4 Months. He can now get nothing to do. Has 4 children, the eldest a girl aged seven years. Recommended for bread and Coal.

258. Mary Jane Clappison: 33 Nelson St. A young widow of 24 with 3 Children, the eldest only 5 years of age. Her husband was in the employment of Messrs. Jaques & Hay before his death. Mr. Hay has been very kind to her. he was to have sent her some fire wood, but some way he has forgotten it. She is therefore badly out of fuel. Recommended for 1200 lbs. of coal all at once. wants no bread.

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259. Esther Elliott: 14 Elliotts Row. aged 38. Husband 48. has 2 children girl 6, and boy 4. Chof England. This case was reported on before, and refused on account of being a member of the Crispin Society. he is not a member now. says he cannot get work. is not a good workman. this is his first winter in the Country. visitor thinks it would be as well to allow them 600 lbs. Coal & 6 lbs. bread a week for six weeks & soup.

260. Martha Holt: 90 Adelaide St. East. 40 years old. A widow with 3 Children, boys, the eldest 12. Not able to work. English. Church. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread and coal twice.

261. Bridget Purcell: 99 Richmond St. East. 46 years old. A widow with 2 children, 10 & 7 years. goes out to scrub and wash. fell and broke her ribs. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

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262. Johanna Riley: 82 Stanley Street. 45 years old. Widow with 3 Children. 2 boys and one girl. Lost sight of one Eye. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

263. C. M. Quint: 2nd house on Church above Wood Street. Very ill, just confined. Husband gone to the states. 6 Children under 14 years. ChofEngland. Coal recommended, also Groceries.

264. Mary Flinn: 194 Palace Street. upstairs. See report January 20th of 1871. Nothing particular to Note, except that her then cotenant [co-tenant], Mrs. Cull, having found other quarters, the premises are too large for Mrs. Flinn, who is under full rent [dollars] 3. a Month, and forbidden by her landlord to sublet. Visitor advised her to procure more suitable accommodation without delay. Coal and 6 lbs. bread recommended.

265. Sarah McIntosh: 38 South Park Street. This is not the correct Number. The house is one of a row recently brought from some other locality. it is on the south side of the street and should therefore have an odd number. Husband James boiler Maker by trade, is nearly incapacitated from work by ague and rheumatism. 20 years here, from Glasgow. Presbyt. Wife from Shiply Yorkshire. Chof England. Children, Wm. 15. Elizabeth 14. ^3 1/2^ Both ailing: latter with whooping cough. Coal and 8 lbs. bread recommended.

266. Mary Ann Robinson: rear 22 Sherbourne St. 22 years Widow of James, who was a flax buier [buyer] in California. lived 2 years in Niagara: 20 years here. has no children, usually able to keep herself but cannot at present, having a sore arm. Chof England. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread: coal with Mrs. Moffatt alternately, the parties having one stove in common.

267. Ellen Ryan: 101 Berkely St. Widow with two children. one boy partly a cripple from a swelling in the knee. the second a boy also but quite young. Mrs. Ryan washes and scrubs &c and is a hard woman industrious woman. Visitor recommends Coal once, bread for 6 weeks.

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268. Mary Hartree: 71 Pine St. Widow, one child. a boy at school. Mrs. Hartree Manages to get on tolerably well for everything but fuel. Visitor recommends her for one good Load of Coal.

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269. Elizabeth Martin: Lane rear of 277 Parliment [Parliament] St. Husband & Wife and one young lad a nephew living with them. English, Emigrants of last year. did well when they first came out, had work in the Rolling Mills and elsewhere. Expecting the work to last, they scraped all they could save out of Martins wages, and sent it home, to bring out this nephew the son of a brother who had died leaving a very large family. Now, Martin has been out of work himself for several weeks, they have No Money, except a trifle, a dollar and a half a week, which the lad is earning, and rent & fuel press heavily upon them, and to procure them their things must be sold, or to the Pawnbroker. Visitor therefore recommends a liberal allowance of Coal once, and bread for one Month only. This will tide them over their present trouble, and in another week or two, Martin will probably be at work again.

270. Jane Wright: Aged 16. Native of Ireland. Methodist Church. 6 Months out. Lived in Service with a Mrs. Scott, but left on account of having a broken Needle in one of her fingers which disables her at present. Was sent by the Mayor for a few days admission until her hand becomes well.

271. Lucy Stuart: 57 Edward Street. Canadian. Methodist Church. Widow, 40 years of age. A Laundress, one Son 13 years of age, who has been ill with inflammation on the lungs, works when well in the Market at dollars 2 a week. Respectable industrious woman. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal once.

272. Mary Foster: 156 Chesnut Street. Irish. Methodist Church. Spinster. 59 years of age. Charwoman. Industrious very, and steady. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal once.

273. Mary Dew: in Case 21. Recommended to have Coal once more. and her allowance of bread to be continued for another Month.

274. Jane Coldred [Coldread]: rear of 71 Terauley St. Church of England. English. Married. 25 years of age. Vest maker. husband a blacksmith, who has been paralysed two years. unable to work. No Children. appears a clean industrious woman. Visitor recommends that 1200 lbs. Coal be sent to them.

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Friday. 26th January 1872.



Present. Messrs. E. Hobson. J. Jaynes & N. C. Love.

275. Robert Goldworthy: 474 Little Richmond St. ChofEngland. In Toronto since July. formerly doing very well as a green Grocer in England. but failed and came to Canada in hope of retrieving his fortunes. Four in family. Mother in law, wife, and a Child of seven Months. seem very respectable people. but now that he is out of Employment are in want of the necessaries of life. Recommended Coal & bread.

276. Jane Smith: 151 Tecumseth St. English. Husband a pensioner. now living at the Public expense at the other side of the Don. 3 Children at home girl of 10, boy of 3 & an infant of 3 Months (boy)  
Recommended to have Coal and bread.

277. James Heffer: foot of Bathurst St. in Baileys Cottage near Niagara St. English. came to Toronto in June. six children girls of 15, 13, 9, 7 & 4 years, boy of 5 years. Two of the girls are earning a little in Town, but might do better in Service. Heffer is a painter by trade but has been out of employment five weeks. Recommended Coal and bread.

278. William Saunders: Strachan Avenue, rear of 2nd door south of Queen. English. Shoemaker. came to the Country in the summer and has not been able to make due provision for the winter. Three Children one boy a poor little Cripple. who needs nourishment. Recommended for Coal once.

279. Martha Carey: 269 Church St. 43 years old. A Widow. 6 Children, 5 boys, and 1 girl, under 10 years of age. is trying to support herself by sewing. Baptist Church. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread & Coal twice.

280. Michael Barry: 86 Church Street. 69 years old. Not able to work. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

281. Mary Doyle: rear 101 Richmond St. East. 45 years old. Husband 47. Cannot get work. 4 Children under 15 years of age. 2 boys & 2 girls. R.C. Coals twice & 8 lbs. bread. Nothing can be done.

282. George Smith: 57 years of age. Not living at 57 Richmond St.

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283. Mary Price: )

284: Elizabeth Skinner: ) A cottage in a yard in rear of 43 Ontario formerly McMahon St. Two families living together but Mrs. Price is moving out and going to Queen Street. Mrs. Skinners husband used to go round collecting Ashes [etc.] with a horse and Cart, but the horse died, and they have got lower & lower in the world, and are now living in a wretched hovel and according to their statement are without fuel and not much better off in the matter of food. Mrs. Prices' husband has nearly broken his leg, so

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that he has been out of work for a long time. Both families came out from England nearly 3 years ago. Visitor visited them when they first came out, and is afraid they have not bettered their condition much since then. Thinks they might have a load of coal each, and bread for a Month.

285. Catharine McGee: 216 Parliament St. Husband a Carpenter, has been ill for a long time. They are exceedingly respectable people, and applied most unwillingly, being advised to do so by Mrs. Green the wife of Dr. Green. The boy went up to the House but Visitor don't think they will care to go again. Visitor can Manage to get them assistance in other ways.

286. Amelia Day: Bell Street off of River St. Husband Wife and three young Children the youngest an infant in the arms. Husband out of work. Not long since the wife was confined. No means of paying rent or buing [buying] fuel and scarcely food. Did well when they first came out while the work lasted, but now with her illness and its attendant expenses, not earning anything, the rent pressing and fuel so high, they are in a pretty tight place. They are recommended for a good load of Coal, and bread for one Month.

287. Jane Wright: in Case 270. Admitted until her hand gets better. Went back to her place of Service. Jany. 27th.

288. John Pinner: in Case 1090. In 1870. Allowed to remain a little longer.

289. Charles Thompson: aged 23. Native of Cape Town. in this Country 2 Months. had shelter for some time. would like to remain until next week, when he expects friends to help him on to New York. Allowed to remain until next week.

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290. Thomas Mason: aged 37. English. ChofEngl. 2 years out. a Bookkeeper, out of Employment, had shelter for some time. allowed to stay a few days longer.

291. Ann McNab: aged 33. Irish. R.C. 3 Children. two in "Girls Home" one out in Service. lived herself with Mrs. Dunlop on Bay Street but hurted her hand badly which prevents her doing any work at present. Allowed to remain, and to see the Doctor. After Month care and attention left in Company with a worthless fellow.

292. Jessie McKay: 19 James St. Canadian. Congregationalist. 40 years of age. one Child (adopted) a Girl 8 years of age. very respectable. To have 1200 lbs. Coal all at once.

293. Michael Barry: in Case 280, had lodgings in building for casual poor, might come and get his dinner, but must procure lodgings [lodgings] some where else.

294. Catharine McDonnell: in Case 851 in 1871. begins to be rather disagreeable and not over willing to work, as agreed on when admitted. Advised to behave better in future, if not to be dismissed.

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295. Purdy: Visitor visited a Case of that Name on Beach St. at the request of some Gentleman. The old man was formerly a Captain of a Propellar a most respectable Man, now with his wife reduced to great want, he being a Martyr to acute Rheumatism. Some friends who knew him formerly sent visitor a small sum of money, to help pay rent [etc.] and have asked if visitor could not procure him a load of Coal from the House? Visitor called on the poor old gentleman night before last. He has not a sixpence left beyond what his friends have contributed. Visitor told him he would try and send him some Coal. but could see that the notion of its coming to them in one of the little boxes, was very grating to his feelings. Now if a double portion could be sent, visitor would pay the half price and also the Cartage, as that it should not be delivered to him as if he were an ordinary pauper. Committee ^ordered^ 1200 lbs. Coal to be sent without the boxes.

296. Mary Nelborough: 94 Edward St. English ChofEngl. Married. Aged 37. 3 Children. girls, 7. 5 & 3 years of age. Husband a Draper came from England in July. but has had very little work. appear clean respectable people. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread and Coal.

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297. Thomas Everest: Wife Ann. 46 Elizabeth St. English. Chof England. Married. 38 years of age. 6 Children. boy 14, boy 11, boy 3, boy 1, girl 12, and girl 6 years of age. Came from England 18 Months ago. Husband a bricklayer, injured his arm two Months ago, has been unable to work since. Wife ill in bed on account of sickness, Visitor recommends Coal, a little bread and soup.

298. Mary Segar: 26 Centre St. Canadian. Methodist Church. Married. 40 years of age. 3 Children, boy 10, girl 6, and girl 4 years of age. Husband lost one Arm two years ago. has not been able to do much for a living. appears a clean industrious woman. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread, soup & Coal for one Month. and an order for a grate.

299. Bridget McKenzie: 21 Elizabeth St. This house, on account of what Visitor has heard about it he will not visit. No use sending any more names of parties that might be living there.

300. Francis Constanche: 36 Agnes St. was not at home when Visitor called, was informed by the Landlady that he paid [dollars] 3 a week board. told her that his Wife and 4 Children are in England. and that he is in the habit of sending them Money. Visitor thinks if he can do so, he ought to be able to provide for himself. No relief.

301. Henry Aldous: in Case 664 in 1871. asked leave to go out, Jany. 27, has not returned to this date Jany. 30th. it is said by the Inmates that he has had a remittance of Money from his friends in England, and has gone home to them.

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Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

302. Phoebe Carling: No. 9 Dalhousie St. 60 years old. husband in the States. Not able to work. Chof England. Receives 4 lbs. bread from the House. Recommended for Coal twice.

303. William Booth: rear 18 Stanley St. 74 years old. Wife 75. Neither able to work. one Grandson aged 14, out of employment. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

304. Margaret Boulton: in Case 830 in 1871, left to go to her Children in Chicago.

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305. Ann Goble: 56 Nelson St. west. a decent looking married woman aged 27. Husband 30. a baker by trade, but gets nothing to do at said trade. Has been here over 3 Months, and only got one weeks work at his trade in all that time. they have one little boy 3 years of age. being their first Winter in this Country Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal, and 6 lbs. bread for 6 weeks, & soup.

306. George Brooks: 106 Boulton St. aged 34, Wife 33. Chof England has two little boys, one 10 & one 2 years of age. The husband came out last Summer, and the Wife not until last Month. He now has no work and the funds are run out. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal, and 6 lbs. bread per week and soup.

307. Thomas Delahunt: 33 and one half George St. small Barber shop. Came from London with Wife Julia some 16 years ago, time of visit of Prince of Wales. Had formerly a shop on York Street, then on King Street, but for some reason or other did not succeed. 2 Children, both girls, aged 4 years, and 9 Months. Chof England. Is under care of Hospital Doctor. who recommends Gruel daily. Coal and 6 lbs. bread. Visitor would also advise an allowance of Oatmeal, to enable him to comply with the direction of his medical attendant.

308. Elizabeth Long: River Street East side, 2nd Cottage North of Beech. Husband went up to Hamilton in search of work and fell ill there, and is there still. The Wife and her Children in great destitution. Visitor recommends them for Coal (a good allowance) once, and bread for a Month. A little soup would not be amiss.

309. Maria Clark: 85 Sydenham St. Husband Wife and six Children. Eldest girl earning wages. Husband in bad health, and at present out of work. From Mrs. Clark's account of matters, visitor has no doubt that they have suffered both for want of fuel and food this winter. She appears to be a very respectable woman, but in wretched health, not able to do anything towards the support of her family, and all the

Children except the eldest girl are too young to be of any assistance. Visitor recommends them for one load of Coal, and bread for 6 weeks.

310. Jane Sloane: in Case 761 in 1871. died this day. it is said she is 106 years old.

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311. Catharine Scholes: 83 Richmond St. East. Aged 39. A Widow, with 2 Children, boy 8, and boy 5. respectable, trying to support herself by taking in Washing. Recommended for Coal. To have 1200 lbs. Coal.

312. Emma Ward: 49 Esther St. Visitor found her and her husband sick in bed, the latter from Erysipelas [Erysipelas], the former from a bad cold. Husband out of work for about 3 Months, having arrived from England last June. She does washing in the House when well. There are 4 children, the eldest a boy 10 years of age. Bread and Coal recommended for two Months.

313. J. H. Godfry: 73 Denison Avenue, A Carpenter and Joiner from England last July. His wife joined him in Novbr. No Children. only want a little fuel for present necessity as he cant get work and is obliged to borrow in order to live. Would prefer wood. Recommended.

314. Catharine Keenan: 67 Strachan St. a spinster aged 60. sews and knits for a living, but says she can do but little at this season of the year. the cold affects her so. Lives with a Mrs. Kelly who receives aid from the House, and has no stove but is obliged to find fuel for herself. Irish. R. Catholic. Bread recommended and say 600 lbs. Coal as the House is a cold one.

315. Elisa Wooley: in Case 43. Recommended for another Load of Coal. Visitor is in hopes of being able to obtain her some additional work in the way of washing and scrubbing, but at present they are very badly off.

316. Ellen Anderson: in rear of 46 King Street west. Revd. Mr. Baldwin visits her, and recommends the Case as deserving of relief. She has been sick for some time. A Widow, aged 53. English. Chof England. To have 600 lbs. Coal and Groceries.

317. Elisa Waters: Aged 35. Irish. R.C. 8 years from Ireland. Lived in Service at different places, last in Yorkville. says has Rheumatism. Brought a Note from the Mayor, recommending her a few days shelter.

318. George Burns: Tinsley's Middle House Edward St. English. Methodist. Marrd. [married] aged 37. Wife 25. 4 Children, Girls 5, 9, 12, & boys one 17 years of age. Tinsmith by trade. worked for Boxall who owes him [dollars] 33. Out of work now. from England last July. Clean & respectable. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

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Friday. 2nd February. 1872.

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Gilmor

319 Fanny Sutton: Brown St. off Bathurst. last door on S [south] side. English. Congregationalist. recently from England. has been in Toronto about seven weeks. Husband is a labourer but out of work. and consequently has no means of supporting his family. There are five Children. 2 girls (11 & 13) 3 boys (10. 6, 2.) Recommended Coal and bread.

320. Elizabeth Scott: 33 Camden St. Native of Nova Scotia. In Toronto 20 years. Widow. No Children. R.C. Charwoman, but finds work slack. Recommended for a load of Coal.

321. Mary Armstrong: rear of Tavern at foot of Bathurst St. Lives with a Mr. Armstrong whose Wife is ill and family badly provided for. Mrs. A. is a Widow 69 years of age and is now ill so that she is not able to leave her bed. If the Committee will kindly send her some Coal it will add greatly to the poor womans comfort.

322. Jane Field: 30 Richmond St. west. a respectable Married woman. aged 22. Husband 25. ChofEngl. lately from England. has one Child a girl aged 14 Months. her husband is a plasterer by trade, at which of course he cannot work at present. Worked until the frost came. is now out of funds. To have 600 lbs. Coal, & 6 lbs. bread a Week.

323. William McDonnell: the first house in a Lane in the rear of Bay St Entrance on Wellington St. Married. aged 40. Wife 27. Methodist. Irish, but came here from England last season. Has two Children 4 & 2. To have Coal once, and 4 lbs. bread a Week. for one Month only.

324. Catharine Scholes: rear 85 Richmond St. East. Aged 39. A Widow. two boys under 8 years. goes out to wash and scrub. in very great distress Recommended for Coal 3 times. Case was attended too [to] see No. 311.

325. William Jones: 246 Church St. 25 years old. Wife 23. two Children. Girls. Jones cant get work. labourer. 2 years from England. Presbyt. Coals twice. & 6 lbs. bread weekly.

326. Mary Ann Bennett: Next to 101 Richmond St. East. 65 years of age. Widow not able to work. 4 lbs. bread a Week & Coal twice.

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327. William Davis: 97 Dalhousie St. 47 years old. Wife 37 years. Painter, 18 Months from England. Cannot get work at present. ChofEngl. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week & Coal twice.

328. Catharine Lawler: 97 Richmond St. East. 50 years old. husband 54. Labourer cant get work. R.C. Irish. 5 Children under 13 years. 3 boys & 2 girls. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

329. Catharine Elamonge: No. 9 Dalhousie St. 30 years old. A Widow with 3 Children. boys under 14 years. The eldest learning the Shoemaking but gets no pay. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times. R.C.

330. Johanna Dunn: rear 18 Stanley St. since applying hired out.

331. Isabella Young: 33 Bell St. off of River St. Husband and Wife, and one young Child. English Emigrants, came out in May last. Husband a Carpenter, did well last summer. took up one of these Don Lots, and built himself the partly finished Cottage in which they are now living. Mr. Moulds for whom Young was working, failed, and since the Winter set in, Young has been the greater part of the time out of work. Now they have next to nothing wherewith to pay for their food and fuel, and meet the instalments on their lot. They are very respectable decent people, and visitor recommends them strongly for one good allowance of Coal, and bread for a Month.

332. Emma Row: 35 Bell St. off of River Street. Husband and Wife and four young Children, and an elderly man Rows father. Row is a Marble cutter by trade, but since his own work has been slack, has been doing any odd job he could get to do. Their Case is much the same as the Youngs, except that their family is larger, and the have consequently been more pinched for everything. Visitor recommends them quite as strongly for one liberal allowance of Coal, and bread for a Month. Unless something very unforeseen occurs, such as sickness, Visitor dont think there is any fear of either of these parties ever applying for relief again.

333. Catharine Johnson: rear of 44 Duchess Street. was not in when Visitor called.

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334. Catharine Cousins: North East Corner of Berkely & Sydenham St. Not in when Visitor called. Visitor recommends temporary relief to Cousins & Johnson in the shape of bread, should they come up to the House, until he, Visitor, sees them.

335. Julia Whalen: 32 Nassau St. Her husband a labourer has been laid up for two weeks with a heavy cold and is very ill. Has 2 Children a boy 12, and a girl 3. Recommended for Coal and bread for a Month at least. Irish. R.C.



336. Catharine Johnson: in Case 333. Visitor has seen her, and from what she says her circumstances are well know at the House. Her husband is now in the Jail Hospital, she herself suffers so much from Rheumatism that she cannot earn her own living. Visitor supposes she might have a load of Coal and the bread. but has strongly advised her as she has no children, if her husband is pronounced incurable to apply to be taken into the House.

337. Elisa Waters: in Case 317, Doctor examined, cannot make out her complaint, does not think there is much the Matter with her. allowed to remain a few days longer.

338. Ann Smith: 11 Pine St. in Case 139. it was reported at the House that the husband has been, and still is in constant Employment with Lyman & Co., at [dollars] 6 a Week, and also that they have [dollars] 130 in the Post Office Savings Bank. Hon. Mr. Allan, Visitor, made enquiries at Lymans and found it correct as being employed there at [dollars] 6. a week, and has no doubt that the report about Money in P.O. Savings Bank is true also. It is therefore recommended that the relief be stopped.

339. Robert Warren: from England last August. had work in Montreal, now out of Employment. left his Wife and family in Montreal and came to Toronto two weeks ago looking for Employment. A Printer by trade. ChofEngl. No Means. came here for shelter until he can get some Employment.

340. George Robins: Aged 24. 6 years from Ireland. Labourer. Presbyterian. Came to Toronto looking for Employment. without means. seeks shelter for a few days.

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Present. Revd. J. F. Jamot, & J. Tyner Esqr.

341. James Ellis: 15 South Park Street. came here 2 Months ago from Port Huron, is a farm labourer, but has been paralysed and unable to help himself for the last 20 years. Wife and two daughters, aged 23, and 18 years respectively. Latter maintains the family by sewing. The Mother and elder daughter are invalids. ChofEngland. These particulars furnished by younger daughter. The only bar to affording relief is the recent arrival of the family in Toronto. if this objection be overlooked, Visitor certainly thinks that assistance in the shape of bread and Coal, will be well bestowed. They are Canadians of English origin.

342. Mary Lavell: rear of 136 Richmond St. west in Fergusons Yard. has one boy aged 10 years. had her wrist broken some time back, and is not strong enough yet to do her work, that is washing and scrubbing. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week for the season, and 600 lbs. Coal, & soup. Widow 39 R.C.

343. Catharine Ryan: 62 Stanley St. 40 years old. one Child a boy 11 years old. 4 lbs. bread. Coal once. Irish. R.C.

344. Mary Shomberg: 133 Victoria St. do not require relief.

345. Sarah Constable: 444 King Street East. Husband Wife and six Children English Emigrants. arrived here last year. Husband has been out of Employment. Wife has a sick child requiring a good deal of attention and has been ill herself. It is just one of those Cases requiring temporary relief a load of Coals. and bread for a Month. The Man will probably get into work as soon as spring opens.

346. ^Ellen^ Dixon Mrs.: 34 St. Davids Street. A Case of great destitution. Husband died on Sunday so that visitor did not stay to make more special enquiries. Recommended that a load of Coal be sent them at once.

347. Mary Doyle: in Case 879 in ^1871^ has been for the last two Months in Gael Came out this Morning (Fbry. 7th; Brought a Note from Alexd. MacNabb Police Magistrate stating, her having been in gael and suspecting her of being of unsound Mind. and recommending a few days shelter, until she can get a place for herself.

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Present. Revd. J. M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

348. Charles Barker: Grosvenor Avenue 2d door from St Patrick St. A labourer out of Employment since early in December. Has had a deal of sickness since they came from England upwards of a year ago. 4 Children, the eldest a boy aged 7. seemingly a very respectable family but poor. Coal and bread recommended.

349. Catharine Gordon: Bishop Street. Visitor recommends that another allowance of Coal be sent to her. she is in debt owing to the sickness and death of her husband.

350. Thomas Edwards: 16 Robinson St. Arrived from England last September and was a Clerk in Damer's and expecting to have employment all winter but has been out of the place for 3 Months. His Wife has been confined only 10 days, one other child 1 year & 10 Months old. Wants firing very badly. Recommended for Coal and an allowance of Groceries.

351. Margaret Rice: 81 Ann Street. 65 years old. 2 daughters 27 & 25. both delicate. sew for a living but cannot get work now. R.C. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread, and Coal twice.

352. Margaret Massey: 87 Victoria St. 40 years old. husband left her last July. one daughter with her. working at the Bookbinding. Irish. ChofEngland. 6 lbs. bread and Coal twice.

353. Judy Mullen: 40 Stanley St. 40 years old. husband 65. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread, and Coal once.

354. Mary Wilson: 64 Front St. A Married woman aged 32. Husband 34. has 2 daughters', the one 9, the other 3 years of age. Congregationalist. Came from Newfoundland. her husband is a Bookkeeper. but

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has no employment just now. appears to be respectable. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread a Week, & 600 lbs. Coal.

355. Charlotte Bell: rear of 36 Terauly St. second door. Irish. ChofEngl. Spinster. 70 years of age. She appears a poor helpless Woman. Lives with a Married who is in bad health and has a large young family Recommended for Coal.

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356. Margaret Johnson: 17 Centre St. in basement. Was not at home when Visitor called. was informed she had gone out to work. Came to Toronto 3 years ago. Married. No family. Husband went to the States some Months ago. if she calls at the House particulars might be taken down.

357. Jane Myles: 78 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. Married. Aged 42. Husband left her a year ago for parts unknown to her. 7 Children. Girl 19. Girl 17. and boy 15, in Service. boy 13, girl 10, boy 5, & girl 4 years of age at home. Came to Toronto a Month ago from near Thornhill Yonge St. No Claim on Toronto, they had better return to the Country. Might be allowed soup for the family.

358. Catharine McBride: 128 Duke Street. Husband and Wife. No Children. An old Couple not capable of doing much work at anytime, and the husband has now been unemployed for many weeks. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month.

359. James Gallagher: Sydenham lane North from Sydenham St. North side. Wife dead. Children have been taken some into Boys Home, some into Girls Home. Has been incapacitated for work for a long time, by a severe attack of Erysepelas [Erysipelas], is getting better and hopes soon to be at work again. Visitor recommends him for a small allowance of bread for 3 weeks or a Month, and a ration Groceries.

360. Ellen Fitzpatrick: 81 George St. Husband and Wife. an elderly couple. Husband gains a living in Summer by selling fish. Wife past doing anything of any consequence. Visitor recommends them for one load of Coal. bread a small allowance to the end of the Month.

361. Sarah Hands: 438 King Street East. Husband and Wife and 3 Children. Husband an elderly Man, past any heavy work. has been jobbing about during the summer. sometimes working for the Corporation. out of work since the Cold weather set in. Two Children ill, one with bronchitis, the other with whooping Cough. both girls. the other Child a boy is at work and earning a little. A wretched room they are living in. and they are miserably off for Clothes and bedding. Visitor recommends them for one load of Coal, and bread for a Month.

362. Robert McLean: Aged 46. English. ChofEngl. Labourer out of Employment. had a fall and hurted his side. seeks shelter until better.

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363. Robert Smith: 154 Jarvis St. Husband wife and four young Children, the youngest an infant a couple of Months old. English Emigrants came out last October. The Husband was a Butler at home. has good testimonials. lived for a long time in the service of a Gentleman well known to Visitor. Came out to the Country under the idea of "bettering" himself. thought "situations" and employment of all kinds to be got for the asking in Canada! Paid his own passage out and that of his family. arrived in October. Wife confined soon afterwards, passage money and Doctors bill soon exhausted [exhausted] all their funds. Took the first employment he could get at Wheeler & Bains Tinsmiths, putting up stoves &c. staid with them as long as they had anything for him to do. They give him an excellent character. Idle now for some weeks. Wife a particularly respectable woman, hopes to earn something by Millinery [millinery] as soon as she can get about. at present they are living, eating, and sleeping, in one little room on Jarvis Street, about ten feet square. and with no means left to pay for fuel or food. Visitor thinks he could very likely get the husband a situation as indor [indoor] servant, but he has no clothes such as would be required left now, and of course no means of buying them. Visitor will however try what he can do to get him employment of some kind, and in the Meantime would recommend him for a good load of Coal, as the fuel is the main difficulty they have to contend with.

364. The Case of a Mr. & Mrs. Bright at present living in a room on George St. was brought under Visitors Notice by a Mr. Bryant of the Great Western Railway, and they had also a Note from the Lieut. Governor. It is a very sad case of almost utter destitution. They came out from England last Autumn, and were sent up to Guelph by the Emigration Agent, but Mr. Bright failed to get any employment, and since their return to Toronto, they have been nearly in a state of starvation. They have a Young family of six Children. Visitor is in hopes they will be able to manage to get into a small house off of Jarvis St. and in the Mean time, Visitor wishes the Committee to authorize Mr. Duckett to send them one extra load of Coal when visitor sends word that they have got into the House. Received the address and sent 1200 lbs. Coal.

365. Amelia Partridge: Corbett Street. Visitor recommends an allowance of Groceries and bread on account of husbands illness.

366. Mary Godfry: 25 Victoria St. to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread increased to 6 lbs. and to have allowance of Groceries on account of sick husband.

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367. Emily Fossett: last house west on Victoria row Yonge Street. Irish. Methodist Church. Married. 52 years of age. husband left her 15 years ago. No family at home. all Married. give her no assistance. works at straw work for a living which is poor pay. A clean respectable woman. Visitor recommends 600 lbs Coal to be sent. The Coal to be delivered at the back in a lane.

368. Alexd. Shuter: 19 years of age. English. Chof Engl. two years in this Country. Labourer out of Employment. seeks shelter for a few days until he can look for Employment.

369. Mary Lewis: Aged 33. Irish. ChofEngland. Husband in Penitentiary 4 Children. Girl 14 in Service with Mr. Jarvis, Boy 12, with Mr. Ward Butcher. boy 3 years old in the Girls Home, and a baby a boy 4 Months old with her. Brought a Note from Revd. E. Baldwin recommending her for temporary Accomodation until she can get a place somewhere where she might be allowed to take her baby with her.

370. Ellen Robinson: Aged 34, Canadian. R.C. Spinster. from Scarborough came for shelter for a few days.

371. Robert Livsey: in Case 904 in 1871. Left the Institution this day February 11th without saying that he was going. He is quite recovered now, and able to work.

372. James Duncart: in Case 758 in 1871 Left to day February 12th intends going to Buffalo.

373. Sarah Graham: aged 22. Brought a Note from the Mayor recommending her admission for a short time. She states that she is a Canadian, born in Brockville, where she always lived until a few days ago, when she came to Toronto with the intention of being Confined in Lying in Hospital expects it will take place in a few days. sent her to Lying in Hospital.

Tuesday. 13th February 1872.

Present. Mr. J.T. Smith. Mr. W.J. MacDonell & Mr. R. Gilmor.

374. Mary Lewis: in Case 369. To be admitted for a time until she can get a place with her Child. in the mean time she is to make herself general useful in whatever she may be called upon to do.

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375. Mary Ann Flood: 41 Garrison Street. Wife of Christopher Flood, Irish. R.C. There are 8 Children four of whom are at Service. 4 at home aged respectively, boy 13, girl 9, girl 6, and girl 14 Months. Flood is a Carpenter but has been out of work since November. while expences increased in summer by the sickness and death of a boy prevented him making due provision for the winter. They seem respectable people. but poor and need temporary help. Recommended Coal and Bread.

376. Mary Ann Healey: 62 Bathurst St. Irish. R.C. There are 3 Children, the eldest of whom is 12 years of age. Healey has been out of work nearly eleven weeks. Recommended for Coal.

377. Elisa West: next to 23 Hackney St. has no children. lives with a family named Feaghan and has the use of their stove. live chiefly by begging. Chof Engl Irish. Visitor supposes she might have a little bread and Coal once.

378. Elizabeth Hussy: 86 Lumley St. arrived from England last June. Her husband having been out of work since before Christmas went to Chicago in search of Employment, but is trying to return. Has two children, boys, 5, & 3 1/2. Recommended for usual aid for a Month.

379. Miss Elliott: Made application for the admission of a girl who appears to be of unsound mind, and who was at one time an Inmate in Lunatic Asylum. Committee did not consider the girl a proper Case for this Institution.

380. James [John] Brackenridge [Breckenridge]: 81 years of age. Application was made for his admission by Mr. James Michie who has been affording him relief at different times. He is an old resident in this City. Admitted.

381. Ellen Nasmith: Sydenham Lane South, No. 10. Husband has deserted her and is living with another woman. There are 3 young Children. Mrs. Nasmith goes out washing and intends in the spring to give up the place she rents and endeavour to get her Children into one of the Homes, and go out herself to service. she is a very decent respectable Woman, and Visitor thinks it would be a Charity well bestowed to allow her one load of Coal.

382. Edward Hanley: rear of 37 James St. Visitor cannot make him out. applied for admission admitted. Irish. ChofEngland.

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383. Arthur Potter: Sydenham Lane. East side, North of Sydenham Street. Husband Wife and 6 Children. Husband formerly a Messenger in a Bank at Quebec. appears to be a very respectable man. The Wife Visitor did not see she being very ill indeed. of all the boys there is only one the second son doing anything and he is earning [dollars] 1. a week. The truth seems to be so far as Visitor could make out, that the eldest boy is "simple" and unfit for work. They are in great destitution Visitor has sent a Doctor

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to see the Wife, and would recommend a load of Coal and an allowance of bread and a little tea & sugar for the wife. Potter has hopes of being taken in as a Messenger at the Dominion Bank here. if he is, they will of course be no further burden on the House. at present it is a Case of absolute want.

384. Rebecca Clark: 51 Sydenham St. Husband and Wife and 4 Children. Case was visited and reported upon last year, and a Man of the Name of Reid, a packing box maker, stated that they were in work at the time. Visitor cannot ascertain absolutely now, apart from their own statements, whether they have been so destitute of work, as to entitle them to the relief they ask for. The woman is one of your "whiney" peevish complaining sort! and the Man a discontented sort of a fellow! One perhaps had better give them the benefit of the doubt! and allow them one small Load of Coal.

385. Ann Carligan: Bell St. 3d house from River St. North side. Husband wife and two Children, living in a very primitive shanty on one of the little allottments laid out by Mr. Lamb. Visitor thought at first that they and the next Case were almost all like the other "Settlers" in this new quarter, "English Emigrants" or at least Emigrants, for visitor Knew Cardigan could not be English! found however that both Carligan and Plewman had been living in Toronto for the last 20 or 30 years! Carligan is a Shoemaker, who seems to have bought a lot at one time in the rear of Osgood Hall, and to have lost that, and now he has tried his luck on the Don. The worst of it is, he does not make boots and shoes enough to support his family, and Visitor thinks will have hard work to pay for his lot.

386. Sarah Plewman: just opposite to above, south side of Bell St. 2 doors from River St. Husband and Wife and 2 Children. much the same story. Plewmen works for McBean the Builder when they have work for him. he also has a shanty, the Lumber of

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which he got from McBean, and Visitor supposes pays for it in work, there is no doubt that Plewman has had little work for some time, and Carligan will probably never make anything by Shoemaking where he is! but neither Case impressed visitor favourably. They do not seem to stand on the same footing as the other "Settlers" there, who have only just come to the Country, who have had to buy all their experience, and the majority of whom visitor thinks after this year, will not need further assistance. However Visitor would like to err on the charitable side, and if the Board think well to allow them each a very small quantity of Coal.

387. J. Johnston Smith: 176 Strachan St. An Englishmen out here a year. Steady and industrious but seriously ill from constant vomiting since last July. has been in bed since before Xmas and his wife is expecting to be confined shortly. There are 2 Children, a boy 4, and a girl 2. Visitor recommends that Coal be sent at once, as neither is able to go to the House, also a liberal allowance of bread and groceries.

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Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell, J.T. Smith & R. Gilmor.

388. David Lawson: rear 369 Queen Street west. English. In Toronto 21 Months Bricklayer. 6 Children. 2 boys, 4 Girls, Work was slack in the summer so that he was compelled to seek employment elsewhere and was unable to make due provision for the Winter. Recommended Coal.

389. Maria Cardiff: at Mrs. Christies, Corner of Tecumseth & Adelaide St. Irish, 18 years in Toronto. Mrs. Christie reports that they have taken the girl in as a matter of Charity. that her arm and leg have been broken and that she is able to do very little work, so that she is in a good measure dependent upon others for support. Recommended Coal.

390. James Bellingham: 102 Richmond St. west. A Married Man. just moved from 107 Queen St. Aged 46, Wife aged 36. Chof England. about eighteen Months from England. has one Son aged 20, far gone in consumption, if not for this poor sickly boy, they would not apply for relief. on that account Visitor recommends 600 lbs Coal, and 6 lbs of Bread weekly and soup.

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391. John [James] Breckenridge: in Case 380, came to be admitted to day. says has been 54 years in Canada, and in Toronto since the Rebellion. 81 years of age. Native of Scotland & Presbyterian Church.

392. John Tracey: 91 Jarvis St. Husband Wife and four Children. Husband in very bad health. spitting blood and quite unfit for work in winter. of the four Children the eldest, a girl met with a shocking accident while working at Damer & Co.s several Months ago. Her hair caught in some Mashinery, and the scalp was literally torn off her head. She has required much Care and attention ever since, and the Mother who used to go out to wash and scrub has been obliged to give up her work entirely, to attend to her daughter. There is a boy earning a couple of Dollars a week, the two other Children are quite young. Fuel is what they stand most in need of, and Visitor recommends them for a load of Coal.

393. Sarah Llewhellin [Llewhellen]: rear of 25 Elizabeth St. English. Chof England. Married, 29 year of age. 2 girls, 3, & 6 years of age. husband a plasterer not steady. Came from England in July last. Wife near confinement. To have 600 lbs of Coal and nothing more.

394. Catharine Mulhearn: 38 Edward St. Irish. R. Catholic. Widow, 59 years of age. one girl, she says in bad health. had better see the Doctor as she says she is unable to work on account of Rheumatism.

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Came up here from Lower Canada a year ago. went back again. and now lately returned to Toronto again, has really no Claim on this Charity.

395. George Bayes: 189 Chesnut St. Aged 33, a Labourer. Married. one child a boy 7 Months old. English. Methodist. Very ill from affects of swallowing a tack, cannot Keep anything on his stomach. Landlord says they are decent people, and they certainly are very clean and respectable looking. The sick husband, and the young Child require the Wifes attention, so that she can not go out to a days work. Neighbours are Kind to them. but sill [still] they are very badly off for fuel.

396. Michael Connell: 47 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Lived 40 years in, and opposite Quebec, his father had a farm there but sold it. Has a crippled hand. came to Toronto on the 13th instant, walked the distance the last two Months. Revd. Mr. Baldwin sent him for shelter and to have his Case brought before Committee. Committee consider he has no claim, but will allow shelter for a few days.

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Present, Very Revd. J.F. Jamot. & N.C. Love Esqr.

397. Mary Storm: rear of 34 Richmond St. west. Husband not with her, and perhaps all the better for. a decent person worthy of assistance. if she had constant work, she would not apply. To have 600 lbs Coal.

398. George Broomfield: rear of 145 York St. This man and his wife are both deaf and dumb. aged 44 & 49 respectively. has six Children. 3 sons & 3 daughters, sons 16, 13, & 11, girls 21, 19, and 6 years of age. Chof Engl. Four of the Children are at work at a Shoe factory and support themselves. Recommended for 600 lbs Coal & 8 lbs bread.

399. Joseph Gallagher: rear of 136 Richmond St. west. aged about 50. R.C. has two children, one in the House of Providence. the other does the best it can. This worthless fellow is only a common nuisance. has no home, is at present with some one like himself in Fergusons yard. Nothing recommended.

400. Margaret Sherlock: 40 Stanley St. 44 years old, A Widow, says in bad health. R.C. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal once.

401. Louisa Marsden: 65 Queen St. west. 35 years old. A Widow with one boy 10 Months old. From England. goes out sewing when she can get it to do. Chof Engl. Recommended 4 lbs bread & Coal once.

402. John Harrington: in Case 881 in 1871. died this Morning Febr'y 21st.

403. James Askill: Application was made to General Board for his admission. referred to Doctor. Doctor examined and states that Askill is 30 years of age, found him clean and healthy, with this exception, He suffers from Epilepsy 3 or 4 times a Month, & has been subject to it about 14 years. Presumes the

disease is incurable and it renders him unfit for many occupations. it is not likely to make him dangerous although he may appear a little wild for a time after the fits. Admitted. English Emigrant out since last May. Chof Engl. by occupation a Clerk.

404. William Murphy: Orphan aged 14. Application was made for his admission by Revd. Mr. Jamot. referred to Doctor.

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405. Doctor examined William Murphy, and states that he found him free from contagious disease. that he appears to be a strong healthy fellow but lacking intelligence enough to make his own way in the world. The decision of Murphys admission after Doctors examination was left to Chairman & deputy Chairman.

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Present. Revd. Mr. Jamot. His Worship The Mayor & N.C. Love Esqr.

406. Mary Hughes: 34 Nassau St. A worthless husband has just deserted her and she is in great trouble and want. Has two Children a girl aged 4, and a boy 1 year and 10 Months old. Irish. R.C. Recommended for a little Coal and bread.

407. Charles Tye: in Case 130. Wife expects her confinement soon. might be allowed a small ration of groceries when it takes place.

408. Ellen Anderson: rear of 46 King St. west. Mr. Tyner (Visitor), recommends 600 lbs Coal once more. See case 316.

409. Mary Connell: aged 19. Canadian, born near Stratford, where she came from two weeks ago. R.C. got a place in Toronto, but was taken sick last Sunday and had to leave. No means, applied to the Mayor, who recommended her for a few days shelter, and to have Doctors advice. was admitted into the House. Febry. 26th.

410. Alice Hutton: next door to 99 Chesnut Street. English. Ch of England. Married. 40 years of age. No family. husband a labourer confined to bed very ill. Visitor wishes the Doctor to visit and report. In the mean time to have a few sticks of wood, some bread and a small allowance of Groceries.

411. Richard Smith: rear of 12 Terauley St. English. Shoemaker. Visitor told the Man. relief was not intended for people in good health & able to work for their living.

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412. George Broomfield: in Case 398 to have no more relief as it was ascertained that the family altogether earn [dollars] 20 a week.

413. Sarah Mitchell & Child: in Case 252 left the Institution Febry. 26th gone to wet nurse at Nephew of Mr. Cathraw [Cawthra].

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Present. J. Thom Esqr.

414. Rachel Nolan: rear of 34 Dummer St. Her husband has gone to the Country to get Employment, having failed to secure it here. She has been ill for 3 weeks, having caught cold while working for the support of his family. Has 4 Children, a Girl 13, boy 7, girl 5, and girl 3. Canadian. she belongs to the English Church. Recommended for bread & coal.

415. Ann McCarthy: 472 Queen St. west. Her husband broke his leg a short time since, and was on the point of being taken to the Hospital when visitor called there. The family seem now in great want. There are four Children, a girl 9, a boy 4, girl 2 1/2, and a baby in arms. Irish. R.C. seemingly very respectable. usual aid recommended.

416. Mary Basketville: 65 Queen St. East. 40 years old. A Widow with two Children. Girl 11, and boy 10. goes to scrub and wash. Chof Engl. Recommended for 6 lbs bread, and Coal once.

417. Margaret Christmas: Lane rear of F. Smiths Store, near Corner of Scott and Esplanade St. Husband Joseph has been 6 weeks in Hospital, consumption. was a corporation labourer. 2 Children in Chicago, a son Married there, daughter also there at service. Wife has been 24 years in Toronto, came from Montreal: originally from Count Derry, Ireland. R.C. Takes in washing. Recommended Coal for remainder of season, also 4 lbs bread should she wish for it.

418. Mary Ann Martin: Dorsett House, has been getting relief on account of her husband being sick in the Hospital. he is home now. but is not at work yet. Recommended for 600 lbs. Coal once more.

419. Jane Orpan: 263 Queen St. west. Aged 42. R.C. has very sore Eyes. She is just stopping for the present in a cellar at the said number with two other families. To have 4 lbs. bread. as she has no home it is of no use to give her Coal until she has one.

420. William P. O'Brien: Dorsett House. has been getting relief. as he is still out of regular Employment, Visitor recommends that he receive 600 lbs. Coal once more, and that his weekly allowance of Bread be continued for another Month.

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421. Mary Hanna: Corner King and Brant Streets, House in the rear. Hannas foot which was frost bitten still gives him great trouble. so that he is not able to walk much, less resume his work. It would only be a work of Charity to continue assistance from the House. He should have both bread and Coal.

422. Sarah Freeman: In one of w{an}s Houses off Bathurst St. in a lane between King and Adelaide. Irish. 54 years of age. seems feeble, and unfit for work. The daughter is in delicate health (having been prostrated by inflammation of the lungs) but manages to go down to town for work. The son is almost idiotic and can do nothing for the support of the family, while another son who formerly helped them has recently married and gives no assistance to his mother. Recommended for Coal.

423. Elisa Croft: 31 Garrison St. age 30. Chof England. Irish. deserted by her husband. 4 Children, aged 6, 3, 2, & 2 Months. has no means of support and cannot leave the infant to go out to work. Recommended for Coal & bread

424. Mrs. [Mary] Devlin: 105 Berkely St. Widow. 4 Children. Husband was Turnkey in the Gael. eldest boy in a place and earning some small wages another boy at School, and two little girls at home also. Mrs. Devlin works for various people but finds it difficult she says to Keep herself and Children in food and clothing. She appears to be a very respectable woman, and Visitor recommends her for a liberal allowance of bread, say for six weeks.

425. Alice Bridges: Lane south side of Sydenham St. east of Berkely. Husband deserted her, and ran away with another woman. Mrs. Bridges has to support her two young Children and a younger sister. which she does by needle work [etc.] Visitor recommends her for an allowance of bread for a Month or six weeks, and to have coal.

426. Foundling Female: say 3 weeks old found last night at the door of Mrs. Thorald 42 Wellington St. was sent here this Morning (Febry 28th) by his worship The Mayor for admission.

427. Ann Frances Helm: See Case 954 in 1871. Husband is now in the Asylum. Mrs. Helm came here for shelter. is apparently without friends. Came from Windsor to Toronto last spring. Native of Ireland. Methodist. Aged 70.

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428. Matthew Burns: aged 33. English. Methodist. 8 years in this Country A store Keeper, but had to do labouring work. now out of Employment. had shelter for some time. ask's to be allowed to stay a few days longer.

429. Arthur Hawes: aged 34. English. from London, England, six weeks ago. Chof England. A Bookkeeper. No Employment. No means. Came here for shelter. Very bad with Erysipelas in his Arm. Doctor Ogden is attending to it. seeks admission for a time.

430. Arthur Clement: Aged 25. A Native of England. 2 1/2 years out. Chof England. say's is a Clerk, out of Employment. No Means. A sore toe. seeks shelter for a few days until his foot gets better.

431. Edward Wilkins: aged 28. 6 Months out from England. Engineer. Chof Engl. seeks a few days shelter until he can get Employment.

Friday. 1st March, 1872.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

432. Mary Murray: No. 11 St. Patrick Square. A Widow, without any Children. has apparently no means of livelihood. until recently used to shift about among her friends: now has a little room of her own. Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal once and bread.

433. Sarah Bailey: 73 Lumley St. Husband is a Carpenter by trade and has been out of work for a Month. Recently from England & has been trying to put up a little House for himself which has exausted all his funds, leaving him very straitened. 4 Children a girl 6, boy 4, boy 3, and a baby 3 Months. Methodist. usual aid recommended.

434. Bridget Williams: 26 Dummer St. Lives with a Mrs. Hall. Has no Children. No Room to herself but is allowed a bed in the Kitchen. Not in when Visitor called but said by Mrs. Hall to be weakly & accustomed to do a days washing whenever she can get it. This Case left to the Committee. No relief granted.

435. Arthur Hawes: in Case 429, To be admitted in the House for a time.

436. Arthur Clement: allowed to stay a few days longer in building for casual poor.

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437. Edward Wilkins: in Case 431. Allowed to remain a few days longer.

438. Ann F. Helm: in Case 427. to be admitted into the House.

439. Thomas Townsley: rear of 307 Queen St. west. Has recently moved into St. Andrews ward from St. Davids ward where he has been getting relief. Has a large family, and being a stranger, this the first winter in Canada Visitor would recommend 600 lbs Coal once more, and the continuation of 12 lbs. bread a week for one Month more.

440. Ellen Anderson: who lives in the rear of 46 King St. west. Visitor recommends another ration of Tea, sugar, Oatmeal & Rice.

441. John Purvis: rear of 32 Agnes St. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Married. 39 years of age. 4 Children, girl 8, girl 6, girl 2, & girl 1 year old. A Book keeper came from New York in July last. has no work. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

442. Elizabeth Simkins: 57 Elizabeth St. English. Chof England. Married. 26 years of age. 3 Children, girl 4, boy 2 years of age. and baby 5 Months. Husband a Bricklayer gone to the states to find work. Came from England last August. To have 600 lbs. Coal. and 6 lbs. bread a week.

443. Nancy McDonald [McDonnell]: say 70 years of age. weak minded. apparently no place to reside, came from the Country. Sergeant Major Dunlop gave her shelter for some time. Mrs. McDonald can give no account of herself. Was sent by his Worship The Mayor for admittance. Admitted.

444. Johanna McDonald: Native of Kingston, Canada. Aged 21. came from Kingston last week to Toronto with the intention of getting into the Lying in Hospital her being in the family way. was recommended by the Mayor for a few days admission until she can be taken into Lying in Hospital. Against the rules.

Tuesday 5th March 1872.

Present, Messrs. J. Jaques & E. Hobson.

445. Captain [William] Purdy: in Case 295. Visitor visited yesterday and found him still in a very pitiable condition with Rheumatism. Has to be lifted in and out of his bed, and they are obliged to Keep up a fire

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446. fire all night and of course burn a great deal of fuel. under the circumstances Hon. Mr. Allan (Visitor), would be extremely glad if the Board would allow another load to be sent on the same way as the last. It would tide the old Gentleman over the remainder of the cold weather. Committee allow another 1200 lbs. to be sent.



447. Thomas Finch: Corner of Pine & St. Davids Street's. Husband and Wife and 8 Children, youngest 3 Months old. Husband a boiler Maker and now in work at good wages, but there has been a great deal of illness in the family. The Mother is very weak and ill now. the youngest Children have suffered much for want of sufficient food, and are miserable looking little creatures. their clothing is most insufficient, and they are altogether a very miserable looking lot. Visitor recommends them for Coal once. a good allowance of soup. and some bread for one Month.

448. Jane Dixon: 28 St. Davids St. An old woman living with one of her daughters of the same name. Mrs. Dixon has a complaint which renders her utterly unfit for work. The daughter with whom she lives, is a most thoroughly respectable hard working good woman, whose husband is a drunken worthless sot! and the whole burden of supporting her family and her Mother, comes upon the younger Mrs. Dixon Under these circumstances therefore, Visitor recommends old Mrs. Dixon to be allowed Coal once and bread for six weeks. The Coal will be some help to the daughter whose stove she uses and who well deserves the help.

449. Samuel Howard: 44 Bell St. Husband Wife and 3 Children. The whole party excepting the Husband have been ill with Typhus fever and one Child died. The Man has consequently been unable to go out to work even if he could have got it. he is a Bricklayers labourer Visitor recommends a small allowance of Coal and bread for a Month.

450. Mary Ann Adams: rear of 216 Bathurst St. Her husband a Shoemaker is now laid up with a severe attack of Rheumatic fever, and has been suffering from it for a long time, not being able to earn a Dollar for a Month. There are 2 Children, girls, 5 years & 1 year & 7 Months respectively English. Visitor recommends bread, and wood as they have no Coal stove, and are seemingly in a poor state. Committee allowed 600 lbs. Coal. No Wood given out.

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451. William Kirkland: 30 Lumley St. A Carpenter is Rheumatic on account of the severity of this Climate. Out of work nearly the whole winter. 5 Children, girl 12, girl 10, boy 8, girl 5, girl 1 1/2. Seem now to be badly off. English. Fuel and bread recommended.

452. Harriett Davis: 173 Strachan St. Her husband a Blacksmith has been out of work since 3 weeks before Christmas, and his Money earnt before was spent in putting up a little house. only a few days work since. Has 3 Children, Girl 5. boy 3, and a baby 4 Months old. only want a little fuel which is recommended.

453. Elizabeth Rose: 619 King Street west (not 670) English. Chof Engl. 5 Children, eldest 9 years. Rose is a very respectable Man but has been out of work since before Christmas, with the exception of a odd day or so. Recommend for Coal and bread.

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454. Jane Coldread [Coldred]: in Case 274. to have 600 lbs. more Coal.

455. Octavia Leigh: in Case 241. To have 600 lbs. More Coal sent.

456. James Elliott: Ellis not Elliott. see Case 341. on account of sickness, to have 1200 lbs. more Coal.

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Present, Messrs. J. Jaques & E. Hobson.

457. Elizabeth Ryall: 135 Sumach Street. Husband, Wife and five young Children. the youngest an infant in the arms. an exceedingly respectable family, came out here two years ago. The husband a very superior intelligent Man, is a shoemaker, and did for some time, and could now, make a comfortable living by his trade, as he can get plenty of work from the shops, but he has

been in bad health for some time, and now is suffering from disease of the heart which entirely incapacitates him for work. Visitor saw a certificate to that effect from Dr. Berryman, who had been attending him at the Hospital, and Visitor satisfied himself by personal examination, that the action of the heart is so rapid that work particularly the use of the arms might produce fatal results. Therefore recommended under the circumstances, for one allowance of Coal, and bread for a Month, also an allowance of groceries.

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458. Mary Bulger: 263 Queen St. west. Spinster. aged 30. R.C. has no one but herself to provide for. in good health, Visitor recommends nothing.

459. Thomas Kinseale [Kinsale]: 47. Irish. Protestant Church. 42 years in Canada. Came from Port Sarnia, intends going to Kingston. would like to have a few days shelter, not being able to travel at present having got his feet very badly frozen. Allowed to stay in Building for casual poor for a time.

460. Jane Dundas: to have 600 lbs. Coal once more, but no groceries.

461. Matthew Burns: in Case 428 went to place at [dollars] 10 a Month & board.

462. Alice Torphy: to have 600 lbs. Coal once more.

463. The Female Foundling in Case 426, was sent out to nurse at No. 117 University St. with Maria Rugg at [dollars] 5 a Month. March 9th.

Tuesday 12th March 1872.

Present, Messrs. A.T. McCord & R. Gilmor.

464. George Markby: 112 Spadina Avenue. From England last summer Is a seaman, out of all Employment and has been suffering from an abscess. His Wife is very weakly. No Children. Visitor recommends a little aid for a Month.

465. Margaret Gloyns: 22 Stanley St. 26 years old. husband 31. Labourer, laid up with Rheumatism. 3 Children. from England. Chof Engl. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread and Coal once.

466. Sarah Turner: in Case 175, Visitor recommends Coal once more.

467. Jane Tweedy: 28 Albert St. to have 600 lbs. more Coal.

468. Elizabeth McKenzie: 26 Albert St. to have 600 lbs. more Coal.

469. Sarah Shipcotte: in Case 112, has been lately confined. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett for an allowance of Groceries. They are in receipt of Coal and Bread.

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470. John Mills: No. 8 Bishop St. Has been in the Country nearly six Months. From England. sick for a long time and laid up for last fortnight. 3 Children Girl 5. boy 3 1/2, Girl 13 Months. Really badly off. Recommended for aid for a Month, also Groceries allowed.

471. Charles Mason: 11 Ontario St. Visitor saw the Man this Morning and states that his Means are now exhausted as he has not had work since the autumn. All last summer he was working for the Corporation, and saved Money enough to carry him and his wife, (who is older than he is, nearly 80 years of age), up to the present time. They have no Children in this Country. They have been out here for 18 years, and were at one time better off, Keeping a small crockery shop on George Street. but about 8 years ago were robbed of their Money and he has been living by labouring work since. Visitor thinks he seems a very decent respectable old Man, and if they had a load of Coal and bread for a Month. it would be all they would want this winter.

Friday, 15th March. 1872.

Present. Revd. Dr. Green.

472. Christopher Harman: 46 years of age. Came for shelter last night having come from Kingston with intention of getting into Toronto Hospital. seems to have some very offensive disease about him. says he is a pensioner in receipt of 1 Shilling and seven pence a day, having been 26 years in the Army. wanted to see the Committee that whether he could be admitted here, in case he should be refused admission in Hospital. Committee consider he has no claim whatever on this Institution.

473. Bridget McHugh: Jarvis Street. Muttons Lane. Husband, Wife & four very young Children. youngest an infant of a few weeks old. The Man has suffered from pleurisy during the early part of the Winter but is able to work now, and does work sawing wood [etc.] The Woman says all their means are exhausted at the time of her confinement a few weeks ago, and but for the Kindness of the Neighbours, they would have had neither food or fuel. Visitor thinks he would be disposed to allow them one small box of coal.

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474. Robert Gradwell: in Case 837 left the Institution March 10th.

475. Elizabeth Benson: in Case 232 left the Institution March 16th.

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Present, E. Hobson Esqr. and Revd. Alexd. Williams

476. Ann Pulbrook: 218 Chesnut St. A Widow, aged 73. English. ChofEngl. For many years a resident in Toronto. Recommended for 300 lbs. Coal and 4 lbs. bread a week.

477. Mary Ann Price: Lane running between Duchess and Queen St. opposite Eastern Wood yard. Husband, wife, and two Children. Husband has been ill and out of work. Wife not fit for much after her confinement. Reduced to great distress for want of fuel and food. Visitor recommends Coal and an allowance of Bread for three weeks.

478. Mary Connell: in Case 409. Now in good health. Left today March 21st and went to service.

479. Frederick Griffith: aged 36. Native of England, does not know what to say about what Church he belongs to. Three years out from England. Has been working about. A Clerk. hurted his back last summer. Had shelter here for some days, and still comes applying for lodgings.

Friday, 22nd March, 1872

Present, Mr. Sheriff Jarvis and E. Hobson, Esqr.

480. John Pinner: in Case 228. To look about and prepare himself to leave the House in a few days.

481. John Farrell: aged 49. Irish, Presbyterian, 30 years in Toronto. A labourer, says is not able to support himself. Has been living with a sister who can keep him no longer, who also seeks admission for him. Allowed to stay in Building for casual poor for a time.

482. Thomas Kinsale: in Case 459 is now well enough to work, will go to the Mayor today to get a pass if he can to carry him to Kingston.

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483. Alfred Elliott: McCanns Buildings 40 Hope St. About 6 Months in the Country. An Englishman. Is now laid up with Chest disease and unable to work. Has a wife and 3 Children, boy 5, boy 3, and one 16 months. Seemingly respectable and deserving people. Recommended for Coal.

484. Margaret Oliver: in Case 649 in 1871. Messrs. Matthews and Dickson, Managers of St. Andrew's Society applied for the admission of this woman. Mr. Robert Gilmor will call upon Mr. Matthews and will state to send up the case next weekly Committee, for them to examine whether she is a proper Case for the House.

485. William Wallace: 42, Scotch, Presbyt., 5 years out. Labourer. Came from Kingston, looking for employment. Says is without means and seeks shelter for a few days.

486. John Marsden: 30, English, ChofEngl. Came out last October. Is a Woolenspinner by trade. came from Hamilton. seeking Employment in Toronto. Seeks shelter for a few days. expects to get work soon.

487. Mary Hughes: aged 30. Says has been 16 years in Toronto. Is married, but husband left her two weeks since, and went to the states with another woman. Came here for shelter with her two Children, a girl aged 3 years & a boy 17 Months old. Irish. R.C.

488. Ann Robinson: 36. Irish. ChofEngl. 16 years in Toronto, out of place just now. Expects a place in the Queens Hotel in a few days, seeks shelter in the mean time.

489. Susan Yawns: aged 22. Canadian. Born at Bradford, from which place she came 3 Months to this City to be confined at Lying in Hospital. Came today, March 23rd, with her baby (a girl) now 3 weeks old for shelter for a few days, expects a wetnurse place.

490. Frederick Tidmore: 99 Bishop St. A labourer out of Employment except occasionally since before Christmas. Has a wife and four Children. a boy 12, girl 10, boy 6, and a baby 14 Months. Seemingly steady and respectable people. Has been very hard driven. English. Recommended for a little aid.

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Tuesday, 26th March 1872

The Committee for revising List of Indoor and Outdoor Poor met today at half past nine o'clock a.m.

Present E. Hobson Esqr., Revd. Alexd. Williams, J. Tyner, Esqr. and Adam Miller Esqr.

It was agreed that the Soup Kitchen for Outdoor poor be closed on the last day of this Month. Also all Outdoor Pensioners relief will be discontinued at the end of this Month except aged and extreme Cases.

491. John Pinner: in Case 480. To find Employment by the 1st April, if not he will have to leave the House.

492. James Matthews: A Bricklayer who had shelter for some time, to look for Employment, as he will have to leave by the 1st April.

493. Donald McDermott: Must leave the Institution by the 1st of April.

494. Thomas Mason: in Case 290. To find Employment by 1st of April.

495. Arthur Clements: in Case 436. To find Employment by 1st of April.

496. Michael Connell: in Case 396. Must leave by 1st April.

497. Margaret Oliver: in Case 484. Aged 38. Scotch. A Widow. ChofEngl. To see Doctor at 3 O'clock, and if a proper Case, to be admitted.

498. George Clifford: Hackney St. 6th door North off Queen St. English. ChofEngl. Aged 23. Married. Out of Employment. To have 300 lbs. Coal.

499. Alfred Elliott: in Case 483. Visitor recommends an allowance of Groceries on account of sickness.

500. Thomas Jones: Aged 23. English. ChofEngl. Three years out. Lived in the States. Suffers from a Fistula which prevents him doing much work. Came lately to Toronto, and is desirous of getting back to his friends in England. Was sent here by some members of St. George's Society for shelter until their next meeting when his Case is to be brought before them, to consider what can be done for him. Got a pass and went to Montreal.

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501. Charles Thompson: aged 21. English. ChofEngl. 18 Months out. A Bookkeeper, at present out of Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days.

Friday, March 29th, 1872

Present, Adam Miller Esqr.

502. Robert McLean: in Case 362, and

503. Ann McNab: in Case 291, Left the House together. It appears they agreed to set up Housekeeping together.

504. William Boulton: in Case 830 in 1871, Left the Institution March 24th. Gone to live with a Son at Simcoe.

Tuesday, April 2nd, 1872

Present, E. Hobson, Esqr. and Revd. Mr. Darling

505. Mary O'Brien: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread during Summer.

506. Mary McBurney: to have 6 lbs. Bread Weekly during summer Months.

507. Mary Rutherford: Weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread to be continued.

508. Ann Lloyd: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

509. Elisa Jolland: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

510: Sarah McGregor: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued weekly.

511. Ann Morris: to have Allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

512. John O'Neill: 6 lbs. bread a week during summer continued.

513. Ann Pulbrook: to have 4 lbs. bread a week during summer.

514. Jane Yowell: to have 6 lbs. bread a week with Jane Redditt.

515. Hannah Asher: to have 4 lbs. of bread during summer.

516. Margaret Douglass: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

517. Mary Hudson: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

518. Mary Ruglan: to have 4 lbs. bread a week until 1st of May.

519. Fanny Moore: Allowance of 8 lbs. bread weekly continued.

520. Maria Smith: Weekly ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.

521. Bridget McCan: 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.



522. Margt. Brown: Weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued.
523. Matilda Bagley: to have 6 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.
524. Charlotte McCan: 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer.
525. Ann Duval: 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.
526. Ann Mulqueeny: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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527. Mary McCabe: 132 Richmond St. West. Visitor recommends that if she applies to let her have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer.
528. Samuel Faulkener: an aged Cripple. A written application was sent in by the Revd. Mr. Sanson for Faulkener's admission into the House of Industry. On enquire it was found that the old Man resides at Leslie Ville [Leslieville] and has done so for many years, and has therefore no claim on this Institution.
529. Emma Ward: 49 Esther St. A Note addressed to the House was sent through the Post Office signed a resident of Esther St. stating that ward received bread from St. George's Society as well as from House of Industry and sold it to the neighbours at 7 1/2 d [pence] per loaf. that ward is at work, and the wife takes in washing, and has so much of it, that she is obliged to employ woman 3 and 4 days a week to assist her, to whom she pays 60 [cents] a day.
530. Elizabeth Ryall: 135 Sumach St. Her husband still continues so ill that he can do nothing in the shape of work whatever, and she and her six Children, the youngest an infant in the arms, are really entirely destitute of any means of support. Visitor would recommend that the bread be continued for another month or six weeks at all events, and if possible it could be managed to scrape up a load of Coal it would be a great boon to them. They could burn wood, but Visitor can not see how it would be possible for her unfortunate husband, with his heart thumping, so that you can almost hear it, to saw or split a single stick. Committee allowed 8 lbs. bread weekly, but have no coal to give. See Case 457.

Friday, April 5th, 1872

Present: E. Hobson, Esqr.

531. Mary Hughes: and Children in Case 487. To remain in Building for casual Poor for a week longer.

532. Jane Dundas: 102 Agnes Street. Her daughter to call and see the Doctor. Doctor examined the Daughter of Jane Dundas, and finds she has a slight attack of pleurisy. To have 6 lbs. bread for a Month.

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Friday, April 5th 1872

533. Margaret Laurie: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
534. Ann Silver: an old Pensioner, 4 lbs. bread continued.
535. Bridget Burns: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
536. Bridget McCabe: ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
537. Andrew Allison: and Wife both old, 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.
538. Elizabeth Johnson: on the Books for many years, 4 lbs. bread continued.
539. Margaret Eaton: also an old Pensioner, to have her 4 lbs. bread during Summer.
540. Alfred Elliott: Hope Street, being ill is recommended for any allowance from the house which can be granted to him for the present. To have 8 lbs. bread a week, and allowance of groceries. See Case 499.
541. Mary Ann Andrews: to have her weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
542. Elizabeth Ferguson: 6 lbs. bread a week to 1st of May.
543. Rebecca Heffer: Allowance of 8 lbs. bread a week continued.
544. Ann Robertson: 6 lbs. bread a week to 1st of May.
545. Ellen Sullivan: Weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
546. Jane Fraser: Husband sick. bread continued, 6 lbs. a week.
547. Emily Hackett: 8 lbs. bread a week continued to 1st of May.
548. Honora Gillan: 4 lbs. bread continued weekly, old Pensioner.
549. Sarah McQuiggan: and sister, old Pensioner, 6 lbs. bread continued.
550. Elisa Gunson: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued weekly.
551. Catharine Keating: and husband Timothy. 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.
552. Jane Curran: a most respectable old woman but ill able to provide for herself, recommended by visitor to Committee to her allowance of 4 lb. a week continue during the summer.

553. Sarah Boyd: 348 King St. East. See Case 626 in 1871, who has an idiot Son. Visitor thinks ought to have her bread continued.

554. Sarah Bloomer: Visitor recommends a continuation of her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread during summer.

555. Michael Hopper: in Case 594 in 1870, left the Institution yesterday (Thursday) on his own accord without leave. He has acted of late like one insane.

556. Henry Stanley: in Case 861 in 1871. Left the Institution April 7th, got Employment.

557. William Turner: and Wife old Outdoor Pensioners, to have their ration of 6 lbs. bread a week continued.

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Tuesday, 9th April 1872

Present, R. Gilmor, Esqr and Rev. Mr. Givens

558. Thomas Mangel: a Cripple with a wife and 3 Children to have his weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.

559. Phoebe Gray: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

560. Madeline Booth: allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued for one Month.

561. Mary Godfry: allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued for one Month.

562. Grace Langley: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

563. Patrick McKew: 4 lbs. bread a week continued during summer.

564. Elizabeth McCauley: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

565. Mary Smith: in Case 813 in 1871, on account of her child, quarrelled with, and abused another woman also an Inmate. Committee told Smith, that as long as she remains an Inmate in this Institution, both her and her child must be entirely under the control of the House and behave in a proper manner, if not will have to leave.

566. James Murray: aged 78. Irish. R.C. Church. 20 years in Canada, lived near Judge Harrison, on a six acre Lot which he rented from Mr. Denison. Is now passed [past] work and has no means of supporting himself. Brought a Note from His Worship The Mayor, who recommends his admission. Admitted. Presbyterian, not R.C.

567. David Marshall: in Case 701 in 1871. Left the Institution. Now able to earn his living again.

Friday, 12th April 1872

Present, Revd. Mr. Givins, and R. Gilmor, Esqr.

568. Martha Carr: in Case 911 in 1871, left the House yesterday, applies now for a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread. Granted.

569. Margaret Gale: Weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

570. Catharine Carney: 4 lbs. bread continued for one month.

571. Emma Munroe: 8 lbs. bread continued during summer Months.

572. Samuel Punter: in Case 800 in 1871. Left the Institution on his own accord.

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573. Mary Duke: aged 45. Married. Husband and Pensioner has left her again. she was formerly an Inmate. See Case 797 in 1871. Applies for admission again. Admitted.

574. Mary Smith: and child in Case 813 in 1871 left the Institution.

Tuesday, 16th April 1872

Present: Revd. Dr. Topp and S. Rogers, Esqr.

575. Mary Gormley: aged 51. A Widow. ChofEngl. Irish. had outdoor relief for some years, and at one time was an Inmate in this House. Brought a Note from Rev. Mr. Darling recommending her admission and promises to make herself useful as far as able. Admitted.

576. Richard Turner: Aged 23, Native of Bombay, Bengal. a sailor, came from Montreal. Out of Employment at present and no means and seeks shelter.

577. William Taylor: in Case 873 in 1871. Left the Institution, is now able to work again.

578. John Farrell: in Case 481, left on his own account.

579. Johanna Lynch: to have her allowance of 6 lbs. bread a week continued, on account of her sick husband.

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Present: S. Rogers, Esqr.

580. Elizabeth Burns: an old Pensioner for out door relief, to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

581. Louisa Marsden: 65 Queen St. East. Not able to work. suffering from severe cold. To have 4 lbs. bread continued.

582. Elisa Shea: 94 Church Street. husband in very delicate health, not able to work, and has only one leg. unable to be out of bed. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer and to have a little Sugar, Tea, & etc.

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583. Euphemia Russell: Spinster, Blind. See Case 1007 in 1871, to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

584. Thomas Robinson: in Case 1009 in 1871, left the Institution. Robinson is quite well now, and obtained Employment at his trade.

585. Mary Lewis: in Case 374, asked leave this Morning (April 20th) to be allowed to go out, was refused on account of Saturday being a busy day for cleaning house, & etc. Notwithstanding she went without leave and did not return until 7 O'clock in the evening, which is contrary to the rules of the House.

586. James Coleman: in Case 632 in 1871, A shoemaker by trade. Aged 72. Irish. ChofEngland is suffering with diarrhea, seeks Shelter until he gets somewhat better.

Tuesday, 23d. April 1872

Present, Rev. W.J. MacDonell and R. Gilmor, Esqr.

587. Jonathan Russell: aged 2 Months, youngest Child of Elizabeth Russell, an Inmate, died this Morning at 7 O'clock. See Case 877 in 1871.

588. Mary Lewis: in Case 585. To comply more to the rules of the House, and make herself more useful, or she will have to leave Institution.

589. James Coleman: in Case 586. To be admitted for a time.

Friday, 26th April 1872

Present: R. Gilmor, Esqr and Revd. D.J. McDonell

590. William Bath: in Case 303. To have a ration of 6 lbs. bread a week continued during summer Months.

591. Emma Archer: 179 Elizabeth St. See Case 257. Visitor does recommend 10 lbs. bread a week. The husband being unable to work on account of fits. Mrs. Archer is collecting Money with a view of getting back to England to her friends.

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Tuesday, 30th April 1872

Present: E. H. Rutherford, Esqr.

592. Mary Gormley: in Case 575, left the Institution, says has a place as Nurse in a family.

593. Robert Gradwell: in Case 474. To be admitted again.

594. Ann Robinson: in Case 488, allowed to stay in building for casual poor for a time.

595. Ellen Fitzpatrick: Allowed 4 lbs. bread a week.

596. Mary Ann Henry: Cannot not have any flour, but might have 4 lbs. bread a week, if she likes to come for it.

597. George Day: Strachan Avenue 2nd door from Queen St. Not at home when visitor called, but his wife said he was a blacksmith by trade and has now a poisoned hand so that he cannot work. She seems strong enough for this. No Children. Has part of a house and Visitor did not like the appearance (or the expressions) of the Inmates. Would therefore say it would be questionable charity to relieve them, but Case left to Committee.

Friday, 3rd May 1872

Present: Revd. E. Baldwin and E. Hobson, Esqr.

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598. Elizabeth Jackson: to have 8 lbs. bread continued during summer Months.

599. George Tillbrook: to have 8 lbs. bread continued during summer Months, also a large ration of Tea, sugar, [etc.]

600. Thomas Jackson: Aged 13. Came here for shelter. says he is out of place at present. English. ChofEngl. was brought to this country by Miss McPherson last November, from one of the Industrial Refuges in London. May 4th.

601. Mary Ann McAllister: 101 Corner of Ann & Mutual St. to be visited.

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602. Patience Mead: 28 years of age. Canadian. Parents are living at Oakville on a farm of their own. Came to Toronto looking for a place. Was sent here by the Mayor for a few days shelter.

Tuesday, 7th May 1872

Present, Revd. J. M. Laurent

603. Charles Wilkinson: a boy, say 9 years of age, was brought here by a Constable for admission, had been before the Magistrate as a Vagrant. Was discharged on promising to return to the Boys' House from which he had run away, but it appears he could not be received back there. Remained one night, ran away next Morning.

604. Mary McLean: an old outdoor Pensioner, to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer Months.

605. Thomas Jackson: in Case 600, went to place with Mrs. Meldrum, South Mountain Ottawa.

606. Joseph Boyd: aged 74. Irish. Presbyterian. 49 years in Canada. last 14 years in the Township of Cavan, says, is on his way to Michigan, was sent by his worship The Mayor for a few days admission.

Friday, 10th May 1872

Present: Revd. J. M. Laurent

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607. James Askell: in Case 403, in the habit of going out without asking leave and coming home intoxicated and annoying Inmates, was told today noon, after being out again all the morning and the worse for Liquor again, that he could not be let in without coming before Committee. Preferred taking his clothes with him and not likely will trouble the House again.

608. Susan Bonner: 58 Sydenham St. English. ChofEngl. The family consists of the Husband, Wife and six very young Children, the eldest 10, the youngest Twins about 11 Months old. The husband has been very ill with an attack of inflammation on the lungs. He is now better and hopes to go to work in about a fortnight. The illness, loss of work, and the large family to support all combined, render them deserving of assistance, and visitor recommends them for an allowance of bread for one Month, and Tea, Sugar, [etc.]

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Tuesday, 14th May 1872

Present, W.J. MacDonell, Esqr. and J.T. Smith, Esqr.

609. Mary Ann McAllister: No. 101 Corner of Mutual & Ann Streets. 37 years old, in very delicate health, goes out to wash and scrub. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week. Irish. R.C.

610. Two Male Foundlings: say one about 14 Months old, the other about a fortnight old, left lately at the Protestant Orphans Home, were brought here by the Matron of that Institution today, accompanied with a Note from Mrs. Murray, First Directress, stating the Managers of Orphans Home were authorised this Morning by his Worship. The Mayor to bring them to the House of Industry to be admitted there. Sent the one 2 Weeks old out to Nurse with Mrs. Rugg at No. 51 University Street, and kept the one 14 Months in the House.

Friday, 17th May 1872

Present W.J. MacDonell, Esq and J.T. Smith, Esqr.

611. Julia Brierton: Widow, aged 45. Irish. R.C. says is not able to work and [on] account of Rheumatism, and has no means of supporting herself seeks admission. To see Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted.

612. Robert Mitchel: in Case 679 in 1864. Died this Morning (May 18th) of heart disease. Aged 79.

613. John Dalton: in Case 812 in 1871 left the Institution this Morning May 20th.

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Tuesday, 21st May, 1872

Present, N.C. Love, Esqr.

614. Lizzie Johnson: Coloured, aged 24. Application was made by Miss Reeve for Johnson admission, who is not able to earn her living just now, weak mind, and not in good health. The Case was referred to Doctor who examined, and considers her a Case for admission. Johnson was born in Detroit, U.S. has been 3 years in Toronto, a servant with Miss Reeves, belongs to Plymouth Bretheran.

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Friday, 24th May, 1872

Present Very Revd. J. F. Jamot and N. C. Love Esqr.

615. Margaret Christmas: rear T. Smith's Corner of Scott and Esplanade St. Husband is confined to bed, apparently in last stage of consumption and requires constant attendance. Visitor recommends any relief the house may be able to give. Some wood, also, if to be had. Mrs. Christmas takes in washing. In her present situation fuel is a heavy expence. To have 1/2 Cord Wood, 6 lbs. bread & Groceries.

616. John Scott: in Case 715 in 1871, left the Institution.

617. Madeline Booth: 117 Jarvis St. is in receipt of 8 lbs. bread a week, but Visitor thinks that under the circumstances, her little boy having been so ill. Mrs. Booth is entitled to some little extra relief besides the bread as the child stands much in need of nourishing food and would therefore be glad if she could have some sugar, tea, [etc.]

Tuesday, 28th May 1872

Present: Revd. Mr. Boddy & J. Thom, Esqr.

618. Henry Lawrence: an Inmate, see Case 578 in 1870 died this day, May 30th, Aged 89.

Friday, 31st May 1872

Present E. Hobson, Esqr.

619. Mrs. R. Gilmor: applied for a little assistance in the shape of Tea & Sugar for a poor sick Man who is deaf and dumb. To have 2 lbs. Sugar & 1/2 lb. Tea.

620. James Bain: 60. Scotch. Presbyt. 34 years in Canada. Belonged at one time to the 39th Highlanders. Was lately in General Hospital for 3 Months, and discharged from there four weeks ago. seeks admission, says is not able to work on account of numbness in his limbs. To see Doctor. Doctor examined and states that Bain is becoming paralyzed.

621. Ann Carlyle: in Case 834 in 1871. Left the Institution on her own account. Now quite well in health.

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622. The Foundling: in Case 610, at nurse with Mrs. Rugg at 51 University St. died this morning June 2nd.

Tuesday 4th June 1872

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Jaques

623. James Bain: in Case 620, to be admitted.

624. Lizzie Johnson: in Case 614 left the House, will go back to service in her old place.

Friday, 7th June 1872

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Jaques

625. Elizabeth Ryall: in Case 530, to have full allowance of Groceries on account of sick husband.

626. Johanna Riley: in Case 262, applied for admission and refused. Considered to be able to earn her living.

627. Bella Stephanson: 22 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. Has been in service, but not in good health at present, and no means to pay for her board. Seeks admission for a short time. To see the Doctor. Left on the 20th.

628. Andrew Gregg: an Inmate in Case 687 in 1869, left the Institution to live with his Son at New Market.

629. Sarah Elliott: Hope Street. Says is a Widow with 6 Children. husband died lately in small pox Hospital. To have bread for the present, until Visitor reports on the Case. English. ChofEngl.

Tuesday, 11th June 1872

No Committee present

630. Samuel Punter: in Case 572 asked shelter in building for casual poor until he can apply to Committee for readmission into the House.

631. Charles Jones: had shelter for some time, left today.

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632. Peter Gordon: in Case 961 in 1871, left the Institution this day June 13th. Able now he thinks to earn his own living.

633. John Wass: 18 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 3 years out. Labourer, worked in different parts of the Country, no settled home. Came last from Weston where he took ill with ague. Not able to work at present, seeks shelter for a few days until he gets somewhat better.

Friday, 14th June 1872

No Committee present.

No Applications

634. Sarah Elliott: in Case 629. Visitor sent in report and states she is a Widow aged 36. Husband died of small pox a short time after arriving in April from England. Has 6 Children of whom only 4 are at home, 3 girls 10, 6, and 2 1/2 and a boy 6 Months. Hopes soon to have a friend from the old Country to look after the Children and she will then be able to go out working which she is willing to do. Visitor recommends any aid that can be given in the meantime. Methodist. To have 8 lbs. bread a week.

635. Arthur Hawes: in Case 435 left the House, has got a situation writing for the City Clerk.

636. William Murphy: in Case 405. Left the Institution, June 17th. Hired himself with the Care taker of the City Hall to clean offices, [etc.]

Tuesday, 18th June 1872

No Committee present.

No Applicants

Friday, 21st June 1872

Present: R. Wilkes, Esqr.

637. W.E. Sloane: Aged 18. English. ChofEngl. Emigrant 4 Months out from England. deaf. sent by the Mayor for admission for a short time. Sloane says, is not able to work at present, suffers from some sore breakings out about his body.

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Friday 21st June 1872

638. William Gordon: 49. English. ChofEngl. 3 Months out from England. suffers with ague. Came for shelter until better.

Tuesday 25th June 1872

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

639. W.E. Sloane: in Case 637. To see the Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted. saw Doctor. admitted.

640. William Gordon: in Case 638. allowed to remain in building for Casual Poor for a time and have Doctors advise.

641. David Porter: Aged 49. Scotch. Presbyterian. Blind. 30 years in Canada next October. chiefly in Toronto. Used to receive Out door relief. Applied for admission. Recommended by Mr. McLean. To see Doctor at 3 OClock, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

642. Charlotte Nichol: say 60 years of age. Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. by her own account she lived in Toronto for Many Years. seems a little strange. sore Eyes. under treatment of Dr. Rosebrugh. seeks admission. To see Doctor and if nothing infectious, to be admitted. Left.

643. Frederick Wm. Sanders: an Inmate in Case 905 in 1871. died this day June 27th aged 31. Consumption.

Friday 28th June 1872

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

644. June Bagley: 19 Duke St. Visitor begs to recommend her for relief. Husband is dying of consumption, and from his long illness they have been left very destitute. Visitor would be glad if they could be allowed some tea, sugar, and oatmeal, as it is a case of great distress. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly and single allowance of groceries. Aged 23. Canadian, Methodist. No family.

645. William Smith: 17. ChofEngl. English Emigrant out since last spring. bad Eyesight. seeks shelter for a few days.

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Friday 28th June 1872

646. Amelia Kimber: at 84 1/2 Sydenham St. Visitor found her husband just come in from his first days work, since a long illness which he has had. He looked shockingly ill still, and Visitor doubt's very much whether he will have strength to do very much work for some time to come. Would recommend that Mrs. Kimber in addition to her bread, be allowed a little tea, sugar etc. to help her on and her two children as well as on her husbands account. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly, and full allowance of groceries. Aged 22. English. ChofEngl. 2 children. boy 3. girl 1 year of age. 3 years out from England.

Tuesday 2nd July 1872

Present, J. McBean Esqr & E. Hobson Esqr.

647. Margaret Burns: an Inmate, see Case 903 in 1871. Applied for permission to leave the House, will try to get into House of Providence, says, has no fault to find but would like a change. after hearing her statement Committee granted her leave to go if she feels inclined to do so.

Friday 5th July 1872

Present. J. McBean Esqr.

648. Margaret Burns: in Case 647. should have been entered under above date July 5th.

649. Mary Stuart: says is 80 years of age. Native of Ireland. R.C. used to earn a living by peddling, and was a recipient of Out door relief from this Institution for some years. was picked up as a Vagrant by the

Police, and sent here for admission by the Magistrate. Case referred to Doctor and if nothing infectious to be admitted. Doctor examined, reports her a Case for admission.

650. The Male Foundling 14 Months old in Case 610, was given up by the General Board at their last meeting June 18th, to Samuel Stuart and wife, who proved to the Board that they were the parents of said child.

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Tuesday, 9th July 1872

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

651. Mary Stuart: who resides at 116 Chesnut St. apparently in great distress, sent by the Mayor for assistance. The Mother just recovering from small pox. one of the Children died yesterday with the same disease, 3 other children at Home, and the Father laid up in small pox Hospital. A neighbour James McMurray applied on their behalf with a Note from the Mayor. gave temporary relief 8 lbs. bread, 2lbs. Sugar. 1/2 lb. Tea, 4 lbs. Oatmeal & 4 lbs. Rice.

Friday. 12th July 1872

Present. Revd. Mr. Givins, R. Gilmor Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

652. Robert King: 76. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. formerly an Inmate. See Case 630 in 1871. Applied for admission. Allowed to remain in Building for Casual poor for a week, to test his behaviour

653. Michael Mullen: an Inmate, see Case 30 in 1856, died this day July 13th. Aged 83 years.

Tuesday 16th July. 1872.

Present, Revd. Dr. Topp & S. Rogers Esqr.

654. Mary Duke: an Inmate See Case 573. applied to Committee for leave to go out on week days, says Mrs. Haggerty has a dress for her. The Committee will allow her this once to go out, to settle about the dress, and be done with going out through the week having always Sunday all day to go to Church & see friends.

655. Sarah Repath: 34 Robinson St. Emigrant came out last May & the very day of their arrival the husband had to be sent to Lunatic Asylum, and Doctor Workman has little Hope of him ever being able

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to provide for his family again. Mrs. Repath has 6 Children. boy 13, girl 12, boy 11. boy 10, girl 8, and boy 2 1/2 years old. The two eldest boys are with Mr. Hessin Confectioner at [dollars] 11.00 a Month for the two. English. ChofEngl. Committee will allow 12 lbs. bread a week for the present. Case has been sent to Visitor of Ward.

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Friday 19th July 1872

No Committee present.

No Applications

656. Mrs. ^Mary^ Gilbertson: 208 Queen St. West. Revd. Mr. Machin, Curator of St. Georges Church applied on behalf of this case- stated that Mrs. Gilbertson's Husband and two children were taken to small pox Hospital to recover. the poor woman is near her confinement, sick and destitute. Mr. Machin and some benevolent Ladies have done something for her, but she requires a little more relief in the shape of food. Just some bread and allowance of Groceries for the present until Visitor can report the case to Committee.

Tuesday 23rd July 1872

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

657. Thomas Hall: aged 74. English. Chof England. his wife applied for his admission. he was partially paralysed some 11 days ago and she is not able to support him. Hall was formerly an Inmate see case 803 in 1870. To see Doctor & if a proper case to be admitted. Doctor examined reports all right.

658. Mrs. ^Mary^ Gilbertson: in case 656 Visitor thinks she will be looked after by Mr. Machin.

Friday 26th July 1872

Present, Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

659. John Lonie: 43. Native of Scotland, R.C. Church. Cripple with only one leg, formerly an Inmate under the name of John Bright. See case 843 in 1871. A sailor by trade, but out of Employment just now. seeks admission. Admitted.

660. John Lebreton: in Case 774 in 1871 left the House without leave on 12th July and has not returned.

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661. Bella Stephenson: in case 627 applied again for admission with a Note from Mrs. Grasset in which she gave her name as Mrs. Murphy.

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Tuesday 30 July. 1872.

Present. No Committee.

662. John Lane: rear No. 6 Shuter St. George Street Lane. application was made on his behalf representing the Man and family in great distress. gave temporary relief, and sent the case to Visitor.

Friday, August 2nd 1872

Present. E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. E. Baldwin

663. John Lane: in case 662, Visitor reports that he is 29 years old, Not able to work. wife 26 years old, 1 Child. both lying sick. 4 years from England. English Church. and recommends 6lbs. bread a week and a ration of Groceries.

664. George Monk: in case 902 in 1871. Left 15 July last.

Tuesday 6th August 1872

Present. J. Tyner Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Laurent

665. William Gordon: in case 640 allowed to come in the House for a time until he gets somewhat better.

666. Mary Gormley: formerly an Inmate, see case 592. Made application for readmission. Admitted with the understanding that she make herself general useful.

667. Elisa Figgins: Corner of Strachan & Queen St. Husband has gone to England because of palpitation of the heart. She is to follow as soon as she can be sent for. In the Country about a year. Has 3 Children, a girl 6, boy 4 & baby 5 Months. Takes one room up stairs, but has no stove, or bed, and but little furniture, baby is sick and so she can not go out to her usual Char-work. to have usual aid. Committee allowed a weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread.

668. Maria Matthews: 21 Elliots row. Widow aged 31. Chof England. Has four children, boy 12, boy 9, girl 7. and a girl 8 Months. Lost her husband three weeks ago. she is not a strong person to work. The eldest boy is likely to support himself. To have 8 lbs. bread a week.

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Friday 9th August 1872

Present. Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

669. Guild Loriquer: rear of 10 Edward St. French. R.C. Married, 33 years of age. 6 Children, boy 12 at work, girl 8, boy 5, girl 3, and a baby 6 Months old. Husband a Carpenter. left her 7 weeks ago. To have 8 lbs. bread a week.

Tuesday 13th August 1872.

Present, Messrs. J.T. Smith & W.J. MacDonell.

No Applicants

Friday 16th August 1872

Present W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

670. William Merritt: 35 years in Toronto- 74 years of age. in bad health. English. Chof England. Recommended for admission by Revd. Mr. Broughall. Admitted with the understanding that he make himself general useful as far as able

Tuesday 20th August 1872

Present Messrs. N.C. Love & W.J. MacDonell

671. Elisa Figgins: in case 667, to have a small allowance of Groceries on account of her sick child.

672. Henry Gregg: 64 years of age. Irish. Chof England. 49 years in Canada. Tailor by trade. sore Eyes. attends at the Eye infirmary. seeks shelter for a week or two. Committee will grant him shelter for a time, but must confine himself to the premises and not loaf about the city.

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673. Margaret Lawrence: in Case 578 in 1870 Left the House August 21st on her own account without given Notice. it appears her daughter Spinks took her away.

Friday 23rd August 1872

Present. Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & N.C. Love

674. Mary Denman: 7 Elliotts Row King Street West-

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Married, aged 38. Husband 49. Chof England. 5 Children, girl 10. boy 8. girl 4. boy 3. Girl 1 3/4 years of age. This family arrived here from England last May. he is a painter by trade, perhaps not a very good one. Visitor thinks if this family is put on our books now, it will be as much as to say they must be on summer and winter. he has a [dollars] 1.25 per day. perhaps the Committee may allow them temporary relief. Committee allowed 8 lbs. bread a week for one month.

675. Maria Ford: 11 Elliotts Row. Married, aged 36. Husband 42. Chof England. 5 Children, boy 13. girl 9. boy 7. boy 5. and girl 2 years of age. Ford is a Boat fitter by trade. work is very slack just now, perhaps it would be best to assist this family, say for five weeks, by that time there will be plenty work at his trade. English Emigrants, came out last May. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a week for five weeks, and would suggest to Committee to advise these people to exert themselves, and not to depend upon the House for assistance.

Tuesday 27th August 1872

Present, J. Thom Esqr.

No Applicants

Friday 30th August 1872

No Committee present

676. George Parker: aged 23, English. 4 Months out. Chof England. out of Employment at present on account of diarrehea and a very sore leg. tried to get admission into General Hospital but did not succeed. asks shelter until somewhat better.

677. Michael Monaghan: 55 Irish. R.C. Cripple with only one arm, says came from Kingston and is on his way to Sarnia seeks shelter for a few days.

678. Frances W. Eveleigh: 29. English. Emigrant, out since last June. Chof England. had Employment in Montreal but was obliged to leave on account of ill health. came to Toronto without means. seeks shelter until he can get some Employment to suit him.

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Tuesday 3rd September 1872

Present. J. Jaques [Jacques] Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

679. Ellen Purtell: 68 Emma Street. A widow aged 83. Irish R.C. has usually relief during Winter. Visitor recommends that she receive during Summer also. 4 lbs. bread weekly.

680. William Turner: aged 71, and wife Amelia aged 70, receiving at present out door relief, at one time Inmates. made application for readmission. both infirm not able to earn their own living. see Case 939 in 1871. English. Chof England. Admitted, with understanding to make themselves useful as far as able.

681. Sarah Morgan: aged 57. A widow. Irish. Chof Engl. 28 years in Canada, for the last 16 years a resident at Tobico [Etobicoke] and its vicinity. brought a Note from Revd. Mr. Cooper Rector of Christ Church Etobico [Etobicoke] stating, that Mrs. Morgan has been a resident of that Township for some years, and having received occasional grants from the Municipality & by private Charity, being unable to work for her own maintenance. and further recommends her as a proper case for House of Industry. Committee recommended her to go back to her own Municipality, as she has no claim in this Charity.

682. George Parker: in Case 678, allowed to stay for a few days until he gets somewhat better.

683. Joseph Parrott: rear of 331 Queen St. west. A Married Man aged 43, wife 23. has 3 Children, boy 5. girl 4. & girl 17 Months. The wife has been poorly, but is now getting much better, which enables him, the husband to get to work therefore, they feel now as not to need assistance, hopes to have a living, he has had some Capital, but lost in speculation. withdraws the application for the present.

684. Thomas Hall: in Case 657. Left the premises on the 4th took advantage of the Gate being open all day on account of getting in coal.

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685. David Halladay: Aged 37. English. ChofEngl. 6 Months out. worked at the Grand Trunk at Montreal, but was discharged with a good many more on account of slack times. tramped up to Toronto expecting to get Employment. No Money and no means, and not able to work at present, having got the ague for the last four days. seeks shelter.

Friday 6th Septbr 1872

Present, Messrs. J. Jaques [Jacques] & E. Hobson

686. Frances W. Eveleigh: in Case 678, a druggist by trade. allowed shelter for a few days longer.

687. David Halladay: in Case 685, allowed to remain for a few days longer.

688. Sarah Repath: in Case 655, applied for fuel. No fuel given out till New Year.

689. The Committee object William Evans being apprenticed to David F. Stewart at present, as they consider the boy too young to fetch cow's home on a farm.

690. Mary Gilbertson: 208 Queen St west. See Case 658. Visitor reported that Husband died a short time ago of small pox and her two Children are only a short time out of the Hospital. a boy 9, and a girl 7 1/2. Cant get work to do at present, though she has a sewing machine, & even if she could obtain Employment, is unable to sew as she is expecting to be confined shortly. Recommended for bread and Groceries for the present. To have 6 lbs. bread a week & an allowance of Groceries (double).

691. Thomas Hall: in Case 684, was to day brought back by his wife. The Man is getting imbecile. Admitted.

692. John Farrell: 49. Irish. Presbyt. See Case 578. says he has been 28 years in Canada, most of the time in Toronto. just out of Hospital where he has been for last 4 Months with a broken leg. now able to walk about on Crutches. Seeks admission.

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Present. No Committee present.

693. Cornelius Connell: in case 467 in 1868, an Inmate died this morning of Diarhea.

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Present. Revd. Dr Green

694. Mary Patterson: (in Case 745 in 1866) aged 9 years &

695. Joseph Fraser: (in Case 753 in 1865), aged 8 years, were taken by Mr. Robert Patterson to Owen Sound to be there placed out by him to respectable families whom Mr. Patterson can recommend as fit persons to receive these Children on trial previous of being apprenticed.

696. Michael Wood: aged 25. Canadian. R.C. came from Montreal his native place to look for Employment in Toronto. a plasterer by trade, used to earn [dollars] 3 a day. seeks shelter, says is not in good health at present.

697. Charles Lawson: aged 40. Scotch. Presbyt. a Carpenter by trade, was five years in Montreal, came now to Toronto to look for Employment. appears destitute, came for shelter.

698. Nancy McDonnell: in Case 443, died this day Septbr. 16th. at 4 OClock P.M.

Tuesday 17th Septbr 172

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Jaques [Jacques]

699. John Farrell: in Case 692. to be admitted for a time, and to make himself general useful as far as able, and not allowed to go without leave.

700. Michael Wood: in Case 696 must return to Montreal as he has no claim on the Institution. allowed to shelter for a day or two.

701. Charles Lawson: in Case 697. No Claim on this Institution, but allowed to stay a day or two to look out for something.

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Tuesday 17th Septbr. 1872

702. Emma Clark: Mother of William Clark in Case 817 in 1871. made application for the restoration of her Child, having got married and now ^&^ in a position to take charge of it. Brought a Note from Mrs.



Knifton [William Knifton, commissariat, emigration agency] certifying her (Clark), being the person who left the Child at the Emigrant shed. Committee under the circumstance restored the Child to the Mother.

703. William Dixon: aged 40. English. ChofEngl. 2 1/2 years out from England. Made his living at Brampton sometimes as farm labourer and sometimes as Music teacher, but was compelled to give up on account of a bad ulcer on his leg, came to Toronto to get into General Hospital but was refused admission. Advised to go back to Brampton. Allowed shelter for a few days.

704. Harriett Davis: rear 18 Stanley Street. 37 years old. Husband 45 years. painter by trade, Not able to work. at present confined to his bed by sickness. 12 Months from England. Would like the Doctor to visit him. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week, and a ration of sugar, tea, oatmeal [etc.]

705. Frances W. Eveleigh: in Case 678 left the House, got a situation with Mr. Wood on George St.

706. Mary Smith: aged 27. Native of Ireland. Chof England. has one Child, Ellen, one Month old. came from Ireland with her husband 18 Months ago, and lived in Toronto since their arrival. Husband a Book Keeper was in good Employment and doing well, until he took to drinking, and lately deserted his Wife and Child altogether. She was recommended for admission by the Revd. Mr. Sanson and Mrs. Henry Thompson until they can make some arrangement to send her back to friends in Ireland. Admitted.

707. The Female Foundling in Case 463, was baptized by Revd. Mr. Hill of St. James' Cathedral- & Named Ellen Sheppard.

708. Mary Gormley: in Case 666 went out Septbr. 19th, came home next morning, and went out again without leave.

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Friday 20th Septbr 1872

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Wilkes

709. George Heffer: husband of Rebecca Heffer in Case 543, came to complain to Committee of his Wife not taking proper care of himself and their Children. The Wife made a similar one against the husband. Seems a Case for Police Magistrate.

710. John Eaton: 63, and Wife Jane 66, applied for admission. have been 7 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. They have been distrained by their landlord for rent, and have no place of shelter. To see Doctor and if nothing infectious to be admitted for a time.

711. Janes Jones on west side of Ontario St. 3 doors south of Gerrard. A Widow. one son, a young Man who Visitor fancies has been rather a prodigal Son, but has now come back his health is ruined with Texas fever, as to leave him incapable of doing anything, one side and arm being almost completely paralysed. His Mother is now advanced in years, and with her needle work can scarcely support both

herself and the son. Visitor supposes all we can do for them is, to allow bread now, and Coal when it is given out. To have 6 lbs. bread a week.

712. John Eaton: in Case 710, did not approve of being cleaned, therefore left the Institution again, but his wife expressed herself pleased to be admitted and remained.

Tuesday 24th September 1872

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

713. William Carney: says was 12 years of age at the Irish Rebellion consequentially about 83 years of age. 30 years in Canada. Irish. R.C. No friends to provide for him. and past work. Recommended for admission by Revd. Mr. Laurent.

Friday 27th Septbr. 1872

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

714. Elizabeth Russell: in Case 877 in 1871, to provide herself with a place by this day week, or give up her Children & go to service.

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715. Mary Clark: 94 Elizabeth Street. English. Chof England. Married, 39 years of age. No Children. husband is partially paralised through camping out at Niagara when with the Volunteers, since which time he has been unable to work. to see the Doctor, & have 4 lbs. bread in mean time.

Tuesday 1st October 1872

Present J. McBean Esqr.

716. Mary Duke: in Case 654, asked leave to go out to day and to morrow, with a view of seeing her husband (who is a pensioner) to get Money from him to get herself some clothing for the winter. Allowed to do so.

717. Louisa Hibbard: in Case 1079 in 1871, was reprimanded for being quarrelsome with Inmates, advised to do so no more, which she promised to do.

718. Samuel Punter: in Case 630, left the Institution on his own account.

720. Mary Smith: and Child in Case 706, left the Institution to day Septbr. 30. arrangement having been made by some friends to send her home to Ireland.

721. William Chamberlain: Aged 76. English. Chof England. Butcher by trade. lived in the States for 17 years. came to Toronto to look up friends which he could not find. came for a few days shelter.

722. John Ganson: Coloured. was sent here by his Worship the Mayor. The Man says, is 24 years of age, a Native of State of Indiana U.S. was a soldier in the United States army, and lost his sight. Came to Quebec 9 Months ago to receive treatment for his Eyes with a view of having his sight restored, but nothing could be done. he is anxious to get up to Chatham where he has a Brother. is in hopes of recovering a pension from the United States. ~~Septbr~~ 3rd. Octbr. Found his Brother in Toronto on 6th October, who will take care of Ganson.

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Friday 4th October 1872

Present, J. McBean Esqr.

723. Maria Dinwiddy: rear 288 Front Street. came here from Bristol, England, on the 1st of last April. Husband is a cabinet maker. has been employed by R. Hay & Co. and has work waiting there for him, soon as he is able to take it in hands. Has been 12 weeks ill with dysentery. They have 3 Children, Maria 9. Robert 7. Rosina 3. Apparently respectable people. Chof England. Recommended allowance of tea sugar [etc.] for husband & 6 lbs. bread for family.

724. William Johnson: in Case 824 in 1871, made application again for admission, he this time brought his pension [dollars] 22.00, which he is willing to pay to Institution for his support for the present quarter ending Decbr. 31st. and will also make himself general useful as far as able. Admitted on those terms. English. ChofEngl.

725. Adolphus Oriendo: aged 62. French Canadian, born at Montreal. R.C. Church. Came from Mount Forest, on his way to Montreal. Not well, seeks a few days shelter.

Tuesday 8th October 1872

No Committee present.

726. James Sheahay: in Case 591 in 1870. Left the Institution, a Sister in the States sent for him.

Friday 11th October 1872

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Gilmor

727. Ann Tideman: 15 Elliotts Row. A Married Woman aged 46. Husband is ChofEngl. late from England. in poor health since they came out. she is just out of Hospital, does not know what to do, and is far from being well. Her husband is a stone Mason, as he could not do any other part but the lying of stone, he could not get much to do, is now gone to the Country. Visitor saw a letter from him stating he has no work yet. they have one boy 10 years of age who earns [dollars] 1.25 a week Visitor recommends Mrs. Tideman for 6 lbs. bread a week for one Month, and an allowance of groceries for the present.

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728. Emily Saunders: 11 Elliotts Row. A Married woman aged 32. husband 36. Chof England. 3 Children, girls 7 and 1, and a boy 5. Shoemaker by trade. from England about 16 Months. Husband was promised plenty of work at Berlin, went there and found himself disapointed, is just now returned to the City. spent what little they had. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week for 4 weeks but no longer.

729. Simon Burn: aged 60. Emigrant, from Ireland since last August. R.C. Church. Lived at Sharon since he came out. arrived in Toronto a few days ago, and came for shelter to the House. seeks admission.

730. Thomas Campbell: a boy 12 years of age, lost one leg above the Knee. was sent here from the Mayors Office for admission

Tuesday 15th October 1872

No Committee

731. Jane Charlton: 56 Sydenham St. Husband dead. The Case will be found referred upon for the last two winters, the husband having been long confined to the House by a lingering illness. Mrs. Charlton is left with a young family, only one of the Children doing for themselves, and her own health is very precarious. Visitor recommends her for bread, and such Groceries as the House can allow her for the present. the bread to be continued for the next four Months, and Coal to be allowed 3 times during the Winter.

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732. Fanny Dunn: 30 Bell Street. Husband ill in Hospital. 2 Children, one an infant in arms. Mrs. Dunn herself ill and unfit almost for work. A similar Case to many reported on last Winter. English Emigrants of two years standing. purchased one of Mr. Lambs "allotments" 18 Months ago, which took all their earnings to pay for instalment's, then the husband fell ill, and they have been in a state of destitution more or less for Months. the only thing in their favour being that they have a sort of Cabin to live in. Visitor recommends them for bread for six weeks, some groceries now, and Coal when it is given out, or before that. And the Case to be referred again.

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733. Susan Finch: 32 Bell Street. This Case was reported upon last year. The family were then living on St. Davids Street. The husband is in Hospital, and the family are very destitute. Visitor recommends them for bread for a Month and some groceries now. and the Case to be referred again at the end of the Month.

Friday, 18th October 1872.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

734. Simon Burn: in Case 729. to see Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted for a time.

735. Thomas Campbell: in Case 730. Came out 4 years ago from London with his parents who settled at Fenelon Falls. the father died, and the boy came to Toronto to shift for himself. took to selling papers, and boarded at the News-Boys Home, but could not get on very well on one leg. To be admitted.

736. Michael Furlong: Aged 71. Irish. ChofEngl. Formerly an Inmate. bad Eyes. seeks admission again- rather fond of a drop. Admitted on condition that he make himself General useful and Keep sober as well.

737. Thomas Milner: 93 Adelaide St. west-Visitor called and found Milner had been sent to General Hospital by Mr. John Cawtra [Cawthra], therefore provided for at present.

Tuesday 22nd. October 1872.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson

738. Thomas Goff: 77 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngl. 40 years in Toronto. a painter by trade. seemingly a very respectable old Man, now past work, and no friends to assist him in anyway. was lately sold out by his Landlord. now perfectly destitute. seeks admission. Admitted.

739. James Coleman: 71. Irish. ChofEngl. 42 years in Canada Shoemaker by trade, was formerly an Inmate. says cannot earn enough to ^pay^ his expenses for board and lodging-seeks admission will make himself useful at his trade. Admitted.

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740. Thomas Larkin: applied on behalf of his Mother in Law, Ann Hickey, who was sent here by the Mayor for admission. says he has supported his Mother in Law for years, and is willing to do so now. does not wish her to receive any aid from a charitable Institution. Committee advised Mrs. Hickey to live with her friends, as the By-Laws of the Institution are against admitting persons who have friends able and willing to support them.

741. Ann Stuwert: aged 41. English. Emigrant. Out since 23rd of last Month. ChofEngl. came from Montreal yesterday, and in the evening to this Institution for shelter-destitute, and not very good health. Admitted for a time, until able to go to service.

742. Susan Finch: in Case 733, to have 12 lbs. bread a Week, & Groceries for this once. The Case to be referred to Visitor in a Month.

743. Fanny Dunn: in Case 732, to have 8 lbs. of bread a week for one Month, and Groceries this once

Friday 25th October 1872.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

744. Sarah Bennett: 433 King St. East. Husband George a labourer. They arrived from Lambeth, 9 weeks ago. Husband has a rupture and injured himself again since arrival here, by working in a drain-3 Children, Louisa, 9, Alice, 5, Anne 18 Months, said to be dropsical. Was confined 5 Weeks ago, but lost the child. In view of this fact, and the general unwholesomeness of the family, Visitor recommends one ration of tea, sugar, [etc.] and 8 lbs. of bread. ChofEngl. 28 years of age. Husband 29.

745. James Butler: in Case 755 in 1869. Went out without asking leave yesterday, and came home drunk at night. Was reprimanded by Committee and given to understand, if the like occurs again he will not be admitted.

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746. Peter Gordon: formerly an Inmate, See Case 632. Says he lived with Mr. Peter Patterson on Church near Bloor St. received injuries from a Horse falling on him 3 weeks ago which incapacitates him earning his living for the present. Seeks admission. Admitted.

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747. Francis Martin: aged 27. Wife, Mary Ann, aged 24, and 4 Children recommended for a few days shelter, until they can get a place to live in. Irish. R.C.

748. Ann Spence: aged 33, Nova Scotian. ChofEngl. says her husband is in the States, and she came to Toronto to better her condition, but failed doing so. has two Children with her. James 5 & Henry 2 1/2. Came here for a few days shelter.

749. Samuel Pye: 24. Painter by trade. English Emigrant, out since last March. Congregationalist. for the last 5 Months in General Hospital. Seeks a few days shelter-has been promised Employment by Mr. Wilkie Secretary of Young Mens Christian Association.

Tuesday 30th October 1872

No Committee present.

750. William Wade: who was apprenticed from this Institution October 24th/64, at the age of 9 years, to Alexander Campbell of the Township of Holland. returned this day Octbr. 29th. states that he left Mr. Campbell 18 Months ago on account of bad usage. worked since then for several parties from whom he has good testimonials to show.

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Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

751. John Thomas: 81 years of age, English. Chof England. 14 years in Toronto. Not able to earn his living on account of age and infirmities and no friends to assist him. Seeks admission. Admitted.

752. Thomas Hayes: rear 10 Albert Street. 70 years of age. Irish. R.C. and old resident, past work-to have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal when given out.

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753. John Shaw: 48. Scotch. Emigrant. 12 Months out. Chof England. Worked on the Railroad. has a carbuncle on his wrist which unfits him for work at present. Allowed shelter until fit for work.

754. Mary Ann Prezelle: in Case 778 in 1869 left the House. Cause. drunken & disorderly.

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755. Jane Finney: 36 Richmond St. west. A Married Woman, aged 39. Husband aged 32. Has 4 Children, a Girl 17, blind, boy 12, boy 5, and boy 3 years of age. Visitor saw neither the father or the blind girl. says they were in business on King near York Street. Visitor does not know what to think of them, they are both in the prime of life-their place is wretched and dirty, thinks there must be something wrong. perhaps the Committee may help them, say for two or three weeks, no More. Visitor will look them up again

756. Elizabeth Russell: Sumach St. formerly an Inmate in the House. Visitor recommends as one deserving of Out door relief. Recommended for bread for the Winter-some tea & sugar now, and Coal when given out.

757. Ann Kerr: aged 16. Was born in the States. Presbyterian, and Orphan, in bad health, afflicted with spine disease, consequently not able to take a place. No one belonging to her excepting of a Sister at Service in the City who has been paying her board. Mrs. Green and another Lady made application for her admission. Admitted Novbr. 5th.

Tuesday Novbr. 5th 1872.

Present. Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

758. Margaret Sprackett: 163 King St. West. A Widow, aged 50. ChofEngl. late from England. Has one little boy who is in the Country, she appears to be a respectable person. To have 4 lbs. bread for the present.

Friday, Novbr. 8th 1872

Present Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

759. Elisa Leader: 50 Cherry Street. Husband, Richard, a labourer, from London, England 12 Weeks next Monday. Out at work, did not see him. Wife was confined of a still born child, about 2 weeks ago and is still unable to move about. Children, Elizabeth, 13, does the Work of the family. Rosina, 11. John, 7. These two out picking up wood. Matilda 4. Minnie 1 1/4. has had 10 Children, of whom only the above survive. Chof England. Visitor recommends 10 lbs. bread a Week, and a ration of Sugar, Tea, Oatmeal & Rice.

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Friday Novbr. 8th 1872.

760. A Letter from Revd. Mr. Lawson referring to a Child on Erin St. was read. enquiries to be made and if a proper Case to be admitted.

761. Mary Johnson: 27. Single. 8 years in Canada. Scotch. Presbyt. Allowed shelter for a few days, and to see Doctor as she is not in good health at present.

762. Ellen Hudson: aged 24. From Manchester, England, 2 years ago. one Child, Emily 11 Months old. Has no house at present, seeks shelter for a few days. ChofEngl.

763. Enquiries were made about the Male Child in Case 760, and the following information obtained. An old Woman named Swanton living on Erin St. says it was brought to her when 10 days old, by its Mother Mary Harrison who promised to pay [dollars] 5, a Month for the Nursing of it. it is now 2 years and 2 Month old, and the Money has been paid regularly ever since with the exception of a few dollars. Mary Harrison the Mother lives with her parents at Niagara at present, but her misfortune [misfortune] happened when in Service in Toronto. Mrs. Swanton has a very bad leg, and is otherwise in bad health, and is utterly incapable of taking care of herself and less so of the child. Revd. Mr. Lawson and others have interested themselves to get the old Woman admitted into the General Hospital if the little one could be taken Care of at the mean time. Admitted for the present. The Mothers Name is Addison not Harrison.

Tuesday 12th Novbr. 1872.

Present, J.T. Smith Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

764. Mary Ann Robinson: aged 64. Irish. ChofEngland. 22 years in Toronto, says is not able to work on account of Rheumatism & has no place to live in.

Friday 15th Novbr. 1872

Present. J.T. Smith Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

765. Mary Ann Robinson: in Case 764. Allowed a few days shelter in building for casual poor and to see Doctor, all she is asking for at present.

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766. David Porter: in Case 641. Had leave to go out on the 13th has not returned yet, saw in yesterdays paper that he was taken up for drunkenness and brought before the Police Magistrate. If Porter should apply again for admission, the Committee will admit him on Condition that he not go off the premises again, if he does, not to be admitted again.

767. Ellen Hudson: aged 24. English. ChofEngl. one Child, Emily, 12 Months old-2 years out from England. Says has no where to stay. Allowed shelter for a time, to give her a chance to look for a place.

768. Margaret Newman: aged 27. Canadian. Presbyt. has been living in the States with a Brother, came back to Toronto 18 Months ago. No Home at present, allowed shelter for a few days until she can look up friends.

769. Susan Finch: in Case 742, recommended for another allowance of Groceries, and bread for a fortnight longer. The husband is still in Hospital.

Tuesday, 19th November, 1872.

Present. Very Revd. J.F. Jamot & N.C. Love Esqr.

770. Mary Ann Cook: 161 Ontario St. East. Not in when Visitor called, but a Neighbour told that she was a Widow with one Child who was confined to its bed with illness. That Mrs. Cook was no longer a young Woman, and had great difficulty in supporting herself & Child, by selling Cakes & Sweetmeats [etc.] some of which Visitor saw in the window would think she might have the bread, leaving the coal perhaps until Visitor see her himself. German. Presbyt. Girl 12 years of age.

771. Jane Taylor: 123 Queen St. East. Widow. husband was a Carpenter. They came out from England 2 years ago, were doing well until the husband fell sick and died about eight weeks ago. has four Children. Eldest boy out at service the rest at home. Seems a very respectable person, and Visitor is satisfied she would not apply unless forced to do so. Recommended for bread for two Months-a little tea and a few

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groceries and Coal twice when it is given out. To have 6 lbs. bread a week, and groceries (small allowance) for this once only.

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772. Jane Smith: Rear of 62 Duches [Duchess] St. Not in when Visitor called. A Neighbour told Visitor that she was badly off-has two very young Children. Might perhaps has some bread for the present. Visitor saw Mrs. Smith afterwards & recommends bread and a little Tea & Sugar. will report more fully next Friday.

773. Ann Tideman: 15 Elliotts Row. (in Case 727) her husband has sent her no assistance, her health is very poor, and she is dull of hearing. Visitor thinks it is likely she will have to remain on the relief list for the Winter. Recommended to get 4 lbs. bread a week until further orders.

774. Sarah Shipcott: No. 5 Rough Cast Row, near Corner of Cherry & Front St. 2 years here from Westminster, England, Husband, Robert, a labourer has been in the Hospital nearly one Month, is expected out next week. Children, Ellen, 9. Robert, 7. Susan, 6. John, 8 Months. Chof England. This family appears almost utterly destitute, scarcely any furniture, or convenience of any Kind. The girls seem rather sickly. Recommended 8 lbs. bread and such other relief as the House can afford. See Case 245 in 1871.

775. Ellen Hunter: 25 Dummer Street. Has been a Widow for about 3 Months. Has 3 Children, a boy 6, a girl 2 1/2, and a baby 4 Months old. Goes out washing and scrubbing. Is apparently respectable & deserving. Irish. R.C. Bread recommended, & Coal by & by.

776. Elizabeth Graves: White Woman, Widow. aged 30. English. ChofEngl. with 6 Children. (Coloured). Sarah, 13. Solomon, 11. Nathaniel, 8. George, 5. Jacob, 2. Richard, 7 Months old. Came from Muskoka where the husband died sometime since. They had shelter since Saturday. No claim on this City, and no means of returning from whence they came. Recommended to his Worship the Mayor for a pass to take them back.

777. Thomas Nolan: Aged 55. from Ireland since 25th of July. R.C. left wife and 5 Children at home. worked on Railroad since he came out, and met with an accident, falling of [off] a plank whilst wheeling a barrow load of stones, by which he injured the cap of his Knee, which he says incapacitates him at present of doing hard work. Seeks admission. To be admitted for a time, and to make himself useful as far as able.

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778. Duncan Muir and Wife, called a few days since on behalf of their Apprentice Mary Ryan, who has been with them since the 19th of March 1869. at that time 8 years of age, Muir says he has given up his farm, and has no further use for Mary, having his own Children to do all that is required now. Would like to have her transferred to his Brother in Law who has a farm of his own in his neighbourhood, Caledon. sent in an Application since filled in by his Brother in Law. The Weekly Committee referred this Case to General Board.

779. John Lonie: in Case 659, left the Institution. (Novbr. 21st) expects employment at his trade in the Country.

Friday 22nd. Novbr. 1872.

Present, Very Revd. J.F. Jamot, His Worship The Mayor & N.C. Love Esqr.

780. Fanny Jarvis: 39 Maple Lane, Husband has been ill with rheumatic fever and now suffers from the effects of it. Is a Sail Maker by trade, but can get little of anything to do. She has also been ill, having undergone several operations for abcess in the neck. Out from England about a year. Has two Children a boy 4, & a Girl 2. ChofEngland. Recommended for bread and an allowance of Groceries. Mrs. Jarvis stated to Committee that she had a sewing Machine, for which she was to pay [dollars] 35 paid off [dollars] 20, not being able to make the rest of her payments good. The agent took the Machine away from her. Supt. to make enquiries.

781. Charles Lewin: Aged 40. English. 10 Months out. ChofEngland. Clerk. came from Hamilton seeking Employment. destitute of means to support himself at present. Admitted for a time, to enable him to look for Employment.

782. Harriett Davis: in Case 704, is in receipt of a weekly allowance of bread. applied for Coal. No Coal given out yet. To have an allowance of Groceries, on account of husband's bad health.

783. Jane Smith: in Case 772. Canadian. Prestbyt. 2 Children, girls aged 7 & 5. Committee consider her a strong healthy young Woman who should support her family. Aged 30. Superintendent to make enquiries about her.

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Present, Revd. S.J. Boddy & J. Thom Esqr.

784. Mary Develin: 17 Dummer St. Not at home when Visitor called, nor her husband either. A little girl told Visitor her father had been ill, but was better again. He is a plumber by trade. The Mother has 5 days work nearly every week. Cannot see why she should have applied, but the Case is left to the Committee. Has 3 Children, all girls, 8, 4, & 2. It appears Mrs. Develin is near her confinement again, and her husband is not able to work. Committee will therefore allow 8 lbs. bread a Week.

785. Margaret Lawrence: 15 Elliotts Row, formerly an Inmate, to have 4 lbs. bread for one Month.

786. Charles Lawson: in Case 701 brought a Note from Mr. Crombie, St. Andrews Society, recommending Lawsons admission. Allowed to stay a day or two and see the Doctor. The Man has no claim on this Charity having come from Montreal 6 weeks ago, where he has been living the last 20 years.

787. James Watson: aged 66, Irish. ChofEngland. A Resident in Toronto since 1832. Not able to work on account of Rheumatism seeks admission for the Winter-some friends will take his Wife and provide for her Admitted.

788. Michael Furlong: in Case 734, went out yesterday on his own account, came back in the Evening under influence of drink. reprimanded by Committee & told not to do the like again if he wishes to remain an Inmate.

789. Bridget Hurst: rear of 53 Duchess St. Not in when Visitor called. An old Man who was in bed, did not give any clear account of Matters, and Visitor cannot at present undertake to say what relation Bridget may stand in towards him.

790. Mary Young: 86 Victoria St. 23 years old. Husband left her 7 Months ago. 2 Children, Girl 3 years & girl 11 Months. from England. Member of Weslian [Wesleyan] Methodist Church. Lame not able to work. Recommended 6 lbs. bread a week.

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791. Ann Ramboe: 62 Victoria St. 27 years old. Husband dead 3 years. 3 Children, Girls, aged 9, 7 & 6. Washerwoman. ChofEngl. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a Week.

792. William H. Brown: Aged 44. From London, England since last March. ChofEngland, says was 15 years in the Army & 5 years in the Militia. Labourer, seeking Employment. has a sprained ankle. seeks shelter for a few days. Left Debr. 22nd.

793. Ann Boles: rear 242 Elizabeth St. Coloured. Married. 2 Children. Girl 15, sick. girl 12. Husband a White washer, not in good health. has her Mother living with her who is 86 years of age, and very infirm. To have 8 lbs. bread a week.

Friday 29th November 1872.

Present. J Thom Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

794. Emma Rogers: No. 4 East Street, North of Rolling Mills. From Southhampton, England, 2 years ago. spent one year in Hamilton. Husband, Thomas, a labourer, broke his arm not long since and is now in the Hospital. Children, Alfred 4, Walter, 15 Months and Robert, 3 Weeks old. ChofEngland. The family is very destitute, but all the House can at present give, is an allowance of bread, say 8 lbs. a Week.

795. Ann Howden: 21 Nelson St. West, aged 32 years. ChofEngl. Not long out of Hospital. bad with Rheumatism. says her husband deserted her. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week.

795. Ann Kavanagh: lives in a Most disreputable place with Mrs. Asher, who has taken up with one 'Bill Smith'. She says she usually lives in Service. Visitor should recommend her to return to it.

797. John Shaw: in Case 753, his hand is now quite well. allowed to remain until next Monday, in the mean time to look for Employment.

798. Charles Lawson: in Case 786. allowed to remain until next Monday. and to look for work in the meantime.

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799. Sarah Shipcotte: in Case 774. To have 8 lbs. bread a week and a full allowance of Groceries for this once.

800. James Kennedy: Aged 30. Irish. ChofEngl. Labourer. 3 years in Canada. Out of Employment at present. Came from Hamilton looking for Employment in Toronto, asks for a few days shelter.

801. Charles Lawson: Case 798, and

802. James Kennedy: in Case 800, left to day Decbr. 1st. both got work in Thornhill.

803. John Shaw: in 797, left and went to Hamilton, got a pass from St. Andrews Society.



Tuesday 3rd Decbr. 1872,

Present, J. Jaques Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

804. Catharine Luney: 16 Garrison St. aged 34. Born at Amherstburg. In Toronto 2 Months. Husband died in February. 2 Children 3 & 6 years of age, both girls. No Means of support but what she can earn by washing [etc.] R.C. recommended for bread. 6 lbs. a Week.

805. William Moore: Wellington Avenue. east side of ravine. 60 years of age. English. In Toronto about 30 years. gathers rags [etc.] for a living, but makes but little in that way. steady but very easy going. Recommended for bread.

806. Selina Vaughan: 104 Bishop St. her husband a plasterer by trade has been ill since May and is just out of the Hospital where he underwent an operation. Is still very weak & unfit for work. 7 Children, the eldest in Service, 6 at home. Boy 12. Boy 10, girl 8, girl 6, boy 4, & girl 15 Months. Live in an unfinished house in great discomfort. English, and belong to English Church. Bread recommended and a little fuel at Xmas. To have 12 lbs. bread a Week.

807. Rosanna Lee: 54 Bishop St. Not at home when Visitor Called, but found she is in the same needy state as heretofore. An old deserving pensioner of the House.

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Tuesday, 8th December 1872.

808. Isabella Anderson: 54 Wellington St. Widow, aged 67. ChofEngl. English. To have 4 lbs. bread for the present.

809. Margaret Newman: in Case 768, allowed to remain till Friday next to give her an opportunity to look for a place.

810. Mary Lewis: in Case 588, frequently in the habit of taken to much strong drink, and thereby causing disturbance and disorder in the House. Committee ordered that she be dismissed from the House but her begging to be excused this time, and promising not to do the like again, she is to have one more chance, but if she gets drinking again Supt. to call in a Constable and have her removed off the premises.

811. Michael Shannon: 203 Chesnut St. Aged 66, Married. Irish. R.C. one Child at home, a girl 11 years old, the rest doing for themselves. Shannon is an old Out door pensioner and well known to Committee. To have 6 lbs. bread a Week.

812. Joseph Gallagher: in Case 399, 47 years of age. 20 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. Made application for admission. To see Doctor, and report next Friday.

813. Robert Gradwell: 50. English. ChofEngl. Paralyse. Carpenter by trade. 16 years in Toronto. Formerly an Inmate. See Case 474. Seeks admission again. Admitted on Condition that he Keep sober. if not to be dismissed.

814. Doctor examined Joseph Gallagher in Case 812, and states that he has an ulcer on each leg, and his left Arm has been injured recently by a fall, although he recollects nothing of it. The arm is only partially useful, at present, but appears to be improving, Doctor thinks it would be better to give him temporary shelter for a time as he certainly is not able to work in his present condition.

Friday, 6th December, 1872.

Present, Messrs. J. Jaques & E. Hobson.

815. Ann Madden: No. 7. Victoria St. 28 years old. A Labourer disabled from injuries received at Queens Hotel. 3 Children, aged 7, 5 & 2 years. Irish. R.C. recommended 8 lbs. bread.

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Friday, Decbr. 6/72.

816. Susan Malley: 28 Camden St. English. ChofEngl. Husband a ship Cartendr {carpenter?}, but has been some time out of work. One Son 17 years of age-but helpless. The Woman seems very respectable and anxious to work. Recommended for bread temporarily. 8 lbs. bread for a Month.

817. Elizabeth Weeks: rear of 28 King St. in Wilsons Yard. A Married Woman aged 36. Husband 40. Has 6 Children, the eldest 11 years, the youngest 4 ~~Weeks~~ days. She being just confined would require some nourishment. The husband is laid up this Month back, with a sore leg. if not for his being so, they need not have applied, as he earns when at work [dollars] 9 a week at Trunk Making. Visitor thinks the Man cannot work for some time yet. Recommended for some Groceries & 8 lbs. bread a Week for one Month.

818. Mary Humphrys: rear 79 Louisa St. Canadian. ChofEngl. Married. 39 years of age husband a Carpenter, went to the States 10 Months ago, has not heard from him since. 6 Children, boy 15, ears [dollars] 1.50 per Week at the Globe Office. Boy 12, in service for board. Boy 5, Girl 11. Assists her Mother sewing with a Machine, girl 8, & girl 3, all at home except boy 13. Visitor thinks she is a person worthy of relief. Would recommend 8 lbs. bread a Week & Coal.

819. Wilhelmina Barton: 79 Louisa St. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. Widow 52 years of age. one daughter 11 years of age, Mrs. B. is a Laundress, has not been well for some time past. Appears a clean industrious Woman. Recommended for Coal when given out.

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820. Sarah Ann Pearson: 107 Elizabeth St. was not at home when Visitor called.

821. Elizabeth Neal: 17 Agnes St. 71 years of age. Widow. ChofEngl. Ireland. Peddles. An old Out door Pensioner. Recommended for the same as last year.

822. Mary McBeth: rear 38 James St. Aged 64. Widow. Presbt. Scotch. Another old Out door Pensioner. Recommended the same as last year.

823. Sarah Ann Pearson: see Case 820. Married. Husband out of Employment. aged 22. From Totter [Totterdown Fields?] London since May. 2 Children, boys, 2 years & 10 Months ChofEngl

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Tuesday 10th Decbr. 1872.

Present, Revd. Dr. Green.

824. Elizabeth McLean: 91 Denison Avenue. A Widow aged 28. With 2 Children, girls, aged 4 & 2 years respectively. Has a room up stairs from a very respectable family and is apparently deserving. sews for a living. Not strong in health of late. English. Presbyt. Recommended for Coal & bread. To have 6 lbs. of bread.

825. John Powis: 165 Bathurst St. only out from England since July. Is a labourer. Has been sick and out of work seven weeks since his arrival. Out in search of employment when Visitor called. Has Wife and 3 Children, boys aged 13, 7, and 21 Months. A Congregationalist. Bread allowed for a Month. 8 lbs. a Week.

826. Wm. H. Pettigrew: 43 Bishop St. Visitor cannot recommend him, having been told that he and his 'Wife' so called, spend their time in drinking and carousing.

827. Elizabeth Davenport: rear of 27 Queen St. West. No such person there in fact there is no such Number, Nothing between 25 & 31. Visitor took some pains but failed.

828. Ann Conlan: rear 98 Queen St. East. Aged 35. Widow. 2 boys, 7 & 2 years, goes out to was and scrub. Natives of Ireland. R.C. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread.

829. Elizabeth Hudson: 51 Sumach St. Husband Bricklayers labourer, went down to Oshawa to work on a job for Mr. Snarr builder. Sent some Money home once, but has not been heard from for several weeks. Wife and 4 young Children consequently in great distress. Visitor recommends her for bread for a Month. some soup & one load of coal as soon as given out. Case to be then again referred to Visitor.

830. Edmund Grinley: Parliament St. 1st house south of Coplands Brewery. 3 1/2 Months from Nottingham. Labourer. Married. No Children. His Brother, Richard, lives with him. Both want work, but say that none can be found. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread a Week.

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831. Phoebe Morris: 88 South Park St. See Case 257 in 1871. Husband has Employment, but cant do much, owing to an affliction of the Eyes for which he is now under care of Dr. Rosebrugh. To have 8 lbs. bread a Week, & fuel when distributed.

832. Margaret Baker: 110 South Park Street. Came from London 5 Months ago. Husband, William was a Sailor, has just found Employment with Mr. Leish & Co. printers. Lost one of his fingers soon after arrival here. Children, Alice, 3. (has a very sore eye, for which Visitor advised a visit to the Infirmary). William, 2. Harriett (born at Sea) 5 Months old. Husband, Protestant. Wife, R.C. 8 lbs. bread a Week, & Coal when distributed.

833. Susan Finch: in Case 769. Visitor recommends a little Groceries-and will have the Medical Man Dr. Oldrights opinion of her Case and send it in next Friday.

Friday, 13th Decbr. 1872.

Present, A.T. McCord Esqr.

834. Mary Ann Ayles: Derby Lane, North side, rough cast house, 1st door from Parliament St. See Case 452 in 1871. Has since lost one of her Children but has still plenty remaining. Has been confined to bed for six weeks, and is likely to remain there for some time yet. All the earning of the husband will not put his family clear of debt. The poor Woman requires many things, bedding &etc. which cannot be furnished by the House. Visitor recommends 10 lbs. bread. Coal when distributed. also tea & sugar.

835. Jane Fraser: Derby Lane, showed Visitor the dwelling of above Case, and took occasion to pay her his annual visit. The old Man is on his back again, very bad with asthma. See Case 959 in 1871. The usual relief may be granted.

836. Mary Carroll: rear 77 Stanley St. 51 years old. two boys, 11 and 8 years of age. Sells fish. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread a week.

837. Ellen Coffin: 147 Victoria St. 30 years old. Widow. 3 Children. all boys, 2 years from England. Goes out to work. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week.

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838. Peter Kane: 108 Victoria St. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Jamot, & W.J. MacDonell Esqr. Kane is 40 years old, wife 36. 6 Children. The Man is very far gone in Consumption, and they are very poor. To have 12 lbs. bread a Week, and a full allowance of Groceries.

839. Louisa Marsden: 71 Richmond St. East. Not able to work on account of Asthma. has one Child a year old. English. ChofEngl. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week.

840. Ann Brown: 174 Bishop St. Husband, and daughter aged 16, & Son aged 8 years, ill with small pox. Sarah Ann Douglass a daughter in law, whose husband has just died of it lives with them, and none of them, can earn anything for some little time. A Months allowance of bread, and an allowance of Groceries recommended.

841. Jane Orpan: 27 Grogg Lane. A Widow aged 40. Not in when Visitor called. No Children. Lives with Johanna Hanrahan who says Jane is a very delicate woman. There are 4 Women living together in a miserable tenement, open and cold with but little furniture in the House. Case referred to Committee.

842. Mary Maddigan: 138 Richmond St. west, aged 68. R.C. Irish. lives Rent free. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a Week for the season and Coal when given out.

843. Jenett [Janett] Thompson: No. 12 Richmond St. West. Aged 74. Scotch. Presbyterian. wants Coal only. Recommended for 900 ^lbs.^ all at once, when the time comes.

844. Ann Conners: 138 Richmond St. west. Spinster. aged 73. R.C. Irish. Very feeble old Woman, lives rent free. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread for life, and Coal when distributed.

845. Mary Ann Harman: 119 Tecumseth St. Native of Newfoundland. In Toronto nearly 2 years. Widow, 5 Children, 2 boys, 11 & 8 years, 3 girls, 6, 3, and 1 year of age. No Means of support but what she earns by washing. A respectable Woman to whom it is a Charity to give assistance. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

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846. William Purdy: Beech St. South side, a few doors east of Parliment. This Case was reported upon last year. See No. 445. Mr. Purdy is still and always will be, a helpless invalid. He could scarcely do more when Visitor saw him yesterday than move from his Chair to his bed. Recommended for Coal for the Winter 1/2 a Ton at a time.

847. Samuel Stubbs: 40 Sumach St. An English Emigrant and his Wife and two Children. They have only been out 3 Months, and six weeks out of that time, Stubbs has been laid up by dysentery and low fever. He is a Bricklayer, and during the little time he was able to work, could always do well at his trade. Now of course while this severe weather lasts, there is nothing to be done. The Wife has been trying to obtains plain sewing [etc.] but without much success. Visitor recommends them for Coal a liberal allowance once, and bread for a Month. The Case to be then again referred.

848. Mary Slattery: 50 St. Davids St. Husband deserted her, and is now supposed to be in the Royal Artillery in England. She has 7 Children. the eldest a boy of 13 old enough to do something for himself. He has been out in a place, and his Mother is trying to get him a situation again. Visitor thinks Mrs. Slattery is an industrious and deserving Woman, and with her large family, would recommend that she have Coal 3 times, and bread for two Months.

849. Mrs. Stanley 82 Oak St. Husband dying in consumption. 5 young Children. Very respectable people, only came out last year. have seen much better days. Visitor does not think that the husband can live many days, and they are in great destitution Recommended for Coal 3 times, and bread for 2 Months.

850. Elizabeth Russell: 508 King St. East. (see Case 756.) was formerly in the House of Industry, and Superintendent is therefore of course aware of all the previous circumstances of her Case. Her brother in law has been very Kind to her, and pays her rent and has given her the few articles of furniture in her rooms. She has been trying to earn something by sewing [etc.] Visitor thinks the Board cannot do better than allow her Coal for the Winter, and bread for the next six or Eight weeks.

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851 Mary Miller: 29 Duchess St. and)

852. Elisa Death: 98 Jarvis St.) Visitor has not had time yet to call on those two Cases, but will do so in time for Tuesdays report.

853. Mary Ann Mansell: rear 19 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. 44 years of age. 6 Children, boy 24 a Butcher, boy 23 a Butcher, boy 21 apprenticed to Gurneys at [dollars] 2 1/2 a Week, girl 16 in Service. Girl 13, in the Country. girl 9 at home. apparently all at home, excepting the two girls in service. Visitor cannot recommend, as they all appear able to earn their own living.

854. Elizabeth Scott: rear 157 Centre St. English. Congregationalist. Married. 38 years of age. Husband a Pork Butcher, laid up for two or three Months with Asthma. 5 children, boy 11. boy 6. girl 8. girl 3. and girl 1 year old. To have 8 lbs. bread a Week. Husband to see Doctor.

855. Elisa Manning: 59 Elizabeth St. No such Number, or such person Known in the Neighbourhood.

856. James Hazlett: 15 Agnes St. Visitor thinks, Hazlett ought to provide for his family this Winter, having had relief last year.

857. Charles Wm Wilkinson: Aged 22. English. ChofEngl. Out from England 14 Months. in Toronto since May last. Was 3 Weeks in Toronto General Hospital with Typhoid fever. at present in a very weak state of health. Recommended by Dr. Ogden for admission.

Tuesday. 17th Decbr. 1872.

Present. Robert Wilkes Esqr.

858. Mary Powis: 26 Lumley St. From England since last May. Husband is a labourer, out of work for five Weeks. 4 Children, 2 boys, 12, & 8. 2 Girls, 5, & 2. She is industrious and does what she can. ChofEngl. Temporary aid recommended. 8 lbs. bread a Week for the present.

859. Elisa Gailey: 119 Bishop St. at Mr. Robinsons. A Widow. without Children. a deserving old pensioner of the House. To have Coal and bread.

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860. Sarah Moore: 13 Maria St. Case often reported on. Not in when Visitor called but seems the same as before. Recommended. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week & Coal when given out.

861. Emma Impey: 175 Spadina Avenue. Has husband and 5 Children, The second boy lost his arm by an accident and has been a great expence to the family. Very respectable but poor. English. 5 Months out from old Country. Congregationalists. Coal recommended to be sent to her.

862. Letitia Potter: rear of 140 Richmond St. west. Aged 41 husband 43. 3 Children, Girls, 13, 8, & 2. out from England 3 years, and getting charity every Winter since they came out, and likely will for the time to come. Visitor fears they are a poor lot. Committee will please judge the Case, if poverty give them a claim, they are surely poor enough. The girl of 13, ought to be at service. Committee allow 6 lbs. bread a Week.

863. Ellen Cooper: 69 Victoria St. 55 years old. Widow. Not able to work, has had her leg broken. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread.

864. Bridget McCabe: 98 Jarvis St. 79 years old. Not able to work through old age. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread a Week recommended.

865. Mary Cody: 124 Terauley St. aged 67. Widow. Irish. R.C. an old Pensioner. To have a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread & Coal when given out.



866. Isabella Philips: rear 143 Elizabeth St. Widow. Blind. Irish. ChofEngland. one Son aged 28, a Cripple who partly supports his Mother. To have 6 lbs. bread a Week & Coal when given out.

867. Elizabeth McKenzie: 22 Albert St. Aged 68. Spinster. Scotch. Methodist An old Outdoor Pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread a week, & Coal.

868. Elisa Death: 98 Jarvis St. Widow, no Children. In very bad health. Not capable of doing work enough (if she could get it.) to Keep herself in fuel & food through the winter. Visitor recommends her for Coal 3 times, and a small allowance of bread for two Months.

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869. Ellen Dixon: No. 6 Sydenham St. Widow. 4 Children, but only one (the youngest) at home, the rest having been taken into the Girls Home. Mrs. Dixons husband who was a clerk & bookkeeper, died last winter, leaving her in very destitute circumstances. She has no friends or connexions in this Country. She has been trying to support herself by her needle but cannot possibly get through the Winter without assistance. It is a sad case as she poor woman never Knew what it was to be dependent on others, until her husbands death. Visitor recommends her for Coal 3 times.

870. Mary Miller: 29 Duchess St. Not in when Visitor called.

871. Jane Smith: 56 Duchess St. and

872. Elisa Manning: 59 Duchess St. both out, or at least no where to be found at these Numbers, they better call and let visitor Know exactly where they live.

873. Mary Mandeville: 114 George St. Widow, 4 young Children. out when Visitor called, but thinks found out all that was necessary to Know about her from a neighbour. appears to be a hard working woman doing her best to support her family and deserving of assistance. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice bread for 2 Months. 8 lbs. bread a Week.

874. Mary Ann Robinson: in Case 764, died this day Debr 19th at 8 OClock P.M.

Friday, 20th Decbr. 1872.

Present R. Wilkes Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

875. Mary Ann Osborne: 43 Bishop St. Only 6 Months from England. Husband is a baker out of Employment, and is rheumatic. Three Children, boys, 5. 2 and one half & 6 Months. occupy one room in the House. Belong to English Church. Bread and Coal recommended.

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876. Agnes Brooks: N.E. Corner of Queen & Renfrew St. A Widow, aged 41. Of very delicate health. goes out working. Has two boys at School 8 & 5. Has a room up stairs for which she pays [dollars] 3 a Month. An English woman, out since July. Recommended Coal & Bread.

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877. Mary Hull: 50 Dummer St. A Widow aged 52. unable to do anything, owing to Rheumatism, in fact is quite helpless. A daughter 19 partially provides for her. Has also a boy, at School aged 10. To have Coal and Bread.

878. Jane Crawford: 32 Bishop St. out when Visitor called. A Widow, aged 64. No Children. Lives with a family named Marshall. Works about for her support. Seems not to live long in one place. Bread recommended. English. Native of Ireland.

879. Bridget Fahey: rear 34 Dummer St. Not in when Visitor called. a Widow aged 40. Has a boy 14, earning [dollars] 2, a Week, a girl 12, boy 9, boy 6, & girl 5. Washes & scrubs for a living. Her own place most untidy. Visitor supposes she might have help.

880. Mary Howith: in a lane off 72 Bishop St. Has a very bad Name in the Neighbourhood. Has just sent her "Man" adrift, Visitor presumes to be in a position to get help. Case left to Committee to decide.

881. Ann Flood: rear 32 Bishop St. A Widow about 70. A daughter whose husband has deserted her lives with her, and is confined to bed from the effects of rheumatism of years standing, her Knee being in a deplorable state. A grand child of 11 earns what he can, but is not of much use. Irish. R.C. Visitor would allow the daughter Groceries for the present. Also Coal and Bread.

882. Elizabeth Ryland: 26 Lumley St. A Widow aged 41. with one Son 21 earning [dollars] 3 a week. Lives with Mary Powis who has aid from the House, taking one room from her. Washes & scrubs for a living. English & belongs to English Church. Bread allowed, but as she uses Powis' stove Coal recommended alternately.

883. Mary Nolan: &

884. Catharine Dalton 28 Dummer Street. Reported on several times previously. Nothing new to add. Nolan has no Children, and uses Dalton's stove. Dalton has 3 Children. Bread recommended, and Coal alternately.

885. Ellen Sullivan: Andersons Lane: Visitor could not find her.

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886. Thomas Guyett: 11 South Park Street, was not in when Visitor called. From London 6 Months ago. Labourer. Wife was confined 4 days ago and lost the child. Children, Ann, 5. Thomas, 3. ChofEngland. Coal and 6 lbs. bread. Groceries for wife.

887. Margaret McNamara: 19 South Park St. &

888. Elizabeth Reid: 19 South Park St. Elizabeth Reid and husband Robert, an old couple from Cambridgeshire, about June 1837: lived 21 years on Kingston Road. sold their place there and have spent their Money. Apparently of the class who have "seen better days". Margaret McNamara, daughter of the Reids was not in: Widow of Andrew, has 5 or 6 Children, none living with her, or able to give assistance. All ChofEngland. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

889. Margaret McEvoy: 41 South Park St. From London, 3 years last August: lived a while at Stoffville [Stouffville]. Husband Daniel, a labourer, has sprained his arm: Visitor did not see him. Children, Owen, 16, at a Chemists. James 14, Daniel 11, Catharine 7 (3 last at School) Joseph 5, Thomas 3, Adeline 14 Months. ChofEngl. Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

890. Ellen Davion: 43 South Park Street. From Sligo, 20 years ago. Maiden name was Little. first husband named Hookway, lived for a time in Barrie. Children, twins, boy & girl aged 14. boy just out of place, girl at service: John 11, William 5. Lizzie 6, Rebecca 1. ChofEngl. Visitor did not see husband. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

891. Maria Ford: 73 Queen St. East. 38 years old, husband 40 years old. Shoe Maker. 5 Children, 7 Months from England. Cant get work. ChofEngl. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread.

892. Mary Godfry: 27 Victoria St. 65 years old, husband 66 years. Not able to work. ChofEngland. 6 lbs. bread a Week & Coal.

893. Isabella Carr: 101 Richmond St. East. 36 years old. Widow 4 years. 5 Children under 14 years, one a helpless Cripple. Mrs. Carr is suffering from Erysipelas. ChofEngl. 8 lbs. bread.

894. Louisa Brown: 112 Adelaide St. East. aged 51. husband left her. 2 Children, under 9 years. ChofEngl. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread.

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895. Winnifred Curtis: 98 Richmond St. East. 35 years old. Husband 35. deserted by her husband. 4 Children under 13 years. ChofEngl. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week.

896. Mary Hancock: & husband 56 Bay Street. A very respectable looking couple aged respectively 33 years. Lately from England. The Husband a Carpenter in bad health, not able to work. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a Week until further Notice.

897. Mary Alcock: 110 Boulton St. deserted by her husband. ChofEngl. has one Child 3 Months old. cannot go out to work, the Child being to [too] young. To have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

898. Mary Ferry: 100 Boulton St. Widow aged 58. Came out to this Country expecting to be assisted by a Son who lives in Toronto but who has a large family of his own, and cannot do much for his Mother. To have 4 lbs. bread, & Coal & Soup.

899. Moses Murphy: 25 Melinda St. an old Widower, aged 75. R.C. Irish. An old residenter. Cannot do much work at his age To have 4 lbs. bread for the season & Coal.

900. Margaret Wells: Boulton St. Lane. A Widow aged 55. R.C. to have 4 lbs. bread weekly. & Coal twice only.

901. Jeseaithy [Jessaitha] Porter: 110 York St. up stairs. deserted by her husband. has 5 Children, all boys, aged respectively, 15, 10, 7, 5, and 10 Months. Suffers from inflammation. Not long in Town. English, came out when but 10 years of age. Recommended to Committee.

902. Bridget Pickering: 138 Richmond St. west. Widow, aged 28. R.C. has two Children aged 4, 2 and one half. also her Widowed Mother is living with her. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a Week, and Coal, say 1200 lbs. for the season

903. Hon. Mr. Allan [Mayor] sent word that his report wrote last night ready for the Messenger when he called this morning was by some mistake of the Servants put with some waste paper into the fire. Visitor has therefore only time now to send the Names with what he had recommended to each which Visitor hopes will be sent without

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fail having taken a great deal of trouble to visit all the Cases in order that they might have the relief before Christmas. See following Cases [904-909].

904. John McBride; 218 Duke St. Coal & Bread. Coal twice bread for 6 weeks.

905. Ana Hare: 61 Duchess St. Coal twice bread two Months.

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906. Elisa Manning: 59 Duchess St. Coal twice, bread two Months, a little tea, sugar, & oatmeal for sick child.

907. Mary Ann Bulmer: 115 Sumach St. Coal twice, bread for a Month.

908. Elizabeth Hudson: 57 Sumach St. Coal 3 times, bread two Months.

909. William Dell: 31 Duchess St. Coal once, bread for a Month. Visitor will send all particulars of above Cases by Tuesdays' report.

910. Catharine Wilson: 81 Agnes St. Widow, aged 56. Irish. ChofEngl an outdoor pensioner of some years standing. her Son who partly supported her has left her now. She picks & sorts paper [etc.] and earns from a dollar to a dollar and a half a week. Suffers with a bad leg. Visitor recommends Bread & Coal.

911. Mary Matthews: 25 Hayter St. English. ChofEngland. 31 years of age 2 daughters, 9 & 7. a very respectable clean person, been ill for some time with inflammation on the lungs. To have 600 lbs. Coals, a full allowance of Groceries & 8 lbs. bread a Week.

912. Elisa Thompson: 110 Chesnut St. Scotch. ChofEngland. Widow. 45. No family, says is in bad health. To see Dr. at 3 OClock on Tuesday.

913. Mary Anderson: 99 Chesnut St. Could not be found, and no one seemed to Know her in the Neighbourhood.

914. Ellen Connell: 60 years of age, Irish. R.C. in Hospital for last 5 Months, now discharged as an incurable. had her feet frozen and lost her toes some years ago. She is Mother to Cornelius the Idiot who died last Summer in the House. Sent by the Mayor for admission.

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Present, Revd. Dean Grasett. E. Hobson Esqr & Adam Miller Esqr.

915. Margaret Gartland: 17 1/2 Renfrew St. Widow. Case often reported upon. Not in when Visitor called. Has two daughters 17 & 16, both working regularly. Has been sick of late, and not able to work. Aid recommended.

916. Mary Pollard: 3 Renfrew St. A Widow, for some years on the House. aged 59. Has still her two grand Children to take care of. Irish. Methodist. Aid recommended.

917. Julia Burton: 26 Dummer St. Widow 50. No Children. Lives with a Mrs. Hale, and has a very cold room. No stove. and old Pensioner. Bread recommended; The amount of Coal left to the Committee. Irish. R.C.

918. Elizabeth McMullen: 208 Queen St. west. Out at work when Visitor called. Has a husband, a Waggon Maker who has been laid up in bed for 7 weeks with swollen feet and legs 2 Children, a boy 11, a girl 10. English. ChofEngl. Bread and Coal recommended & an allowance of groceries

919. Mary Hickling: 25 Robinson St. an old Widow living with a Son in law. who wishes to be independent of him. A worthy old person who has been helped by the House for years. Bread recommended.

920. Jane Kingham: rear 15 Maria St. aged 71. Widow. Irish. ChofEngl to have Coal as usual 900 lbs.

921. Elisa Donohoe: 17 Dummer St. A Widow, aged 50. An industrious Woman, not able now to work as much as formerly owing to a poisoned hand. Has 2 Children, boys, aged 11 & 9. Takes a room from Mary Develin who has help from the House. Irish. R.C. Church. Recommended for Coal and Bread.

922. Sarah Ketts: 68 Stanley St. 40 years old, husband 45. near sighted, saws wood. 4 Children under 9 years. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week.

923. Honora Boyle: 75 Stanley St. Aged 72 years. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week & a little Tea, sugar [etc.]

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924. Mrs. Diamond: 88 Victoria St. 30 years old. Husband left her 5 Months ago. two Children, twins, 4 Months old. Not able to work on account of the little ones. R.C. Irish. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread.

925. Sarah Jane Hunter: 151 Victoria St. Husband left her 6 Months. 3 Children, all girls. goes out to scrub & wash. ChofEngland. To have 6 lbs. bread a Week.

926. Catharine White: 23 Queen St. East. 80 years old. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread a week recommended.

927. Cecilia Edmonds: 23 Queen St. East. 74 years of age. Husband 79. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 6 lbs. bread a week recommended.

928. Catharine Scales: Richmond St. East. old Number rear 85. Aged 39. Husband dead. 2 boys, 8 & 5 years of age. ChofEngl. Wants Coal.

929. Bridget Ketts: 100 Richmond St. East. 70 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week.

930. Alice Torphy: rear of 289 Queen St. west. Widow. R.C. aged 43. Has two girls, 13 & 9. the one 13 earns [dollars] 2 a Week at stitching books. Mrs. Torphy is not in very good health. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread a Week and Coal.

931. Ann Kirk: lives in the same Room with above. Visitor recommends them to have 1200 lbs. Coal between them for the season.

932. Fanny Cotterell: rear of 59 Queen St. west. No such Number.

933. Susan Berry: 89 Boulton St. deserted by her husband. ChofEngland Irish a poor delicate Woman aged 46. To have 4 lbs. bread & 900 [ditto] Coal

934. Mary Gormley: Boultons Lane. had left the place when Visitor called.

935. Joanna Sims: in Boulton Lane, deserted by her husband. Aged 42. Irish. R.C. has one one boy aged 12. To have 4 lbs. bread a Week & 900 lbs. Coal for the season.

936. Mrs. Adams: 100 Elm St. Visitor was informed, she did not reside there.

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937. Alice Murphy: 98 Terauly St. Irish. R.C. 40 years of age. Husband a Labourer. 10 Children, girl 16. in Service. boy 14, earns [dollars] 3 and one half a Week. boy 13, in Service at [dollars] 4 a Month & board. girl 6. girl 4. boy 4. girl 2 years of age & a baby 2 Months old. Recommended for soup when given out.

938. Agnes McKee: rear of 81 Agnes St. Irish. Methodist Church. Husband left her 18 Months ago. 35 years of age. 3 Children. girl 10 with bad Eyes. girl 5, and boy 2 years of age. Earns a living by sewing, a clean respectable Woman. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a Week, and 900 lbs. Coal all at once.

939. Hannah Robertson: rear of 38 Centre St. Not in when Visitor called.

940. Mary Cogan: 18 Agnes St. 48 years of age. A Widow. Irish. ChofEngl. Charwoman. 6 Children. To have as in former years. 8 lbs. bread a Week, and Coal.

941. Ellen Angel: King St. 1st door East of Niagara St. English. In Toronto since May last. Four Children, 2 boys 8 & 10. 2 girls 6 & 3. Husband a labourer, but out of work 6 weeks. Visitor recommends Bread & Coal when given out.

942. Hamilton Lyons: 80 Little Richmond St. Adelaide not Richmond St. English. ChofEngl. In Toronto 2 years. Three Children, 10. 7. & 5. Formerly employed at Steel works. Met with an accident seven weeks ago and is now unable to work. The poor Woman is a great sufferer who ought rather be in Hospital than doing home work. Recommended Coal when given out & Bread.



943. Ellen Rutherford: 85 Sherborne St. Very old woman, Widow. No Children. Peddles apples [etc.] in Summer. living in a wretched garret, wonder she has not been frozen this cold weather. Recommended for Coal 3 times & bread for two Months.

944. Margaret O'Brien: 12 Duchess St. An old Woman. A Widow. No Children. an old Case. been relieved by the House for many winters and really requires it. Recommended for Coal twice and bread for two Months.

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945. Mary Denman: 61 Ontario St. English Emigrants 5 Months out. Husband Wife and five young Children. Have all been ill since they came out. and the Children are the most wretched looking little objects possible. Husband has been at work off & on. and Visitor has no doubt that once over this first winter, if they have no more sickness they will do very well. Recommended to be allowed Coal twice. bread for one Month. With timely help now. they will probably never require or look for it again.

946. Alfred Allan: Ontario Lane off of Ontario St. East side between Duchess & Queen. last House. Husband and Wife and 3 young Children and a fourth coming! Husband a steady decent man, a labourer. has been ill. but the main cause of their trouble, was that they were burnt out some Months ago, at their former place of abode up near the Humber. Visitor recommends them for Coal once now. and would allow a little bread also for a Month. as the Wife cannot do scarcely do anything expecting her confinement very shortly.

947. Ellen Rearden: 99 Pine St. Old woman, Widow. No Children. sells tape, oranges, cakes etc. in the Market in Summer. Recommended for Coal twice, bread (small allowance) for six [six] weeks.

948. Sarah Raffey: Sydenham lane, east side. North of Sydenham Street and running North. Widow, 3 Children. one a boy earning a little for himself. the two other Children very young. Visitor found the poor Woman without a particle of fire and no means of procuring it. They have had illness too. Certainly a Case of undoubted distress. Recommended for Coal 3 times, bread for two Months.

949. Mary Rogers: 333 Queen St. east.

950. Ellen Casey: 333 do [ditto] do [ditto]

951. Cathr. Edwards: 333 do [ditto] do [ditto]

All living in one miserable tenement utterly unfit for occupation. All Widows. all old pensioners and reported on for some winters past. Mrs. Rogers 1 Child a boy who sells News papers. Mrs. Edwards 1 Child at home a cripple a girl. Mrs. Casey one Child but not at home now. Recommended all for the same allowance of Coal 3 times. bread 2 Months.

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952. James Hull: rear of 51 Sumach St. English Emigrants. Husband Wife and four young Children. Husband has been out of Employment but is willing to do anything. Visitor has given him some small jobs about his own place, and found him very industrious. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month, They will require no further assistance after that.

953. Elizabeth Hudson: 57 Sumach St. Poor Woman in great distress. Husband a Bricklayers Labourer gone to Oshawa in search of Employment. Has not heard from him for some time, and No Money. Recommended for Coal once, bread for one Month, as she has 3 young Children.

954. William Dell: 31 Duchess St. English Emigrants. Wife and 4 Children, all young, one boy 12 years old, earning something for himself. Husband working at anything he could get to do. Recommended for Coal once, bread for 6 weeks. He may by that time get something to do, but at present he has tried everywhere without success.

955. John McBride: 228 Duke St. Husband and Wife. old. not fit for much in Winter. reported upon in previous years. Recommended for Coal twice. bread for six Weeks.

956. Mary Ann Bulmer: 228 Duke St. 115 Sumach St. not Duke. Husband Wife and 3 Children. English Emigrants. Came out last year and settled at Mill point near Napanee. Husband steady work piling Lumber. doing well. Mill burnt down last summer. all the work people thrown out of Employment. Bulmer among the rest. Came up here in search of work. spent all their little savings in a few necessary articles of furniture and have had scarcely any work. Bulmer a decent hard working man if he can get the work to do. Visitor has given him an odd job about his own place to Keep them going. Recommended for Coal once and bread for a Month.

957. Anne Hare: 61 Duchess St. Old woman, a Widow. 1 daughter helps to pay the rent. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

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958. There is a Case of great distress at No. 9 Oak St. which Visitor would like to have brought before the Committee. A Man of the Name of McGee, wife and a large family of young Children. McGee was once very comfortable off, a Carpenter by trade, doing well and independent. He has been lying now poor Man ill with consumption for the last 18 Months, all their savings are gone and they have really no means except through the Kindness of friends of paying rent buying fuel etc. If half a Cord of Wood could be sent to them it would be a great boon. Visitor says Wood first of all because Coal they cannot burn in their stove without more or less smoke which he could not stand in his present state and also because Visitor should be sorry that they should be mortified by their neighbours seeing "the boxes" coming to the House. 600 lbs. Coal was sent without the boxes.

959. William Welch: 22. Canadian. has been sailing and labouring during summer. No Employment since Navigation closed. seeks shelter for a few days.

960. Albert J. McLaughlan: aged 26. A Lower Canadian R.C. says worked at North Orilla. came to Toronto on account of a sore arm, will go back on Monday. seeks shelter in the Mean time.

961. Murdoch McRae: 68 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. A Shoemaker by trade. Lived in lower Canada 38 years. Came to Toronto seeking work, says cannot get any work. seek admission until able to get Employment.

962. John Edwards: Aged 25. English. ChofEngl. 8 Months out. A Clerk. Out of Employment. No Means of support. parted with his Clothing. seeks admission for a time.

963. William Smith: Aged 44. Irish. R.C. 9 years out. Labourer seeking Employment. No Means. had shelter. is asking to stay until the 1st of the Month. Pensioner

964. William Scott: Aged 30. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. 3 Months out. Out of Employment. A Bookkeeper & Clerk. No means to pay his way. Seeks shelter until he can procure some Employment.

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965. William Tindle: Aged 38 English. ChofEngl. Out since last April. A Labourer, worked on a farm, but is not wanted now, came to Toronto seeking Employment. No Means seeks shelter for a time.

966. Arthur Fairley: 39 years of age, from Scotland 9 Months ago. Presbyterian Church. Blacksmith by trade. worked at Windsor. sick for the last 4 Months, and lost his Employment. Came on to Toronto to look for work. No Means. seeks shelter.

967. John Kelly: aged 36. Irish. R.C. A Labourer out since last August. Worked on the Railroad, got his foot badly hurt which laid him up for some time. No Means, came to Toronto looking for work seeks shelter for a time.

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968. Aaron Durham: Aged say 60. English. Methodist. 26 years in this Country, lived most of his time on Yonge St. and in Yorkville as Ostler. A Hunchback cripple, not able to earn his living any longer. seeks admission. Admitted.

969. John Bramble: aged 72. English. ChofEngland. has been a soldier. Came out here with his Regiment in 1827. took his discharge in Toronto. No pension. Not able to earn his living any longer. Recommended for admission by Mr. Donaldson, Emigrant Agent who has Known the old Man for some years.

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Present. E. Hobson Esqr. & J Tyner Esqr.

970. Jemima Kidney: King Street 3rd. door East of Tecumseth St. Irish. Protestant. Four Children, 1 boy 6 years of age, 3 girls 4, 2 & 1 year of age. Husband a Labourer. was employed at the wharf but seems to have spent his Money as fast as he earnt it, so that now when he is out of work his wife and Children are in want. Recommended for Coal & bread. Committee granted no relief.

971. Ellen Clark: 446 Adelaide St. west. Scotch. in Toronto 11 years. Widow. Husband died about a year ago, leaving her without means of support. has two boys, one 7 years and the other 4 Months old. before her illness maintained herself by peddling, has recently been dependent upon the Kindness of a Mrs. Rogers with whom she is living. Bread & Coal.

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972. Mary Miller: rear of 170 Little Richmond St. Lower Canadian, R.C. Formerly professed to be a Widow. but when questioned more closely acknowledged that she has a husband "who lives all over". The house was warm and comfortable & boys and Men enough to earn a good living if they would work.

973. Jane Smith: 182 little Richmond St. English. ChofEngl. Two Children 11 & 3 years of age. Husband Keeps more steady than formerly. but had done very little for 7 weeks. having hurt his foot while employed on one of the Boats, so that he has not been able to work. now wishes employment but cannot get it.

974. Margaret Lennon: 125 Tecumseth St. Irish. ChofEngl. 72 years of age. suffers from Rheumatism, and is unable to earn her living. a respectable old Woman. Recommended bread & Coal.

975. John Tracey: 115 Tecumseth St. Irish. R.C. An old soldier of the 43 Regt. No pension. 70 years of age. lost his Wife a few Months ago. Three in family, viz, his step daughter who Keeps the House, and helps to furnish supplies & a little boy of 4 years. A decent old Man. Recommended for Coal and bread.

976. Harriett Kendall: 98 Strachan St. English. ChofEngl. In Toronto four Months. has 4 Children, girl 11, boy 10, 8, 5. husband a labourer was employed on Central prison till the frost set in and threw him out of work. he has been so short a time in the Country that he has not been able to make sufficient provision for the winter. Coal & Bread.

977. Angelina Wheeler: 240 Little Richmond St. English. Primitive Methodist Husband has been dead about a Month. one child a boy of 7. dependent upon what she can make by her needle, and the little she earns by cleaning an Office. Recommended Coal and bread.

978. Ann Kirk: in rear 289 Queen St. west. one of the old pensioners. Recommended the same as usual, 4 lbs. bread a Week for the season and Coal twice. Kirk & Alice Torphy use the same stove.

979. Fanny Cotterill: rear of 67 Queen St. West. Her husband left her. has one one Child 2 years old. W. Methodist. Recommended for Coal 3 times, she wants no bread.

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980. Rachel McKeever: rear of 23 Adelaide St. west. Married, has 4 Children all boys, 6, 4, & 2 years, and baby 9 weeks old. Mrs. McKeever is 29, and husband 27 years of age, the latter a smart active Scotch man. has no work at present. They seem to Visitor a worthy family, who recommends 8 lbs. bread a week and Coal 3 times. Refused relief on account of having only recently come from Montreal where they have a claim.

981. William Sanders: 11 Elliotts Row. Married aged 36. Wife 33. 3 Children, girls 7 & 2, and boy 5. ChofEngland. English. Came out the summer before last. works at Shoemaking, must be a poor hand says he earns only about [dollars] 3 a week. they are both in the prime of life. Visitor thinks it would be as well to allow them a little relief say 6 lbs. bread a Week and Coal twice.

982. Bridgett Connally: rear 82 Stanley St. 40 years old. one boy 10 years old. goes out to wash. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

983. Thomas Burns: 81 Stanley St. 86 years of age. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

984. John Richardson: rear 66 Stanley St. 72 years old. Not able to work. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread and Coal.

985. Mary Spence: 82 Stanley St. 60 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coals.

986. Margaret Christmas: 86 Victoria St. 60 years old. A Widow. R.C. goes out to wash. 4 lbs. bread and Coal.

987. Catharine McCran: 56 Bond Street. 40 years old. A Cripple. Not able to work. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal.

988. Davenport Ross: 53 Queen St. East. Visitor could not find such a person.

989. Henry Smith: 90 Ann St. 50 years old. Wife 40. 4 Children. under 14 years. he cannot get work. a Labourer. Baptist Church. 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

990. Johanna Riley: 22 Queen St. west. 40 years old. 2 boys. R.C. Bread & Coal

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991. Elizabeth Metcalf: rear 5 Gerrard St. East. 36 years old. husband left her. 4 Children under 15 years. Goes out to wash. English Church 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

992. Judy Mullen: rear 21 Queen St. East. 60 years old. husband 60. Not able to work. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

993. Elizabeth Ferguson: 4 Richmond St. East. A Widow 38 years old. 3 Children, one girl 19 years old earns [dollars] 2 [cents] 75 a week in a store. The other Children 4 & 2 years. Goes out washing. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

994. Ellen Staunton: 11 Richmond St. East. 34 years old. Husband gone to the States. No Children. 4 lbs. bread and Coal. Committee recommend that she go to service.

995. Charles Curtis: 98 Richmond St. East. 35 years old. a labourer. 4 Children under 14 years of age. Wife not strong. English Church. 12 lbs. bread and Coal.

996. Mary Ruglan: rear of 91 Jarvis St. passage way right hand. An elderly woman and her husband. She has lost the sight of one eye. Her husband is quite an old man in bad health. Visitor thinks they ought to have a small allowance of Coal twice. bread (small loaf) for one Month.

997. Ellen Thompson: rear of 93 Jarvis St. passage way left side. Widow. elderly woman. Case reported on in former years when she used to live at No 10 Duchess St. Visitor thinks she might have Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

998. Ellen Courteney: 119 Jarvis St. East. rear top of steps. She and her husband both old people, and she herself is at present confined to her bed. They have one Child a boy at Jaques and Hays, but he is quite young and his wages there are very small. Visitor recommends Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

999. Lucy Currey: in the Cellar of 123 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngland. Married. 40 years of age. A Charwoman. Husband has left 8 years ago. one daughter 8 years of age. steady industrious woman. To have Coal.

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Friday. 27th December 1872.

1000. The Committee to advertise and open Tenders Met to day at 11 OClock A.M.

Present, Revd. Mr. Broughall & Messrs E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

The following Tenders were read [read],

for Bread, the 4 lbs. loaf at 11 1/2 Cents. Tendered for by Wm Aitkin.

George Coles Tender at 10 1/4 Cent. George Coles Tender being the lowest was accepted.

Four Tenders for Meat:

James Hewlett [dollars] 2 [cents] 50 per 100 lbs.

Peter Hutty, at [dollar] 1 [cents] 90 per 100 lbs.

John McCarter at [dollar] 1 [cents] 95 per 100 lbs.,

& W.J. Bird [at] [dollar] 1 [cents] 50 per 100 lbs.

Mr. Birds Tender being the lowest, was accepted.

Margaret Harpers Tender for Milk at 18 cents per Gallon, being the only Tender for Milk was accepted.

James Shields & Co. Tender for Groceries being the only one in was accepted.

1001. William Merritt: in Case 670 died this day Debr. 27th at 6 OClock A.M. Aged 76 years.

1002. Hannah Sanigar: rear of 25 Elizabeth St. Widow, aged 69. English. ChofEngl. The boy that helped to support her has gone to the states. To have same relief as last year.

1003. Margaret Tansey: 27 Elizabeth St. Married, aged 70. ChofEngl. Ireland. Husband not able to work on account of bad leg. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly and Coal.

1004. Sarah Waller: 66 Agnes St. English. Congregationalist. Marrd. [married] 5 Children. 2 left for parts unknown. daughter 16 in Service at [dollars] 5 a Month. girl 6 & girl 7 at home. was lately confined. Child died. still sick in bed. One Months relief.

1005. George Hawkins: Aged 25. English. ChofEngl. A Bookkeeper. Out of employment. 5 weeks from England. No Means. seems very respectable. Seeks shelter for a time.

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Present. J. McBean Esqr & E. Hobson Esqr.

1006. Catharine Sheridan: in the rear of No. 11 Richmond St. East. does not want relief.

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1007. Frances Blackstone: 60 Victoria St. 32 years old. Husband 36. painter by trade, cant get work. two Children under 12 years. Twelve Months from London, England. ChofEngland. Recommended to 6 lbs. bread a Week & Coal.

1008. Elizabeth Shanahan: rear of 23 Queen St. East. 80 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal.

1009. Catharine Coldwell: 40 Stanley St. 50 years old. Cannot work. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

1010. Elisa McKewon: 53 George St. Not 35. "T. Walker Shoemaker" over the door. Widow, 14 years from Ireland. one child a son now in Chicago or thereabout. Rooms with Margaret Leahey, and old apple woman, who asks relief on her own behalf. Both R.C. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal alternately.

1011. Frances Hood: 16 Front St. East, up stairs, back room. An old Case (see Case 1080 in 1859) The Child Jane Smith, now aged 10 years, lives with her: No one else. Acts as House Keeper for part of the Building. Will be satisfied with an occasional allowance of Coal, which Visitor recommends.

1012. Ann Horan: 20 George St. South of Front. No. 20 is nailed to a fence on a vacant lot. There is no House on West ~~East~~ West side of George St. from Front Street Corner to Esplanade.

1013. Mary Grace: rear 21 Dummer St. Not in when visitor called. deserted by her husband 5 years ago. No Children. Has been sick for seven weeks, and obliged to burn her bedstead. does what work she can get. Irish. R.C. Coal & bread recomd.

1014. Matilda Robinson: 118 Bishop St. aged 55, her husband being 80 and unable to work. Has one boy 11. She tries by Charwork to support the family. Has lost a Cow lately, which used to be a great help to her. is very poor. Irish. Chof England. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

1015. Ann Lloyd: 12 Elliotts Row. an old Pensioner, W. Methodist. gets bread. to have 900 lbs. Coal all at once.

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1016. Margaret Quigley: 172 Bishop St. out working when visitor called. Lives with her Son in Law, having a couple of rooms up stairs. Has one boy aged 14, obtains 2 or 3 days work in the week. Irish. R.C. a little aid recommended.

1017. Mary Ann Bright: rear of 21 Dummer St. a respectable old Widow. aged 87. unable to work. Canadian. English Church. No Children. Takes a room from a seemingly respectable party. Coal and bread recommended.

1018. Joseph Parrott: rear 333 Queen St. west. Married, aged 46. Wife 24. ChofEngl. has 3 Children, boy 5, boy 2, and girl 4. English. He cannot earn much during the Winter. 6 lbs. bread & Coal 3 times.

1019. Catharine Moriarty: 29 Elliotts Row. A Widow, aged 29. Has two Children, boy 12, girl 10. the girl is lame with one leg. R.C. Irish. Recommended bread & Coal 3 times.

1020. Rose Potter: rear of 117 Queen St. aged 32, husband 36. English. ChofEngland. Labourer, is not very well, since he worked in our drains last summer, which gave him the Rheumatism so he says. if our Doctor confirms his statement they ought to have 6 lbs. bread a week and Coal 3 times. if not Committee Know what to do.

1021. John Mack: 5 Elliotts Row. sickly looking, not very old, only about 48. Wife 45. but not able to do much work. he appears to be in a decline. Irish. R.C. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a Week and Coal 3 times. Mack to see our Doctor [at] 3 OClock. Doctor examined, cannot find much the Matter with the Man only seems not very strong.

1022. Jane Curran: and [an] old Pensioner, lives in rear of Queen St. entrance on Brock St. called Alma lane, the farthest east Cottage on the lane. She is in receipt of bread from the House. recomd. for Coal also 900 lbs. all at once. very sick at present, will require Groceries. Irish. ChofEngland.

1023. Susan Woods: Corner of Bloor St. and Spadina Avenue, A Widow aged 72. In receipt of aid for a Number of years. still needs it, and is recommended as usual for Coal and bread.

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1023 1/2. Elizabeth Jackson: Spadina Avenue. North of Judge Wilsons. A Widow aged 46. Has 6 [5?] Children at home, 3 girls, 12, 11, & 8, and 2 boys, 6 & 4. Lives in a Miserable room without any comfort. Is a Charwoman and apparently industrious but cant get much work now. very poor. A German, Methodist Recommended for Coal & bread.

1024. John Bramble: in Case 969 To be admitted in the House.

1025. John Tollputt: aged 25. Methodist. An English Emigrant out since last August. No Employment at present, and did not earn much since he came out. No means to support himself. Was sent by the Mayor for admission for a short time. Admitted.

1026. Mary Tracey: 115 Tecumseth St. Lives in the House of her father in law John Tracey who receives assissance [assistance] from the House. Two Children, boy and Girls who are able to provide for themselves. Mrs. Tracey is employed at Taylors' Adelaide St but has not regular work.

1027. Harriett Kendall: 98 Strachan St. English. in Toronto about 4 Months. Husband a labourer who had Employment at Central Prison till the frost set in and put a stop to work. seem respectable people. Four Children girl 11. boys 10, 8, and 5 years of age. This being their first year in the Country, they have not been able to Make provision for the Winter. Recommended Coal.

1028. Elizabeth Hallam: 96 Strachan St. Has been in Toronto about 6 Months. Husband had Employment before the cold weather set in, but his wages were not sufficient to enable him to fit up his house and provide for Winter. Mrs. Hallam has suffered greatly from Rheumatism. six Children, 1 girl 14, has been Kept at home on account of her Mothers illness, 5 boys between 12 & 2 years. Recommended for Coal.

1029. Mary Ann Coleman: 89 Tecumseth St. Irish. Widow. one son 12 years of age. In Toronto 22 years. Formerly not the most steady person in the West End. Now however is well spoken of. Professes to be unable to get work for her own and boys support. Recommended.

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1030. George McKenzie: 16 Garrison St. Scotch, Presbyterian. 3 Children boy 10, girl 8 & girl 2 years of age. Labourer. suffering from a sore hand which quite prevents him doing anything. has made no provision for the Winter. Recommended Coal once.

1031. William Scott: in Case 964 and

1032. John Edwards: in Case 962, both to be admitted for a time.

1033. George Hawkins: aged 25. ChofEngland. English. only 6 weeks from England. Bookkeeper, respectable, out of Employment. No Means. his Clothes were retained by his landlord in Montreal for board. Admitted for a time. See Case 1005.

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1034. Henry Smith: 41. English. ChofEngl. A labourer, 20 years in the Country. out of Employment. had shelter for some time.

1035. Hugh Mathieson: aged 60. Scotch. Presbyterian. And [an] old soldier without any pension. discharged from General Hospital, where he has been for the last five weeks. Seeks admission.

1036. Patrick Murphy: Aged 23. Canadian. R.C. Labourer. Came here for shelter with frozen feet.

1037. Margaret Saulkey: 57. Irish. ChofEngl. an old Case, turns up at the House now and then. seeks admission for a time.

1038. Ann Finn: aged 50. a Widow. Irish R.C. had shelter for some days. says is not in very good health. will lake [take] a place as soon as able.

1039. Thomas McGuire: 28. Native of U. States. A Moulder by trade. R.C. seeks a few days shelter. has work promised him at Beards foundry.

1040. Ann Robinson: 40. Irish. ChofEngl. An old Case, had shelter for some days, & still solicits the same.

1041. George Ketts: 26. English. ChofEngl. 8 Months out. A Waiter out of Employment. No Means. seek shelter until he gets work.

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Present, E. Hobson, Esqr & J. McBean, Esqr.

1. Lucy Taylor: 30 Melinda St. (This Case is in St. Georges Ward). From London 3 Months ago. Husband William, a labourer, out of work. They lost a good deal at the recent fire on Melinda St., only one child, John. Husband was a soldier in England. ChofEngl. Coal twice and 6 lbs. bread.

2. Charles Mason: 13 Ontario St. East. (This case is in St. Davids Ward), 20 years in Canada, from Yorkshire. Is 71 years old, wife Mary 81. Some children in England. Has a Brother, William, a farmer in Markham, who does nothing for him. was robbed some years ago on George St. of [dollars] 200. Wife very infirm. ChofEngl. Coal and 6 lbs. bread recommended.

3. Mary Ann Joslin: 483 King St. East. (See previous reports). Both her boys are sick, and on the whole she does not appear to be particularly well off. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

4. Edward Homes: 86 South Park St. From Stepney 10 Months ago, stopped a while in Kingston. Carpenter by trade, is in feeble health & has fainting fits. Wife, Lucy: 1 Child, Edward, 2 years. ChofEngland. Coal & 6 lbs. bread recommended.

5. Bridget Efferson: 105 Centre St. aged 77. A widow. R.C. Irish, an old pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread, & Coal 3 times.

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6. Mary Ann Whealan: rear 19 Albert St. A widow aged 63. Irish. R.C. Irish. 3 Children, boy 13, boy 9, boy 7. To have 6 lbs. of bread a week, & Coal.
7. Catharine Potts: rear 44 Louisa St. Married, aged 37. English. ChofEngl. Husband nearly blind. gathers rags. 2 Children, boy 13 & girl 10. To have Coal.
8. Elizabeth Gibson: 119 Agnes St. Aged 41. A Widow. ChofEngl. English. 2 boys, the oldest away from home, the youngest aged 12, earns a trifle. To have Coal, same as last year. 900 lbs. all at once.

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9. Margaret Letore: 81 Elizabeth St. A widow aged 61. R.C. French Canadian. One girl 19, weak minded. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.
10. William Blea: 71 Bishop St. Cannot get anything to do, but is willing and able to turn his hand to anything almost. Has a wife & four Children, boy 14, girl 12, girl 10, and boy 4. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for temporary aid.
11. Ellen Hargrave: 25 Nelson St. W. Widow aged 40. ChofEngl. No family. Her husband was killed a short time ago, at the accident at the Queens Hotel. She lives by washing. Visitor recommends help for this winter.
12. Sarah Ogden: 82 Stanley St. 45 years old. Suffering from a bad leg. Not able to work. ChofEngl. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.
13. Margaret Sweeney: 38 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.
14. Elisa Burns: same House as above, not in.
15. Julia McCarthy: 49 Stanley St. 60 years old. Not able to work. R.C. To have 4 lbs. bread & Coal.
16. Margaret Goodwin: 71 Richmond St. East. 64 years old. Widow. Not able to work. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal.
17. William Bundock: 7 Duffy's Hotel, Corner of Carlton & Church St. Visitor cannot find her.
18. Margaret Rice: 88 Ann St. 66 years old. 2 daughters working out. R.C. Coals only Recommended.
19. Bridget Fahey: 7 Victoria St. 60 years old. Not able to work. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coals.
20. Rose Pridham: 7 Victoria St. has left there.
21. Bridget Hays: 98 Jarvis St. 48 years old. A Widow, 2 Children under 10 years. Goes out to wash. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coals.

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22. Cathr. Stuart: 98 Jarvis St. 59. Widow. R.C. Not able to work. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

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23. Margaret Martin: last house on St. Paul St. An old pensioner reported upon in previous years. Peddles Apples, Matches, gingerbread during the summer, but has to fall back upon the relief from the House to keep her going during the Winter. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

24. Elizabeth Ganett: Duchess St. south side rear of small shop kept by Mr. Dillon. Her case will be found reported upon from year to year. Nothing new to add. Recommended for Coal 3 times.

25. Jane Taylor: 123 Queen St. East. Case reported upon. See 771. 1872. Widow with several young Children. Her husband died last summer and she is expecting her confinement in a few weeks. She has been having bread and visitor recommends her for Coal 3 times.

26. Ann Hogan: 335 Queen St. East. Visitor did not see her, might give bread until reported.

27. Jane Moffatt: 319 Queen St. East. Widow, with 6 Children. eldest working in Bolt factory, gets [dollars] 3 1/2 per week. Others at home. Is an industrious respectable woman, would not apply if she could help it. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for 6 weeks.

28. Sarah Burns: 150 Ontario St. Visitor did not see her. Might have bread until reported.

29. Mary McCabe: 93 Jarvis St. Lane upstairs. Widow, one Child at present out in the Country. Visitor recommends her to be allowed bread only for the present, and she might be told to call and see Visitor. It was so dark when Visitor called at her room, that he could not satisfy himself as to her appearance.

30. Mary O'Neill: rear of 119 Jarvis St. Widow. 2 Children. A decent hard working woman. Recommended for bread 6 weeks, & Coal twice.

31. Mary McLaughlan: 31 Duke St. An old couple, man & wife. Both pretty well passed anything in the shape of hard work. Mrs. McLaughlan does scrubbing & washing when she can get it to do, and he still does a little laboring for his old Employer Mr. Coalworth. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

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32. Martha McCormick: 91 Jarvis St. Lane upstairs. Widow, no children. To be allowed bread & to call on Visitor before sending the Coal. Visitor had no opportunity of questioning as he wished, there being so many people in the same room.

33. Ellen Hutton: 44 Camden St. Irish. R.C. A widow with 3 Children, eldest a boy of 7 years. dependent upon her earnings and the Kindness of friends. Recommended Coal and bread.

34. Louise McCarthy: 115 Tecumseth St. French. R.C. A widow, without regular Employment, two children, a girl living in Quebec and a boy now a young man, living in Toronto and earning his own living. She lives in Traceys House who is already down for coal. Recommended Report made by Mrs. Tracey.

35. Johanna McCarthy: 484 Little Richmond St. Irish. R.C. 5 Children. Complains that they have been compelled by illness to seek help. Seem very comfortable, and husband earns fair wages on the Railway. Husband earns [dollars] 7.50 per week. Committee cannot grant relief.

36. Henry Mildon: 32 Camden St. English. ChofEngl. In Toronto 3 Months, unable to get Employment, and destitute of means of support. Wife, no Children, seem very respectable people. They both seem anxious for Employment. He is ready to {do} anything by which he may be able to earn the means of living. Recommended Coal & bread.

37. Mary Maloney: rear of 35 Camden St. Irish. R.C. Five Children, 2 girls, 3 boys. Husband in the Asylum. Recommended Coal & bread.

38. Julia Hepton: has moved to the North side of Queen St.

39. William Moor: Wellington Avenue. 60 years of age. ChofEngl. English. Married. Children doing for themselves now. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

40. Bennett Ward: 49 Esther St. has been prevented from working for some time by rheumatism, the wife owing to be partially paralysed has not been able to do anything during the summer. 5 Children, boy 11, boy 9, girl 4, girl 2, and baby 2 Months old. Recommended for bread & Coal.

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41. James Ward: 45 Esther St. Out from England since August. Husband not in Employment. A plumber by trade, but has been doing what labouring work he could get since his arrival. 5 Children, boy 17 (not in work), girls 14, 12, 10 & 9. Present help recommended.

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42. John Pelam: rear of 34 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. Married 72 years of age. wife 40. both in bad health and unable to work. Visitor was informed they are a steady respectable pair. It would be well to let them have 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

43. Bridget Getting: 170 Centre St. Irish. R.C. A widow, aged 35. At present appears very ill with a severe cold. 4 boys, aged 13, who earns [dollars] 2 a week, one 12, earns [dollars] 1 a Month. Two others 10 & 8, at home. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

44. John Stokes: 107 Centre St. 170, not 107. English. ChofEngl. Married. 35 years of age, a Shoemaker, not in good health. Arrived from England 8 months ago, and has had but little work. 2 boys, 11 & 7 years of age. Recommend 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

45. Johanna Hinchey: 5 Emma St. A widow aged 56. Irish. R.C. 1 girl 14. Recommended to have coal only.

46. Maria Clark: rear of 66 Terauley St. Cannot be found there. See Case 309 in 1872.

47. Matilda Gilby: rear of 56 Bay St. Husband, William in General Hospital. Visitor did not see her, but Committee will be able to dispose of the Case when she appears before them.

48. Catharine Ryan: 21 Nelson St. Widow. R.C. Visitor did not see her, has no family. works at Hays' and Co. factory. Left to Committee to dispose of.

49. Catharine Hardiman: 5 Elliotts Row, aged 35. Has one Child 4 years old. R.C. has a drinking husband. Visitor when there found the Man almost unconscious. She says cannot get rid of him. Visitor leaves the Case to Committee.

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50. Mary Wren: 15 Emily St. Has 4 Children, 3 girls, aged 10, 6 and 4 and a boy 12 months old. They are fine looking Children. The parents were not in when visitor called. The Father a labouring man out looking for work. The Visitor recommends them to the consideration of the Committee. Committee granted soup & half price Coal Ticket.

51. Ann Conners: 299 Queen St. West. Widow. Aged 60. R.C.

52. Ellen Boyle in the same House. Widow. R.C. Has two daughters with her, one aged 27 has a Child 3 years old. Says the daughter is not fit to take care of herself. The House and premises belong to the old woman. Says her daughter has been deserted by husband. Visitor will make further enquiries.

53. Mary Dobson: 52 Boulton St. was not in when visitor called.

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54. Frederick Harsnell: 15 Elliotts Row. Aged 40, wife 40. Has four Children, all girls, ages respectively 12, 9, 6 & 3. ChofEngl. Out since last March, paid his way out, but poor man has been sick a good part of the summer, did not go to the Hospital. Visitor recommends this family 10 lbs. bread a week. Coal 3 times, and soup.

55. Ann Dunlevie: rear 18 Stanley St. 45 years old. Husband 65. Labourer. 3 children. Cannot get work. ChofEngl. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

56. Jane Sinclair: 23 Richmond St. East. Aged 31. A Widow, 6 Children, all under 15 years. one child sick with Scarlet fever. Methodist. Recommended for 12 lbs. bread. Coal & a little Tea, Sugar, [etc.]

57. Ellen Perkins: 98 Richmond St. East. 73 years old. A widow not able to work. ChofEngl. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

58. Margaret Sweeney: 38 Stanley St. 50 years old. Sells Apples. R.C. 4 lbs. bread a week.

59. Elizabeth Burrass: 38 Stanley St. 48 years old. Goes out to wash & Scrub. Living in the same room as Sweeney in above case. Methodist. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

60. Bridget Fitzgerald: 16 Power St. not in when visitor called.

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61. Mary Wardrobe: 53 Sumach St. Husband and wife and four Children and a very aged Mother. Husband not at home for some weeks past, having gone in search of work. The eldest boy earns something.

62. Mary Carroll: and [an] old woman living with above case peddles in summer, cannot support herself in winter. Now Mrs. Wardrobe having to support her mother in addition to her children, her husband having not sent her any Money since he left. Visitor would recommend her to be allowed say a small loaf for the Mother, and would also recommend that Mrs. Carroll be allowed a small loaf, and as she cooks at Mrs. Wardrobe's stove, would suggest that, that one good allowance a little extra in quantity be given between them. Would continue bread to both for 5 weeks.

63. Henry Drake: 11 Britain St. Not in when Visitor called.

64. Catharine Johnson: 128 Duke St. Widow. No children living with her, suffers very much from Rheumatism. supports herself as well as she can by peddling, but is very badly off for fuel. Coal twice.

65. Sarah Burns: Not in when Visitor called.

66. Sarah Hitchlock: Ontario St. East side one door south of Beech. Wife and 3 Children. The father in England. Mrs. Hitchlock is a very industrious woman. The Case was brought first under Visitors notice by

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the Revd. Mr. Baldwin, and believes them to be hard working and deserving of assistance.  
Recommended for Coal twice, bread for a month or six weeks.

67. Martha Stuart: 168 Pine St. Widow with four Children all young. Works at the Tailoring for shops but is out of work just now. She is a stout active woman, and Visitor really believes does her best to support her family. Would be disposed to recommend her for Coal twice.

68. Mary McGill: 395 Queen St. East. Widow, no Children, mends umbrellas. Cannot scrub or wash on account of accident to her arm. Visitor thinks she might be allowed Coal twice, and bread, small loaf for one Month.

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69. Mary Hartree: 71 Pine St. must be a mistake, no such person living there.

70. Ann Davis: 52 St. Davids St. Husband wife and seven Children, youngest an infant at the breast. Husband has been ill with inflammation on the lungs for a Month. Wife not very long confined. Visitor recommends them for Coal once, bread for five weeks.

71. Harriet Nichols: rear of 323 Queen St. East. Not in when Visitor called.

72. Amelia Morris: 29 South Park St. From Marylebone, London, last August, husband John died soon after arrival here. Lives with her married daughter, Ann Brown, whose husband Walter, is a labourer. The Browns have 2 Children, Mary Ann 2 years, Harriett, 4 months, both sickly, and in addition they have just now the whooping cough. All ChofEngl. Coal recommended & 6 lbs. bread a week.

73. Ann Tepperton: 52 Stafford St. English. Came to Toronto in July. Two children 1 & 2 years of age. Husband a labourer, had employment at brick yard till frost set in. Recommended Coal.

74. Ellen Cairns: 46 Douro St. Irish. Widow. 2 Children, girl 15 years of age, and girl 12. Mrs. C. is a seamstress, but does not appear to have much work. her daughter works somewhat irregularly at Rogers. Came home ill from place where she had regular Employment. Recommended Coal and bread.

75. Ann McCarthy: 419 Adelaide St. West. Irish. R.C. in Toronto 5 years. Husband a labouring man, but at present out of employment. 4 Children, 3 girls, one boy.

76. Ann Boyd: 238 Richmond St. west. English. ChofEngl. In Toronto 10 years. A widow, much respectable & industrious. 2 Children, two boys 15 & 10 and 1 girl 8 years of age. Boy doing nothing at present. Recommended Coal & bread.

77. Maria Lever: 10 Shuter St. 5 Children. 2 in boys Home. Recommended by Mrs. Grasett. Relief for the present & visit.

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78. Elizabeth Handy: 28 Garrison St. English. Came to Canada in May. Widow, four children, 2 boys 5 & 12, 2 girls, 16 & 20 years of age. A seamstress who however earns but little and depends chiefly upon the assistance of her daughter.

79. James Darby: 83 Hope St. Wife 50 years of age has been ill since October. No Children. Seemingly in comfortable circumstances but Darby says he is out of work & very poor, spending what little he can make in Doctors bills. English. Methodist. A little aid allowed.

80. Julia Hepton: rear of 492 Queen St. West. Only 7 weeks in the Country from England. Husband sick from Rheumatic fever was to follow her in a fortnight. Has 3 children all boys, 4, 2 1/2 and 17 months old. Can sew or knit but is unable to get work and has been trying to do a little washing. A Methodist. An urgent case. Bread and Coal recommended.

81. Hannah Collins)

82. Ann Grady)

83. Mary Evans)

Top of Spadina Avenue. Living in a disreputable den a pest to the neighbourhood having a lot of lazy Men about.

84. Alfred Allen: Ontario Lane, a very decent man, and Visitor put him thoroughly to the test. He has come and helped to shovel snow and saw wood at Visitor's place, when Allan's feet were so bad, that he could not stand upon it for any length of time without pain. Such people deserve assistance. Coal recommended to be sent. This Case should have been entered before, but the Note containing report was mislaid.

85. Alice Allan: in Case 484 in 1867, died this day Jany. 9th, aged 80 years.

86. Edward Henly: In Basement of 35 James St., Aged 73. Irish. ChofEngl. A feeble old man. Coal and Bread.

87. Margaret Saulkey: 57. Irish. ChofEngland. A well known case at the House. Asked leave to remain in Casual ward for a time.

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88. Julia Brierton: 50. Widow. Irish. R.C. A well known beggar who has been living at Yorkville lately. Brought a note from Rev. Mr. Givins, recommending her admission for a time. Allowed to remain in Casual building for the present.

89. Hugh Matthieson: aged 63. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. An old soldier without a pension. Out in this Country since 1838, for the last 5 weeks in General Hospital. Seeks admission. Admitted.

90. Ann Finn: A widow aged 50. Irish. R.C. 30 years in the Country. Cannot make sufficient to pay her way at present. Would like to come into the house and make herself general useful.

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91. Maria Clark: rear of 40 Terauley St. English. ChofEngland. Married. 35 years of age, was confined a week ago with her 7th child. husband a shoemaker but has not had much work of late. Children, Girl 14, in service at [dollars] 2 a month, girl 13, girl 11, girl 9, boy 6, boy 3 years of age, and baby a week old. Assistance recommended for two months. See Case 46.

92. William Bundock: 67 Carlton St. 28 years old. Wife 26 years, one boy 6 years old. Carpenter by trade, 5 Months from England. ChofEngland. 4 lbs. bread, and Coal once.

93. Maria Lever: 10 Shuter St. 29 years old. A Widow with 3 Children, 3 years from England. Chof England. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

94. Mary Bolan: rear 40 Stanley St. 50 years old. husband 60. one little girl 12 years old. Not able to work. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

95. Julia Shannon: 57 Lumley St. A widow aged 40. Has 3 Children, boy nearly 11, girl 9, girl nearly 4. Washes and scrubs for a living. During winter has only 2 days in the week, but can do well during the summer. Irish. R.C. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

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96. Maria Burchett: 11 Maria St. She and her husband are recently from England. He is out of Employment. No Children. Temporary aid recommended.

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97. Amelia Partridge: 41 Grosvenor Avenue alias Corbett St. This case well known to the House. She is in great trouble still. Coal recommended, all to be sent at one time.
98. Mary Milburn: 88 Dummer St. A very deserving Widow, as Children dependent on her. Visitor recommends that some Coal be sent her.
99. Bridget Walker: 29 Grogg Lane. Out when visitor called. Learned that she is a widow with one child, a boy aged 12. Is said to be industrious and steady. A charwoman. Irish. R.C. Coal & bread.
100. Harriett Sullivan: 27 Grogg Lane. A Widow with 5 Children ranging from 14 to 6 years old. Lives with Johanna Hanrahan and another woman who has aid. One Stove between them all. Irish. R.C. Bread allowed.
101. Fanny White: rear of 76 Dummer St. Out when visitor called. Learned from respectable neighbours that her husband has been away for 2 years. Is industrious, has 3 Children to support. Irish. R.C. Amount of relief left to Committee.
102. Ann Heenan: 80 Dummer St. An old woman whose case is well known to the House. Still works away with her sister for a living and is no better off than formerly. Usual aid allowed.
103. Alice Fahan: 25 Soho St. Husband out of work. A respectable old party & very deserving. No Children. Irish. R.C. To have bread and Coal.
104. Elisa Shea: 48 Dummer St. Widow with 4 Children, 3 Girls 12, 9, 6, and a boy 3. Has a miserable room in the house without a stove, uses Mrs. Walkers, does what work she can get, and says there is but little to do now. Irish. R.C. Coal & bread allowance.
105. Elizabeth Mundy: 21 Elizabeth St. Not in, Visitor wishes to find out where she goes to work.

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106. Susanna Baldwin: 46 Oxford St. A very old widow, without any aid from friends who might help her. Visitor recommends that Coal be sent her and if bread be applied for that she get it. English. ChofEngl.
107. William McGarry: 22 Andersons Lane, a labourer out of work. Wife sick, 5 Children, girl 14, girl 12, boy 9, girl 6 & a baby 10 Months. Has a poor miserable house to live in and very uncomfortable. Visitor don't quite like the man but supposes he may have a little aid. Irish. R.C.
108. Ellen Collins: rear of 9 Renfrew St. A widow aged 40, with four Children. 3 at home, girl 12, boys 8 & 10. washes for a living. Is industrious and steady. Irish. R.C. Recommended.
109. Mary Pollock: 102 Boulton St. Widow. R.C. aged 66. Makes a living in Summer by selling a few things. To have 900 lbs. Coal. she wants no bread.

110. Mary Cahill: 102 Boulton St. Widow. ChofEngland. Visitor did not see her, but a party in the House said that Mrs. C. was poor and worthy of assistance. Committee can judge when they see her. The House where she lives is tidy and comfortable.

111. Lucy Richards: rear of 67 Queen St. West. Not in but a neighbour told visitor that Mrs. Richards Husband has been in the Hospital for weeks past, that she has one son, and considers her a person worthy of assistance. Committee will know what to do when she puts in her appearance.

112. Charles Dickenson: rear of 331 Queen St. West. A married man aged 28, wife 23, one child aged 16 months. ChofEngland. English. Was in bed, did not look very sick, his wife was out. Visitor thinks they might have Coal once and bread for a Month. To bring a certificate from Dr. Smith, who the wife says attended her husband in his sickness.

113. Ann Boland: 169 Pine Street. Must have given the wrong number. There is no such person living at 167 Pine Street, nor on enquiry, could Visitor learn of any one of that house living in the neighbourhood.

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114. Ann Suther: rear of 307 Queen St. West. She was not in when Visitor called but her husband was there. He has been to work at Dickey's Foundry, but has no work at present. has a pension. No family, but the husband and wife, he is 50, the wife 60. English. ChofEngland. Recommended relief for one Month. Out since last August.

115. Margaret Weymes: 112 Pine St. Case frequently reported upon in former years. Widow. one daughter living with her in a miserable hovel. both Mother and daughter work when they get it to do, at the Tobacco factory. Recommended for Coal twice.

116. Mary Hartree: 103 Pine St. Widow, one Child, a boy, at home. an old case. Is industrious, seldom solicits assistance until Midwinter and then only for Coal. Recommended for Coal twice.

117. Mary Davidson: 97 Pine St. Now old and infirm. Reported upon in previous years. 1 daughter works at Tobacco factory. helps to pay rent.

118. Mary Carney: occupies a room in the same House. Widow. an elderly woman too. Visitor would recommend both for bread (small loaf) for five weeks, and a little extra allowance of Coal to serve for both (as they can both use the same stove), to be given 3 times.

119. Mary Ann Dunlop: 344 Queen St. East. This case will be found reported upon either last year or the year before. Mrs. Dunlop is a very decent and industrious woman. Has been a widow for the last two years, and with the assistance of her daughter, has done her best to support herself. Recommended for Coal twice.

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120. Mary Basketville: In a yard and in rear of 223 Parliament Street. Widow, two children, a boy and a girl. goes out to wash and scrub, but failing health and Rheumatism prevent her earning what she formerly used to do, and she cannot get through the winter without assistance. Visitor thinks she well deserves help, and recommends her for Coal twice, and bread for six weeks.

121. Bridget Fitzgerald: 16 Power St. A single woman 62 years of age. formerly in service but rheumatism and bad health have compelled her to give up service, and she now supports herself as well as she can by knitting, [etc.] Recommended for Coal 3 times.

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122. Mary Ann Leason: 186 Beech Street. Husband, Wife & four children. husband a labourer. both he and his wife have had a great deal of ill health since they came out to the country. He was nearly dying in the Hospital last summer, with a severe attack of Canadian Cholera. So far as visitor can judge, believes them to be industrious and deserving people, to whom a little timely assistance just at this pinch would be a great boon, and who may not require help again. The husband was ill in bed when Visitor was there. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for a month.

123. Henry Drake: 11 Brittain St. Husband. Wife & four Children, the youngest ill in bed with measles. Drake was formerly employed as a sort of Agent by a factory here, but the Establishment was sold off and he has been out of Employment since. The eldest boy is now working in a shoe shop, and the second boy hopes soon to get Employment. The Mother is an excellent hard working woman and the children are being well brought up, but the father is, Visitor suspects, a poor shiftless fellow, not worth much or likely to do any good for his family. On the wife's account, and allowing that at present they are in great want, Visitor would recommend them to be allowed Coal once, and bread for a Month. The one allowance of Coal a little extra in quantity.

124. Catharine Johnson: 128 Duke St. a decent respectable woman. a Widow. No Children. Case reported upon in former years. suffers now very much with rheumatism, which sadly interferes with her working. Recommended for Coal twice.

125. Sarah Burns: 150 Ontario St. Widow with 2 Children. A very decent respectable hard working woman, but afflicted with a terribly bad leg, which causes her great suffering, and of course interferes sadly with her work. Visitor thinks she well deserves assistance, and recommends her for Coal twice and bread for two Months.

126. Old Miss Smith: 123 Queen Street East. The survivor of the two Sisters who have long been pensioners on the House. Each winter, has applied for her usual allowance of Coal and flour. Visitor trusts the Committee will send it as in former years. To have 900 lbs. Coal & a bag of flour.

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127. Emily Broomhead: 151 Hope St. Husband is out of work and she is near her confinement. Very poor, and living in a miserable cold house. Has 6 Children ranging from 15, to 3 years old. English. ChofEngland. Bread and Coal allowed.

128. Catharine Keenan: 47 Strachan St. Has a room from a Mrs. Kelly. Is a spinster aged 63. Knits for a living. Irish. R.C. Recomd. for aid.

129. Elizabeth Read: rear 137 Centre St. married. Aged 37. Irish. ChofEngl. 5 Children. Husband an old infirm man. To have same as last year. 8 lbs. bread and Coal.

130. Ann Barber: 47 Chesnut St. Widow, aged 33 years. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 children. An industrious hard working woman. Recommended.

131. Charles Tye: 119 Agnes St. A Bricklayer, one of those on the strike last summer. Nothing can be done for him unles [unless] he can bring a certificate from Doctor, showing that he was sick last summer.

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132. Harriett Nicholls: 323 Queen St. East. Widow, two Children, both very young. A hardworking industrious woman, scrubs & washes, but work is slack, fuel is dear, and so are provisions. The poor woman when Visitor called, had scarcely an article of food in the House, and would have had no fuel but for the charity of the landlord. Recommended for coal 3 times and bread for six weeks.

133. Ann Linley: 317 Queen St. East. Widow. 3 Children at home. A hard working woman. Recommended for Coal twice.

134. Margaret McGill: 395 Queen St. East. Widow lives in a wretched hovel with a Mrs. Geroe whose Case has been frequently reported upon. Mrs. McGill earns her lively hood by mending umbrellas, tin ware, [etc.] She has a room and stove to herself, and visitor thinks might be allowed Coal once, and then the Case may be referred again.

135. John Lee: 326 Queen St. East. Not in when Visitor called.

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136. Mary Ann Chandler: 504 King St. East. Husband wife & 6 young Children from 13 years old down to 2 years. Husband met with an accident in the Autumn while working at the Seaton Street drain and broke several of his ribs. This threw him out of work, while work was still going on, and since then there has been of course a stoppove{r} to all labouring work, so that now that he is getting better, it may be weeks before he can obtain employment. They have been reduced to great distress, and Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

137. Ellen Nasmith: 10 Sydenham Lane, not at home when visitor called, but found 3 little Children in the House, who said that their mother was out washing, that there were three of them and that the father had gone off to the states with another woman.

138. Mary Ann Webb: 20 Oak St. Had left the place and neighbours could not tell visitor where they had moved to.

139. Charles Lambert: 75 St. Davids St. There must be some mistake about this number, Visitor tried to find the Lamberts a week ago but without success, they had better call and tell precicely, whereabouts on St. Davids Street they are living.

140. Elisa Wooley: 137 Pine St. There is some confusion about the numbers on Pine St. Visitor could not find Mrs. Wooley. Let her call and leave word whether she lives on the west or East side of Pine, and how far up from Queen St.

141. Cecilia Conway: 85 Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. Visitor had not time to include Mrs. Conway in his Visits this afternoon. but her case is so well Known having been reported upon for so many winters, that the Committee need not wait for a further report when she calls to morrow, but allow her Coal twice.

142. Ann Deagan: 623 Yonge St. 55 years old. Not able to work. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal.

143. William Guinn: 12 Shuter St. 28 years old, Wife 28. 2 Children one 4 years old, the other 9 Months. 3 Months out from England. A Cabinet Maker, had Employment at Hay's but fell ill and his place is now filled up. English. ChofEngl. 6 lbs. bread & Coals.

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144. Catharine Gaffney: 100 Richmond St. East. 30 years of age. Widow with 2 Children under 13 years. goes out to wash & scrub. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

145. Alexander Newall: 23 Queen St. East. 52 years old. Wife 45, in delicate health. one Child. Not able to work. Chof England. To have 4 lbs. bread and coal.

146. Esther Elliott: 27 Elliotts row. A Married woman aged 35. Husband 45, ChofEngl. English. has 2 Children. girl 7 years, one 6 Months. husband is out of work at present. expects work shortly. perhaps they had better have 6 lbs. bread a week for one Month & 300 lbs. Coal not more.

147. Mary Hanna: House on the common in rear of 81 Tecumseth St. Irish. R.C. In Toronto 12 years. 5 Children, 2 boys 10 & 7. 3 girls 4 1/3 3 & 1. Husband a labourer. out of work since frost set in. His foot was frozen last winter and has broken out again this winter. During a considerable portion of the summer was not able to work. and so has not made provision for the winter. Allowed 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

148. Maria Whithorn: top of Lumley St. a widow without Children, living in a very respectable family. Not able to get much work to do. Temporary aid recommended, in Case she removes from her present quarters.

149. Joseph Hackett: 71 Hackney St. Has no settled Employment. Was book Keeper in England. Has a very respectable and comfortable looking House, so that Visitor is surprised at his applying. 5 Children ranging from 11 years to 3 Months. His wife has been ill of late. An allowance of Groceries recommended, and bread & Coal.

150. Elizabeth Hammill: rear of 218 Bathurst St. A Widow. Has a daughter aged 19, suffering from sore eyes, needing nourishment as ordered by Dr. Rosebrough, which she can't get. 3 boys at home, one 16 years old in a grocery, another 13 in a dry good store, neither earning much one 11 at School. Recommended for groceries, also bread & Coal.

151. Ann Kelly: 47 Strachan St. A widow aged 41. Has 6 Children as last year ranging from 15 to 4 years of age. Washes for a living but work is now slack. Irish. R.C. Bread and Coal Recommended.

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152. Catharine Ellamonge: 117 Agnes St. in Basement. Widow. R.C. Canadian. had relief from the House for some years past. 3 Children boys, 15, 13, & 12. Coal and 4 lbs. bread recommended.

153. Isabella McKenzie: rear 16 1/2 Agnes St. widow aged 53. Scotch. Baptist. respectable. Coal and 4 lbs. bread.

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154. Mary Nelbrough: 106 Edward St. Married. ChofEngl. English. Husband out of Employment. 3 Children. girls, 8, 4, and 3 years old bread 8 lbs. a week and Coal recommended.

155. Mary Dayman: 152 Terauley St. aged 72. Married. Baptist. English. Husband a labourer works for the corporation in summer. have two Grandchildren living with them. girls, 7 & 5 years of age. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread and coal.

156. Maria Edwards: 63 Agnes St.)

157. Elisa Galbraith: 63 Agnes St.) Could not be found.

158. Mary Matilda White: old Lunatic Asylum Queens Park. Canadian. Baptist Church. A Widow 34 years of age. one boy 4 years lives by sewing. A clean respectable woman. Recommended for 900 lbs. Coal all at one time, and 4 lbs. bread per week.

159. Michael Furlong: in Case 778 in 1872. had leave to go out and see a sick daughter. got drunk, and was brought before the magistrate who sent Furlong 3 Months to gaol.

160. Mary Duke: in Case 716, asked leave to go out on Sunday, did not return until to day, when she took her Clothes, and left for good. says will live with her husband again.

161. George March: aged 50. English. Baptist. 2 1/2 years out. Machinist, worked in Hamiltons foundry for nearly 12 Months, and last 5 Months in General Hospital. paralysed on the left side, caused by concussion of the brain, by a fall off the Train coming from Stratford to Toronto while under the influence of drink. Has no means, and not able to work for his living Seeks admission. Admitted.

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162. Sophia Davis: aged 25. English. Ch of England, one of Miss Ryes Girls brought out 2 years ago from East Hampstead Workhouse. was in St. Catharines Hospital with Typhoid fever, which has left her in a very nervous state, incapable to earn her living. Mr. R. Wilkes applied for the girls admission on Miss Ryes behalf. To be admitted if our Doctor on examination considers her a proper Case. Doctor examined and states that there is nothing to prevent her admission, so far as he can find out, she is reduced to the low state she is in now, by the fever she lately recovered from.

163. Ann Horan: 21 George St. over Wright's Barber shop. (see 387 in 1871) Has been a widow some time and lives now with her two daughters Coal and 6 lbs. bread recommended.

164. Mary A. Hadly: 68 South Park St. There is no House from No. 62, to No. 70. No. 62, is nailed to a tree. No. 70 is a Cottage at the Corner of a Gateway leading to the Potash Works in the rear. Mrs. Hadley is not Known at No. 70.

165. Jane Burgoyne: 119 Jarvis St. Not at home when Visitor called. Has seen and conversed with her this Morning, and finds she is the same person whose Case was reported upon two or three years ago, when she was living in Berkely [Berkeley] St. She is a very decent respectable woman, and nothing but

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necessity would Visitor is sure induce her to apply for assistance now. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for 4 weeks.

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Present. Messrs. J. McBean & S. Rogers.

166. Mary Ann Read: 9 Elliotts Row. Deserted by her husband, aged 29. Presbyt. Canadian. 4 Children, 3 girls, 7, 5, 4 and a boy 2 years of age, will soon be confined with another. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

167. Johanna O'Meely: 9 Elliotts Row. R.C. Widow, aged 40. has two Children, boy 14, & boy 10, both are doing for themselves, do nothing for their Mother. Says there is something the matter with one of her legs. Visitor thinks she may have relief for one Month. by that time the leg may be well. To have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal for one Month.

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168. Bridget Geroe: 395 Queen St. East. An old Case, and Visitor has really nothing new to add, except that the dirt and misery seems greater each year, and that Visitor is afraid, is Mrs. Geroes fault to a great extent. would allow her however a load of Coal, and bread for a month.

169. Jane Burgoyne: 119 Jarvis St. A very decent old woman. Widow. well deserving of assistance. Recommended for Coal twice.

170. Bridget Eagan: rear of 53 Duchess Street. Visitor would allow this woman one allowance of Coal. thinks she works hard for herself and Child. has had some doubts in former years whether she might not get on without assistance, but would give her the benefit of the doubt this time.

171. Mary Ganett: 53 Duchess St. A Widow age 65. Irish. ChofEngl. was recommended some time ago to have Coal.

172. Mary Green: 64 Niagara St. Widow. Irish. R.C. Lives with her Son in law. has one unmarried daughter 15 years of age who is out at service, and who contributes toward her support washes when she can get Employment, but says she cannot earn enough for her support.

173. Louisa Sutton: rear of 170 Little Richmond St. Lower Canadian. R.C. In Toronto 9 years. 5 Children, 1 girl 7 Months, 4 boys 9, 6, 5 & 3 years of age. Husband a labourer but has been out of work four weeks. Mrs. S. goes out to work but says she cannot earn enough to Keep them. There were no signs of want in the house.

173 1/2. Anne Atkinson: 40 Garrison St. English. ChofEngl. 5 Children. Husband a labourer on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] but not on the permanent staff. has been out of work five weeks.

174. Elizabeth Balmer: Grosvenor Avenue, immediately out of St. Stephens Church. An old widow, very deserving, who does what she can by way of nursing and occasionally sewing to obtain a livelihood. No Children. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for usual aid.

175. John Bunten: 45 James St. The highest number is 35. must be St. James in the East.

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176. Charlotte Simmonds: 9 St. Patrick St. out when Visitor called. The case seems to be the same as reported last two years. Two Children dependent on her. sews for a living. Recommended for Coal and bread.

177. Elisa White: 34 Elenor St. Her husband is a Carpenter now out of Employment, who Visitor was told takes a drop now and then. Not at home when Visitor called, but the Children said there were three of them, a girl 10, & two boys 7 & 5. The Mother washes to help maintain the family. English. Bread & Coal recommended.

178. Jane Cosgroove [Cosgrove]: 36 Elenor St. A widow aged 45. 4 Children at home ranging from 13, to 5 years of age, used to sew for a living, but having lost her sewing Machine now washes &etc. Has been in bad health of late. Irish. R.C. Groceries recommended & also Bread and Coal.

179. Harriett Owen: 23 Hackney St. Her husband who is a labourer is out of work. Has one boy 12 in delicate health. She says she can't do hard work during the winter but generally goes out to work during the summer. English. Recommended for bread & coal.

180. Patrick Murphy: aged 23. Canadian. R.C. Labourer out of Employment at present with his feet slightly frozen. seeks shelter until somewhat better.

181. George Ketts: 26, English. ChofEngl. 8 Months out. A Gentleman's Servant and waiter, out of Employment. had shelter for some days makes himself useful in Soup Kitchen.

182. William Smith: 36. English. ChofEngl. Came from Red River. was one of the Volunteers. says lost his discharge, which entitled him to 160 Acres of Land. destitute, seeks shelter for a time.

183. Richard Smylie: 42. English. ChofEngl. 2 years out. Baker by trade. Out of Employment. had shelter for some time wishes to stay a few days longer, and if he cannot get work in Toronto will go to Hamilton. Went to Hamilton 21st January.



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184. William Smith: 31. English. ChofEngl. 8 1/2 Months out. Labourer with no Employment at present. seeks shelter until he can get something to do. seems a decent man that would work for his living if he could get it to do.

185. George Reader: 50, English. ChofEngl. 6 months out. Left his family behind but has sent Money to them at different times, which has left him short now, having been thrown ^out^ of employment by sickness. was in General Hospital for last 5 weeks. A Painter by trade. Not strong yet. seeks admission. Admitted.

186. Patrick Maskell: 28. Irish. R.C. 6 years out, suffers from Rheumatism seeks a few days shelter, as he cannot be taken into Hospital.

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Present. Revd. D.J. Macdonnell

187. John Bunton: in Basement of 35 James St. English. ChofEngl. Married, aged 75. A Labourer. was confined to the House last summer four Months with Rheumatism. No family. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

188. Margaret Newton: 95 Ann Street. husband 39 years old, at present in Gaol for drunkenness. 3 Children under 4 years. 6 lbs. bread & Coals. and a little sugar tea &etc. ChofEngl.

189. Catharine Mulhearn: 41 Queen St. Irish. R.C. widow, aged 52. peddles tapes &etc. one daughter 12 years of age not in good health. Recommended for Coal and 4 lbs. bread.

190. Ann Spelling: 17 James St. The Committee will see former report and judge according.

191. Maria Day: 25 Louisa St. English. ChofEngl. Widow, aged 54, goes out nursing. appears a respectable person. Recommended for 900 lbs. Coal to be delivered at one time, & 4 lbs. bread a week.

192. William Kirkland: 242 Chesnut St. see former report. Visitor thinks the best way to assist the Case is to give a half price ticket for Coal. soup, and if they came for it a casual loaf of bread.

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193. Elisa Galbraith: 68 Agnes St. to meet the Case will be to give a half price ticket for coal. soup, and a loaf occasionally.

194. Mary O'Brien: 7 Osgood [Osgoode] St. Man and wife, both in good health and able to support their family if the husband would Keep from drink.

195. John McWilliams: 190 Adelaide St. west. A Married Man aged 70. his wife only 38. Chof Engl: They are in great poverty both being in poor health. At one OClock when Visitor called had not broke their fast, having neither bread or Money. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread a week, and Coal 3 times.

196. Margaret Banks: 199 Richmond St. west. No such person there.

197. Ann Renehan: Opposite 10 Wilton St. Her husband has been away for two years. Has four children the eldest 10 & youngest 1 1/2 years. Works about for a living as best she can, seemingly very poor, and house very comfortless. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal recommended.

198. Ann Donnelly: opposite 10 Wilton St. Not in when visitor called House in a miserable state, so dilapidated as to be exposed to every blast of wind, a well Known Case, often reported favourably. Has five children to support. Recommended for usual aid.

199. Jane Redditt: 43 Bishop St. A widow, out when Visitor called. No Children, does Charwork for a living. Stays with a Mrs. Yowell & the Pettigrews all occupying the same room during the cold weather. Said to be steady and industrious. English. Case left to decision of Committee.

200. John Aylward: 82 Brock St. Irish. R.C. Labourer. had his head broken early in Novbr and is at present fit for light work only which he cannot get. Wife. No Children. Recommended Coal & bread.

201. Mary McKenzie: 52 Garrison St. Irish. R.C. Widow. one boy 11 years old. acts as Charwoman when she can get work. suffers from Rheumatism. Recommended Coal and bread. An old Case well Known to the House.

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202. Catharine Hyland: 92 little Adelaide St. Irish. R.C. 9 Children, one girl at service, one boy employed on G.W.R. [Great Western Railway] and earning 50 Cents a day. Husband was formerly on G.W.R. [Great Western Railway] but lost his situation through ill health. is not able to do heavy work. spoken of as respectable. Committee allowed 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal 3 times, soup if they like to come for it.

203. Benjamin Marshman: 94 Little Adelaide St. English. In Toronto 6 years formerly in the 13th Hussars. Labourer. was employed at the union Station, but has been out of work 9 weeks. 6 Children, 3 boys, 9, 7 and 4 years of age. 3 girls, 11, 3, and 6 Months. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

204. Catharine Mee: 52 Garrison St. Irish. R.C. Two Children, 3 girls, 14, 12 & 4. 1 boy 2. eldest girl able to provide for herself. Husband went away 6 Months ago, and has not been heard from since.

Recommended.

205. John Lane: 68 Power St. Husband wife and two Children. English Emigrants. Husband a Bricklayers labourer. did pretty well part of the time last summer and managed to send some Money to get out his wife and Children. But after they came out, he was taken ill. was laid up for some time. then the cold weather setting in, work stopped, and now they are reduced very low. an odd job of shovelling snow or sawing a little wood, is all he has been able to get to do, since the winter began. Recommended for Coal twice & bread if they ask for it. To have 8 lbs. bread, and Coal 3 times.

206. Henry Thomas: 68 Power St. Living in the same house with the Lanes. like them English Emigrants. Husband & wife and one Child in the arms. No work and no possibility of obtaining it just now. all that they made in the summer exhausted [exhausted], and they have no means of procuring either fuel or food just now. Recommended for Coal twice, and bread for a Month.

207. Ann Thompson: 39 Ontario St. widow. 2 Children. works in Tobacco factory. decent industrious woman. Has had the Coal sent to her Visitor finds. deserving assistance.

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208. Elisa Worley: 138 Pine St. Husband and family of young Children. A very respectable industrious woman. Husband steady & industrious but has very bad health, was laid up several times last summer, and is ill now. She was confined also in the Autumn, and then various expences have pressed very heavily upon them, and now the husband out of work for many weeks. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, and bread for a Month.

209. Ellen Nasmith: 10 Sydenham Lane. Visitor reported last week that he had called but Mrs. Nasmith was out at work, and only saw the Children. To day had a visit from a Neighbour, who says that Mrs. Nasmith is dangerously ill. They speak of her also as being an exceedingly hard working industrious woman, doing her best to support her Children. Her husband a worthless fellow, had run off to the States with another woman. Recommended for Coal 3 times. bread for six weeks. A little Tea, Sugar & Oatmeal.

210. Sarah Lynch: 104 George St. an elderly widow woman. Has one son who has been for many years incapable of doing anything what ever for his own support or that of his Mother. Recommended for Coal twice.

211. Harriett Van Lint: 157 Ontario St. Husband and wife & several Children. Case recommended to visitor by the Revd. Mr. Baldwin. called this afternoon (Wednesday), Van Lint himself suffering much from Rheumatism, which has incapacitated him for work so much of late, as to have left him and his family in great distress. The wife in bad health too. Through the Kindness of Mr. Baldwin some of the elder children have been temporarily disposed of at the Boys Home, now leaving only one child in arms at home. Visitor recommends them for coal twice, and bread if they ask for it for one Month.

212. Henry Osborne: Aged 42. English. W. Methodist. 3 weeks from England. was on his way to San Francisco, had a through Ticket, but unfortunately lost it at Montreal. Came to Toronto without means. Will try to get Employment. in the mean time seeks admission into the House. Admitted.

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Friday, 24th January, 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

213. Mary Storm: rear of 30 Richmond St. Deserted by her husband which is no loss to her. She appears to be a respectable person. aged 47. R.C. Irish. She only applies for coal. which Visitor recommends. No family.

214. Ruth Cartwright: 3 Elliotts Row. ChofEngl. English. This family has been unfortunate last summer, they were told that at the government works up west high wages were paid, went there, but came back worse of than before. Men had to work up to their hips in water at the swamp drainage. after that they lived for a while at NewMarket [Newmarket] when the poor woman got her leg broken in two places. The husband is now gone to work beyond Collingwood, but cannot earn much more than what pays for his board on account of so much broken weather. 4 Children at home, girls, 11, & 4, boys, 9 & 7. has two others doing for themselves, intends as soon as spring opens to be off to her husband. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal 3 times.

215. Alfred Francis: 18 Muter St. Visitor having been unwell, and not able to go and visit Francis, but Knows the Case, and until he can visit him, would recommend some bread and coal.

216. Mary Conners: rear of 61 Duchess Street. Visitor found her Lying upon a bit of sacking on the floor in a wretched room without fire. She had fallen down and hurt herself very severely, so that she could no longer go about or do anything for herself. She has no friends and her children are all in the States and doing nothing for her. Visitor recommends her for Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks. a little tea & sugar would be a great boon to the old woman just now.

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217. William Pearson: 140 Ontario St. wife just confined. 4 young Children. Husband has been out of work the greater part of the winter, and latterly all his time has been taken up in nursing his wife and taken care of the Children. They are certainly in great need, and visitor is glad that they have already been allowed some Coal. Visitor would suggest that they be allowed Coal once again, and bread for 6 weeks, and in consideration of the poor womans present weak State, would strongly recommend that she be allowed some sugar tea & Oatmeal.

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218. Frederick Cobbin: 54 Pine St. Husband wife and four Children. Not very long out from England. Just the sort of people that never should have come out here! They Kept a small school in the neighbourhood of Southampton, and were doing well enough, but were persuaded to Emigrate to Canada and had very flattering pictures held out to them of how much better they could do out here. They came out. the man could not get Employment as a teacher, had to take to working in the fields, part of the time in a brick yard &etc. for which he had not the strength, he fell ill. his wife was ill, then one of the Children fell ill and died. and so what between sickness and want of Employment, they and their four Children have been brought pretty low. at times scarcely having food or fuel. Visitor recommends them be allowed Coal twice, and bread for a Month or six weeks. A little soup if one of them was to go up for it, would not be amiss.

219. Charlotte Lambert: 57 St. Davids St. Visitor hunted for these people up and down the street a fortnight ago, but in vain. and after trying it again this week, it occurred to him, that perhaps they had turned their number hind part before !! and sure enough. instead of 75 which was the number they had given, it was 57! Husband and wife. 2 Children. Husband so far as visitor could tell, a wretched invalid, wholly incapable of work, and the wife not able to do very much. Would recommend them for coal twice, bread 6 weeks.

220. Edward Kimber: 84 1/2 Sydenham St. English Emigrants. Case reported upon and relief given last year. very decent people. Husband worked in Mr. Curries factory, and Mr. Currie will always give him work when ever he is able to do it. but the poor man has been wretchedly ill, and is wholly unfit now for work. They have two young Children and what with rent unpaid for which they are liable to have their things sold. want of good food and fuel, they have been pretty badly pinched. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, and bread for five weeks or two Months.

221. Mary Carney: on St. Paul St. visitor cannot find, they must have given some wrong address.

222. Ellen Ryan: St. Davids Lane, visitor went to the House, a shanty down in a Ravine, where she was said to live. but could find no one about, there was a fire burning in the stove, and the door was not fastened, so that Visitor could look through the room, but there was no one there.

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223. Cecilia Conway: Visitor has called but she was always out at work. Visitor hopes that in consequence of what has already been reported in former years the Committee will grant her some relief. She is a decent hard working woman.

224. Rebecca Brooke: 387 Jarvis St. must Visitor thinks have given a wrong Number. if she calls at the House to try and find out.

225. Mary Lewis: an Inmate. See Case 810 in 1872, is behaving worse than ever. Ordered by Committee to leave the House this day. might have shelter allowed in building for casual poor for a few days until the weather somewhat moderates.

226. Fredericka Cline: 85 Elizabeth St. A Widow, aged 51. German. Lutheran. Charwoman. To have Coal.

227. Jane Heeney: 234 Chesnut [Chestnut] St. 48. A Widow. Chof England. Irish. Charwoman. 2 Children, boys, 11, & 9. To have Coal as last year.

228. John Leatch: 84 Elizabeth St. came from Montreal 6 Months ago. Visitor will give a half price ticket, and may have soup.

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Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Tyner.

229. James Hooper: 86 Adelaide St. west. A Married Man aged 28, Wife 28, ChofEngl. English. out of Employment for some time back, is very able and willing to work if he got it to do. To have 6 lbs. bread a week for one Month and Coal twice only. they have 2 Children, boy 4 years, and a baby 6 Months old.

230. Johanna Hanrahan: 27 Grogg Lane. A widow, aged 60 years. Irish. R.C. one boy aged 15 years working at low wages. Recommended bread and Coal.

231. Elisa Urquhart: rear of 96 Dummer St. A Married woman. Irish. ChofEngl. having 5 Children, 3 girls, ages, 9, 6, & 3 years, and 2 boys, one 2 years, the other 5 Months. Husband out of work at present. Very poor. Recommended for bread & Coal.

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232. Jane Doran: 42 Camden St. Irish. In Toronto since August. Four children. 10, 6, 5 & 3 years of age. Husband has been employed on the G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] but is not on the permanent list. and has not made provision for the winter. allowed Coal 3 times, & bread 8 lbs. a week.

233. Catharine Mee: 52 Garrison St. Irish. R.C. Four Children, 3 Girls, 14, 12 and 4 years of age. Eldest girl goes out to service. Husband left home some Months ago and sends them no help.

234. Dora Walsh: rear of 14 McDonald Square off Bathurst St. Irish. R.C. Three Children, 1 Girl, 8 years of age, 2 boys 10 & 6. Has been a Widow about a year. Earns her living by washing and scrubbing. Recommended Coal and bread.

235. Catharine Corcoran: rear of 82 Tecumseth St. at Harman's. Irish. R.C. No family. grown up son living in Toronto, depends on what she can pick up, or earn by working &etc., which she says is very little Allowed Coal and 4 lbs. bread a week.

236. Alfred Francis: 18 Muter St. a carpenter by trade. has been out of Employment since before Xmas. His wife has been ill for the last 2 Months. Has no Children living. A steady respectable Man. English. Recommended for Coal and bread, also a liberal allowance of Groceries for his wife.

237. Elizabeth Drew: 48 Oxford Street. Has been out from England since April last. Her husband is a Carpenter by trade but has been out of Employment for some time & cant get work. Has 5 Children ranging from 9 to 1 1/2 years, apparently deserving people. Baptists. Coal and Bread allowed.

238. David Rankin: 14 Bishop St. A Labourer who cant get work. Has a wife (Jane), and 3 Children. The eldest a girl of 16 is ill in bed with some affection of the lungs: a boy 14 earns a little by running Errands; a second boy is 5 years old. Worthy respectable people but very poor. Bread and Coal also Groceries recommd.

239. Ellen O'Brien: 23 Queen St. East. 28 years old, husband 30 years. Lying sick with inflammation of the Lungs. unable to work. Labourer. 4 Children under 7 years. R.C. 6 lbs. bread, and Coal.

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240. Michael Rowland: rear 18 Stanley St. 70 years old, not able to work. 2 boys, one away doing for himself, the other 16 years old in delicate health. Recommended 6 lbs. bread and Coal.



241. Elizabeth Head: 67 Victoria St. Aged 23. Husband 25. Carpenter by trade cant get work. 2 Children under 3 years. Chof England. Recommended 6 lbs. bread & Coal. Committee refused relief on account of these people having been four years out, living in Toronto, & in good health.

242. Mary Kelly: 31 Stanley St. 45 years old. Husband gone to the Country, cannot get any help from him. 4 Children under 11 years. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coals.

243. Mary Dillon: 35 Stanley St. 24 years old. Husband was killed 2 Months ago on Leaks wharf. one child 6 Months old. R.C. 4 lbs. bread a week, and Coals allowed.

244. William Howard: 101 Pine St. Husband and wife and six young Children, the youngest an infant in the arms. English Emigrants came out here last Autumn. The husband a labourer had pretty fare work since he came out, but illness in the family. one of the Children died. and the Wifes confinement, and the expence of getting together their few little articles of furniture Kept them so close, that now with no work and the six little mouths to feed, and the cost of fuel. they are pretty hard up. Visitor thinks one load of Coal and bread for a Month would tide them over the winter.

245. Margaret O'Brien: 431 Queen St. East. Husband and wife & one child a daughter at home just now from illness. but who has employment at Hesse's Candy Factory when she is well. They are both elderly people and the husband a labourer cannot get work at present. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month.

246. Arthur Potter: Corner of Pine and Wellesly [Wellesley] Streets, near sand pits. Husband and wife. Has been out of Employment for a long time and cannot get work at present. Recommended for one load of Coal.

247. Johanna Birmingham: Ramseys Lane, an old Pensioner. widow, and one daughter. Recommended for one Load of Coal.

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248. Thomas Martin: aged 60. Irish. ChofEngland. A Blacksmith by trade, for some years a resident in Toronto. No family. got his arm hurted by a fall, which incapacitates him for the present earning his living, seeks admission. Recommended by the Mayor. Admitted for a time.

249. John Davies: Aged 42. Native of Wales. 4 Months from India where he was in the Royal Artillery 6 years, and after buying his discharge, was employed there 6 years longer as clerk until he fell into bad health when he was advised to leave the Country. E.C. {English Church}. No means, and not able to support himself. seeks admission. Admitted.

250. John Lonie: in Case 779 in 1872. Seeks admission again. has been to work at Aurora, but work is slack now. Admitted.

Friday 31st January 1873

Present E. Hobson, Esqr. and J. Tyner Esqr.

251. Mary Ann McCauley: Corner of Bay & Queen St. Does not live with her husband, he is worthless, and she is better without him. ChofEngl. Aged 26. has 3 Children, girls 9 & 5 and a boy 3 years old. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a Week, and full allowance of Coal, she is in poor health.

252. Samuel Finch: 13 Richmond St. west. Baptist, aged 25. Wife 26, not long in Toronto. says has been sick for a good part of the summer. no regular work. No family. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal twice. Recommended to go to Mr. Lawson of Bond St Church, who most likely will assist them for what they stand in need of.

253. Harriett Johnson: 85 Elizabeth St. Coloured. ChofEngland. Married, 45 years of age. one boy 10 years old worked in Tobacco factory till about 2 Months ago, used to earn [dollars] 1.50 a week. Husband a drunken worthless fellow left her two months ago. Coal and bread for a Month.

254. Maria Humphrys: rear of 68 Terauly St. English. ChofEngland. A Widow 55 years of age. No children, clean respectable looking woman, earns her living by washing, but is not in General good health. Coal for the season, and 6 lbs. bread a week.

255. Eliza Skelly: rear 143 Elizabeth St. To call for soup & a casual loaf.

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256. Thomas Rowe: 99 Chesnut Street. Not at home when Visitor called. Married 62 years of age. Wife 66. English. ChofEngland.

257. Elisa Stuart: 34 Chesnut St. could not be found. The lowest even Number on Chesnut Street is 44.

258. Mary Oliver: 2 Osgood Lane. On enquiry visitor found that the husband could provide well for his family if he would keep from drink.

259. Harriett Carpenter: rear of 100 Elizabeth St. Came from London 3 years ago. Husband, a Carpenter, only one Child. both young and in good health. and well able to provide for themselves.

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260. William Fitzgibbon: rear 358 Queen St. East (in Mr. Laurents district). His back was hurt 3 weeks since. a painter by trade, and says he can't get work if he was able to do it. 4 Children all girls ranging from 16 to 10. No Wife. English. Bread and Coal recommended for a Month.

261. Mary Ann Marsh: 5 Wilton St. Husband has a frozen foot, and has not worked for 2 Months. No children. Bread and Coal also Groceries are recommended.

262. Ann Clifford: 5 Wilton St. Lives in the rear of the above, both seem respectable parties. Husband a labourer out of work, and can't get any. No children. English. Bread and Coal. Committee would not give relief not being their first year in the Country.

263. Susan Chessall: 21 Hackney St. Husband a painter by trade, out of work for some time. seemingly a sober worthy fellow so far as Visitor can learn. 3 Children, girl 4, boy 2 and a baby. English. Bread and Coal allowed.

264. Mary Smith: 12 Power St. aged 37. Widow. R.C. Irish. one Child a boy 4 years old. Recommended for Coal.

265. James Lack: 122 Mill Street. from Southwark, 2 years ago. Visitor did not see him. Labourer Wife Elisa. Married here; expects first Child in about a Month. ChofEngland. Place is well furnished. Place is well furnished. Coal and 6 lbs. bread recommended. No relief. in good health and able to work.

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266. Margaret Hunter: rear 144 Palace St. an old Case see previous reports. Only one Child, her youngest girl now living with her. The others apprenticed, or otherwise disposed of. Coal and 6 lbs. bread.

267. Robert Bundy: 35 Cherry St. Visitor did not see him. From Port Perry 6 months ago and now, according to avowal of his wife Caroline, wishes he was back there again. Is an iron moulder, but can't find no Employment here. Children, Isabella, 12, Ruth Elisa 8, Robert 11, George 2 3/4, Wm. 4 Months. ChofEngland. Might allow Coal once & 8 lbs. bread for a Month.

268. Mary Livingstone: 87 Trinity St. The last house on East side of Trinity Street is numbered 79. there is no 87.

269. Elisa Jackson: 40 Camden St. Native of Gibraltar. R.C. Widow. one girl 12 years of age. Keeps a little Grocery on Camden Street but complains of being poorly off for want of fuel as she cannot get in her little accounts. seems a respectable woman.

270. Margaret Harrington: rear of 387 Queen St. Irish. R.C. In Toronto nearly 2 years. Three Children. two girls 13 & 10 years of age, one boy 3 years of age, who however is not at home. Husband is a labourer but has been out of Town a fortnight having no work in the City. She is employed in the Rossin

House assisting in the Scullery. Although there was wood in the House, and it was very cold, the fire had been allowed to burn down, as if they used it rather for cooking than for warmth, so that no doubt an allowance of Coal would be very acceptable.

271. Mary Rowbottom: 63 Stafford St. English. belongs to no religious denomination. Two Children boy 14 years of age & a girl 3 years. Husband has been employed at the Brick yards but out of work 9 weeks and has not been able to make provisions for winter.

272. George Bailie: Aged 32. Native of Scotland. ChofEngland. Labourer 10 years in the Country. out of Employment, and out of means. seeks shelter for a few days.

273. John Allen: aged 59. Native of Ireland. Chof England. 7 years in Canada. Has been in the Army, and is in receipt of 25 [cents] pension a day. It appears he spent his quarters pension, and applies now for admission into the House. had shelter for several days.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Walker

274. Jane Hamilton: 42 Elizabeth St. Not in when visitor called. A Charwoman said to be respectable and industrious.

275. Richard Ballard: aged 64. Native of Ireland. Chof England. 40 years in this Country, and for some years an Out door Pensioner in this Institution. A Cripple with a wooden leg. His wife deserted him last summer, and he is not able to earn his living. Made application for admission last week, was admitted but by some mistake, no entry was made at the time.

276. Catharine Cox: Boulton Lane. Widow. R.C. aged 35. 2 Children boy 12, and girl 10. She is in extreme poverty. Recommended to have bread, coal & soup.

277. Margaret Brown: Watkins lane. deserted by her husband. aged 24. has 4 Children, boy 7, boy 5, girl 3, and baby 6 weeks old. Her relief to be continued as before.

278. Mary Curran: Munn's Lane, Visitor could not find her.

279. Louisa Marsden: 71 Richmond St East. 35 years old. ChofEngl. one Child 18 months old. in Consumption. 6 lbs. bread, Coal, and tea sugar [etc.]

280. Mary Bray: next 65 Victoria St. could not be found.

281. Ellen Montgomery: her husband a bookkeeper is out of employment. They are lodging in a house on George Street 133. They have one child. Her husband was most of the Autumn in Hessins Candy factory but they had nothing for him to do after the Winter set in, keeping none but the old hands. The

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Montgomerys have only been out here some 9 Months. Visitor considers it a case for temporary relief, say Coal once, bread for a Month.

282. Elizabeth Kilburne: 101 Sherbourne St. Visitor found that she had received the Coal on visiting her this Morning.

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383. Elisa George: 54 Sydenham St. Husband and wife & 4 Children all young. English Emigrants came out last Autumn. Have had sickness and the husband has latterly been out of Employment, but is promised work again so soon as the mild weather sets in. Recommended for one load of Coal.

384. Ellen Ryan: Lane off St. David's St. North side. Widow, 2 Children, eldest 13 years of age and a Cripple. earns her livelihood by washing & scrubbing [etc.] Is hard working and industrious. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a Month.

385. Bridget Driscoll: living in the rear of an archway on Power Street. has applied rather late, but Visitor thinks the old body ought to have one load of coal sent to her. Her daughter on whom she depends for assistance is out of work just now, and the old woman is past work herself.

386. Sarah McPhail: 45 Maple Lane. was not at home when Visitor called, heard from a Neighbour that Mrs. McPhail is a Widow. English. ChofEngl. having 3 daughters, one about 23 years, sick not able to work. the others are about 15, & 13, working at low wages.

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Present. Messrs. E. Hobson, E.H. Rutherford & R. Walker

387. Catharine Latham: 31 Stanley St. 31 years old. A widow. 2 Children, one 13, the other 8 years of age. Can't get work. R.C. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread, & Coal.

388. Catharine McKew: 40 Stanley St. 40 years old. Not able to work. Her mother aged 73 years old, and who is helpless, lives with her. 6 lbs. bread & Coal, & a little Tea, sugar [etc.] recommended.

389. Mary Bray: rear 65 Victoria St. 30 years old. husband 31 years. Visitor does not recommend her, as she does not need it.

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390. Mary Curran: rear of Mrs. Mun's, Muns Lane. A Widow. R.C. Visitor did not see her, but got his information from a person in the Front House, who says Mrs. Curran is a deserving old body. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal twice.

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391. Martha Pile: Dover Court [Dovercourt] Road. age 37. Husbands age 39. Has 3 Children a boy 10, & 2 girls 8 years, and 6 Months respectively. Husband unable to work on account of illness. Is a drain digger. Destitute of firing and food and without the means of procuring them. English. Chof England. Recommended for Coal & bread.

392. Elizabeth Falloun: rear of Judge Wilson up Spadina Avenue. 29 years of age. R.C. She has two little boys, one with her sister and one at home aged 4 years. she cannot work expecting to be confined soon. Husband is away. Recommended for bread & Coal.

393. A Man Named Smith: Living at 246 Queen St west at Wilsons store [John Wilson, barber]. having the small pox, and perfectly destitute is recommended to have Groceries, Bread & 600 lbs. Coal.

394. Mary Chase: 68 Elizabeth St. Irish. Methodist. Married. Aged 30. Husband a Plumber, arrived from Ireland 5 Months ago, and has been out of work for some time past. 7 Children, boy 12, boy 8, boy 6, boy 5, boy 2, boy 1, and girl 10 years of age. Recommended to have Coal, and 12 lbs. bread a Week.

395. Susanna Pooler: 130 1/2 Chesnut St. Irish. Chof England. Widow. 76 years of age. much afflicted with Rheumatism. daughter 19 years of age, who is required at home to attend on her Mother. clean respectable people. Coal recommended & 6 lbs. bread a week.

396. George Elliott: 62 Agnes St. Labourer. Husband & Wife both young and in good health, are quite able to provide for themselves.

397. Elizabeth Failey: rear of 28 Centre Street. Not in when Visitor called. Came to the House afterwards, says she is a Widow. Irish. R.C. one Child a girl 2 years old. Husband died recently in Gael. To have Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

398. Ann Kerr: in Case 757, died this day February 9th at 8 OClock A.M. Consumption.

399. James Negal: aged 24. English. Methodist. 2 Months out. A stone cutter by trade. Out of work, and no means. seeks shelter for a few days. expects Employment next week.

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Present Revd. J.F. [J.M.] Laurent, The Mayor & J. Tyner Esqr.

400. Ann Cousins: 98 Little Richmond St. Native of Jersey. ChofEngl. In Toronto about 4 years. Husband a respectable man, but has been out of work since the frost set in, and the earnings of summer have long since been spent. Mrs. Cousins has been lying in a helpless condition for many Months, suffering from some affliction of the spine, and medical attendance and interruption of work in consequence of her illness have thrown cousins [Cousins] back & preventing his making due provision for the winter.

401. Elisa West: A Widow, say 60 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. who leads a Vagrant life and lives by begging, well Known at the House, was sent by Revd. Mr. Williams for lodgings. when examined by our Doctor, it was found that the poor womans arm was badly broken just below the shoulder, caused by a fall. Doctor wrote a Note to the Mayor stating the Case. His Worship kindly gave an order for her admission into the General Hospital.

402. George Hall: aged 20. Labourer. English. ChofEngland. Emigrant. out since the 4th of last November. No Employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

403. Thomas Hopkins: aged 21. English. Chof England. Labourer. Came out with the above in Novbr. last. No Employment, seeks shelter.

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Present, J. Tyner Esqr.

404. Richard Garrett: Aged 55. Waggon Maker. has been out since last October twelve Months. English. W. Methodist. says is out of Employment at present, and wants shelter. Allowed to remain in Building for Casual poor for one week, but not longer.

405. Ann Davis: in Case 70. To have relief the same as last Month continued for another Month.

406. Mary Alcock: 110 Boulton St. Mr. Tyner will visit & report.

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407. Alice Bridges: 40 Don St. Widow. two young children. goes out to work and scrub. is very respectable and industrious. The people in whose house she has had a room for the last 3 years, speak most highly of her. She has not been able through the winter to get sufficient work to keep her children in food and fuel, and pay the rent. Visitor recommends her for one extra load of coal, and she will probably not require further assistance.

408. Ann Doyle: 72 Power St. some mistake about the number, Visitor could not find any such person in that neighbourhood.

409. Mrs. Diamond: 88 Victoria St. husband left her 6 months ago has twin baby's boy & girl. could work but not able to leave her Children. double allowance of Coal, 6 lbs. bread & a little Tea, sugar [etc.]

410. Martha Wood: Spinster. 93 Adelaide St. west. Not long from England, she is not in good health, a poor lonely destitute creature not able to do much of any kind of work. has no friends to care for her. Visitor would recommend 4 lbs. bread a week, coal twice, and a little Tea, sugar [etc.] She is not a member of any church at present, so has no claim on their poor funds.

411. Benjamin Capples: at the foot of Hageman St. and

412. Mrs. Lyons: living in the same place, young people in good health. Visitor thinks they should try and provide for themselves.

413. Widow ^Ann^ Montgomery: 121 Bishop St. a very deserving widow woman, advanced in years who is most industrious but has been very poorly of late and is in great want of fuel. Visitor recommends that 600 lbs. of Coal be sent her, also an allowance of groceries.

414. John Kelly: Aged 35. Irish. R.C. A Labourer 3 years out. formerly in the Army. Out of Employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

415. Henry McMahan: aged 27. Irish. Presbyt. A Clerk, out since June last. Out of Employment, seeks shelter for a few days.

416. Margaret O'Brien: 431 Queen St. west. applied to Committee for an allowance of bread. Committee allowed 6 lbs. bread a week, and Coal once more. See Case 245.

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Present, J.T. Smith Esqr.

417. James Butter: in Case 755 in 1869, died this morning at 4 O'Clock, A.M. Aged 67 years.

418. Edward Campbell: aged 49. Native of Ireland, but 47 years in this Country. R.C. Church. Husband to Catharine Campbell who died in this Institution on June 26/67. (See Case 557 in 1867) Campbell is blind in his right Eye, and the left is failing fast from the formation of Cataract. Was recommended for

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admission by Mr. Alan Cameron and Dr. Rosebrugh. To see our Doctor at 3 O'clock and if a proper Case for this Institution, Committee will admit him, with the understanding that he strictly do according to the rules of the Institution.

419. Esther Elliott: 27 Elliotts Row. see Case 146. To have their relief continued to the end of the season.

420. Catharine Cook: 42 Duchess Street, upstairs. 55 years of age, husband 64. Protestants. husband much afflicted and not able to work, and Mrs. Cook is frail herself. Recommended by Mr. Thom. to have 600 lbs. Coal for the season, & 8 lbs. bread a week.

421. Henry Thomas Benson: 545 Yonge St. aged 22. Married. No family. English. ChofEngl. Emigrants, only two Months out. Benson is a Jewellers Salesman. Out of Employment, and not strong. Visitor reports them to be very poor, and recommends 600 lbs. Coal for the season, 6 lbs. bread a week, & a little Groceries.

422. George Hawkins: in Case 1033 in 1872, did not behave himself as he ought to do according to the rules of the House, and when told of his misbehaviour he left the House.

Friday, 22nd February, 1873

Present. J.T. Smith Esqr.

423. Mary Stubbins: 99 Richmond St. East. 30 years old, husband 35. two Children under 10 years. Stubbins is blind, or nearly so, and cannot get work. Irish. R.C. Recommended Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

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424. Ellen Gartley: 44 Camden St. Irish. R.C. 4 Children, 2 boys, 9 years & 4 Months of age. 2 girls, 7 & 3 years. Husband a Shoemaker but says is not able to get work. Coal & bread for one month.

425. Mary Kearney: Living in a House back of Pine between King & Queen St. belonging to a Cow Keeper. An old woman, Widow and no Children. Washes & scrubs when she can get it to do. The people are very kind to her, and will allow her the use of their stove [etc.] and Visitor therefore recommends her for a small allowance of bread for 6 weeks and what she would prize most of all, a little tea & Sugar.

426. Johanna Dun: 93 Pine St. cannot be found in the neighbourhood. Since Visitor wrote the above report Johanna Dun has turned up. She seems a very decent respectable woman who has gone out to service so long as people did not consider her too old for her work. now she is giving it up, and going to

try washing & scrubbing and has rented a little House in the rear of 93 Jarvis St. Visitor thinks she might have Coal once to start her & bread for a Month.

427. Ellen Angel: in Case 941 in 1872. Visitor recommends the usual sick allowance. has just been confined.

428. Ellen Sheppard: in Case 707 in 1872. died this day Feby. 23rd. at 51 University St. Foundling.

429. George Nicholson: 36 years of age. English. ChofEngl. in Canada since 1862. was formerly a Soldier. has a bad leg. will try to get into Hospital. seeks shelter in the mean time.

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Present, Very Revd. J.F. Jamot, & N.C. Love Esqr

430. Elisa Matthews: 30 Niagara St. Lower Canadian. In Toronto two years. Three Children. Her husband is a painter but has away 3 Months during which time she has not heard from him. Recommended for bread & Coal.

431. Jane Galloway: rear of 61 Duchess St. Case reported upon before. Visitor would recommend them for one more Load of Coal.

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432. James Chandler: 149 Beech St. Husband wife and 4 young Children. English Emigrants. came out last May. Husband a labourer who has had steady work during the summer & Autumn but has had only occasional work since the Winter set in. The wife has lately been confined, and under the circumstances, Visitor would be disposed to recommend that they be allowed a small Load of Coal and bread for 3 weeks. after that they will probably require no more assistance.

433. Frederick Cobbin: Ontario Lane. This Case was reported upon a few weeks ago. The wife has been lately confined. Cobbin has had little or nothing to do. and they are undoubtedly in very great distress. Visitor recommends them for some more Coal. if possible under the circumstances.

434. Dora O'Connell: 48 Front St. East. Basement. Widow 7 years. husband was a nightwatchman. From County Kerry 22 years ago. R.C. Has a boy out of work, and hard up for a little coal, which Visitor recommends, also 4 lbs. bread.

435. Charles Parent: 283 King St. East. Says he was brought up a Notary in Quebec and that certain papers belonging to him were destroyed by the late fire at the Court House in that City. A son & sister in

law living with him. No settled as to religion. Gets his living now as a labourer, turning a hand to whatever may offer. Coal & bread.

436. Henry Belgue [Balgue]: 314 Palace St. near Cherry St. See previous reports [1870 Case 799, 1872 Case 116]. Has another Child, a boy, one Month old. Husband has no regular occupation. Coal and 8 lbs. bread recommended.

437. Rebecca Eckhart: 13 South Park St. 6 Months here from New Jersey. thinks her situation has not improved by change of residence. Husband is German. Children, Augustus 10, Isabella 7, James 4, Hannah 3, & boy 4 weeks. ChofEngland. Coal & 8 lbs. bread recommended. Children are all sickly.

438. Sarah McIntosh: 31 South Park St. things have not improved here since Visitors last call. They [the] old man is pretty well used up, and they have 4 Children instead of 2, as then reported. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

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439. Jane Smith: 33 South Park St. This Case was visited and reported from St. Davids Ward. She is now in receipt of aid from the House, which Visitor recommends to be continued.

440. John Davies: in Case 247 [249], died this day (Febry 25th) at 7 OClock P. M. Consumption.

441. Richard Ballard: in Case 275 died this day (Febry 26), at half past 5 OClock P.M.

442. Joseph Gallagher: in Case 814 in 1872, went out last Sunday week without leave, has not put in his appearance since, but figured in the Police report as a drunk and disorderly.

443. Henry Osborne: in Case 212, left on the 24th, (yesterday) having some Employment at Mr. Hessins sugar factory.

444. John Edwards: in Case 1032 in 1872) &

445. George Ketts: in Case 181 in 1873) both gone to the States.

446. William Scott: in Case 1031 in 1872. left for Pittsburgh, Febry. 27th.

447. James McDonnell: Aged 23. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. 8 Months out, a Clerk without Employment. had shelter for some days, would like to remain a few days longer. Expects Employment soon.

448. Samuel Howard: aged 19. English. ChofEngl. A Tailor by trade, out since July last. out of Employment. was sent here by Young Mens Christian Association for shelter some days ago, would like to remain a few days longer. expects Employment.

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Present, Very Revd. J.F. Jamot, & R.C. Love Esqr.

449. Jane Finley: 141 York St. aged 39. Husband 34. R.C. Has 3 Children in the House of Providence, and one at home, a little boy aged 3 years. Visitor did not see the Husband. Mrs. Finley is a hearty woman. says her husband is not in good health, and she cannot get work. Recommended for Coal once, and 6 lbs. bread a week for one Month.

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450. Elizabeth McDonnell: 144 York Street. has a husband but is no use to her. She is very poor. Another woman in the House allows her to stay with her. Recommended to have Coal once and 4 lbs. bread & soup for a Month.

451. Ann Montgomery: 120 Bishop St. Visitor would recommend them to have another allowance of Groceries; their case being a very sad one of aggravated and repeated attacks of sickness.

452. John Newton: 95 Ann Street. he is a stone cutter out of work, he receives Coal & bread from the House, if he was steady & industrious he would not need to do so. he wants money to pay their House rent. Committee cannot do any more for them, as they are in receipt of relief from the Institution.

453. Jane McFadden: rear of 10 Beverly St. Irish. Chof England. 3 Children, a girl 6 years old, and two little boys, one 5 years, the other 12 Months old. Husband out of work for two Months. The family stands in great need of assistance. Recommended for bread & Coal for a few weeks.

454. James Hazlett: (in Case 856 in 1872). At the request of ward Visitor, Doctor examined this Man (who complains of pains in the loins and bowels and various other places) and states He has a very watery eye, a large white flabby and unsteady tongue. His pulse is quit [quiet] & his face is rather pale. Is almost certain he drinks what spare change he can get and believes he is better able to work than Doctor is, but perhaps a little less willing. Hazlett is not sick, but suffers from inertia.

~~Friday~~ Tuesday 4th March 1873.

Present Revd. S.J. Body & J. Thom Esqr.

455. Josephine Boyer: 144 Front St. Widow 3 Months, of Fred a labourer. 7 years here from Montreal. cannot speak English. Children, Regina, 10, Mary 8, (a Cripple goes on crutches), Marcelline, 4. George 12. R.C. Coal, & 8 lbs. bread.

456. Mary Anderson: is not Known in the rear of No. 99 Chesnut Street.

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457. William Richardson: 46 Centre St. Methodist. Irish. Widower 67 years of age, a decent old man who lives by making Mats. unable to do much. To have Coal & bread.

458. Alfred Allan: Ontario lane. Visitor wishes to call attention of the Committee to this man and his family, whose Case has been before reported upon. since the last report, they have had a great deal of sickness in the house. The woman has been confined, and was dangerously ill for some weeks, & Allan himself, while cutting ice on the Bay, fell through into the water, and the shock and thorough soaking, brought on a violent illness from which he is only just recovering and able to walk about. Visitor therefore strongly recommends them for another liberal allowance of Coal as they are in great distress.

459. John Powis: in Case 825 in 1872. To have no more relief. The Husband is employed during the day at the Queens Hotel, & at night they are drinking and carousing to the annoyance of the neighbours. have been shifting about 4 times the last two Months.

460. Margaret Lawrence: in Case 785 in 1872. To have no more relief. The old woman lives with a daughter who is a nuisance to the Neighbours on account of the drunken and disorderly carryings on. They have been flitting about from place to place as often, & in as short a time as the above Case.

461. Sarah Jane McDonnell: in Case 851 in 1871 died this Morning March 6th. Catharine the Mother left the House March 14/73.

462. William Amos: aged 56. Irish. ChofEngland. in Toronto 6 years. Has been in the Army & receives a pension. Met with an accident at George town [Georgetown], was chopping wood when the Axe slanted and very near cut his toes of [off]. came to Toronto for medical attendance. was recommended by Major McDonald for a few weeks admission, was examined by our Doctor who thinks Amos might be set up again in a few weeks.

463. Thomas Davidge: 243 Chesnut St. English. Methodist. Married. 34 years of age. 2 Children, boy 4, girl 2 years of age. A Wood Turner. Wife near her confinement. Came from England in June last. appear clean industrious people. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

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Present, J. Thom Esqr.

464. Joseph Hackett: 71 Hackney St. His wife has been & is suffering from Rheumatic fever. He is out of Employment and they are very badly off. Recommended for Groceries.

465. Sarah Hartley: 300 Spadina Avenue. her husband is out of employment for some time, and they are reduced to great want. During the late cold weather they have sometimes had no fuel in the House. Visitor recommends that 600 lbs. Coal be sent to her.

466. Edward Moulder: 63 Boulton St. aged 48. Wife 27. ChofEngl. A stone mason by trade, the Man has had no Employment all the winter. Recommended for bread & Coal. one Child a girl 8 years old. Moulder is in bad health.

467. Elisa Richards: 67 Carlton St. A Widow aged 56. English. ChofEngl. out since last August. Goes out Nursing when she can get it to do. To have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal.

468. Egbert Barwell: aged 21. English. Baptist. out since last July. a labourer at present out of Employment. seeks shelter for a time.

469. John Benamont: aged 22. English. ChofEngl. Three years out. A Labourer, came from Hamilton looking for Employment, seeks a few days shelter in the mean time.

470. Galvin Harvey: aged 60. from United States. says his friends were Methodist. A handy man of all work. seeks shelter until he can get a chance to get back to the States.

471. James Nolan: 19. Canadian. R.C. Telegraph operator. was employed in the States but lost his situation. is now on his way home to his friends who live at Quebec. No means, seeks shelter for a few days.

472. Edward Samuel: 42. draper. English. Methodist. Out since October last. out of Employment & out of means. Wants shelter til he gets work.

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473. Andrew Thomason: Aged 21. English. Chof England. out two years. a labourer out of Employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

474. Robert Yeoman: 32. Canadian. Presbyt. Tinsmith by trade. out of Employment. had shelter for some time, and still keeps on coming for the same.

475. James Duffy: 31 Years of age. from Ireland 12 Months. Labourer out of Employment at present. seeks shelter. R.C.

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Present Messrs. J. Jaques [Jacques] & E. Hobson.

476. Andrew Duncan: aged 42. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. 10 years in Canada, 4 years in Toronto. See Case 344 in 1871. has a swelling about the Throat. Not able to work just now. Allowed shelter in Building for casual Poor for a time.

477. William Jaffrys: aged 52, and Wife Jane 50. English. Chof Engl. 15 Months out. Carpenter by trade. No work at present, and no Means to procure a home. seek shelter for the present until he gets Employment. Allowed to remain in Building for casual poor

478. Caroline Smith: 198 Strachan St. Her husband is very ill, & has been given up by the Doctor. Has two Children, boy 5, girl 3. In a very reduced state. Visitor recommends Coal (twice) and an allowance of Groceries.

479. William Harrison: Aged 21. Native of England. Chof England. 7 weeks out. A Druggist without Employment. No Means. seeks shelter for a few days.

480. Catharine Hunter: 40. Canadian ChofEngl. Her husband is a fisherman on the Island, but she says that he has left for Collingwood and she will follow in a few days. requires shelter in the mean time. Not much reliance can be placed on this womans statement as she has been in the habit of going on the spree and either applying here for shelter, or else figuring in the Police Court.

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481. Julia Smith: aged 28. Canadian. R.C. has a Child in the House of Providence. she is lately out of gaol, says was recommended to come to House of Industry by Dr. Rosebrugh. had shelter several times, is now bad with swollen feet and ancle [ankle].

Friday, 14th March. 1873.

Present. Messrs. J. Jaques [Jacques] & E. Hobson

482. Bridget Sullivan: 146 York St. A Married Woman. Aged 40. Husband 42. 5 Children, boy 13, girl 11, girl 9, girl 6 & boy 3 years. R.C. Irish. out of work for some time, and their means have run out. appear to be a worthy couple. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread a week and Coal once.

483. John Charlton: Aged 67. English. Member of Primitive Methodist. 10 years in this country. Lived in Toronto about a year with a Brother who lives on Simcoe St. seems to be in feeble health. Recommended by the Mayor for admission. Admitted.

484. Ellen Ryall: No. 9 St. Patricks square. English. ChofEngl. Husband away two years. 2 Children, one 6 years old, a little girl. the other 12 Months. Visitor recommends bread & Coal. Mrs. Ryall says she can only earn 50 cents a week at making shirts for shops, and out of that she has to pay her rent and keek [keep] herself and Children. Committee will allow her to come into the House with her Children if she will make herself useful. or have relief out side.

Tuesday, 18th March. 1873

Present. A.T. McCord Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

485. Elisa Gunson: aged 74. Irish. Ch of England. 23 years in Toronto. She is an old Out door Pensioner of some years standing. Her Son a Fisherman on the Island, who used to be her chief support, is now afflicted with Rheumatism, and can hardly support himself, and a daughter with whom she lived has broke up her home and will go on the Boats as Cook. Mrs. Gunson is therefore without a home, and applies for admission into the House of Industry. Admitted.

486. Frederick Nixon: aged 4 years died this day. See case 525 in 1871.

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487. John Williamson: died this day (March 20), of Consumption aged 52 years. See Case 231 in 1872.

Friday, 21st March 1873.

No Committee present.

488. Mary Rynolds [Reynolds]: aged 73. Irish. ChofEngl. 12 years in Canada. has been living at Loyd Town [Lloydtown] where she has a daughter, but off and on for the last two years with a Son in Toronto who lives at 25 Hayter St. says the sons wife behaves unkind to her. brought a Note from Mrs. Grasett recommending her Case to Committee for admission into the House.

489. Catharine McPherson: 34. Irish. ChofEngl. 10 years from Ireland says she came from Hamilton 4 Months ago and was in Toronto Hospital 7 weeks with Ersipilas [Erysipelas]. seeks a few days shelter until she can get a place. brought a recommend from Revd. Dean Grasett for a Nights lodging.

490. Mary Ellen Beard: aged 8 years of age, & Charles Beard 6 years of age. Children of Bridget Beard who was taken out of Colenso's Terrace by the Police and brought before the Magistrate & remanded for a week. The Children in the mean time are destitute, and were sent here by Mr. N. Dickey for shelter & food. Children say they belong to St. Patricks Church.

491. Mary Jane Walsh: aged 33. Canadian. Presbyterian. says she is a Widow and has 3 Children in the House of Providence. Out of Place at present, but will get one in a day or two. seeks shelter in the mean time

492. William Welsh: 22 years of age. Chof Engl. Canadian from Ottawa, A Labourer without Employment. seeks shelter for a few days.

493. Robert Roberts: aged 20. English. Chof England. 6 weeks out. A Clerk without employment. No means, seeks shelter until he can get something to do to earn his living.

494. James Duffy: 20. Irish. R.C. 12 Months out. A Labourer. No Employment at present. seeks shelter for a few days. Entered before. see Case 475.

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Tuesday. 25th March. 1873.

Present, Mr. Sheriff Jarvis

495. Charles Merigold [Marygold]: Aged 24. Canadian. Methodist Church. A Labourer. says cannot get Employment. wants a few days shelter.

Friday. 28th March. 1873

The Committee for revising List of Indoor and Out door Poor met to day at 9 OClock A.M.

Present, Messrs. J.T. Smith, J. Tyner, E. Hobson & Revd. A. Williams

496. It was agreed upon by the Committee that all Out door Pensioners relief be discontinued at the end of this Month, except in aged and extreme Cases. and the Soup Kitchen be closed also on 1st of April.

497. Mrs. Archibald Cameron made application for an old woman's admission Named Laws, who lives at present with a Mrs. Hazzard at 11 Camden St. Doctor visited and examined the Case, and considers her a proper and for admission. Admitted. Revd. Mr. Williams will see Mrs. Cameron.

498. The Children of Bridget Beard in Case 490, to be admitted and Notice to be given to the Revd. Mr. Laurent.

499. Mary Rynolds [Reynolds]: in Case 488, to be admitted into the House.

499 1/2. Sarah Hartley: in Case 465. Mrs. Broughall applied on her behalf for Coal that had been ordered sometime ago. No More Coal.

500. Elisa West: in Case 401. was discharged from General Hospital and admitted here, if she likes to stay, which she declined doing unless she can run about begging when she likes.

501. Mrs. Crombie: 13 Elliotts Row. A widow aged 55. Scotch. Presbyterian. in bad health. requires a little assistance. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. bread a week for Month, & Coal once.

502. Ann Lloyd: Elliotts Row. an old Pensioner, is badly off for a little Coal. had 900 lbs. beginning of the season. some of her Neighbours helped themselves to it & she has to suffer. 300 lbs. once more.

503. Elisa Gunson: in Case 485. Came into the House to day. March 31st

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Tuesday, 1st April. 1873

Present. E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. Dean Grasett.

504. Mary Beth. McBeth: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during the summer Months

505. Mary Kearney: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

506. William Richardson: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer

507. Margaret Gale: to have ration of 4 lbs. bread during Summer Months.

508. Mary Rutherford: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

509. Phoebe Gray: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

510. Elizabeth Neal: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

511. Ann Lloyd: to have allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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512. Ann Mulqueeney: to have 4 lbs. bread during summer Months.

513. Mary Godfrey: 6 lbs. bread continued during summer.

514. Alexander Whetered: an Inmate died this Morning at half past 2 oClock. Aged 72 years. See his admission in Case 554 in 1864.

515. Emily Herman: Aged 31. English. Chof Engl. 2 Children, Margaret Emily 6 years & Agnes 2 years of age. arrived in Toronto last Thursday. was sent out by her friends to escape the brutal treatment of a bad husband. brought out good recommendations, but is destitute of Money, that having been exausted paying for her board up to the present time. Revd. Mr. Williams applied to have her and Children taken care of until something can be done for them.

516. Jane Johnson: Aged 28. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Came here last week for a few days shelter, and stated that she had come from Dundas looking for her husband who is a Carpenter. She brought a Note to day April 2nd from the Revd. Dean Grasett recommending her for a few Nights shelter. says found her husband who is at work, but they have not enough to get a home together.

517. Sent Notice to Revd. Mr. Laurent about the Children Beard in Case 490. Sent an order for their admission into House of Providence. They were therefore sent to that Institution, as they belong to the Roman Catholic Church. April 2nd. See Case 498.

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518. James J. Thompson: Aged 49. English. Baptist Church. 6 Months out, a Railway Clerk. seeks shelter for a few days.

519. Thomas Doyle: aged 45. English. Baptist. has a bad leg. had shelter for some time, wishes to stay a little longer.

520. Joseph Carlyle: aged 50. English. Chof Engl. 22 years in Canada, Sailor. lately out of Hospital. says is bad with Rheumatism. but able to work at present. seeks shelter for a few days.

Friday. 4th April 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

521. Bridget McCan: to have her weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued

522. Matilda Bagley: allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued during summer.

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- 523. Margaret Eaton: to remain on the summer list. 4 lbs. bread a week
- 524. Ann Silver: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 525. Maria Smith: to have her weekly ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.
- 526. Bridget Burns: to remain on the list for a weekly allowance of 4 lbs.
- 527. Ellen Purtell: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
- 528. Thomas Hayes: allowance of bread continued. 4 lbs. a week.
- 529. Mary O'Brien: bread 4 lbs. a week continued
- 530. Sarah Bloomer: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 531. Catharine Keenan: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 532. Thomas Mangel: to have 6 lbs. bread a week during Summer.
- 533. Ellen O'Brien: weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
- 534. Sarah Repath: 12 lbs. bread continued during summer Months.
- 535. Rebecca Heffer: to have 6 lbs. bread during summer Months.
- 536. Hannah Robertson: weekly ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.
- 537. Elisa Jolland: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 538. Ellen Fitzpatrick: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 539. Elizabeth Burns: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued during summer.
- 540. Elizabeth Russell: 8 lbs. bread continued during summer.
- 541. Mary McGee: bread continued, 4 lbs. Weekly.
- 542. Madeline Booth: allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
- 543. Mary Slattery: to be continued on the list, 8 lbs. bread a Week.
- 544. Annie Davis: 8 lbs. bread a Week continued.
- 545. Charlotte McCan: weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.
- 546. Elisa McKewan: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 547. Mary Ann Andrews: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread during summer.

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548. Ann Atkinson: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.

549. Mary Law: in Case 437. was brought to the House this Morning by Mrs. Cameron. Mrs. Law appears to be very childish. is a Native of Ireland, and Church of England. say about 70 years of age.

550. Anne Atkinson: 40 Garrison St. is the widow of a soldier who died during the past winter, leaving her with five Children to provide for. She has nothing but what she can earn by her daily labour, and if the bread can be continued to her it will be a great boon to a worthy respectable, hard working woman. See Case 348 [548].

551. Agnes McKee: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.

552. James Coleman: an Inmate. [Case] 739 in 1872. died this day April 5th at 2 OClock P.M. Aged 72.

Tuesday. 8th April 1873.

Present. Messrs. J. McBean & E. Hobson.

553. John Aylward: in Case 200, Visitor recommends that his allowance of 6 lbs. bread be continued.

554. Eliza Gailey: 4 lbs. bread per week continued.

555. Ann Duval: to have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

556. Margaret Douglas: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

557. Cecilia Edmonds: weekly allowance of 6 lbs. continued.

558. Mary Maddigan: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

559. John O'Neill: 6 lbs. bread weekly continued.

560. Ellen Coffin: allowance of 8 lbs. bread a week continued.

561. Sarah Bennett: 8 lbs. bread a week for one Month.

562. Elizabeth McCauley: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

563. Elizabeth Hudson: Groceries, & 8 lbs. bread for one Month.

564. Elisa Richards: 4 lbs. a week for one Month longer.

[Case 565 and 566 not entered]

567. Elizabeth Johnson: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

568. Mary Young: weekly ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.

569. Emma Munroe: allowance of 8 lbs. bread weekly.

570. Jane Fraser: ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.



571. Jane Redditt: 4 lbs. bread weekly for one Month.

572. Margaret Lawrie: 4 lbs. bread a Week continued.

573. Honora Gillon: ration of 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

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574. Martha Carr: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

575. Johanna Lynch: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

576. Elizabeth Evitt: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

577. Sarah Moore: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread during summer.

578. William Henry Dyers: Coloured. 17 years of age. Canadian. came from Bowmanville. applied here for shelter, and seemed apparently very sick. had to send for the Doctor, who is bringing him round again. Left. 16th

579. Catharine Murrell: in Case 687 in 1871, died this Morning. Aged 82 years. April 10th.

580. Mary Law: in Case 549, strayed off the premises this afternoon about 4 O'clock, April 10.

581. Mary Lewis: and Child in Case 225 Left to day April 10th.

582. James J. Thompson: in Case 518, got an order from the Mayor for admission into General Hospital. The Man's legs were in such a state that a Cab had to be hired to send him there.

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Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

583. Susanna Pooler: to have her weekly ration of 6 lbs. bread continued

584. Mary McLean: to have allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

585. John Tallput: in Case 1025 in 1872. left the institution April 14th. has got a place with Dr. Geekie.

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Present. Revd. S. Givin [Givins] R. Gilmor Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

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586. Letitia Potter: to have her ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.

587. Emma Stanley: to have her weekly allowance of 12 lbs. bread continued, on account of her large family of young Children, and was confined again a few Months after her husbands' death.

588. Mary Law: in Case 580. was brought back on the 12th.

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589. Sarah Peacock: in Case 719 in 1871, asked leave yesterday to go out as she wanted to purchase a cap. has not returned yet.

590. Peter Gorden [Gordon]: in Case 961 in 1871 died this day April 16th at 5 O'clock P. M. Aged 62.

Friday. 18th April 1873.

Present. Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

591. Mary Rynolds [Reynolds]: in Case 499, will leave the House to day, and live with a daughter in the Country.

592. Mary Haselip: aged 53. Native of Ireland. R.C. from Kingston a twelve Month. Came here last night for shelter, and wishes to remain for a few days having no home at present.

593. John Godfrey: aged 66. Native of England. Chof England. A Blacksmith by trade. Not able to work. nor has been for some time past. his wife who supported him, is now in bad health, and applied for her husband's admission for a time. They have been 40 years in Toronto, and are very respectable people. Doctor examined Godfrey and states, that he is incapable of working but not helpless, and in all respects a fit case for admission. Admitted.

594. James Watson: in Case 787, in 1872 Left the House yesterday.

595. Robert Gradwell: in Case 813 in 1872, left the House on his own account.

596. William Amos: in Case 462, left the House, he is well enough to go to work. Major Macdonald paid [dollars] 7 part of Amos' pension to the Institution. April 19th.

597. Andrew Thomason: in Case 473, and

598. Thomas Doyle: in Case 519, who had shelter in Building for casual Poor left last Tuesday. suspicion pointed strongly to them for the disappearance of Key's belonging to side gate & Building for casual poor, which caused an expense to Institution of [dollars] 7. Thomason acknowledged since that he was concerned in it, but others know also.

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599. Thomas Campbell: in Case 735. Left the House. says he is now able to provide for himself. April 20th

600. Hugh Matthieson: in Case 89. is now well, and able to work left the House to day April 20. has got Employment as Porter in some Store.

601. Peter Kelly: Aged 61. A Cripple. a tailor by trade. from Ireland 26 years. lived in the States, but has been about Canada for last two years. was brought before Police Magistrate as a Vagrant & sent to this Institution as being sick. R.C.

Tuesday 22nd April 1873

Present. Revd. Dr. Topp & S. Rogers Esqr.

602. Susanna Baldwin: to have weekly allowance of 4 lbs. continued

603. Hannah Asher: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

604. Mary Hickling: to have weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread during summer

605. Catherine Karney: allowed ration of 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer

606. Ellen Stephens: A Widow aged 72. English. Chof England. for some years an out door Pensioner of the House, applied for admission. past work. admitted. 16 years in Toronto.

607. Elizabeth Jackson: in rear of Judge Wilson. Spadina Avenue. to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread a week continued.

605. Sarah Peacock: in Case 589. applied for re admission, having been absent for a week without leave, promised not to do the like again. admitted.

606. John Loney [Lonie]: in Case 250. Left the Institution, intends going in the Country working at his trade. tailoring.

607. Peter Kelly: in Case 601 died, April 23rd.

608. Emily: the Child of Ellen Hudson died this morning April 25 at 4 OClock. See Case 767 in 1872. Age 18 Months.

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Friday. 25th April 1873.

Present. S. Rogers Esqr.

609. James Watson: in Case 594. seeks readmission. says is not able to work on account of bad Eyes. admitted.

610. Julia Brierton: in Case 88. Left the House on her own account, says will try to get a pass to take her to London C.W. where she has a Brother. April 28th.

611. Charles Lewin: in Case 781 in 1872. left the House April 28th has got a situation.

Tuesday 29th April. 1873.

No Committee present.

612. Thomas Nolan: in Case 777 in 1872, left the Institution. says he will go to New London.

613. Elizabeth Jackson: in Case 607. information about Mrs. Jackson was brought to the House not creditable to her character or the House she keeks [keeps]. her ration of bread is therefore cut off until she can give a better account of herself.

614. Ann Finn: in Case 90, had leave to go out. came home drunk and abusive, had to turn her off the premises. April 30th.

615. William Turner: & Amelia his Wife in Case 680 in 1872. Left the House this day May 1st. The old Man has some employment offered by Mr. Preston. will endeavour to live out during summer.

Friday. May 2nd 1873.

Present. Revd. D.J. Macdonnell

616. Ellen Ashton: in Case 134 in 1872. Applied for admission for herself and little girl 6 years of age. says her husband came home, and remained about a Month, then took to drinking again, and abused her in a most shameful manner, brook [broke] up her home and left her destitute. Will make herself useful if taken in the House. Admitted on those terms. English. Chof Engl. ^They left May 8th^

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617. Mary Law: in Case 588, was taken out of the Institution by her daughter who lives at No. 12 Elizabeth St. and who is anxious to keep her Mother without any assistance from the House. May 3rd.

618. William Addison: in Case 763 in 1872, died May 3rd.

619. George Reader: in Case 185. left the Institution to day May 5th has got Employment with Mr. Thompson, painter on George Street.

Tuesday, 6th May. 1873.

No Committee present. Mr. Hobson attendant afterwards

620. Sarah McGregor: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread continue

621. Mary Hudson: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued

622. William Chambers: Aged 76 English. ChofEngland. 30 years from England, a Butcher by trade. lived in the States & latterly at Port Dover. came to Toronto last October. was taken up for Vagrancy and sent to Gaol for six Months. came out yesterday & brought a recommend from the Mayor for admission into House of Industry. Admitted for a time.

623. William Smith in Case 184. left the Institution May 7th.

624. William Booth: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

Friday. 9th May, 1873.

No Committee present.

625. Mary Huton: (See Case 692 in 1871.) applied for admission of her Child, was refused as she is able to provide for it herself. See the Mayors Note dated May 5th.

626. Margaret Lennon: one of the old pensioners of the House is really unable to earn a livelihood for herself. Her age & infirmities preventing her doing any heavy work. and very often she is prevented by rheumatism from such light work as knitting etc. It would therefore be but an act of kindness, to continue the allowance of bread during summer, & Revd. Mr. Williams would be glad if it could be done.

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627. John Thomas: in Case 751 in 1872. left the House on his own account, without asking leave.

Tuesday. 13th May. 1873.

Present. Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

628. Margaret McComb. aged 50. Spinster. Ireland. ChofEngland. in Toronto 17 years. greatly reduced in health by rheumatic fever, and at present not able to earn her living. Recommended for admission by Revd. Mr. Broughall. Admitted.

629. Margaret Broom: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.

630. Susan Berry: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued & a small allowance of Groceries.

Friday. 16th May 1873

No Committee present.

631. Edward Campbell in Case 418, left the Institution, says is able to earn his living by cutting wood.

632. Michael Furlong: in Case 159. applied for admission. says he had a fall and hurt his back.

Tuesday. May 20th. 1873.

No Committee present.

No Applications

633. Margaret McComb in Case 628 left the House May 22nd.

Friday May 23rd. 1873.

Present. J.T. Smith Esqr.

634. William Bandock: 41 Ann St. see Case 92. Met with an accident at the Convent, and injured his back and one of his legs, Mr. Smith visited and will try to get him admitted into the General Hospital. Recommends in the mean time an allowance of tea, sugar etc. and 6 lbs. of bread a week for the wife and Children.

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Friday, May 23/73.

635. Mary McClean: aged 30. Irish. Chof England. in Canada 3 years. says she came from St. Catharines to Toronto to look for her husband who left her 3 Months ago. she has a boy aged 7 years with her. seeks shelter for herself and Child for a few days.

636. Charles Wilkinson: in Case 603 in 1872 left the House.

637. Andrew Duncan: in Case 476 went to General Hospital May 26th

Tuesday, May 27th 1873.

Present. Very Revd. J.F. Jamot & N.C. Love Esqr.

638. Thomas Dalton: Aged 34. Canadian. ChofEngl. came lately from the States where he resided for some years. appears to be in a bad state of health. No friends & no means. had a few days shelter in Building for casual poor. Committee consider that he is a more fit case for the Hospital than this Institution. Revd. Mr. Jamot wrote a Note to the Mayor which has to be endorsed by the Doctor recommending Daltons admission into the Hospital.

Friday. May 30th 1873

Present Very Revd. J. F. Jamot.

639. Jane Lyons: Little Adelaide St. is in very delicate health and her husband is also ill with little prospect of being better for some time to come. if therefore the winter allowance of bread can be continued to them, it will be visitor thinks a real Kindness to needy and deserving people. To have 8 lbs. of bread weekly.

Tuesday. June 3rd. 1873

Present. Revd. S.J. Boddy & J. Thom.

640. Simon Burn: in Case 734 in 1872. Left the House will go and work with a farmer in the Country.

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641. Moses Murphy: 25 Melinda St. applied to have his ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued. Granted. See Case 899 in 1872.

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642. Ellen Stephens: in Case 606. left the House. June 3rd.

Friday. 6th June 1873.

No Committee present.

643. Emily Herman: in Case 515, left the House with her two Children, and gone into House Keeping for herself.

644. William Jeffry: and wife left the House.

645. Bridget McDonnell: aged 45. Irish. R.C. had shelter for some weeks on account of a very bad foot. she is now better and left the House.

Tuesday. 10th June. 1873

Present. Messrs. J. Jaques [Jacques] & E. Hobson.

646. Elizabeth Smith: 226 Chesnut Street. A Widow about 65 years of age. appears unable to do much work. Irish R.C. a married daughter lives with her who was confined 8 weeks ago, got out too soon and has been confined to bed ever since, very ill. Husband in the states sent her no assistance. Visitor recommends full rations of tea, sugar [etc.] 6 lbs. bread a week during her illness and coal if they require it.

647. James McKenny: in Case 847 in 1871. discharged from the Institution.

Friday, 13th June 1873.

Present Messrs. J. Jaques [Jacques] & E. Hobson.

648. Samuel Knowlton: aged 83. Native of England. Chof Engl. in Canada. 62 years. seeks admission. says he receives [dollars] 8 a Month from his Son for some property he made over to his Son, is willing to pay that Money to the Institution if admitted. Enquiries to be made of the Son, who lives at No. 1 Little

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Richmond St. about the old Man, and if he desires to have his father admitted into the Institution will have to pay the [dollars] 8 in advance for the old Mans support.

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Friday. 13th June 1873.

649. William Carney: in Case 713 in 1872, died this day June 13th at one OClock P.M. Aged 84 years.

650. John Smyth: in Case 228 in 1857, died this day June 13th at 4 OClock P.M. Aged 67 years.

651. Margaret Hogg: a Widow aged 32, Irish. Presbytarian. 23 years in Canada. had shelter for a week on account of sprained wrist and blackened Eye. got the better of it now, and left.

Tuesday, 17th June 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

652. Mrs. [Mary] Williamson: at present living at 128 Berkely St. is in a very destitute condition. She is very aged, and in a very feeble state, and is anxious to be taken into the House of Industry. Hon. Mr. Allan, considers her quite a fit case, and recommends her to be received if there is any vacancy. Doctor to see her, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

653. Robert Gradwell: in Case 595, applied for readmission into the House. Not able to earn his living out side.

654. Thomas Kelly: in Case 714 in 1871, applied again to General Board for admission into the House. was refused as then, not being a proper Case for this Institution.

655. Mary Williamson: in Case 652. A Spinster, says 61 years of age, looks more like 75. A Native of Ireland, Methodist. 23 years in Toronto. was in General Hospital with a broken leg, from which she is suffering still. Dr. examined her, and pronounces her a proper Case for the Institution. Admitted June 19th.

656. Four Children Named Armstrong: James 12. Thomas 10. John 8, and George 6 years of age. They were brought here, June 18th by their Father with a Note from the Mayor recommending the Children's admission. They were here twice before, sent by the Police for shelter, and twice ran away from the Boys Home. Mother in Gael for 3 Months. Canadians. Methodist.

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Friday. 20th June. 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

657. Ann Davis: 52 St. Davids St. in Case 70. Lost her husband on 17th of May last, and is left with 7 Children. The eldest a girl 14, sickly, at home, the next a boy 13, with Mr. Lewis, Chemist on Yonge St. earns [dollars] 2 1/2 a week and boards at home. the rest are to young to do anything. Mrs. Davis is in receipt of 8 lbs. bread a week. asks for an additional Loaf. Granted.

658. Thomas Murton: aged 73. Native of England. Methodist. came to this Country 45 years ago. lived at Sheppards Mills for the last 20 years. says applied to his county council for relief who would have granted it, but for his Landlord who opposed it on account of the old Man Keeping a Cow and pigs. It appears the old Man has been playing the truant since Monday, as his wife came here about 12 OClock and took him away with her, and stated also that they were comfortably situated but the old Man would take in his head to go away and disgrace her by doing so.

659. Arthur Fairlie: in Case 966 in 1872 died this Morning at 6 OClock. A.M. aged 39 years.

660. Robert Gradwell: in Case 653. To be admitted for a time.

661. The Children Armstrong: in Case 656 ran away from the Institution. June 21st.

Tuesday 24th June 1873.

Present, R. Wilkes Esqr.

662. Mary Denman: No. 10 Elizabeth St. English. Chof England. Married 39 years of age. 5 Children. boy 9. boy 3. girl 11. girl 6, & girl 2 years of age. arrived from England a year ago. Husband a painter, now in Hospital, said to be very ill, has not been able to work for some time past. Visitor advises that Mrs. Denman bring a certificate from Hospital Doctor certifying about the Husbands health. and to have relief accordingly. say 12 lbs. bread a week.

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Friday 27th June 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

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663. Ann Armstrong: says, is a Widow last 8 Months, husband died at Ottawa. she came to Toronto last December. has two Children with her, a girl 4 years, & a boy 3 Months old. is a Native of Montreal, & belongs to Church of England. was obliged to leave her lodgings because she had no money to pay for her board. expect's Money from her friends, wants shelter in the mean time. No claim on this Institution. advised to apply to the Mayor for a pass to carry her back to Montreal where she says she has plenty friends. might have shelter for a day or two.

664. Charlotte Miller: aged 29. Irish. ChofEngl. four years out in this Country. lived in Service, was taken bad with Rheumatism, and was in Hospital for last 3 Months. says is not able to take a place yet. seeks shelter for a few days.

665. Edward Hanley: aged 74. Irish. ChofEngland. for many years a resident in this City, and for some years an outdoor Pensioner of this House, was sent here to day June 28th by Mr. MacNabb Police Magistrate for admission, the old Man having been arrested as a Vagrant on the public Streets of this City.

Tuesday 1st July 1873

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

666. Alexd. Newall: 53 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 4 years out. Tailor by trade, out of Employment at present. No means seeks shelter for a few days.

Friday, 4th July. 1873.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

667. Simon Burns: in Case 640. Made application for readmission into the House. says is not strong enough to earn his living. Admitted with the understanding that he make himself general useful.

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Friday. July 4th 1873

668. Thomas Kavenagh: aged 80. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. 20 years in Toronto. No friends, and no means to support himself. seeks admission. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Laurent. Admitted.

Tuesday. July 8/73.

Present. J. McBean Esqr.

669. Maria Matthews: Dorsett House. Widow aged 30. English. Chof Engl. has 4 Children, boy 12, boy 11, girl 9, & girl 2 years of age. She is a delicate woman, is not fit for much work. the eldest boy earns [dollars] 4 a Month, but boards at home. she works a little for the neighbours around. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. bread a Week.

Friday. 11th July. 1873.

Present. J. McBain [J. McBean] Esqr.

No Applicants

Tuesday. 15th July. 1873.

Present. Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

670. John Blyth: in Case 704 in 1871. Made application for readmission into House of Industry. brought a recommend from Mr. John Macdonald. To see Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted. Aged 72. English. ChofEngland. Doctor examined. Admitted.

Friday, 18th July. 1873.

Present. R. Gilmor Esqr.

671. Joseph Jenkins: Aged 47. Irish. ChofEngland. partially paralysed. lived some 8 years in Toronto, and lately out of General Hospital. seeks admission. admitted. See Case 108 in 1872.

Tuesday, 22nd July. 1873.

Present. S. Rogers Esqr.

672. John Bramble: in Case 1024 in 1872, died this day July 23d. Aged 73 years.

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Friday, 25th July. 1873.

Present. S. Rogers Esqr.

673. Caroline Ireland: was sent by his Worship The Mayor, recommending her admission. The woman say's she is a Widow. 42 years of age, belongs to Methodist Church, and is a Native of Prescott, Canada. lived lately in Mitchell for two years, and was there afflicted about a twelve Months since with St. Vitus dance [Sydenham's chorea]. came to Toronto Hospital in May last, but no cure could be effected and she was discharged 3 weeks ago. To be admitted for the present. Left 30th July.

674. Mary Stuart: in Case 649 in 1872 left the premises on her own account. July 25. came back July 28, she is rather weak minded. and not able to take care of herself.

Tuesday. 29th July. 1873.

Present, No Committee.

675. Charlotte Irwin: 48 Ann Street. Aged 40. Married. Irish. ChofEngl. says her husband was unfortunate having endorsed a Note for a friend and thereby lost a farm, at Durham where they lived. she came to Toronto 4 Months ago with four Children and the Husband took a Government Grant of Land at Muskoka where he now is with 3 of the eldest boys, trying to make a Home for the rest of the family. Visitor recommends bread & what relief can be given them as they are badly off.

Friday, 1st August. 1873.

No Committee.

676. Margaret Hearn: 121 Venauley [Vanauley] St. Husband is a boiler-maker, now out of work, Visitor fancy's from sheer laziness. Has 4 Children, 3 girls 7, 5, 3 & a boy about 2. English. Wife says she is going to her friends to Montreal next week. a little aid recommended in the mean time.

677. Edward Hancock: Borden St. in one of Priddell's houses. Has his shoulder bone fractured. Wife is also ill, expecting her confinement shortly. Has 8 Children ranging from 11 years and downwards. Is just 3 Months out from England. W. Methodist. aid recommended.

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Tuesday 5th August. 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

678. Elizabeth Dempsey: who was formerly an Inmate. (See Case 532 in 1870.) brought a recommend from Mrs. Grasett for readmission into the Institution. was to [too] late for the Board but saw the Doctor who examined her, and reports that there is nothing infectious about her to prevent her admission.

Friday. 8th August. 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

679. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 678. to be admitted.

Tuesday. August 12/73.

Present. J. Tyner Esqr. & Revd. J.M. Laurent.

680. Mary Ferry: Aged 60. English. Methodist. Widow. 3 years out from England. has been in bad health for sometime, says is not able to support herself. seeks admission into the House for some time. Admitted.

681. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 679. Left the Institution.

Friday. 15th August. 1873.

Present. Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

No Applicants.

Tuesday. 19th August 1873.

Present. No Committee.

682. John Lattimer: in Case 717 in 1865, died this Morning at 3 OClock. aged 79 years.

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683. Mary Stuart: in Case 674, left the premises again on her own account without leave.

684. Robert Harris: aged 63. Native of Ireland. Presbyterian. says came from the Country and has no means seeks a few days shelter. See Case 699 in 1871.

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Friday, 22nd August. 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

685. John Lonie: aged 44. Native of Scotland. Roman Catholic Church. a Cripple, only one leg. has been an Inmate at different times. See Case 606. seeks admission again. Admitted.

686. Elizabeth Dempsey: in Case 681. seeks readmission. Admitted.

687. William Turner: in Case 615, made application for readmission into the House for himself and Wife Amelia. Admitted.

Monday, 25th August. 1873.

688. Committee appointed to purchase Coal met at half past nine A.M. to examine Tenders.

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Shea, & J. Tyner.

Mr. Congers Tender being the lowest, was accepted.

Tuesday 26th August. 1873.

Present. Very Revd. J.F. Jamot & N.C. Love Esqr.

689. Emma Louisa Oswin: aged 19. English, in Canada 3 years. and lived during that time in Coburg where she got herself into trouble, and came yesterday Monday, with her baby a girl 4 weeks old to Toronto looking for a situation. having no means and no friends, she came to the House asking shelter for herself and Child. admitted for a time by Messrs. Jaques [Jacques], Hobson & McBean. August 27th.

Friday 29th August. 1873.

Present. N.C. Love Esqr.

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690. George Greer: Aged 34. Irish. R.C, out since last Novbr. came from Quebec last Thursday, looking for Employment. without means. A stationary Engine driver. Seeks shelter for a few days, until he can get back again to Quebec.

691. Frank McDonald: aged 14. Canadian. ChofEngl. A Messroom Boy on Board the Magnet. went to the wash woman to see about his Clothes. Boat left in the mean time. seeks shelter until next Friday to be enabled to catch the Boat on her return trip.

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692. Jane Challis: 98 South Park Street. Aged 32. from England 2 Months. ChofEngl. 4 Children, Girl 9. Girl 7. boy 6, and girl 16 Months. Husband a Bricklayer, but in bad health and for the last 3 weeks in General Hospital. gave 8 lbs. bread & small allowance of Groceries.

693. Mary Stuart: alias McKay, in Case 683, was sent back to the Institution by Alderman Baxter. having been taken up by the Police as a Vagrant. Septbr. 3rd.

Tuesday 2nd September 1873.

Present. Revd. Mr. Boddy.

No Applicant's

Friday 5th September. 1873.

Present. Mr. J. McBean for Mr. J. Thom.

694. John Cavanagh: Aged 54. Irish. R.C. Church, a labourer 38 years in Canada. met with an accident and put his shoulder out. not able to work for his living at present. says has no means. seeks shelter for a time. which was granted by the Committee.

Tuesday 9th Septbr. 1873.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

695. Martha Gravely: 139 Hope St. Husband has gone to Red River and has not been heard from. expect's to be ill shortly and is without means. Has 6 Children, 4 at home, boy 10. girl 6, boy 4, next

nearly 2. Visitor recommends that some assistance be given her until her husband is heard from. If an allowance of Groceries could be made it would aid her in her present condition, aged 37. English. Chof England. Committee allowed 8 lbs. bread a week, and Groceries when her Confinement takes place.

696. Richard Killien: see Case 896 in 1871. Aged 63. Irish. No Church, seeks admission. his money is all spent and no one will Keep him any longer. The Man is blind, unable to earn his living. Recommended by Mr. Alexd. Manning The Mayor for admission. Admitted.

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Tuesday 9th Septbr. 1873.

697. Eliza Death: in Case 868 in 1872. 98 Jarvis St. Hon. Mr. Allan (Visitor) recommends that some bread be allowed her, as she has been laid up by illness and is still scarcely able to return to work. deserving of relief. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

698. George Johnson: Coloured. Aged 55. for the last 35 years in Toronto. in bad health. Consumption. was for some time in General Hospital but left there on his own accord. was sent by Dr. Ogden to the Institution. it appears Johnson had been lying about sick all day on Adelaide Street. Admitted by Mr. Hobson.

Friday. 12th September. 1873.

Present, J. Jaques [Jacques] Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

699. Alexd. McKenzie: Aged 81. Native of Scotland. Methodist, says has been 33 years in the Country. No settled home of late years, unable to provide for himself. was recommended for admission by Mr. Donaldson Emigration agent, who has Known the old Man for many years. Septbr. 15th.

Tuesday. 16th September. 1873

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

700. Alexd. McKenzie: in Case 699. Admitted.

701. Jane McLaughlan: 80 years of age. Irish. R.C. Church. A Widow. says has been over 30 years in this City. worked until lately, at Jaques [Jacques] & Hay's picking hair & sorting feathers. now not able to work any longer. Brought a recommend from Revd. Mr. Sanson for admission. Admitted.

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Friday. 19th September 1873.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. Mr. Givins.

702. John Farrell: in Case 699 in 1872. had leave to go out last Monday, & came home at night intoxicated, was refused to come in under the circumstances, but told to apply when sober. came to day and applied to the Board for readmission. Admitted, on condition that he Keep sober in future.

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703. William Belmer: 64 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. 12 years in Toronto. appears to be in bad health, not able to earn his own living. Revd. Mr. Givins recommended the old man as a deserving case for admission. Admitted.

704. George Johnson: in Case 698 died this day at 3 OClock A.M.

705. Mary Wilkinson: living on No. 9 Seaton St. Visitor recommends that she be allowed some bread. See case No. 5 in 1872.

706. Aaron Durham: in Case 968 in 1872 left the Institution. Left for England to live with a brother in Yorkshire.

707. Catharine Hadley: in Case 651 in 1868. applied for readmission into the House. 65 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngland. admitted on condition that she behave herself.

708. John Godfrey: in Case 593 died this morning at half nine OClock. aged 66, years. Septbr 22nd.

Tuesday 23rd. Septbr. 1873.

No Committee Present.

No Applicants.

709. James Penton: aged 34. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. A Clerk. Nearly two years in Canada. Lately out of Hospital. Doctor Ogden recommends Penton as a fit case for admission into House of Industry for a time.

Friday 26th Septbr. 1873

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

710. Margaret Watson: A Widow. Native of Scotland. Aged 48. Nine weeks out. seeks admission for a time and will make herself general useful. Brought a recommend from Sergeant Major McPherson of No. 2 Police Station. Admitted. ^Left Octbr 26th.^

711. Maria Clark: 46 Elizabeth St. Marrd. [Married]. English. ChofEngl. 7 Children. Husband a Shoemaker, who is now in Gaol. Visitor Recommends 8 lbs. bread a week for the present. ^See Case 91^

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Tuesday 30th Septbr. 1873.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

712. Catharine Hadley; in Case 707 died this day Octbr. 2nd.

Friday, Octbr. 4th 1873.

Present. Revd. Dean Grasett & E. Hobson Esqr.

713. Mary Ferry: in Case 680 left the House, her son who is married will take her to live with him.

714. Mary Anderson: aged 70. deserted by her husband. Scotch. Presbyterian Church. lived with a daughter who used her badly. seeks admission. admitted on condition, that she not leave the premises on account of her drinking propensities.

Tuesday, 7th October, 1873

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. McBean

715. Mary Anderson: in case 714 was admitted by this Committee.

716. Isabella Lock: aged 68. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. four years out. was sent for by a Brother and Sister, who afterwards behaved badly to her, and as she is not able to earn her living, she applied for admission. Admitted.

717. Mrs. Wilson: of 73 Centre St applied for the admission of her Mother, Elizabeth Evitt who received relief from this Institution for a number of years. The Committee will admit Mrs. Evitt, and allow Mrs. Wilson (who has a young family) 8 lbs. bread a week to help to support her father, who also has a pension of 25 [cents] per day. Mrs. Evitt is a native of Ireland. ChofEngl. Aged 68. ^Left 20th May 1874^

718. William McBurney: formerly an Inmate. See Case 700 in 1871. His daughter applied for his readmission. The Committee referred the Case to Doctor to examine. Doctor reports that McBurney a few weeks ago fell on his own floor, and hurt the hip and knee of the bad side. since that time he has had so much pain in the hip as to render him helpless. He is very destitute, wholly dependent upon one

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daughter, who is prevented working at her trade by having to give so much time to her father. Although he is at present quite helpless, yet he really requires assistance and shelter notwithstanding the burden he may prove, to whatever Institution may receive him. Doctor does not think Mr. McBurney would be taken into the Hospital.

719. Rose Johnson: A widow aged 50. Irish. ChofEngl. says is bad with Rheumatism, and not able to support herself, entirely dependent upon a daughter who is in Service and gets 6 Dollars a month. The girl is willing to pay [dollars] 3 a Month to the Institution of her Mother could be admitted. The Committee will admit Mrs. Johnson for a time, if the daughter will promiss to deposit 3 dollars a month in the savings Bank for her own use, instead of paying it to the House.

720. Ann Ash: 29 Lumley St. Has only been 8 weeks in the Country. Made a widow two weeks ago. Has four Children, one at home a girl 9, is a Charwoman, and very poor. English. ChofEngl. Recommended for bread. To have 6 lbs. bread a week.

Friday 10th October 1873

Present J. McBean Esqr.

721. Margaret Carpenter: says, is 60 years of age, looks more like 40. lost the use of both her hands. Completely helpless, can neither feed herself or dress herself, and seems to be out of her mind. English. in the States since 3 years of age. Brought a note from the Revd. Dean Grasett, recommending her Case to be brought before the Committee as a candidate for admission. Chof England. Doctor examined Mrs. Carpenter and found her labouring under paralysis agitans [Parkinson's disease] the result of chronic change taking place in the brain and spinal cord, quite helpless, but apparently free from contagious diseases.

Tuesday, 14th October 1873.

No Committee present.

722. William Skinner: aged 78. English. Church of England. says has been 40 years in Canada. A Blacksmith by trade. came from Queenstown. seeks shelter for a few days, to be enabled to rest himself, when he will return to Queenstown again. ^was admitted & Left June 25/75^

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723. Jane Chambers: Aged 53. Irish. ChofEngland. Made application for shelter. she is in a most miserable state of health, apparently brought on by exposure. see Case 1087 in 1871. from that time until June last spring (when she left on her own account), she had charge of the casual ward for women.

724. Michael Furlong: and [an] Inmate, who had leave to go out, and came home intoxicated and consequently not allowed to come in. applied for readmission. Admitted by Mr. Hobson on the understanding not to do the like again.

Friday, 17th October, 1873.

Present E. Hobson, Esqr.

725. Sarah Fowler: aged 40. Irish. ChofEngland. 23 years in Canada. says her husband was in the Asylum, believes he died there. She looks a most deplorable object, and seems in bad health. seeks shelter for a few days.

726. Elizabeth McDonnell: Aged 50. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. 8 years in Canada, and for last two year in Toronto. Husband left her does not know whether he is alive or not. She is perfectly destitute, and apparently not very strong. seeks admission.



727. Elizabeth Mephram: aged 21. English. ChofEngland. 3 years out in this Country. Married. 2 Children, a boy 3 years, & a girl 18 months old. when they first came out, they went to Lennoxville, afterwards they went to Hamilton, and came to Toronto 8 weeks ago. The husband a labourer left her 2 weeks ago, being destitute she applied here with her children for shelter.

728. Mary Blakely: or Blackmore. Irish. R.C. says is 34 years old. 12 years in the country, and lately from Newcastle. wants shelter. She is a troublesome case, well known at the House. See in 1866, Case 744, and again in 1867, Case 319 & 688, and again in 1868, Case 496. She has her child with her. Mary Ann 8 years old.

729. Jane Hanna: 15 South Park Street. Visitor did not see her: said to be ill: Saw husband, Isaac, who seemed to know nothing of his wifes application for relief, and by no means disposed to be communicative.

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Tuesday 21st October, 1873.

Present Revd. S. Givins & E. Hobson Esqr. for S. Rogers Esqr.

730. Jane Chambers: Case 723. To be admitted. She will take charge of Womans Casual Ward.

731. Sara Fowler: Case 725. To be admitted for a time. ^Left Debr. 5/73^

732. Elizabeth McDonnell: Case 726. Admitted on the understanding that she make herself general useful.

733. Elizabeth Mephram: Case 727. To be admitted for a time. ^Left Novbr. 19th^

734. Mary Blakely: or Blackmore: in Case 728. advised to place her child in same institution or House of Providence & herself to go to service.

735. Mary Ann Bennett: 66 years of age, was sent here to day at 12 OClock, by the Police Magistrate, was taken up the night before as a vagrant, with her shoulder dislocated. She is an case well known to the House. ^Left Jany. 19/74^

Friday, 24th October, 1873.

Present Revd. S. Givins & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. S. Rogers

736. Ann Bain: aged 40. Irish. R.C. says her husband is in General Hospital. has a child 3 years old who is in bad health. They were both in House of Providence, but left last Tuesday on their own account. Wants

to be admitted into this Institution with her sick child, who has the whooping cough. Cannot be admitted. advised to go back to the House of Providence.

737. Elizabeth McDonnell: Aged 32. Irish. R.C. A Widow, with two young children, a girl 3 years, and a baby 6 weeks old. came from Rochester to Toronto on invitation from her Sister, Mrs. Owen Scully to spend the winter with her. She arrived here last Wednesday evening, but was disappointed in meeting her Sister at the station, and her address, unfortunately, was in her satchel, which a Man seeing her burdened with her Children, offered to carry for her, but to her great perplexity walked off with it. Some kind person procured a night's lodging for her, and

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on Thursday she came to House of Industry with her Children, and applied for shelter until she can find her sister. her Case was brought before the Weekly Committee, who granted her leave to stay for a time, and the Revd. Mr. Givins wrote a statement of her case to the three leading local papers, which it is hoped may be seen by her friends.

738. Catharine Nox: aged 39. Irish. ChofEngl. from Cobourg last Wednesday says she came to Toronto to look for a place. seeks shelter until Monday.

739. Elisa Gunson: in Case 503, was taken out of the Institution by her daughter. Octbr. 28th.

Tuesday, 28th October, 1873

Present Revd. J.D. Macdonnell & E. Hobson Esqr

740. Thomas Kavenagh: in Case 668, left the Institution, will live with a son in Rochester.

741. Sarah Elliott: 26 Markham St. Has 3 children at home. girl 13, girl 4, and boy 2 years of age, and 2 in the girls Home. A widow. English. ChofEngl. had relief last winter. She is still very poor, and in need of assistance. Visitor recommends the usual aid.

742. Elizabeth McDonnell: in Case 737, did not find her Sister. Returned to Rochester to day Octbr. 30th.

Friday, 31st October, 1873

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

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743. Luke Gray: aged 59. English. ChofEngland. Has been 10 years out. came from the States about 18 month ago. No Employment. says has Rheumatism. Seeks admission into the House. To see the Doctor, and if admitted, to make himself useful.

Tuesday, 4th Novbr. 1873.

Present E Hobson Esqr.

744. Jane Curran: 333 Adelaide St. West. An Outdoor pensioner of some years. was with some friends last Winter until now. Visitor recommends her usual allowance of Bread.

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745. George Street: in Case 292, went on trial previous of being bound to John Irwin of this City.

Friday, 7th Novbr. 1873

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

746. Thomas Rutledge: Aged 64. Irish. R.C. A Pensioner. 18 years out. Came from Ottawa 2 months ago. spent his pension, and seeks admission into the House. had shelter for several days. Committee advise that he go back to Ottawa.

747. Thomas Hall: in Case 691 in 1872. died this day (Novbr. 9th) at half past 6 OClock P.M. aged 77.

748. Hugh Mattheson: 64 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presby. See Case 600. Came for shelter, intends applying for admission.

Tuesday, 11th Novbr 1873

Present J. Tyner Esqr. & Revd. J.M. Laurent

749. Charles McDonald: aged 78. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. has been in Canada since McKenzie's rebellion. An old Pensioner. bad with Rheumatism, in consequence of which he is unable to earn his living. Will pay his pension to the Institution. brought a note from Mayor Macdonald. Staff Officer certifying to that effect. To see Doctor, and if a proper case to be admitted. is husband to Elizabeth in Case 732. ^admitted^

750. Rose Johnson: in case 719. applied to Committee for permission to leave the House for good. says she is better in health, and able to take a place. granted.

751. Julia Whalan: 87 Niagara St. has recently injured her arm by the fall of a window, and is now not able to earn her living. She has one Child dependent upon her, a girl aged 4 years. Husband deserted her 2 Months since. and under the circumstances it seem to Visitor that she is a proper subject for relief at the hands of the Committee. She has been in Toronto 13 years, is a Native of Ireland. R.C. aged 34. 6 lbs. bread a week.

752. John Lonie: in case 685, left the House again, to go in the Country to work.

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Friday, 14th Novbr. 1873

Present Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

753. Thomas Rutledge: in Case 746. brought a Note from the Mayor recommending his admission. brought also a note from Mayor Macdonald certifying that Rutledge's pension will be paid to the House for each time as he may remain an Inmate. To see Doctor and if a proper case to be admitted.

^Admitted.^

754. John Thomas: 82 years of age. English. ChofEngl. see Case 627. Made application for a few days shelter expects employment in the Country. Granted.

755. Caroline Terry: 109 South Park Street. Aged 42. Received aid from the House last winter, but lived then in Duke St. Husband, John, an engineer. both from County Kent, England, about 2 years ago. 2 Children, Minnie 10, Fred 2. ChofEngland. Husband though apparently stout and healthy looking, suffers greatly from some nervous complaint, for which he is under hospital treatment. Wife supports the family as she best can, chiefly by sewing. Visitor thinks this really a deserving case and recommends whatever relief the House can grant, tea & sugar included. To have 8 lbs. bread a week, & full allowance of groceries.

Tuesday, 18th Novbr. 1873

Present Messrs. J.T. Smith & W.J. MacDonell

756. Elizabeth Ashby: 174 Bishop Street. Has been out from England only about 3 Months. Her husband is ill from Asthma and is inclined to consumption. In any case is not fit for hard labour. Has 7 children, 6 at home. The oldest is a boy 17 years old, next a girl 15, a boy 4, 2 girls (twins) 3 years old, & a girl 18

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months. belong to English Church. Seem very poor and deserving of assistance. To have 8 lbs. bread at present weekly.

757. Josephine Kealy: aged 36. Married. lately from Ireland. 7 Children girl 14, boy 13, boy 11, girl 9, girl 5, boy 2 1/2, and a girl 4 months old. says husband is sick, and will be sent to hospital almost immediately. To have 10 lbs. bread for the present, and name to be sent to Visitor.

758. George Thompson: Aged 36. English. ChofEngland. says has been out about 6 weeks. says can do Laboring work & Grooming. No work at present. had shelter for some days, would like to have the same continued.

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Friday, Novbr. 21st 1873

Present Messrs. J.T. Smith & W.J. MacDonell

759. Rebecca Greentree: under Stephens' Arch, Agnes St. near Yonge St. English. Methodist. Marrd. [married] 33 years of age. one boy 2 1/2 years of age, and near her confinement. Husband very ill, and not likely to recover. To have 600 lbs. Coal, 8 lbs. bread a week, and a full ration of groceries.

760. Kate Kearns: 76 Dundas St. just out from Ireland about 2 Months. Husband (she says) could not get work and has gone off in search of Employment, she does not know where. Has two Children, 4 & 2 years. takes a room from one Mrs. Macauliffe, but has no furniture. lies on straw with a blanket over her. seems to be in a wretched plight. Aged 24. Help recommended.

761. Josephine Kealy: Muttons Yard, 93 Jarvis St. See Case 757. Husband wife and seven children. youngest an infant. came out to this Country 8 or 9 months ago. was a gentleman farmer according to his own account in the County of Galway. became reduced and was persuaded by the Government Emigration Agent for Ireland to come out here in search of a situation. Has been ill almost ever since he came out. and has been unable also to get anything to do. Eldest girl in the Notre Dame Convent, that is boards and lodges there, but is employed in tailoring. Eldest boy just got into a situation in a store at [dollars] 2.00 a week. the other 5 Children all small and at home. Visitor recommends them to be allowed bread for a Month. and a little tea & sugar & Oatmeal, as they are undoubtably in distress. in the meantime Visitor will see Mr. Merrik and some other Roman Catholic gentleman about the Kealy's and see how far the story he has told is confirmed by them, as they know something of him and have been kind to him. To have 10 lbs. bread weekly & a full allowance of groceries.

762. Maria Taylor: rear 14 Edward St. Coloured. Widow. Methodist. Aged 60. Came from St. Catharines last April. lives with her daughter. to have 4 lbs. bread a week.

763. Hugh Harbell: aged 59. from New Brunswick. A Caulker. seeks shelter for a few days. ^was admitted afterwards.^

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Tuesday 25th Novbr. 1873

Present Very Revd. J.F. Jamot & N.C. Love Esqr.

764. Mary Buckland: 159 Victoria St. 35 years old. Husband 59. A painter by trade. sick with Typhoid fever, consequently not able to work. from Liverpool since last June. 6 Children. Girl 14. Girl 12. boy 8. Girl 6. boy 4, & boy 2 years of age. English. ChofEngland. To have 12 lbs. bread a week & Coal when given out.

765. Bridget McCauley: 30 years old. Not able to work, lost the use of her right hand. Irish. R.C. Church. 86 Victoria St. to have 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal when given out.

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Present Very Revd. J.F. Jamot & N.C. Love Esqr

766. Charles Mason: 13 Ontario St. Man and Wife, no Children. Husband 73. Wife over 80. Mason works occasionally for corporation, and sometimes saws wood. The Wife can only just get about the house. She is very infirm. They have no friends or relatives in the place, and Visitor would therefore recommend them for coal for the winter, as Mason cannot possibly earn enough through the cold weather to support himself and wife. Bread at once, coal when given out.

767. Charles Ayles: 190 Sumach St. Visitor could not find him, thinks there must be some mistake in the number.

768. Mary Hull: 50 Dummer St. Irish. ChofEngland. A widow. 53 years of age. Two children, a girl 21 working out, and a boy 12, also working when he gets employment. Visitor would recommend bread and coal for the old woman only.

769. Ann Quinn: 17 1/2 Renfrew St. was out when Visitor called, but by what was said about her she deserves bread and coal. Aged 76. Irish. ChofEngl. The Case is well known at the House. A decent respectable old woman who had relief for may [many] winters.

770. Louisa Morgan: not known at the rear of 40 Terauley St.

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771. Fanny Grogan: rear 16 Agnes St. Visitor called, and by what he could see, considers the family unworthy of relief.

772. Maria Clark: rear 40 Terauley St. could not be found must have removed. ^See Case 711^

773. Henry Rennolds: aged 27. English. ChofEngl. 2 months out. No Employment seeks a few days shelter. ^Left Debr. 12th^

774. Henry Wells: aged 26. English. Chof Engl. 8 months out, a Clerk out of Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days.

Tuesday, Decbr. 2nd 1873

Present B. Homer Dixon Esqr. & J. Thom Esqr.

775. William Taylor: 65 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. an old resident of this City. says is not able to work on account of Rheumatism. was formerly an Inmate. seeks admission. brought a recommend from the Mayor. To see the Doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted. Doctor examined. Chronic Rheumatism.

776. John Heron: 67. Irish. R.C. says lived for some years in Toronto. not able to work on account of Rheumatism. brought a recommend from the Mayor. seeks admission. To see Doctor & if a proper Case to be admitted. Dr. examined. Chronic Rheumatism. ^Left June 20/75^

777. Owen Reilley: 71. Irish. R.C. 30 years in Toronto. says is unable to earn his living. seeks admission. was recommended by Mr. T.A. McLean. to see Dr. if all right to be admitted. Dr. examined and says that Reilly has Chronic Rheumatism.

778. William Matthews: 29. English. Chof England. Out since last October, Clerk. has a crushed hand and not able to work at present. seeks shelter for two or three weeks, having no means to pay for his board. Granted.

779. Ann Hassan: aged 64, and Michael Hassan aged 24. Came from Ireland 4 years ago, and stayed about Montreal. they took a rented farm last summer, but were burnt out and came to Toronto, seeking shelter at the House last Saturday, have been here since, and applied to day for admission into the House for the Winter. Committee cannot admit them but may stay on until next Tuesday, to look about for themselves.

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780. Richard Thomas: rear of 31 Baldwin St. English. Chof England. 5 Children, 12, 9, 5 1/2, 3 years & one 20 months old. Husband sick. bread and Coal recommended.

781. Margaret Gartland: read 17 1/2 Renfrew St. was out when visitor called. she has two children, girls, the one 21, the other 18 years old. they are also working. Visitor thinks that coal would be enough.

782. Ellen Fitzpatrick: old woman not able to work. Receives bread from the House. Visitor would also recommend the usual allowance of Coal during winter.

783. John Richardson: 74 years old. Not able to work. one grand Child 7 years old living with him. Irish. ChofEngland. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

784. Janet Wilson: 48 Vanauley St. A widow whose husband died in July. apparently very respectable. Has part of a house. Seems to have very little means to live on. 3 Children, 2 boys 6 & 4, and a girl 16 months. Expects to be confined next month, and is not able to work. Her children are now ill. Scotch. Recommend for fuel to be sent at once, also bread and an allowance of groceries in view of her illness. Coal on the 15th.

785. Catharine English: west end of Ceder [Cedar] St. Lives in a miserable hovel, dirty and uncomfortable, a mere shed, scarcely a bit of furniture. a poor bed on the floor for the whole family. Has 3 Children, the eldest 7 years old, about 3 months from England. Her husband is a labourer and gets only occasional jobs. Wants fuel and bread, which are allowed.

786. Joseph Richmond: 8 years old. from Franklin Pennsylvania [Pennsylvania]. says his Mother sent him to Cannington in Canada where his Grandmother and Uncle reside, but they would not receive him but sent him adrift, he tramped about the Country, and finally found his way to Toronto, was taken up but the Police and sent to Gael, was remanded several times, to be found if his friends should turn up, as the Case appeared several times in the Papers. was in Gael about a fortnight, when the Police Magistrate sent him to the "Boys Home", where they would not receive him, because he has a crippled hand, the Constable in Charge brought him to this Institution.

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No Committee present

787. Elizabeth Dean: 8 South Park Street. Visitor called 11 A.M. and was told by a little woman, apparently the Mistress of the establishment, that Dean had gone to service. all she wanted was a situation, which it appears she has obtained.

778. [misnumbered by House author] Margaret Jane Later: 52 Boulton St. aged 53. Husband 60. ChofEngl. has 2 Children, Girl 13 & boy 11. says the old Man cannot do much. Irish. Recommended for bread and Coal for the season.

779. Alice Torphy: rear 269 Queen St. West. A Widow aged 42. R.C. Irish. has 2 Children, a girl 14 & a girl 9. the eldest at work stitching books, & earns [dollars] 2.00 a week, the youngest at School. Recommended for bread as usual, and a full allowance of Coal.

780. Elisa Holland: 13 Renfrew St. Irish. ChofEngl. Husband away. 2 Children, one 3 years, the other 9 months. Recommended bread & Coal.

781. Mary Peacock: 35 Camden St. English. ChofEngl. In Toronto since last May. Four Children, 2 girls, 5 years & 18 months, 2 boys, 7 & 8 years. They have only been in this part of the Town about a fortnight and therefore strangers in the neighbourhood. husband a labourer, but has been ill a good part of the time since his arrival in Toronto, and at present is out of Employment, and indeed unable to work if he could get it. It seems to Visitor a case which requires assistance and therefore recommends bread & sick allowance.

782. Robert Robertson: Aged 56. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. 17 years in Toronto, afflicted with palsey for the last 15 years. Not able to do anything for his living. his Wife 56 years of age ay present in General Hospital with a bad hand. Robertson has no friends to do for him, and is utterly destitute. Wishes to become an inmate for a time.

783. Mary Mandeville: 114 George St. This Case is not a new one and Visitor thinks has reported upon it and the woman has received assistance in former years. She is a widow with a family of young Children. She goes out to scrub and wash. The eldest boy is working

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783. in the planing and sash factory on the corner of Queen St. Visitor thinks it is one of those cases where the coal and bread for the winter are well bestowed. the bread say for two months and the coal 3 times.

784. Richard Leader: 335 Queen St. East. Husband Wife and 5 Children, all inhabiting a wretched cellar in a little house on Queen St. The wife is expecting her confinement every hour. The husband a miserable mortal, is out of work, and has been out of work for some time. Acting upon the hint giving in Superintendents Note, Visitor made enquiries at the Police office, and found that the Wife had been brought up, upon a charge of threatening to burn the House, and upon Visitor putting the question to the woman herself she did not deny the charge, but said that she had uttered the threat in a moment of desperation, when she thought they were going to be turned out and the house let over their heads! Of their destitution there can be no doubt. There was one bed for the husband and wife and 5 Children (all young). Visitor has no doubt whatever that at this present time, the man finds it next to impossible to get work, and when the woman is confined, they will have no means of providing proper food for her.

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under the circumstances therefore, they ought to be allowed bread say for the next two months, and some tea & sugar and oatmeal for the woman when she is confined, they will have to have coal when it is given out. once. if the man is still out of work after that, the case could again be referred to Visitor.

785. Jane Atkins: 148 Pine St. Husband Wife and 5 Children. English. Emigrants out some 3 years. Visited them 2 years ago, when they first came out, when they got assistance from the House. Have done pretty well since. but the husband has been ill and out of work. The eldest daughter who was in place, has come home ill, and a boy who was also in place, is idle, in consequence of the factory in which he was at work having stopped. It will be a month, at least, before the daughter is fit to go to service again, but Visitor hopes he has a place for the boy. Thinks they might be allowed bread for a month, coal once. Then the Case to be again referred to Visitor at the end of that time.

786. Margaret Baker: 504 King St. East. Husband wife and three children. Came out about 18 months ago from England. The husband was at

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at one time a sailor, and has also been employed to drive a stationary Engine and other work of that kind. This last summer he was a sort of caretaker on board a yacht here. He has been doing nothing for the last 6 weeks, except occasionally to saw a little wood. Visitor has not evidence of it beyond his appearance, but is strongly impressed with the belief that Baker drinks. and that is the cause of much of the trouble. The wife seemed a respectable woman but whit [with] an infant 17 Months old she cannot do much. Now as matters are at present, Visitor does not see what prospect there is for a man like Baker getting work perhaps for the greater part of the winter, and even supposing he does drink, what are we to do with the wife and Children? They will have to be allowed bread at all events. and Coal say once. Baker has undoubtedly suffered more or less from fever and ague this autumn. certainly he is at present a most miserable object.

787. George Street: in Case 745 was brought back to the House. The Child is apparently consumptive.

788. James McIntosh: aged 48. English. Presbyt. 4 years out. says has been in the army, and is in receipt of 10 [pence] per day pension. came from Orangeville a short time since. has a bad knee, says is not able to do hard work. seeks shelter for a few days.

789. Margaret Newman: aged 27. Canadian. Presbyteriana. an old Case. seeks shelter for a few days.  
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790. Ann Robins: 72 Centre St. husband is a Carpenter in good health. 2 Sons in work. reported to be a drunken worthless lot. No relief of any kind recommended.

791. William James: 39. English. ChofEngland. 9 months out. A Machinist, but has done labouring work. A sore thumb at present, which is rather against him earning his living. admitted.

792. Alice Murphy: 41. Married. R.C. Irish. 10 Children, one Married, the rest at home. husband not appearing to do anything. a helpless lot, well known at the House, but on account of the large family The Visitor could recommend the same as in former years.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson and J. Jaques [Jacques].

793. William Moore: lives in a shanty on Wellington Avenue, in the ravine. English. ChofEngl. 58 years of age. He and his wife are alone, the children all doing for themselves, but doing nothing for their parents. During the summer he earns a living by gathering rags [etc.] but when winter sets in he finds that he cannot make enough to procure the necessities of life. He is a steady man, but very easy going, and not strong enough for heavy work. Recommended Coal & bread.

794. Mary Pollard: 3 Renfrew St. Irish. ChofEngland. 2 Grandchildren, a boy 8 & a girl 7 years old. Recommended for bread & Coal.

795. Mary McCauliff: 76 Dundas St. Husband is a labourer and has been 3 weeks out of work, only gets an occasional job. Has 2 children aged 5 & 2 1/2 years. Is only 3 months from England. She is the woman with whom Kearns who gets help lives. The amount of aid left to discretion of Committee.

796. Margaret Virgin: Lippincott St. west side between Cambridge & Oxford. Is here direct from Jersey since last September. Husband not strong, a gardener by trade but jobs about now, getting only occasional work. Has 5 Children, 4 at home, oldest being 11 years. A little fuel and bread allowed.

797. Amelia Spinks: 10 Hope St. Husband has been ill a month. a Gardener by trade. Has 7 Children, 6 at home, the eldest of whom is 12. Is two months in the Country from England. A little aid allowed.

798. Ann Kelly: Foxley St. 2nd house from Dundas St. Has had help for 2 years. Is a widow with 6 Children, the eldest a boy of 15, can get very little to do. She is sick herself & unable to work. Irish. R.C. usual aid recommended.

799. Catharine Eagan: 138 Richmond St. west. Widow. lives by herself in a little room. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. of bread, weekly, and Coal 900 lbs. for the season. She gets a little wood from the Society, St. Vincent De Paul. lives rent free. Aged 79.

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800. Jane Dundas: 138 Richmond St. West. Not in when Visitor called, was out working. she generally is out working so her neighbours say. Has none but herself, and lives rent free. Committee will judge for themselves whether she is a strong woman able to earn her living. She may do with a little help, if any.

801. Maria Day: 12 Richmond St. West. A Deciple [Disciple of Christ]. She is in poor health, has to pay rent. none to help her. used to go out nursing, but now gets little or nothing to do. 4 lbs. bread a week & 1200 lbs. Coal for season.

802. Jane Sinclair: rear of 79 Queen St. west. A widow. English. ChofEngl. aged 31. has 6 Children, 2 at home, 2 at the "Boys-Home", and 2 at the Small Pox Hospital. Mrs. Sinclair has a bad hand caused by the shutting of a door upon it, can do nothing with it. Visitor recommends all the rules of the Charity will allow. bread, coal, and rations for nourishment.

803. Mary Alcock: 119 York St. A widow aged 33. Irish. ChofEngl. one Child 15 months old. Charwoman. Landlord speaks well of her. Husband was killed on Grand Trunk. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal, say 600 lbs.

804. Elisa West: a Widow, aged say 61. an old case well known the House for last 14 years. seeks shelter for a time. see Case 500. Irish. ChofEngl.

805. Julia Brierton: a Widow, say 50 years of age. Known at the House for some years. something like the above Case. tramping about begging. Brought a Note from Revd. Mr Givins, recommending her admission. Irish. R.C.

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Present Messrs: J. Jaques [Jacques] & E. Hobson

806. Mary Grace: rear 21 Dummer St. Irish. R.C. a sickly old woman cannot work much. Recommended for bread & coal.

807. Mary Price: 15 Renfrew St. English. ChofEngland. Husband a labourer, cannot do much. 2 Children, boys, one 10, and the other 2 years old. Mrs. Price is near her confinement. Recommended for bread & coal.

808. Mary Nolan: Irish. R. [R.C.] has been sick for the last few months. Lives at 28 Dummer St. an old Case. Bread & Coal recommended.

809. Elisa Shea: Irish. R.C. A widow. 4 Children. 3 girls, 13, 10 & 7 and a boy 5 years of age. very poor. Bread and Coal recommended. Lives at No. 48 Dummer St.

810. Margaret Slattery: 50 Dummer St. a widow. Irish. R.C. sick. cannot work. 2 girls, one 15, the other 7 years old. very poor. Bread and Coal recommended.

811. Seth Hanes: rear of 7 Renfrew St. old man with his wife and little girl 9 years old. Cannot get work. Visitor would recommend them bread and Coal for the present.

812. Mary Quinn: 25 Hackney St. is not in Visitors district.

813. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond St. East. 67 years old. A widow not able to work. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal recommended.

814. Bridget Kells: 100 Richmond St. East. 68 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

815. Isabella Carr: 101 Richmond St. East. A widow, 39 years old. Blind of one eye, suffering from Erysipelas. 4 boys, under 14 years of age. Irish. R.C. 8 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

816. Sarah Kells: 68 Stanley St. 40 years old. husband 45 years old, nearly blind. 4 Children, 2 boys & 2 girls. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread and Coal recommended.

817. Mary Carroll: 77 Stanley St. 55 years old. A widow. Irish. R.C. 2 boys, 11 & 9 years old. 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

818. Catharine McCrea: 56 Bond St. perfectly helpless with paralysis. Irish. R.C. a little sugar, tea etc. & bread and Coal recommended.

819. Bridget Smith: 88 Victoria St. 64 years of age. A widow. R.C. Irish. Not able to work. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal recommended.

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820. Catharine White: 23 Queen St. East in the rear. 66 years old. A widow not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

821. Susanna Baldwin: an aged widow for some time on the List. Has a finely comfortable room and furniture for herself, but very infirm. Coal allowed, she receives bread from the House.

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822. Elizabeth Bulmer: an aged widow, whom Visitor has known for 2 or 3 years. greatly troubled with Rheumatism. Lives in a hired room by herself, usually nurses for a living when she is in health. Coal allowed. ^No. 9 Lippincott St.^

823. Ann Jane Palmer: Lane south of Sydenham St. between Ontario and Berkely [Berkeley] Sts. Widow. six Children. formerly lived in the Country. Husband died and she came into town. younges [youngest] child born since husband's death. Eldest girl 16 was out in place, ill at home with rheumatism, but hopes soon to get a place again. eldest boy 13, gets [dollars] 1.50 in a Knitting factory but not regularly. 2 other Children left in the Country but will be sent in, because Mother cannot afford to pay for board. the other two, of course, too young to do anything. Mrs. Palmer goes out to scrub and wash, but is of course kept a great deal at home by her baby, and can earn but very little. Visitor recommends her for Coal when it is given out, say 3 times, and bread for a couple of Months.

824. Honora Boyle: 117 Jarvis St. an old pensioner of the House. was burnt out of her lodgings a Month or two ago, and lost what few little things she had, but the neighbours have been very kind to her, and set her up with a bed, chair, table [etc.] she is very old. Recommended for Coal and bread for the winter.

825. Miss [Mary] Smith: 123 Queen St. East. Visitor recommends that Coal & a bag of flour should be sent as usual to this poor old lady.

826. Frances Miller: 245 Queen St. East. Widow. 1 Child. A very decent hardworking woman. Visitor would recommend Coal 3 times.

827. Mary Smith: 16 Power St. A Widow with one Child. Recom'd [recommend] for Coal once, and Visitor write report again.

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828. Mary Ann McAlister: Corner of Duchess & Jarvis St at Mrs. Greenfield's. Widow, one boy, but does not live with her. She works at Tailoring, and can manage to support herself pretty well, except in the matter of fuel. Visitor recommends her for Coal once, & will report again.

829. A family of Brown 7 Dunlop, living at 174 Gerrard St. East. are in great destitution. Dunlop his wife, and wife's brother, have all been ill with small pox, and they have lost their only child by the same disease. Dunlop's father in law a person of the home of Brown who was a bookkeeper or rather salesman in a hardware store, has been thrown out of Employment, as well as his son-in-law, in consequence of small pox, and it will be nearly a Month, before there will be any chance of his getting employment again. and they are in very great distress. Visitor recommends them to be allowed Coal once and to have a bag of flour sent to them.



830. Sarah Ogden: 82 Stanley St. The poor old woman is not in Visitor's (Hon. Mr. Allan's) district but she is really too old and infirm, to get up to the House, and Mr. Allan promised to ask that the Ward Visitor should be sent to visit her.

831. James Tyrrell: a Lad aged 12 years. Canadian. R.C. A Cripple with only one leg. was brought here by a Mrs. Kelly, and a recommend from the Chamberlain for the boy's admission, whose Mother is supposed to be in Gaol and well known at the House. To be admitted for the time. ^ran away 21st^

832. James Tyrrell: in Case 831, asked leave to be allowed to go out and get his trousers from a Mrs. Kelly, which was granted, he did not return.

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Present, Revd. Dr. Green & Messrs. A.T. McCord & E. Hobson

833. Bridget Walker: rear 29 St. Patrick's Market. R.C. Irish. one boy 13 years old. Visitor would recommend Coal.

834. Ellen Sullivan: 24 Andersons Lane. Irish. R.C. 5 Children. girls 16, 11, 10, 7 & 5 years old. Bread and Coal recommended.

835. Mary Spence: 82 Stanley St. 60 years old. Widow, not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread a week, & Coal recommended

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836. Sarah Ogden: 82 Stanley St. 46 years old. A Widow. No family, suffering from diseased leg. English. ChofEngl. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

837. Bridget Connally: 82 Stanley St. 40 years old. A Widow. one boy 12 years old. Charwoman. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

838. Johanna Fogherty: 101 Richmond St. East. 40 years old. husband 60. 3 Children under 7 years, all boys. husband a tailor suffering from Rheumatism. Not able to work. 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended. Husband to see Doctor at 3 OClock.

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839. Mary Livingstone: 29 ^[illegible]^ Niagara St. Irish. ChofEngl. Age about 65. Has been in Toronto about 30 years. Her family have gone away to the States, and she never hears from them. Lives with a Mrs. Kennedy [Toronto City Directory 1874: 15 Niagara Street] who gives her the use of a room rent free. and who in Mrs. Livingstones absence gives the above report. She is not able to earn her living by work, and is therefore wholly dependent upon others for her support. Recommended Coal and bread, or that she may be taken into the House for the winter.

840. Margaret Howes: Watkins Lane: Married. ChofEngl. aged 32. Husband 34. has 4 Children: boy 11, girl 7. boy 3, and boy 4 Months old. Husband out of work. they are recommended liberal assistance, say 8 lbs. bread & 1200 lbs. Coal.

841. Margaret Cowan: Watkins Lane. Married, aged 57. Husband 60. 3 Children, one at home, 2 out at work. They are a poor dirty lot. The boy at home is past 13, so that all of them are able to work, more or less. They are known at the House. perhaps they maybe helped a little

842. Sarah Freeman: rear of 269 Queen St. west. a very poor old woman & is very hard of hearing, has one Son who is afflicted in the same way. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

843. Bridget Bennett: Dorsett house. Married, aged 28. Husband 31. ChofEngl. has 4 Children, all boys, 8 1/2. 5 1/2. 3, and the baby 4 Months, Husband out of work. pay [dollars] 4 a Month for a wretched [wretched] damp room in a deep cellar. appear to be worthy people. 10 lbs. bread & Coal.

844. Julia Forsight: rear of 250 Front St. has no one but herself & has no home. The place is a Tavern, and Visitor presumes that they help her and that she makes herself useful. Left to Committee. 4 lbs. bread a week

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845. Mary Quinn: 25 Hackney St. An old Widow, not in when Visitor called but learned she was only a temporary lodger. Does not bear a good character for sobriety. a little bread and soup allowed.

846. Catharine Dalton: 9 Hackney St. a widow with two Children, boys 10 & 7. washes for a living, Has had aid before. Irish. R.C. Recommended for aid. as being in weak health.

847. Sarah Ratchworth: lives with the above, and uses her stove, unmarried. Not in when Visitor called. Bread and soup allowed.

848. Margaret Hearn: 121 Vanauly St. Her husband is out of Employ, & is ill, being likely according to the Doctor to become deranged. Having an infant in arms is unable to work for the family. Has 5 Children the eldest being 8 years old. A liberal allowance recommended and that at once. To have 12 lbs. bread and Coal.

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849. Application from Mrs. Grasett about a Child left at the Lying in Hospital Committee deem best to leave the child where it is at present.

850. Isabella McKenzie: 68 Agnes St. Scotch. Baptist. A Widow. 58 years of age. one grand Son 3 years of age. appears a clean industrious woman. Recommended for Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

851. Lucy Curry: 123 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngl. Widow. 40 years of age. one girl 9 years of age. A clean industrious woman. Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

852. Ann Biggins: 317 Queen St. East, Widow. 3 Children at home. Girl has been in place but now ill and no prospect of going back to service for some weeks. the other lately met with an accident by which he is rendered unfit for work. Mrs. Biggins who appears to be a very respectable woman does what little she can in scrubbing and washing. Visitor recommends Coal once, bread for a Month, and the Name to be sent again to visit.

853. John Cahill: rear of 321 Queen St. Lane running East & west between Power & Pine St. Husband wife and four Children, eldest a boy 12. the rest all young things. Elderly Man. works and jobs about in summer. No work now, They are living in a wretched hovel. Recommended for bread for a couple of Months. Coal twice.

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854. Ann Horan: 321 Queen St. not at home when visitor called. Two daughters, both work in the Knitting factory. Recommended for Coal only, 3 times.

855. Jane Eaton: 99 Pine St. an old woman living in a room with a family who occupy the rest of the House. uses their stove. another old woman "Kate Kearney" does the same. both incapable of supporting themselves in Winter. Visitor recommends them for bread for 3 Months, Coal twice. the Coal really to pay the family they are living with for the use of their stove

856. Elisa Hall: 260 Elizabeth St. English. Methodist Church. Aged 30, Husband a drunken painter who deserted her 4 weeks ago, supposed to have gone away with another woman. 4 Children, boy 8, boy 6, girl 4 and girl 2 years of age. To have Coal, & 8 lbs. bread a week.

857. Janett Thompson: rear 65. Agnes St. up stairs, Scotch. Presbyt. Widow, 74 years of age. appears a very clean industrious woman & partly supports herself by sewing. To have Coal.

858. Bridget Efferson: 105 Centre St. A Widow, 79 years of age. Irish R.C. to have 4 lbs. bread a week, & 900 lbs. Coal.

859. Mary Daman: 152 Terauly St. to call after New Year.

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860. Mary Ann Henry: 42 Jarvis St. aged 47. Widow. not able to work, in bad health. blind of one Eye. ChofEngl. Coal & Bag flour recommended.

861. Ann Conner: 138 Richmond St. West. Spinster, aged 75. R.C. Irish. an old pensioner, to have 4 lbs. bread a Week & Coal, say 1200 lbs.

862. Mary Moroney: lives in a lane opposite Ritchies Terrace. R.C. Widow. has one Son aged 13, able to work. 4 lbs. Bread a Week for the Widow, and a full allowance of Coal. The boy to earn his own bread.

863. Grace Boyce: Dorsett House, aged 33. husband 34. 3 Children, girl 10, boy 4 & boy {illegible} pay [dollars] 4, for a wretched room. 8 lbs. bread & 1200 lbs. Coal.

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864. Ann Flood: 75 High St. A Widow, lives with a Married Son, having one small bedroom and using his stove, takes care of a crippled daughter who is perfectly helpless & has a son 11 years old. Is well spoken of by reliable Neighbours. Irish. R.C. Coal and bread recommended.

865. Ann Diagree: 74 Dundas St. Has been lately confined, & Husband has been laid up for nearly 4 Months with a smashed foot & cannot get work just now. Is a painter by trade. has two Children, the eldest being 2 1/2 years old. Is English. a Wesleyan. Fuel and bread allowed.

866. Ann Donnally: opposite 10 Wilton St.

867. Mary Sullivan: [ditto] [ditto]

868. Ann Rennehan: [ditto] [ditto]

The above live in different apartments of the same house, & a very miserable one it is at that. They are Cases well Known to the House, and their condition is just about the same as in previous years. A little help recommended.

869. Alice Fahey: 25 Hackney St. an aged Woman whose husband she says, can get but little work at present, as she has a small quantity of wood on hand, requires only bread for the present.

870. Mary Tranter: 21 Hackney St. Is just 2 Months from England, and having arrived very poor were obliged to borrow Money to get a little furniture. Wants to obtain temporary aid to help them on. The

husband is at work and earns [dollars] 1, a day. Has 4 Children the eldest 7 years old. Case left to Committee.

871. Ellen Casey: 341 Queen St. East. Mrs. Casy has received more or less relief from the House for many winters past. From all Visitor can learn her health is now so far gone that it is doubtful her being able to support herself in winter at all events. She does not appear to have any very settled home, and has not been long with the people she is now living with who are very respectable. Visitor would recommend her for a small allowance of bread for the winter Months, and Coal twice. The Coal to be given to her just at the end of the Month.

872. Ellen Ashton: rear 91 Jarvis St. Widow, one Child. a very decent respectable woman but in very feeble health, cannot earn her own livelihood. Recommended for bread. & Coal twice, say at the end of this Month & the next.

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873. Mary Davidson: 97 Pine St. Not in when Visitor called.

874. Jane Charlton: 56 Sydenham St. This Case is well Known to the House. Mrs. Charlton received relief during her husbands long illness, and has continued to receive it since. Her own health is not very good, and under all the circumstances, Visitor would be disposed to recommend her for a small allowance of bread for two Months, Coal as soon as it is given out. and then once more in January.

875. Ellen Crigton [Crighton]: 255 Queen St. East. Husband Wife and one Child. Have only been here a few weeks. English people, but have been in the States for several years. Mrs. Crighton is an out door patient of the Hospital for some affection of the side and therefore cannot do much work. The husband worked for a time for Goderham [Gooderham] & Worts but they have been discharging many of their men, and he is one of those for whom unfortunately they have no further Employment. Recommended for Coal once as soon as it is given out. and bread for a Month, and the Case might be referred again to Visitor.

876. Mary Clary: 113 Pine St. Husband has deserted her. Five Children, Eldest girl 15. lame in one foot. the youngest Child an infant. Mrs. Clary ill in bed when Visitor called. Had been relieved by the Society of St. Vincent & St. Paul. Recommended for bread for one Month. Coal, once immediately. Visitor will see the members of the Society about her. She is in great distress at present.

877. Margaret Martin: Corner of Queen & Oak St. An old Pensioner and very decent old woman. Recommended for bread for the winter, & Coal 3 times.

878. Elizabeth McDonald: Case 732 and Charles McDonald in Case 749. both left the House 19th December. Charles McDonald returned Dcbr. 23d.

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879. Jenny Lee: in Case 495 in 1871, went to place, at G.S. Wood, Victoria Terrace.

880. Isabella Weir: 94 Agnes St. Irish. Chof England. Aged 38 years. 7 Children. boy 18, a painter. boy 11, in a drugstore. boy 8, boy 3, girl 12 in Service, girl 10. baby 5 weeks old. still confined to bed. Husband a drunken painter left 5 weeks ago. full ration. 10 lbs. bread & Coal.

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Present. R. Gilmor Esqr. Revd. Alexd. Williams & R. Wilkes Esqr.

881. Elizabeth Webster: 20 Wellington St. Corner Scott. St. Old Coopers Arms Tavern. Husband Daniel, nearly blind; lost his sight on Hamilton & Port Dover Road. 3 Months here; originally from Scotland, Wife left England when very young. husband Presbyterian, Wife Chof England. 2 Children. Rosanna, 11 years. Patrick, 2 1/2. Coal & 6 lbs. bread recommd.

882. Thomas Guyett: 8 South Park St. Wife, Ann, confined 2 days ago. Labourer, 2 years from London, sickly. 4 Children, Ann, 7. Thomas 4. Emma, 2 1/2. a girl 2 days. Chof England. Coal, and 8 lbs. bread, also allowance of tea, sugar [etc.] for Wife.

883. Campbell Mary: 51 Maple Lane An old woman 72 years old, with one Grandchild a girl aged 12. Irish. R.C. Poor. Bread & Coal recomd.

884. Bridget Pickering: 138 Richmond St. west, aged 29. has two Children, girls, aged 5 & 3. and has also her aged Mother living with her. Recommended for 6 lbs. bread, & 1200 lbs. Coal.

885. Ann Tideman: rear of 44 Boulton St. Visitor did not see her, but saw her husband, who stated that the Wife is 47, and himself 57. They have one boy out who gets [dollars] 2 a week. Husband a stone mason. The Committee to judge in this Case.

886. Catharine Hardiman: Dorsett House. has 3 Children. she is 38, Husband 40. Have neither bed or stove, Landlord took posession of them for the rent. 2 of the Children are away with some friends for the present. Committee will do what they can, as Visitor cannot form an opinion on such a Case.

887. Mary Cowan: Boulton Street Lane. A Widow, with 2 Children, girl 11. & boy 9 1/2. Chof England. To have 6 lbs. bread & Coal for the season.

888. Margaret Mitchell: Dorsett House. A Widow. Chof Engl. She is lying sick in bed. with inflammation of the lungs. has one girl & one boy at home. Visitor has known her for some time, as a worthy person. Recommends 6 lbs. bread, Coal for season, and Groceries

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889. Mary Tyrrell: 87 Niagara St. Irish. R.C. A Widow, husband dead 12 years. Two Children, boy 12, girl 17. boy has lost his left leg. seems respectable. Recommended for Coal & bread.

890. Mary Shehan: 10 Stafford St. Irish. R.C. In Toronto 3 1/4 years. Two Children, boys, 12 & 9 years of age. Husband lost his leg on N.R.R. {Northern or Nipissing Railroad?} about 15 Months ago, since which time he has not been able to do any work. Recommended Coal & bread.

891. Hannah Asher: rear 393 Queen St. west. Irish. Methodist. 2 Children, boy 10 & girl 11, girl is able to earn her own living. Mrs. Asher has been unwell for several years, and under Dr. Ogdens care. It appears that her Name is now Smith, & she is the wife of a Coloured Man.

892. Ann Boles: Emma St. see former report. Recommended same as last year.

893. Sarah Bloomer: 55 Albert St. was not in when Visitor called. lives with a clean respectable family. her Case is well known, has a very bad leg. Recommended same as last year.

894. Mary Tansey: rear of 27 Elizabeth St. Case well Known at the House. Recommended same as last year.

895. John Russell: 81 Elizabeth St. was not in when Visitor called. was told Russell was very ill, left word for him to see the Doctor at 3 OClock.

896. Elizabeth Thompson: rear of 92 Elizabeth St. To have a half price ticket. ^{Timpson not Thompson}^

897. Bridget Graham: 44 1/2 Walton St. Irish. ChofEngland. Married, 40 years of age. 5 Children, girl 12, girl 10, girl 8, boy 6, boy 4 years of age. Husband a Tailors' Cutter. No work. To have half price ticket.

898. Mary Monk: rear of 43 Elizabeth St. Husband a Book keeper, is well known at the House. No family. able to earn their own living. Visitor cannot recommend.

899. Elizabeth Crawford: 27 Hayter St. was not in when Visitor called.

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900. Frank Clare: 81 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngland. Married. 24 years of age. Husband a Tailors Cutter. one boy 18 months old. from England 3 Months. The woman seems in bad health, and the husband unable to obtain work. Recommended for Coal & 4 lbs. bread.

901. Mary Porrett: rear of Old University, Queens Park. Very respectable old Widow, aged 78. English. ChofEngland. To have 1200 lbs. Coal.

902. Mary Cogan: 18 Agnes St. industrious Widow, aged 49. Irish. ChofEngl. see former report. To have 1200 lbs. Coal.

903: Ann Barber: Widow, aged 35. Charwoman. Irish. ChofEngland. Two Children, boy 7, & girl 9. To have 1200 lbs. Coal.

904. Ann Dunleavie: 18 Stanley St. 50 years old. Husband 55 years. 2 Children 8 & 5. Irish. ChofEngl. 6 lbs. bread and Coal.

905. Mary Cody: 18 Stanley St. 68 years old. Widow. peddles Apples. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coals.

906. Julia Fraser: 83 Stanley St. Not worthy relief.

907. Ann Gorman: 75 Stanley St. 35 years old. Husband 34, Labourer, 3 Months from England. Irish. R.C. cannot get work. 2 Children. 6 lbs. bread, and Coal recommended.

908. Catharine Galley: 67 Victoria St. 45 years old. Husband in the States. 4 Children, 2 boys & 2 girls, under 14 years of age. The oldest girl earns [dollars] 1.50 a week. Charwoman. Presbyterian Church. 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal recommended.

909. Mrs. Smith: 67 Victoria St. living with her parents did not apply for relief.

910. Mrs. Smith: High St. &)

911. Mrs. Broomhead: 151 Hope St.) Visitor mislaid his report on those Cases, but they will go to the House, and are recommended for aid. Smith is just out from England & Broomhead is in a miserable state owing to an accident [etc.] The latter Case is known at the House.

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912. Rosanna Lee: 54 Bishop St. A Widow, aged 78. Irish. R.C. feeble. Recommended for Coal and Bread, also some groceries.

913. Ellen Rutherford: 85 Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. An old pensioner. Widow. No Children. cannot support herself in Winter without assistance. Recommended for Coal, twice. bread for the next 3 Months.

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914. Ellen Thompson: rear 93 Jarvis St. An old woman. widow. has received assistance in former winters. case much like Mrs. Rutherford peddles about in summer. but must depend on assistance from the House for the winter. Recommended for Coal 3 times, bread for the next two Months.

915. Elizabeth Dearman: rear 91 Jarvis St. English. Emigrant. Husband was drowned at sea 4 Months ago. 1 Child placed in Boys House. Is expecting her confinement almost immediately, and is not in a fit state to do very hard work or indeed scarcely any work at all. Recommended her to be allowed bread and a little soup until she goes into the Lying in Hospital.

916. Mary Rogers: 119 Jarvis St. An old and deserving pensioner. sells newspapers [etc.] through the summer and does what she can to support herself, but is obliged to come upon the House in the winter. Recommended her to be allowed bread for 3 Months and Coal in conjunction with another old woman.

917. Ellen Courtney: occupying the same house. Mrs. Courtney has the advantage of having a husband. if advantage it can be called as he is over 70 years of age, very infirm, and lately had a severe fall which has almost completely disabled him. They have one boy who earns [dollars] 2 a week in good times in a Tobacco factory and helps to pay their rent. Visitor recommends them for bread for two Months, and Coal with Mrs. Rogers 3 times. Rodgers and the Courtneys' use the same stove.

918. Catharine Stuart: 98 Jarvis St. Elderly Woman. Widow. Washes & out of work just now. or rather Visitors believes as a fact that the scrubbing and washing is not done in winter by these sort of people they find no difficulty in getting it to do in summer, but in winter it is done entirely by the servants in the houses. At least this has been so constantly represented to Visitor, that he believes it to be true. bread & Coal recommended.

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919. Ellen Bagley: 214 Oak St. Living in an Outbuilding in the rear of 214. Single Woman. Visitor found her in bed having no fire to Keep her warm! A very respectable decent woman, but very destitute. cannot earn enough to Keep her in fuel or food. Recommended for Coal 3 times, bread for 2 Months.

920. Sarah Raffey: Sydenham Lane, north of Sydenham St. between Ontario & Berkley St. Widow, 3 Children. Husband died in August last year after a long illness. Two of the boys work in the Tobacco Factory, the third boy is a cripple. Mrs. Raffey is a very decent, hard working woman, and very deserving of assistance. She is in bad health herself. Recommended for Coal 3 times and bread for 2 Months.

921. Catharine Gaffney: 119 Jarvis St. Widow & 2 daughters. Mother goes out to work when she can get it. one daughter is in Service, the other has been working at "Hair Works" in a Hair shop but all hands have been discharged for the present, and will not be employed again probably until the spring. The Mother was not at home when Visitor called. Recommended for Coal twice.

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922. Bridget Fitzgerald: 97 Don St. Not in when Visitor called. refer to Case 121.

923. Mary O'Neill: 140 Jarvis St. Not in when visitor called. thinks there must be some mistake about the House, doubts if there is anybody living in it.

924. Ann Codling: 98 Jarvis St. Not in when Visitor called.

925: Michael McDonnell: 52. Irish. R.C. out since May last. Has been a soldier & receives a pension. seeks shelter until the end of the Month when his pension will be due. Left Jany. 3/74

926. John Walsh: aged 52. Irish. ChofEngl. a Sailor. 4 weeks out. seeks shelter for a few days until he can get Employment. Left Jany. 25/74

927. Charles H. Chandler: age 24. English. ChofEngland. not Church of England but R.C. A Teacher. came out last August. has wrote to an uncle in Montreal for Money. seeks shelter in the mean time.

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Present Messrs. R. Gilmor & R. Wilkes

928. Catharine Maddigan: 4 East St. Visitor called 1:30 P.M. and was told by Mrs. Spink, a neighbour, that the family was "out gathering": consequently saw nothing of them.

929. Mary Lefevre: 393 King St. East. Husband Charles a soap & candle maker, Visitor did not see them. They came from St. Helier, Jersey [England], seven weeks ago. Children Charles 21, a Confectioner, George 18, a barber, earns [dollars] 5 a week which supports the family. Louisa 14, William 11, Walter 6, Henry 4. Chof England. Husband and eldest Son out of Employment. On the whole the family seem very respectable and the pinch appears to be only temporary. Visitor thinks one allowance of Coal will meet their wants for the present.

930. Frank Clare: is not known at 8 Elizabeth St.

931. ^Emma^ Maria Rogers: 29 St. Charles St. Clover Hill. English. Chof England. Married. 40 years of age. Husband a labourer. both in good health. Came from England 3 years ago. well able to earn their own living and should not become paupers.

932. Ann Wilson: was not at home at No. 144 Elizabeth St. when Visitor called.

933. James Wm. Few: rear of 94 Elizabeth St. English. Chof England. Married 35 years of age. one boy a year old. Labourer, is ill & has been confined to bed for some weeks. appear clean & respectable. Visitor recommends relief if they produce a Doctor's certificate. That Certificate was brought to the House by the wife.

934. Mary Quigley: Riddle's Lane. Visitor is not able to find.

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935. Fredericka Cline: 85 Elizabeth St. her Case is well Known at the House. Visitor recommends Coal.

936. Sarah Aills: rear of 24 Terauly St. Husband and herself in good health & both young. and one child. Visitor thinks they have no right to apply for relief.

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937. Mary Gormley: rear of 24 Terauly St. Number is worng. Lives at 96 Terauley St. Case is well known at the House, and Visitor thinks her unworthy of relief.

938. Mary Stone: 36 Richmond St. west. deserted by her husband for many years. appears to be a worthy person. Irish. R.C. Recommd. to have 4 lbs. bread & Coal. pays [dollars] 4 a Month for a part of a shed papered. very cold place.

939. Mary Dunbar: 91 Boulton St. no such person there.

940. Frances Hood: 16 Yonge St. Visitor could not find the Woman or the Number.

941. Ana Boulton: Dorsett House. Widow. R.C. aged 43. has 4 Children, boy, 7, girls 9, 11 & 14. The eldest is at service. recommended to have 6 lbs. bread & 1200 lbs. Coal for the season.

942. Wilhelmena Barton: 26 Boulton St. Visitor found a Man in the House at Dinner, apparently under the influence of drink, who was very insulting, and on enquire being made, seems to be a pensioner at 60 cents per day. Visitor thinks the family were hiding themselves away from the brute.

943. Julia Banner: 14 Catherine St. Visitor was informed that Julia had put in her appearance at the Police Court, & Mr. MacNabb had sent her to Gaol. Julia is a hard case well Known.

944. Johanna O'Reilly: 28 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. blind of one Eye. Widow. Visitor recommends her admission into the House, or else 4 lbs. bread & Coal. She is well Known to the House having been an Inmate at one time, but dismissed on account of her bad conduct.

945. Bridget Fahey: No. 3 Corner of Victoria & Stanley St. 60 years old. not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal once.

946. Julia Mullen: 23 Queen St. East. 60 years old. Not able to work. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. 4 lbs. bread a week & 600 lbs. Coal once.

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947. Margaret McClennan: 18 Stanley St. Not in when Visitor called.

948. Sarah Kelly: 151 Hope St. lives for a time with the Broomheads who have aid. says her husband deserted her. Has 4 Children living at a Brother of hers. Could not get much satisfactory information from her. Case left to Committee.

949. Jane Burns: 155 Hope St. Lives with the Lynchs'. Visitor found them all drunk. says she does not want help to take into such a house as that.

950. M.B. Hudson: 145 Upper Vanauley St. The Wife is very ill of ulcerated piles. The husband is a gardener and has nothing to do at present. Can't get any kind of Employ. Has four Children, the eldest being 7 years. Very respectable people. only 6 Months in the Country from England. Coal & bread recommended, also groceries for the Wife.

951. Ann Peck: 13 Markham St. out when Visitor called. Has a room from a friend. Is a Widow with one Child 4 years old. a Charwoman, said by the Landlord to be a steady & deserving person. English. aid recommended.

952. Thomas Capel: 642 Queen St. Is in bad health & very poor, having suffered for a long time from pleurisy. Is out of work & can in any case do only the lightest Kind. Has a Wife & two Children, the eldest 4 years. seemingly very respectable & deserving. Bread & Coal, also an allowance of groceries recommended.

953. Elizabeth Ryland: 5 Willow St. a Widow nearly 50 years old with a Son who by an accident has lost a leg. English. Is very industrious, & of course misses greatly the assistance of her son. Recommended.

954. Emma Webb: 152 Huron St. (off Cecil). Husband is a plasterer and has been for some little time out of work. Has 5 Children, the eldest 11 years. Out from England since April last. They are very respectable deserving people. Visitor recommends the usual aid.

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955. Benjamin Patterson: in Case 895 in 1871, died this morning at 4 OClock. Aged 68. Decbr. 27th.

956. Maria Edwards: rear 22 Alice St. Widow. ChofEngl. Irish. 3 Children girl, 18 in Service at Ottawa, girl 15, earns [dollars] 5 a Month & assists her Mother. To have 600 lbs. Coal & 4 lbs. bread a week.

957. Elizabeth Watson: aged 20. Canadian. Presbyt. Church. says came from Guelph looking for a place. seeks shelter for a few days.

958. Elizabeth Watson: in Case 957 allowed to remain for a time. Left Jany. 5/74.

959. Charles H. Chandler: 24. English. R.C. Out since August last. A Teacher. No Employment. expects a remittance from an Uncle who lives in Montreal. seeks shelter for a few days. Granted. Left 10 Jany. 74.

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Present, Revd. Dean Grasset, Messrs. R. Gilmor, E. Hobson

960. Michael Rowland: rear 16 Stanley St. 70 years old. living with his Sister who is 50 years old. Not able to work. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

961. Mary Morrow: 89 Queen St. East. Not living there.

962. Mary Hall: rear 9 Victoria St. 66 years old. Not able to work. Irish Methodist. 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

963. Margaret Goodwin: 71 Richmond St. East. 60 years old. Not able to work. 4 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

964. Julia McCarthy: rear 18 Stanley St. not Stanley Victoria St. Aged 65, goes out to scrub & wash. Irish. R.C. Not able to do much. 4 lbs. bread & Coal.

965. Elizabeth Read: rear 137 Centre St. Irish. ChofEngl. 5 Children. Husband paralyzed. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

966. Isabella Philips: aged 51. A Widow. Blind. Irish. Chof England. Has a son aged 28 who is a Cripple, but does what he can for his Mother. To have Coal.

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967. Catharine Madigan: 4 East Street. Husband out of work, eldest boy also; girl at home. The family is apparently in same condition as when Visitor last visited them, (in Jany. 7th, 1871). Since then they have been to St. Johns, near Montreal, but finding Toronto more attractive they have returned here. Visitor is not disposed to recommend more than one allowance of Coal.

968. John Fahey: 68 East Street. No such number. after some enquiry found him at No. 10 with a Mr. Hartney. From Limerick 6 Months ago. spent 3 Months in Montreal, with a Mr. Driscoll, Mountain St. Wife Margaret. 3 Children. Hartney Keeps the family from Charity. R.C. Fahey says he is accustomed to farm work. Recommended 8 lbs. bread.

969. Elizabeth Urquhart: 76 Dummer St. Irish. ChofEngland. 5 Children, 3 girls, 10, 7, 5, two boys, 3 years, & 15 Months. Recommended for 3 large loaves of bread & Coal.

970. William McGarry: Irish. R.C. 4 Children, two girls, 12 & 7, and two boys, 10 & 2 years old. Husband takes fits, Wife not strong. very poor. 2 large loaves of bread & Coal.
971. Johanna Hanrahan: old Woman. Irish. R.C. cannot work. has a boy who does a little & pays the rent. rear of 1 Dummer St. Recommended for bread & Coal.
972. Jane Orphan: a blind woman, lives in the same house as above Case. 42 years old. Irish. R.C. bread & Coal recommended.
973. Ellen Collins: 4 Dummer St. R.C. Irish. 4 Children- 2 girls, one 18, working, another 13, sickly, two boys, 11, & 9, years old. Bread & Coal recommended.
974. Ann Oliver: rear of St. Patricks Market. 5 Children. 3 boys, 12, 11, & 3 years. two girls, 7 & 5 years old. very poor. Bread & Coal recommended.
975. Catharine McNamara: 231 Queen St. East. an old pensioner. Has to come upon the House for assistance each Winter. bread & Coal.

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976. Elizabeth Nichols: 52 Muter St. Her husband was hurt early in September, and has not been able to do much since. Has 3 Children at home, all boys, 13, 10 & 7. The eldest was at work but lost his place, the hands having been diminished in Number. English. Wants Coal for a few weeks only, to help them on.
977. Sarah Jane Graham: 120 York St. A respectable looking person. Married. has a large family. Not long in Toronto. Her husband got hurt on the Railroad. although they have no claim on this Charity. yet they must have some assistance. Visitor recommends 10 lbs. bread for a Month & 600 lbs. Coal, will see them again.
978. Mary Wardrobe: rear 140 Richmond St. west. aged 47, husband 44. 5 Children, boy 17, apprenticed, Girl 15, not well, boys twins, aged 10. Cant get anything to do. Recommended for 8 lbs. bread & Coal for season.
979. Ann McCarthy: No. 7 Muns' Lane. aged 32. husband 50. 5 Children Girl 10, boy 6, boy 4 1/2, boy 3, & baby 12 Months. Husband just out of Hospital. had his leg badly injured. Not able to work yet. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread weekly, & 1200 lbs. Coal for the season.
980. Margaret Watson: rear 34 Centre St. Irish. Chof England. Husband in the House of Industry. says her age is about 64, but appears 10 years older. Visitor was informed she is an industrious old woman but very feeble. Wants Coal. To have Coal, & 4 lbs. bread weekly.



981. Johanna Hinchey: 5 Emma St. Not in when Visitor called. out at work. daughter 15 years of age a book foulder [folder].

982. Henry Finney: & wife Jane. 103 Jarvis St. Irish. R.C. from England 2 years ago. having assistance from House of Industry each winter since their arrival. 5 Children, girl 17, blind, boy 13, boy 6, these three are in the House of Providence. boy 4 years, & boy 9 weeks old at home. Husband a labourer, wife a strong looking woman, each of them able to support the two Children if industrious, but they would rather live on public charity. The room they live in is in a dirty state. Visitor recommends no assistance. Recommends that they depend on their own Industry.

983. Elizabeth Faley: rear 28 Centre St. Case Known at the House. relief same as last year.

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984. Lucy Homes: rear of 10 Edward St. English. Chof England. Married 26 years of age. 2 Children, boy, 3 years, & boy 7 Months. Arrived from England 2 years ago. Husband a Cabinet Maker & Carpenter. Visitor found their room in a dirty state, and a quantity of prepared lumber in another room. as they had relief from the House last winter. Visitor does not feel inclined to recommend them again.

985. Margaret Greer: 194 Centre St. This Case Visitor declined to take any account of, as the husband has been in Toronto some three years in good health, and able to work, a labourer. They will not apply.

986. Ann Banes: 180 Power St. Out when Visitor called, but the people of the House gave a very full account of how matters stood with Mrs. Banes and her husband. Her husband is in the Hospital and has been there for some Months. Mrs. Barnes herself is not very young, and is in poor health, and she has no Children to Keep her, her only Child (at home) being quite young. She had no fuel, having to cook her food on the Landlord's stove, and she had scarcely anything in the shape of bedding. Visitor thinks it is a Case deserving of relief, and would recommend her for Coal 3 times, & bread two Months.

987. Sarah Kendrick: 10 Sydenham Lane. Not in when Visitor called, but the people next door described her as being in great distress. Visitor would recommend the Case to the board.

988. Mary Carney: Ontario St. A Widow Woman, living with a man and his wife of the Name of Evans. decent respectable people apparently and almost as much in need of assistance as Mrs. Carney. Evans injured his arm several weeks ago, and has been thrown out of work in consequence. they have a family of 6 young Children, and Visitor thinks a load of Coal bestowed on them rather a double allowance, and bread to Mrs. Carney only would be about the best arrangement.

989. Mary Wymes: 112 Pine St. Not in when Visitor called. out working. The Committee will learn her case to morrow. She has been a winter pensioner on the House for many years. The usual assistance recommended.

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990. Edward Campbell: in Case 631. applied for readmission. Admitted.

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991. Rosanna Horseman: A Widow, aged 60. 50 years in Canada. A hard working respectable woman, no [now] laid up with a very bad leg. U.S. ChofEngl. was recomd. by Miss Vandersmissen for admission. referred to Doctor who recommends admission.

992. Michael Curley: aged 37. Irish. R.C. a Shoemaker by trade. out of Employment seeks admission for a time and will make himself useful at his trade. admitted.

993. Patrick Brady: 75. Irish. R.C. an old Corporation Man. 40 years in Canada. a Labourer seeks admission. admitted. Left Febry. 19/74.

994. George Archer: aged 25. English. Church of Engl. a Clerk. a Cripple. out of Employment. seeks admission and will make himself useful.

995. George Reader: in Case 619. a decent Man, & useful. Not strong. seeks readmission for the Winter.

996. Jane Jeffry: was badly used by her hsband, who deserted her. a useful woman seeks readmission in to the House. See Case 644.

997. John Long: aged 68. English. ChofEngland. a Cripple with a wooden Leg, and otherwise in bad health. a Cobbler. The wife a night Nurse, not very strong, applied for her husbands admission, not being able to Keep him and herself by what she can earn. Doctor examined and thinks it a Case of admission. admitted.

998. Emma Whitehouse: aged 33. English. Methodist. 9 years out last March. deserted by her husband. has 2 Children who are in the "Girls' Home". subject to fits. had a very severe one lately which incapacitates her from taking a place at present. seeks admission for a few days. Left Jany. 12/74.

999. Nancey Lennox: 63. Irish. Presbyt. 40 years in Canada. her husband lives on the Kingston road with a brother. she is looking for a situation. seems a respectable woman. seeks shelter for a few days. Left Jany. 16/74.

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Friday, 2nd January, 1874.

Present. Very Revd. Dean Grasett & Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & E. Hob{son}

1. Mary Ann Lyons: 9 Victoria St. young woman. one Child. Husband working on the Cars. Not recommended.
2. Margaret Sweeney: 68 Stanley St. 60 years old. nearly blind, but able to work. 4 lbs. bread & Coal. Irish. R.C.
3. Honora Burns: 77 Stanley St. was not in when Visitor called.
5. Bridget Hayes: 98 Jarvis St. 50 years old. one boy 10 years old. Irish. R.C. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread & Coal.
6. Margaret McClennan: 18 Stanley St. 50 years old. Widow. one boy. Chof Engl. Bread & Coal recommended.
7. Catharine Potts: rear 23 Queen Street East. aged 46. Husband, 50 years old, nearly Blind. gather rags. English. ChofEngl. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.
8. Mary Howell: 174 Victoria St. 26 years old. husband 27. stone Mason by trade. sick with fever. 4 Months from England. Chof England. one Child. 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.
7. Elizabeth Howell: 174 Victoria St. 50 years old. Husband 54. Bricklayer by trade & father in Law to above Case. 4 Months from England. cannot get work at the present time. 4 Children. 2 boys, & 2 girls. one girl sick with fever. ChofEngl. 6 lbs. bread & Coals.
8. Jemima Webb: 61 Ann St. Married. Congregationalist. English. Husband a painter out of work. 2 Children, boy 6, & girl 1. To have 6 lbs. bread a week & Coal.
9. Hester Kilpatrick: rear 367 Yonge St. Visitor called & was told by the Landlord a respectable Man, who keeps a feed store, that if the Kilpatricks where to drink less Whiskey they would require no relief.
10. Ann Hanrahan: 218 Centre St. told Visitor that since she made application, her husband got work, and they would try to do without assistance from the House.

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11. Jane Heeney: 234 Centre St. (Chesnut) an old Pensioner. Recommended to have same as last year.
12. Jane Mulhearn: 41 Edward St. Irish. R.C. widow, aged 60. daughter 14, brooke [broke] her arm whilst in Service 2 weeks ago, has been confined to bed ever since. Bread & Coal recommended.

13. Jemima Wood: rear 137 Centre St. she had no relief last year, but for all that an old deserving pensioner. To have 6 lbs. bread & Coal A widow. P. Methodist. Canadian. 3 Children.
14. Mary Ann Humphrys: 79 Louisa St. Visitor called. is not satisfied with appearances. will make further enquiries.
15. Margaret Purvis: 62 Edward Street. To have soup & a half price ticket. husband works for Young undertaker on Yonge St. They have a large family.
16. Charlotte Simmonds: rear 25 Elizabeth St. widow, 33. English. ChofEngl. 2 Children. boy, 9, subject to fits, & a girl 8. respectable. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.
17. Mary Ann Whalan: 19 Albert St. an old Pensioner. To have Coal.
18. Maria Ford: 10 Elizabeth St. have a large family. To have a half price ticket, & a casual loaf.
19. Charles Nasborough: 106 Edward St. to have a half price ticket.
20. Margaret Quigley: Riddels Lane. widow. 51. Irish. Chof England. 2 Children. boy 15, sick, boy 9. Charwoman. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.
- 21 Mary Foster: Chesnut St. 3 doors above Elm St. west side. A Spinster aged 60, a respectable Charwoman. Irish. Methodist. to have 1200 lbs. Coal.
22. Mary Ann Hadley: 88 South Park St. 2 years a Widow. 3 years here from East end of London, England. Children, Elizabeth, aged 14, at Service, James, 8. Chof England. Washerwoman when when she can find employment, finds business rather dull at present. 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

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23. Elizabeth Hudson: 104 Front St. 3 or 4 houses East of Cherry St. which is Front Street?. The Street formerly known as Little Front Street, is now called Mill Street. No. 104 on this Street, is 3 or 4 houses east of Cherry St. but Mrs. Hudson does not live & is not known there. The present Front St, formerly called Palace Street intersects Cherry St. at No. 312, but Mrs. Hudson is a stranger there also. No. 104 at the present Front St. is Mr. Campbells Grocery, a few doors East of St. Lawrence Market. Mrs. Hudson must try again if she expect Visitor to find her.
24. Mary Wilkinson: 52 Dummer St. 2 Children, a girl 9 years, & a boy 7 years old. Visitor would recommend bread & Coal.
25. Harriett Sullivan: rear of 1 Dummer St. 5 Children, 2 away & 3 at home. sickly not able to work. Coal & Bread recommended.

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26. William Dill: This Case will be found reported upon last year. The husband is a miserable creature, not intemperate (as far as Visitor Knows), but no "go". or pluck in him. The wife is much the most energetic of the two. she scrubs and washes [etc.] However there is no doubt of their want at present. and Visitor would therefore recommend that they be allowed Coal twice and bread for six weeks. soup if they require it.

27. James Ennis: 61 Boulton St. A Married Man aged 35, wife 30. ChofEngl. English. 3 Children, girl 4, girl 2, and baby 9 Months. A very smart Man, out of Employment. says is willing to do any kind of work. Visitor thinks it would be as well to assist him for one Month, but not more. 8 lbs. bread & Coal once.

28. Ann Conlan: 98 Jarvis St. A widow. 2 Children, 7 & 4 years old, goes out scrubbing [etc.] no work at present. a decent woman deserves assistance. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

29. Mrs. Long: 482 Queen St. west. applied for the admission of her husband, who is a Cripple with a wooden leg. referred to Doctor. Doctor examined Long, & reports him to be clean, weak & apparently unable to work, & a suitable case for admission. admitted. Aged 68. English. ChofEngl.

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30. Stephen Copley: 563 Queen St. west. 36 years of age. Married. ChofEngl. English. 6 Children, 1 boy over 10, 3 boys under 10. 1 girl over 10 1 girl under 10. A Carpenter by trade but has been out of Employment several weeks, and having been in the Country only since August has not been able to prepare for winter. seem respectable people. Recommended to have coal & bread.

31. Ellen Clark: 565 Queen St. west. 20 years of age. Married. ChofEngl. English. No family. Husband a labourer, but out of Employment several weeks. Fell and hurt himself at Car works and so lost time, and has not been able to make provision for the winter since his arrival in the Country in August last. Bread & Coal recommended.

32. Sarah Bryant: 35 Camden St. 26 years old. Married. Chof Engl. English. 4 Children, 2 girls under 10, 2 boys under 10. Husband is a labourer, but out of Employment, and having been but a short time in the Country, has not been able to make provision for the winter. seem very respectable people. Coal & bread recommended.

33. Ann Holt: in rear of 20 Little Richmond St. 27 years of age. Married. Methodist. English. 3 Children, 2 boys under 10, 1 girl under 10. Husband is a labourer but out of work. she says he has been ill and not able to work. House was tidy. Coal and bread recommended.

34. Mary Hickey: 126 Tecumseth St. 39 years of age. widow. Husband died suddenly at Gurneys foundry. four weeks ago. R.C. Irish. 6 Children, 2 girls over 10, 1 girl under 10, 1 boy over 10, 2 boys under 10.

seems a respectable woman, who no doubt will find it at first a hard struggle to support her family. Coal & Bread recommended.

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Present. Messrs. R. Walker, J. McBean, W.J. Macdonell & J. Tyner.

35. Ellen Schweigler: 265 King Street East. 2 1/2 years widow of John, who worked in Hamiltons foundry. 13 years in Toronto: lived for a time at Indianopolis [Indianapolis], Indiana. Keeps a small shop. but says she does no business & cannot pay her rent. Children, Tom, 14, has [dollars] 5 a Month from Mr. Gray Butcher. William, 12. Roderick, 10. John, 7. Amelia, 3. R.C. Recommended. Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

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36. Harriett Owen: 42 Garrison St. 35 years of age. Married. ChofEngl. English. one boy aged 15. Husband a labourer but out of Employment. Son was at work at the Trunk factory, which has been closed a Month so that at present he has no work. Visitor heard so many different reports about this family, that he can hardly form an opinion of them, and seems to leave the Case to Weekly Committee. Committee will allow 4 lbs. bread a week, & Coal once. but advise at the same time, for them to try and do without assistance from the House, having been now about 7 years in the Country.

37. Margaret OManley: 85 Stanley St. 60 years old, husband 62. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread weekly & Coal.

38. Mary McGee: rear 92 Stanley St. 69 years of age. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal recommended.

39. Bridget Mulart: rear 62 Stanley St. 42 years old. husband left her last spring. one Child 5 years. a Charwoman. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread and Coal recommended.

40. Patrick Brady: 30 Stanley St. gone to House of Industry.

41. Mary Donahan: Lane opposite Ritchies Terrace. Widow, aged 27. Irish. R.C. has 2 Children, a girl 6, and baby 14 Months. she lives with her Mother. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread and Coal for the season.

42. Elizabeth Dawson: 98 Terauly [Terauley] St. English. ChofEngl. A widow. Husband died last summer. Charwoman. 5 Children, girl 14, girl 12, girl 9, girl 7 & girl 3 years of age.

43. Mary Dobson: 87 Elizabeth St. Not in when visitor called.

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44. Elisa Harper: rear 146 Centre St. English. ChofEngl. Married. 25 years of age. Husband a plasterer. From England since Septbr. last. 3 Children, boy 5, boy 3, & boy 1 years of age. youngest at home the others supported by a friend at present. 6 lbs. bread weekly, & Coal and soup.

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45. Elizabeth Gibson: 119 Agnes St. an old pensioner. To have same as last year. 900 lbs. Coal.

46. Ann Clark: not known at 112 Agnes St.

47. Mary Stuart: 10 Dummer St. 98 years of age. cannot work. sickly. Visitor would recommend bread & Coal.

48. Bridget Fahey: 36 Dummer St. A widow with 5 Children. the two eldest worked in the summer, but are now out of Employment. Recommended for Coal & bread.

49. Sarah Darby: 83 Hope St. Is afflicted with bad health. Her husband has been laid up for 5 weeks with bad feet. No Children. English. Methodist. Wants Coal for a few weeks. Recommended for 600 lbs.

50. Susan Woods: Corner of Spadina Avenue & Bloor St. Recommended for Coal, same as last year.

51. William Pettigrew: 43 Bishop St.

52. Maria Whithorn: do [ditto] A miserable lot of people live in this den, who are a pest to the Neighbourhood.

53. Mary Howitt: rear 44 Bishop St. Not to be found there.

54. Mary Dunlop: 318 Queen St. East. A widow woman with a family of 4 children. She Keeps house for an old man named Meredith, and in consideration of taking care of him, gets her rent free. Her eldest boy is earning very fair wages. The eldest girl is also earning something, and upon the whole, Visitor does not think Mrs. Dunlop is a fit subject for relief at present at all events.

55. Margaret O'Brien: 431 Queen St. East. Husband and wife & one Child a girl of 19 years of age, who has had work until lately in the Knitting Factory. Both O'Brien and his wife are elderly people. The man has been out of work for some time. Visitor thinks they might be allowed Coal twice, and bread for two Months.

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56. Catharine Johnson: next door to 318 Queen St. East. Has a very black eye said to have been given to her by a "young Briton"! Visitor really cannot pretend to say whether the old woman was to blame or not. according to the Landlady's account the belligerent "Briton" was going home drunk, and burst into the little front shop supposing it to be his own house! and Mrs. Johnson being the first person that was "convenient" he forthwith marched her over! Visitor thinks the old body might be allowed some bread at all events.

57. Sarah Wilson: 238 1/2 King St. East. Husband and wife & two young Children. Husband a labourer, has been piling lumber for some time past but out of Employment just now. Visitor would be disposed to recommend them for coal once. bread for a fortnight. Let him report himself to visitor then, who will ascertain whether he can get work or not before recommending them for further relief.

58. Jane Moffatt: 238 King St. East. A very decent widow woman, with a family of 4 Children at home. eldest boy earning fair wages but has lately hurt his foot so badly, that he has been laid up and is still unfit for work. The others are able to do a little, and Mrs. Moffatt herself is an industrious woman. Visitor would feel disposed however to recommend her for coal once. and bread for six weeks. If further relief is required, the case to be referred again.

59. John McBride: 58 Duke St. Husband and Wife. both elderly people. Husband has met with an accident by which he has seriously injured his shoulder and cannot work at present. The Wife is a Miserable creature unfit for work. They received relief last Winter, and Visitor thinks they ought to have it again this Winter. Coal twice, bread for six weeks.

60. Eliza Goodwin: In the basement of 103 Jarvis St. Was out when Visitor called, but had a long talk with her daughters. It appears there are five of them at home at present. The eldest girl works at some wholesale Establishment, but is out of Employment just now. The second girl is laid up with fever. her sister said Typhoid fever, The third minds the House and her

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two younger Sisters when her Mother is out. The Mother goes out to work. Visitor thinks that Mrs. Goodwin might have coal at all events, and while the daughters illness continues would think bread might be allowed.

61. Elizabeth Tracey: rear of 93 Jarvis St. Has received relief before from the House. It was her daughter whose hair was caught in the Machinery at the shop where she was working and had the scalp torn off her head! Visitor saw the girl to day. The head had healed so far at one time, that the Doctors thought

she would be able to return to her work, but it has become in that state again, that she cannot Keep it down or bent over work of any Kind. and all she is fit for, is to sweep and dust the house, and get her little sisters ready for school. The Mother gets a fair share of work the greater part of the year, and is a decent & industrious woman, and Visitor thinks entitled to assistance in winter. Coal twice, and bread for 6 weeks.

62. Catharine Cook: 42 Duchess St. upstairs. Husband & wife a very decent Couple and deserving of assistance. The husband has been laid up with a very bad leg for many Months, and is in a very feeble condition quite unable to work, the wife a cheery bright energetic creature does all she can, but a very serious fall has left such permanent bad effects behind, that at times she has to give up altogether. Their Children are all grown up, and with the exception of one daughter have married and settled in the States, and do nothing for their parents. Visitor recommends them strongly for assistance. Coal twice, and as the old woman if she were able would hardly like to go to the House for the weekly allowance of bread Visitor hopes the Committee will allow them a bag of flour. They have seen better days and deserve some consideration.

63. Hannah Dunn: 93 Jarvis St. widow. No children. An old woman without friends. Recommended for Coal. once. bread for a Month.

64. Jane Taylor: Widow. 5 Children. youngest a baby 9 Months old. Mrs. Taylor is a decent respectable woman. had relief last year from the House soon after she lost her husband. all her children are young. Visitor recommends Coal twice and a bag of flour if the Board will allow it, instead of obliging her to go up to the House for the Bread.

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65. Hannah Bannister: 34 Bell St. aged 39. Married. 4 Children, out from England since last August. Husband a labourer. English Chof England. To have Coal for the present, & be visited.

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Present. Messrs. R. Walker, J. McBean & W.J. MacDonald [MacDonell].

66. Jane Smith: 214 Little Richmond St. 43 years of age. Married Chof England. English 2 Children at home, girl 12, boy 4. The husband injured his back in unloading the Cars on the T.G. & B.R.R. [Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway] Has been in Hospital more than two Months, and is quite helpless. Recommended for Coal & Bread. also sick allowance.

67. Mary Gormley: 88 Victoria St. aged 56. Visitor found her washing, & sober. Irish. ChofEngland. Case recommended once only.
68. Henry I. Smith: lives in a lane off Sheppard St. west side. A Married Man, aged 32. Wife 25. W. Methodist. English. has two Children, girl 4 & baby 10 Months, out of work for some time, and is in debt. Very good living people. Not a strong Man. They want help for a short time. say 5 or 6 weeks. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread, & Coal 600 lbs. once.
69. Mary Ann Harvey: 11 Maria St. English. Church of England. 2 Children, a girl 3, and a boy 2 years old. husband a labourer out of work, very poor. Recommended for bread & Coal.
70. Ann Heenan: 80 Dummer St. living with her sister, who is very old and infirm. Recommended to have bread & coal.
71. Ann Sullivan: rear of 132 Centre St. Irish. R.C. Married. 40 years of age. 5 Children, boy, 9, boy, 3, boy 2, girl, 7, girl 5 years old Husband a labourer. arrived in Toronto from England in Septbr. last. Recommended to have 8 lbs. bread a week, Coal & soup.
72. Mary Daman: 152 Terauly [Terauley] St. to have 600 lbs. Coal for the season
73. Catharine Moriarty: Not known at 28 Elizabeth St.
74. Mary Coleman: alias Mary Murphy too drunk to answer any questions. 16 Garrison St.

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75. ^Amelia^ Maria Day: 141 Tecumseth St. 25 years of age. Married. ChofEngl. Four Children, 1 boy over 10, who at present is earning [dollars] 3 a week, 1 under 10, 2 girls under 10. Husband out of work, and have made no provision for winter. have come from Brantford recently. Coal & Bread recommended.
76. Mary Tracy: 16 Garrison St. widow. Roman Catholic. Irish. Two Children who provide for themselves, but do very little for her except get shoes and a few clothes for her. She is not in good health, and is indebted to Mrs. McKenzie for her room. Coal & bread recommended.
77. Mary McKenzie: 28 Garrison St. 40 years of age. Widow. R.C. Irish. one boy 12 years of age. Charwoman. gets on very well in Summer but cannot manage to get employment in winter. Coal & Bread recomd.
78. Mary Ann Harman: rear of 119 Tecumseth St. 56 years of age. Widow. Chof England. Native of Newfoundland. Five Children, 1 boy over 10, 1 boy under 10, 3 girls under 10. A very respectable

woman, but not very strong. she finds it a very difficult matter to keep her little family together.  
Recommended to have bread & Coal.

79. Mary Hannan: West Street off Tecumseth. Married. R.C. Irish. 5 Children, 2 boys under 10, 3 girls under 10. Husband a labourer, she was also employed to wash at the fort during the summer. They own a very comfortable little house where they live, and seem to have an eye to the main chance. though now he is out of work. She is afraid of running into debt for supplies, as it is a great inconvenience to have to pay off these back debts.

80. Mary Ann Oswin: 47 Strachan St. Her husband is a labourer and has had no work since 3 weeks before Xmas. Can get none at present. Has 3 Children under 7 years of age. A respectable and deserving woman. English. Recommended for bread & fuel.

81. J. Johnston Smith: 198 Strachan St. Has been a sickly Man for years. Is out of work and in very reduced circumstances. His wife works when she is able. Has two Children under 6 years. English. Recommended for usual aid.

82. James Hayes: 67 years of age. Irish. R.C. 40 years in Canada. A Tin & Coppersmith. Seeks shelter for a few days on account of a bad finger.

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83. Caroline Juwhinger: 238 King St. East. Cannot speak English. Visitor was obliged to employ a little girl, daughter of the Landlord, to act as interpreter, came from Germany 3 Months ago. husband George, is a butcher. earns [dollars] 4 per week. Children, Sophia, aged 13, at service, Caroline 20 weeks. Protestant. Recommended Coal & 6 [lbs.] bread.

84. Mary Ann Joslin: 485 King St. East. The Number of this house is now 503. Mrs. Joslin was not in when Visitor called, at 11:30 A.M.

85. Margaret McGill: 395 Queen St. East. Living in a wretched hovel with a Mrs. Geroe, who has like Mrs. McGill, been an old pensioner each winter on the House. Mrs. McGill has had one of her arms so much injured, that she cannot do any work which requires lifting or stretching of the arm. She is a Widow. No Children, living with her. It is one of those cases where visitor thinks there is no doubt that relief is required, though one could wish that the recipient was a more satisfactory person to relieve. Recommended for Coal twice & bread for 6 weeks.

86. Elizabeth Kilburne: rear of 101 Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. Husband & wife no Children. both elderly people. Husband does any labouring work he can get. Wife makes Clothes &etc. Case reported upon in previous years. Visitor thinks they are entitled to relief in the Winter. Coal twice, and as the husband has

been ailing, and out of work lately, Visitor would not refuse them a small allowance of bread (if they ask for it) for a month or six weeks.

87. Cecilia Conway: rear of 89 Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. A "winter" pensioner for many years on the House. A decent industrious woman. Coal well bestowed on her. say twice during the winter.

88. Elizabeth Bugg: 71 Pine St. Husband wife & 3 Children. wife ill in bed when Visitor called, Husband out of work just now. is an elderly man. Both husband & wife and one of the daughters have been ill. Visitor would recommend that Coal be sent them twice.

89. Elisa Belgue: 314 Front Street, East of Cherry St. reported in former years. 6 Children. husband can find no steady employment. Coal & 8 lbs. bread allowed.

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90. Mary Ann Joslin: 503 King Street East. See previous reports. Eldest boy recovering from typhoid fever & will not be good for much before midsummer: such at least is Mrs. Joslins version of the Doctors opinion. Coal & 6 lbs. bread. See Case 84.

91. Mary Dunwiddie: rear of 288 Queen St.

92. Mary Dunlop: 318 Queen St.

93. Mary McGill: 365 Queen St.

94. William Gibbons: 358 Queen St. and

95. Margaret Dunsmore: 151 Queen St.

Visitor has not been able to find one of them! No doubt some of the addresses have been incorrectly given, but in addition to this the numbers on Queen St. East have been so altered and muddled. old and new numbering jumbled up together, that it is impossible to find a particular house, unless described or identified in some other way. For instance let Mrs. Dunlop say whether she lives on the North or South side of Queen St. and between what other Streets, such as between Parliment [Parliament] & Pine, or Berkely [Berkeley] & Parliment [Parliament] [etc.] Visitor spent a great deal of time in trying to find these people out, and cannot undertake to try again, without some such particulars as mentioned to help in the search.

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Present. Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

96. Honora Faley: 10 Dummer St. old woman without work. Visitor recommends Bread & Coal for a while. There is also an old woman named

97. Mary Stuart: an old Pensioner on the House, living in the same House with Honora Faley. Committee will allow 6 lbs. bread a Week between the two & Coal 600 lbs. to Mrs. Faley now, and two Months after date 600 lbs. Coals to Mrs. Stuart.

98. Frederick Richards: rear of 33 Baldwin St. Visitor called, and was told that Richards was at work. has 5 Children, boy 17, boy 15, boy 12, boy 5 & a girl 8 years old. The Man had been sick for a few week's. might be assisted for a few weeks.

99. Johanna Birmingham: 26 Power St. whose Case was reported on in former years. No Children living with her. She worked in the Knitting Mill &etc. one of those Cases who require assistance during the winter Months. Coal & bread.

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100. Mary Skimmington: 3 Stafford St. 36 years of age. Married. Presbyt. Scotch. 3 Children. 2 boys over 10. 1 girl over 10. Husband a labourer out of work 8 weeks. has been in the Country only 5 Months, so that they have not made preparation for the winter. They expect employment almost immediately at the prison or Carr [Car] works. Coal & bread recommended.

101. Mary O'Keefe: Little Adelaide St. 1st door east off Stafford St., 45 years of age. Married. (husband in jail and a worthless fellow). R.C. Irish. Six Children, 2 boys over 10, 1 under 10, 2 girls over 10, 1 under 10. Eldest son 21, is the main stay of the family but at present out of work. eldest daughter aged 17 is at service. the second daughter a fine looking girl of {illegible} might better be at service than wasting her time at home with nothing to {do}. Recommended.

102. Marten Matsen:)

103. Otto Hansen:)

104. Olaf Olsen:) 143 Hope St.

105. Olo Larsen:)

106. Martin Cook:)

Norwegians, recently from Europe, out of Employment. Could not get much information from them as they speak English very imperfectly or not at all. seemingly deserving. They live together having different

appartments in the same house. usual aid recommended. Committee will allow Coal & 20 lbs. bread a week.

107. Elisa Jones: 4 Wilton St. Husband a labourer who has been 7 weeks out of work. Has 2 Children under 4, seemingly deserving people. out from England since August. Bread & Coal recommended.

108. Mary Green: 43 Bishop St. A Widow aged 50. Knits and works out when she can get employment. No Children at home, except a daughter (16) who is with her temporarily having caught a cold. Says she gets some help from the society of St. Vincent de Paul. a little Coal recommended.

109. Susan Malley: 318 Spadina Avenue. Husband sick most of the summer, and now out of Employment, so that they are very reduced in circumstances. Has one child a boy who is of weak mind. English. Recommended bread & Coal.

109 1/2. William Matthews: in Case 778. Left 13th January.

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110. Amelia Partridge: 41 Grosvenor Avenue. Husband and son both laid up with sickness. The former has not been able, though quite steady, to get anything like employment for Months. Visitor recomds. Coal to be sent, also an allowance of groceries.

111. Hannah Bannister: 34 Bell St. Husband and wife and 3 Children. English Emigrants. Husband came out first and the wife and Children followed last Autumn. Husband a Bricklayers labourer did very well through the summer & Autumn, but like most of these people, saved nothing, and consequently has nothing to fall back upon when out of Employment. It is but fair however to say, that he had of course all the little things in the way of Cooking stove bed steads [etc.] to buy when his wife and Children joined him. Visitor thinks they might have temporary assistance now they are without fuel and badly enough off for want of food. To have coal twice, & bread for a Month.

112. William Bateman: 306 Sumach Street. Husband Wife & one Child a twelve Month old. Labourer, was a bar tender at Home. Came out here last spring. Had work all through the summer but more or less interrupted by illness. As in above Case, had to buy stove furniture [etc.] so that nothing was saved out of his earnings. When Visitor called, Bateman & his wife were having their tea at their neighbours next door, having been asked in, because as they assured visitor that they had nothing in the House themselves! Recommended to be allowed Coal twice & bread for two Months.

113. Charles Hill: 77 Don St. Husband and wife and one Child a year old. English Emigrants. came out last summer. has been a grocer at home. Since he came out here, has been part of the time driving a team, and latterly working for a welldigger. a Man by the name of Groves in whose house he and his wife are lodging. His work however with Groves has been very irregular, sometimes during wet weather not

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averaging more than 5 or 6 days in a fortnight. They seemed very respectable people. The man more than usually intelligent, and with good recommendations from home. Visitor is in hopes of getting him a situation, but in the mean time would recommend him for Coal at once, as they are quite destitute in that respect, and bread for a Month, and by that time they may be able to do without any further assistance.

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114. Mary McLaughlan: 31 Duke St. Husband and wife, an aged couple. Case reported on last winter. McLaughlin is one of the army of decrepit old men who do corporation work! in summer time. They are objects of charity as they could not "carry on". through the winter, without assistance. Recommended for Coal and bread.

115. Bridget Geroe: 395 Queen St. East, an old Case & a hard one! She and Mrs. McGill whom Visitor reported upon last week occupy the same hovel, and the coal should be given either alternat{ely} or between them. Mrs. Geroe might have bread, say for six weeks, of her want there is no doubt, but she is a miserable creature.

116. Mary Ruglan: 91 Jarvis St. Case will be found reported on last year. Nothing new to report now. Recommended bread for 6 weeks and Coal twice.

117. John Tomlinson: 44 St. Davids St. a Case of great distress. Husband has been laid up for some time from the effects of an accident. They have 3 Children at home the youngest an infant. The wife has been doing what she can in scrubbing and washing. but they were all in great destitution, and Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, & bread for six weeks.

118. Bridget Driscoll: 16 Power St. an old woman (widow) living with her sister at 16 Power St. Visitor lost her address and was not able to find her out until to day. She has been up to the House, gets bread, and has been promised Coal which she stands greatly in need of, but has not yet received it. Visitor recommends both.

119. Johanna Birmingham: 26 Power St. an old Case reported upon in former years. Widow, no Children living with her. She worked in the Knitting Mill [etc.] one of those cases who require assistance for a Month or two in the winter. Recommended for Coal twice and small allowance of Bread for 6 weeks.

120. Susan Woods: Corner of Spadina Avenue & Bloor St. A decent industrious Widow, and an Out door Pensioner on the House for some Winters, is recommended, to have 900 lbs. Coal, and 4 lbs. of bread a week if she requires it

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121. Kate Clary: 14 Terauly St. Not known there.

122. Mary McIntee: 117 Queen St. west. Recommended for coal.

123. William Evans: in Case 598, in 1868. Was taken from the Institution (yesterday) by Mr. Robert Patterson on trial previous of being apprenticed.

124. John Mullen: 34 years of age. Irish. R.C. Well known at the House, says is not able to work. Seeks shelter. Allowed to stay in building for casual poor for a time. Left Febry. 1st.

125. Mary Doyle: Aged 25. Irish R.C. Says is out of place, seeks a few days shelter. See Case 347 in 1872. Left Feby. 15th.

126. Elizabeth Burras: 1st Cottage on Church St. between Front St. & Esplanade, East side. There are but 2 Cottages on the East side of Church St. south of Front St. & a Tavern. Corner of Front & Esplanade. At neither of these places is Mrs. Burras known.

127. Frances Hood: 16 Front St. upstairs. An old Case, first visited by Visitor, December 29th in 1859. Her daughter Phoebe lost her husband in Buffalo and is now with her little girl living with her Mother. Mrs. Wood seems rather better off than when Visitor first made her acquaintance; she would like an allowance of coal which she may be granted.

128. Jane Todd: 78 Terauly St. Presbyt. Aged 42. A Widow, with 8 children, boys 14, 7, 4 & 1 year. girls 18, weak intellect, girl 16, girl 12 & girl 10. The 3 youngest girls & boy 14 are in the Country with an Aunt. Charwoman. Landlord has taken possession of everything belonging to them. Coal, & 8 lbs. bread a week recommended.

129. Margaret Harris: rear 52 Alice St. English. ChofEng. Married. 34 years of age. 5 Children, boy 8, boy 4, girl 12, girl 10, & baby 2 months. Husband went to St. Thomas six weeks ago to work on a Railroad. Sent word by one of his fellow workmen that he cannot do more than earn his living, and wishes to return as soon as possible. Coal & Bread allowed.

130. Fanny Douglass: 113 University St. Widow & 2 Children will not require relief. Has a situation in the Orphans Home.

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Present: Revd. Mr. Givins, Messrs. R. Gilmore & W.J. MacDonell

131. Mary Durand: aged 78. A Widow. ChofEngl. England. An old Case well known at the House. Seeks admission. Admitted.

132. Esther Elliott: rear of 93 Richmond St. West. No House there front or rear. It is the burnt district west of Sheppard St.

133. Margaret Densmore: rear 151 Queen St. west. A Widow aged 40. Irish. R.C. Has 2 children, a boy 15 & girl 7. The boy earns [dollars] 3 a week. To have 6 lbs. bread & Coal for the season.

134. Ann Wallace: 188 Adelaide St. west. Visitor did not see her, not in. Was told she is well of and has money in the Bank.

135. Catharine Ryan: 40 Stanley St. 45 years old. One boy 16. Charwoman. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal once.

136. Ellen Hargrave: rear of 44 Baldwin St. Irish. Chof Engl. A widow. Would like to have coal & bread for a few months. Visitor thinks she deserves it.

137. Jane Gleeson: 28 Dummer St. Irish. R.C. Her husband is very old and cannot work much during the winter. Visitor would recommend Coal and bread for a few months.

138. Julia Burton: 26 Dummer St. Irish. Children all away from her. Visitor recommends bread.

139. Mary Powiss: 195 Bishop St. Her husband has been out of work for 5 weeks. She is ill and unable to work, though industrious when in health. There are 4 Children, the eldest a boy 10 years of age. Are very poor & recommended by those who know them. English. Chof England. Recommended to have bread & coal and one allowance of groceries.

140. John Neilson: Has a room in same House as Dall, a Norwegian. 5 weeks in the Country. No work and cannot get any for the last 2 Months. Out of Employment. Has a Wife but no Children. Temporary assistance recommended.

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141. Christian Dall: 39 Robinson St. A Norwegian 5 Months from Europe. Has a wife but no Children. Wife apparently near confinement. A Locksmith by trade. Is out of work, and cannot get any. Occupies one room up stairs. Recommended for temporary assistance.

142. Thomas Gormley: 28 Carr St. Not known there.

143. Sarah Burns: 150 Ontario St. Widow, one Child, a little girl at home. Case reported upon in previous winters. The poor woman hard working and industrious, but in wretched health, suffering frightfully as from sore and swollen legs. Has been confined to the house since Christmas. Recommended for Coal twice, bread 6 weeks.

144. Ann Chandler: 149 Beech St. Husband, wife, 4 young Children. Youngest an infant. The usual case. Emigrants. Two years out next spring. In good work part of the time. Part of the time both husband and wife laid up with illness, then wife confined. Doctors bills, cost of stove, bedsteads, crockery, chairs & tables. No money saved. Rent high, and no without fuel, groceries on credit and in trouble for the rent. Visitor supposes they almost all have to go through this process, and so long as there is no drink in the question, and certainly none in this case they might be helped over the winter. Recommended for a good load of Coal once. Bread for 6 weeks.

145. Elizabeth Aber: between 33 & 35 Sydenham St. Could not find her. Mrs. Aber came to Visitors house yesterday to explain that she had given the wrong address but she did not succeed in giving the right one, for visitor could not find her.

146. Maria Dunwiddie: Rear of House on Queen St. East. Next R.C. Schoolyard. Husband, wife and 4 Children. Husband out of employment. Sickness in the family. Much such a Case as Chandlers. There is no doubt that he cannot get work at his trade and it may be some weeks before the carpenters and builders shops will take any fresh hands, and the man and his wife and all the small children must live in the meantime. Recommended for Coal & Bread.

147. John Chaffer: 37. English. Chof Engl. 11 Months from England. Wife & two Children in England. Has the Ague. Seeks admission. Admitted.

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148. Frances Murray: Aged 72. Irish. R.C. 4 years in Canada. Appears to have no friends or home. Seeks admission. Admitted. ^Strayed away. Dbr.^

149. James Hayes: 67. Irish. R.C. 40 years in Canada. A Tin & Coppersmith. Has a sore finger. Seeks shelter for a time. ^Left Febry. 20th.^

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Present: Revd. Mr. Topp & S. Rogers Esqr.

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150. Elizabeth Goderich: rear of 52 Water St. A widow. 3 Children at home, a boy 14 who earns [dollars] 2 a week. 2 girls 10 & 7 at School. Works out or nurses as she can get employment. English. Apparently very respectable. Coal and bread recommended.

151. Mrs. ^Harriett^ Hicks: top of Brunswick Avenue. Husband a Plasterer, not strong, unable to get work, do he is willing to do anything, has been obliged to part with some furniture. Has a good recommendation from Revd. Mr. Givins. 2 Children 6 & 2. Usual aid recommended.

152. Mary Morrow: 89 Powells registry office Queen St. west. Old woman. Recommended for bread & coal. Mrs. Maher.

153. Richard Banks: 4 Vine St. between South Park & Front St. From Islington, London, last April. Labourer. Wife Sarah. Children, Charlotte 8, Elisa 10, Thomas 12, John 14, Elizabeth 18. All at home. Able and willing to work, the Mother says, but can get no employment. Husband's means were exhausted in bringing out his family. Chof Engl. Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

154. Bridget Farley: 10 Church St. upstairs. Widow last year. Lived recently in Barrie, formerly in Toronto. Children, Patrick 10, Alice 7, Ellen 5, William 3, John 4 months. R.C. Most of her furniture was sold under execution not long since. If Mrs. Farley is allowed 12 lbs. bread weekly, she will not ask any coal.

155. Agnes Priestly: corner of Strachan & Wellington Avenue. 31 years of age. Married. Presbyterian Church. Irish. Came to Canada last summer. Seven Children, 1 boy over 10, 1 girl over 10, 2 boys under 10, 2 girls under 10. Husband is a stone mason

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but by reason of illness was only at work part of the time, sickness in the family increased their expenses and they are not prepared for winter. Recommended Coal & bread.

156. Elizabeth Wiley: rear of 44 Elizabeth St. Scotch. Presbyt. A Widow, 43, arrived in Toronto from Scotland 4 Months ago. 3 Children, boy 17, expects to get work this week, boy 7 and girl 10 years of age. Appears a clean industrious woman. Visitor recommends 900 lbs. Coal for the season, and 8 lbs. bread per week.

157. Mary Davidson: Matthewsons Lane. Stanley St. 40 years old. Husband 48, suffering from Rheumatism, not able to work. Presbyt. 6 lbs. bread & Coals.

158. Mary McGee: 91 Stanley St. 68 years old. Sick in bed. Not able to help herself. R.C. A little tea & sugar, bread & coal.

159. Bridget Laughlin: 56 Richmond St. East. 53 years old. Goes out to scrub & wash. 2 Children, 11 & 9. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & coal.

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160. Ann Clark: 112 Adelaide St. East. 30 years old. Husband left her last July. Near her confinement. Presbyterian Church. 4 lbs. bread and coal & a little tea & sugar.

161. Margaret Kelly: 63 Stanley St. 55 years of age. Blind of one eye. R.C. Widow. 4 lbs. bread & coal.

162. Elizabeth Aber: 85 Sydenham St. Husband and wife. [1875 Toronto City Directory: Aber, Edward] Emigrants of last year. Aber was formerly a private in the 82nd Regt. Was invalided home from India, and then took his discharge, served through both the Crimean War and the Indian Mutiny. Both Aber and his wife appear to be very decent respectable people. He has been very ill since he came out, and is still suffering more or less under his old complaint of the liver, for which he was sent home from India. What with illness and being out of work they are quite destitute, and they are living with a family (English Emigrants of two years out) who are not very much better off than themselves. Visitor recommends them for a little extra allowance of coal, which may help out the family they are living with, as they use the same stove, & bread for a month.

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163. Sarah Kendrick: 10 Sydenham Lane, East of Berkely Street. Widow, 2 Children, takes in washing and goes out to scrub occasionally. Ill in bed when visitor called, had been more or less unwell for some time but is now fairly laid up. Recommended for Coal twice, bread for 6 weeks. Decent woman.

164. Mary Thomas: 14 St. Davids St. Father & Mother & Son and his Wife and two children. The Son came out from England 3 years ago, married, has two children, works in one of the Shoe factories & supported himself and wife very well. About 2 Months ago, the Father and Mother were sent out from England. The father an old man, has been more or less confined to his bed ever since his arrival. The son's wife was confined shortly after the arrival of the parents, and what with the illness and the additional burden thrown upon him by the two fresh mouths to feed, and only working half time just now, they are all pretty hard up. Visitor does not believe that the old man will ever rise from his bed. Recommended for one good allowance of Coal & bread for six weeks.

165. Alfred Allan: 85 Sydenham St. This case was reported upon last year when they received assistance from the House. They have managed to get through the summer and autumn pretty well, but the husband is out of work just now and the wife is ill in bed. Coal once, and bread for six weeks.

166. John Long: in Case 29. Died this day, Jany. 22nd at half past nine o'clock a.m.

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Present: Revd. Dr. Topp and S. Rogers Esqr.

167. Thomas Moverly: 189 Bishop St. Out of Employment for some time and can get nothing to do. Has a wife & 3 Children, the eldest nearly 9 years old. Visitor has known the family for years. Recommended for some Coal & bread.

168. Harriett Denman: 40 Lumley St. in rear. Separated from her husband who drinks. Takes in washing for a living & finds it hard to get on. 3 Children, girls, 11, 7 & 5. English. Coal & bread recommended.

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169. Alexander Johnson: East side of Robert St. about 6th house from College St. A labouring man, very weakly, & in receipt of small wages. Has wife & 4 Children, the eldest nearly 8. Very poor. Scotch. Presbyterian. A little aid recommended.

170. Thomas Gormley: Visitor again failed to find him.

171. Lavina Leach: 37 Robinson St. Just removed to 513 Queen St. W. Husband is a Shoemaker but out of work. 4 Months from England. 1 child, 5 years. No furniture to speak of. A little aid allowed.

172. Mary Ann Patterson: 34 Robinson St. 5 Months out from England. Her husband is a sailor, & having no employment worked his passage back to England to earn some money there for his family. One child 2 1/2 years old. Washes for a living. English. To have Coal and bread.

173. Dorah Walsh: rear of 14 McDonald Square. 40 years of age. Widow. Roman Catholic. Irish. 3 Children. 1 boy under 10, 1 over 10, 1 girl under 10. Seems a respectable woman who, though she can manage to get on in the summer, is not able to do so in the winter. Coal & bread recommended.

174. Margaret Dent: Lives with Mrs. Walsh. McDonald's square. Widow. R.C. Irish. No Children. Supports herself by Knitting, etc. Report given by Mrs. Walsh. Recommended for bread.

175. Thomas White: 36 Bathurst St. 43 years of age. Married. P. Methodist. English. No children. Arrived from England in September and has not been able to prepare for winter. Out of work. Recommended coal & bread.

176. Mary Lamont: 18 Elizabeth St. Canadian. Methodist church. Widow. 30 years of age. Charwoman. 4 children, boy 3, girl 5, girl 6, girl 8. Visitor has no reason to doubt but she is an industrious woman. 8 lbs. of bread a week & coal recommended.

177. Ann Washington: 28 Chesnut Street. Coloured. Methodist Church. Married. A Charwoman. Husband left in July last, and has not been heard from since. 5 children, boy 7, boy 3, boy 1, girl 9 & girl 5 years of age.



178. Sarah Repath: in Case 534. Visitor recommends an additional supply of coal, as one of her boys on whom she relied for aid is laid up sick.

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179. Arthur Taylor: 77 Agnes St. Irish. ChofEngl. A carpenter. In good health, and well able to provide for his family. Married. 38 years of age. 6 children boy 16, boy 12, boy 8, boy 7, girl 3 & girl 5 years of age. This case Visitor cannot recommend.

180. Mary Morrow: 89 Queen St. West. Aged 70. At present stops at Powells the House Agent, who does not charge her rent. Visitor did not see her, was told she is very poor & deserving of assistance. Recommended 4 lbs. bread a week to keep her from begging & 600 lbs. coal. Committee will be able to judge when they see the woman. Mrs. Morrow is in receipt of a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread, as for coal, she is changing about from place to place & can scarcely give account of where she lives at times. Called at the House and said she had removed from Powells somewhere to Dummer St.

181. James Challis: 83 Sumach St. Husband, wife & 4 young children. Came out from England last summer. Husband attacked soon after he came out. Rheumatic fever which ultimately obliged him to go into Hospital. The wife was also ill for a short time with fever. Challis is a Bricklayer but in consequence of his illness, was out of work for the greater part of the summer, and was only employed part of the autumn until about 3 weeks before Christmas. They are in great distress. The youngest child is an infant scarcely out of the arms. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, bread for one month and if they could have a little soup for a week or two, it would be a great boon for the children.

182. John Cracknill: 2nd house in rear of 53 Sumach St. Came from Lindsay last year. Is a brickmoulder. Lost one of their children in the Autumn by a wagon running over him and have had a great deal of sickness in the House. Cracknill has been out of work for several weeks. He has now gone to Leaton Village in the hope of picking up something to do. They have 5 Children, but only 4 at home. All young, the youngest 2 years. The poor woman is expecting her confinement very soon. Visitor recommends them for Coal once & bread for six weeks.

183. Matthew Anderson: 62 years of age. Native of Ireland. Chof England. From Belfast to 4 Months. No Employment. Was sent by the Mayor for shelter until Monday.

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184. Cornelius Crighton: 71 Duchess St. Visitor could not make time to see him, would recommend temporary relief until reported upon. Has visited them since. A carpenter by trade out of work, 7 in family. 3 Children earning something. A very respectable family and a Case of undoubted distress. Recommended for Coal once, bread for a month.

185. Stephen Buckley: 65 Princess St. Husband, wife & 4 Children. The wife was confined about a Month ago and taken with Erysipelas immediately afterwards, so that her life was despaired of. The husband is a very decent man, had been in steady work sawing wood in one of the woodyards. He was obliged to come home and nurse his wife night and day. When he went back day before yesterday, his place was filled up by another man. His Employer had waited for him for a week or ten days, but could do so no longer. The poor fellow is in great distress at his loss of employment, as he has found it hard enough to keep wife & Children even when in full work. Visitor recommends that a good load of Coal be sent to them immediately, and for a week if Buckley could go up for it that he should be allowed soup and also Tea, sugar & Oatmeal for his wife.

186. Thomas Beavis: the family living in the same house with the Abers in Case 162 are in great distress & Visitor recommends them for Coal with the Abers, and bread for themselves for a Month.

187. Sidney Green: aged 40 and her husband Elijah, aged 49, and 3 Children, Joseph 12, Edward 7, Elijah 6 were sent by the Mayor for shelter until Monday. 20 years in the lower Province, lately from Kingston. Husband & oldest boy spent last night in the Police station, the former for drunkenness. Wife and other two Children had shelter in casual ward. Husband today again was not sober.

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188. Harriett Nichols: corner of Crookshank St. & Victoria St. 26 years old. A widow. 2 Children, a boy & girl. 2 years from England, living by scrubbing & washing. English Church. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread & Coals.

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189. Henry Cuff: 198 Strachan St. Lives in the back part of J. Smiths house, has a stove & an independent establishment. Has a wife & 3 Children, the eldest a girl weak in the mind and unfit for service, girl 11,

boy 8, only 3 Months out from England. Labourer, but cannot get work. Recommended for Coal and bread.

190. Elizabeth Wright: 146 Terauley St. Her husband is a labourer out of Employment and cannot get work. Two Children, the eldest 4. Very poor & in great want. English. Coal and bread recommended.

191. Ann Wallace: 188 Adelaide St. west. This case has been reported once before. She was not in then, neither was she in now, when visitor called. The person she has the Room rented from does not speak well of her, wants her away. No family, only herself & is out most every day. If she applies again, she better call on Visitor.

192. Agnes Adams: 104 Dummer St. 87 years old. Living with her daughter. Visitor would recommend her for Coal & bread, & she desires very much to have some sugar & tea.

193. William Gibbons: 358 Queen St. English. ChofEngl. 4 girls, 14, 12, 10 & 8 years old. His wife is dead. No work. a painter. They may have coal and bread.

194. George Jackson: Labourer out of work. He has not been very well lately. Irish. ChofEngland. Visitor would recommend bread & Coal for a little while.

195. James Martin: 237 Pine St. Name was sent a fortnight ago. Visitor called then, and Martin told Visitor with many thanks, that he had been promised a job in pulling down a drain that week, and therefore he would not ask for any assistance. He got two days work. The drain caved in, then came hard frost. The contractors dismissed the men. Martin has not even got his two days pay, and the poor fellow is as badly off as ever. His real trade is a blacksmith in a foundry, and he was in good work at one time in the summer, but he with a number of others, was paid off at Hamilton & Sons and the other Foundrys now having reduced their number of work people too, he has been

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196. unable to get any employment at his own trade. He is a very decent respectable man and ought to be assisted. Visitor recommends them for Coal once & bread for a month.

197. Caroline Glover: St. Paul Street

198. Martha Johnson: St. Paul Street

Visitor takes these two Cases together, as they are both of the same character, and the parties are related to each other. The Glovers, Husband and wife and one Son, a boy 14 years old at School. Johnson is a stepson, and with his wife and one child is living next door. They are English Emigrants out two years. Glover is a well digger. Johnson works with his stepfather when he as work, and at other times, takes any job he can get. They appeared to visitor to be very respectable decent people. Johnson

the young man, Visitor was particularly pleased with. They are both out of work, and have been so for several weeks. Johnsons small earnings of last summer, were all expended during the severe illness of his wife in the Autumn. When visitor visited them Johnson had just brought home a piece of cedar post, which some one had given him for fuel, and Mrs. Glover having no fire in her own cottage, had gone over to her daughter-in-laws to share hers. Visitor recommends them both for Coal, bread for a month, and for Mrs. Johnson who is still in a very delicate state, Tea, sugar & Oatmeal.

199. Mary Fullard: Queen Street south side, 3 doors west of Pine St. Out when visitor called. Landlord told that she and her son worked in the Tobacco factory.

200. Catharine Johnson: 318 Queen St. East. Widow. No Children. Peddles, [etc.] in summer. Catharine's case will be found in previous reports. Visitor thinks upon the whole, that one load of Coal bestowed upon her would be right.

201. Ellen Hudson: an Inmate in Case 767 in 1872, left this day January 28. Says she has a place as Servant on Queen St.

202. Michael Hassan &

203. Ann Hassan, his mother in Case 779 in 1873, left the House on their own account without giving Notice, and it is said that the Hassan's & Ellen Hudson are going to keep house together.

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204. Maria Gleeson: 45 Gerrard St. Married. Canadian. 2 Children, 10 & 9. Husband a Shoemaker very ill for some weeks. Respectable. Badly off at present. Bread & Coal recommended.

205. George Davies: 159 Victoria St. Aged 28. Married. A Bricklayer. Has been ill for last 5 weeks. Typhoid fever. 4 Children, 7, 5, 3 & 2 years of age. Respectable people. English. P. Methodist. Coal & Bread allowed. Also Groceries.

206. Mary Smith: Aged 60. R.C. Irish. Spinster. 20 years in Toronto. Well known at the House. Seeks admission. Left Febry. 27.

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Present: E. Hobson, Esqr.

207. Elisa Skelly: rear 143 Elizabeth St. 28 years of age. English. Chof Engl. Four years from England. 5 children, girl 10, girl 8, boy 6, boy 4, girl 2. Husband a labourer given to drink. Has now a Month in Gaol. Very poor. To have Coal, 600 lbs. & 12 lbs. bread a week.

208. John Lonie: in Case 752 in 1873. Made application for readmission, has of late made a practice of going out for a Month or two, and coming back at his pleasure. Committee will allow shelter in Casual Building. Left in May.

209. Alfred Thom: 68 Bathurst St. Married. 4 Children. Chof Engl. England. Came to this country last fall and had employment on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] Met with an accident by which he has been disabled. A very respectable man. Recommended for Coal. Committee allowed Coal 600 lbs. & 8 lbs. bread.

210. A. J. Linderland: 387 King St. West. Married. Lutheran. Swede. No Children in this country. Shoemaker but having broken his arm, in Quebec, he is not able to work at present. Bread & Coal recommended. Committee desire that he call at 3 O'Clock & see the Doctor.

211. Ellen Cairns: 46 Douro St. about 58 years of age. Widow. ChofEngl. Irish. Two children, 1 girl over 10, 1 boy over 10. Girl employed at Rogers. Boy a sort of Vagrant. Can't get on very well in summer, but not in winter. Recommended for Coal & large loaf of bread.

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212. Ellen Hutton: 24 Little Richmond St. Widow. R.C. Irish. Two children, boy 8 years of age & girl 4 years. No means of support but what she can earn by her days work. Coal & bread recommended.

213. John Cousins: 51 Garrison St. Married. ChofEngl. England. 5 Children. 1 girl over 10, 1 under 10, 3 boys under 10. His wife has been a long sufferer from a diseased spine & utterly helpless. By reason of this he has been put to considerable expense and having but little work during the winter cannot well get on without help. Recommended for Coal & bread.

214. Henry Osborne: aged 43. English. W. Methodist. See case 443 in 1873. His wife and 3 children came out since. Wife died in October in General Hospital. Osborne has been in bad health of late & not able to do any work, seeks admission into the House for a time. The children are provided for. Admitted. Left & went to Dr. Aikins.

215. Jemima Cornell: 36 Edward St. Aged 56. Husband left her 15 years ago. Baptist. English. Earns a little at Jaques [Jacques] & Hayes. Respectable woman. Coal & Bread.

216. Clara Akhurst: aged 25. English. ChofEngl. 10 Months out. No family. Says her husband who is a Butcher took to drinking and left her 3 months ago. Has no house. Seeks shelter. Left Fby. 20.

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217. Edward Thew: Lippincott St. west side 2nd House from Cambridge St. Is only 5 Months out from England. A wife, but no Children, cannot get Employment at his trade as a boat closer, nor any other kind of work. Takes 2 rooms from Mrs. Virgins who is helped by the House & has his own establishment. Recommended Coal & bread.

218. Susan Bonner: 70 Sydenham St. Husband ill in Hospital. Has been laid up at Home for a length of time and now has been taken in to the Hospital. 7 Children, all young. The eldest 12, the youngest 7 weeks old. Visitor recommends them strongly for relief. Coal twice, bread six weeks, a little soup would be acceptable.

219. John Moss: 310 Sumach St. Widower, 3 Children. The poor man has done his best to support his family, but he is in a consumptive state himself, and at times is more fit for the hospital than anything else. Strongly recommended for Coal twice & bread for six weeks.

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220. Mary Ann McAllister: Corner of Duchess & Jarvis St. Visitor recommends another allowance of Coal & bread for another Month.

221. Mrs. Davidson: 71 Pine St. If she applies, visitor would recommend to let her have temporary relief.

222. Ellen Hutton: 24 Richmond St. west. No House there of any kind.

223. Bella Stephenson: 24. Irish. ChofEngl. Made application for a few days shelter for herself and little girl who is a cripple aged 5 years. Expects a situation in a few days where she can take the Child also.

^Was admitted with her child & left March 26/75.^

224. Clara Akhurst: 25. English. ChofEngl. Says has been 10 Months from England and her husband, a butcher, deserted her 3 Months since. Seeks shelter for a few days. Left Febry. 20th.

Tuesday 3rd February 1874

Present: E. Hobson, Esqr.

225. Sarah Lynch: Matthewsons Lane Stanley St. 50 years old. Widow. Sells fish. R.C. Coals & bread recommended.

226. Esther Elliott: a married person aged 39. Husband past 40. ChofEngl. English. In fact they are both in the prime of life. Have two children, girl 7 and a baby 14 Months. They ought to be able to support

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themselves. Visitor thinks they may have a little this winter, say 6 lbs. bread a week & 600 lbs. Coal for the season, no more.

227. Mary Maher: 13 Renfrew St. Old woman, not able to work. Very poor. Visitor recommends bread 7 coal.

228. Bridget Walker: rear 29 St. Patricks Market. Visitor would recommend bread as she has no employment at present. Receives coal.

229. Samuel Hamblyn: 100 Terauley St. Married. Aged 35. Cabinet maker. English. ChofEngl. Had to leave his work and stay at home to attend to his wife who is ill. Temporary insanity. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread weekly & 600 lbs. Coal.

229 1/2. Elisa West: in Case 304 in 1873. Left the House.

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230. Sophia Anderson: 244 Chesnut St. aged 79. English. Chof England. Has a grandson aged 18 who has supported her, but is now out of employment. Not at home when visitor called. To have Coal & bread.

231. Louis Buvean: 59 Duchess St. Husband, wife and 3 Children. French Canadians. Husband was working at Jaques [Jacques] & Hays, until he was taken ill. He has been confined to the House for some time, and the poor fellow still looks badly enough. The wife is a very nice tidy respectable woman. The children all young, the youngest an infant. It is a case of undoubted distress, and visitor recommends them for Coal once and bread for six weeks. A little Tea, Sugar and Oatmeal would be a great boon on the poor man's account.

232. John Wallis: Lane north of Sydenham St. between Ontario & Berkly St. Husband & wife. Living in a wretched room where it is almost impossible to keep out the cold. Wallace was stabbed last winter by a man named Shipley who is now in the Penetentiary. Wallis has been out of work for some time. Mrs. Wallis in cutting some bread a few weeks ago, contrived to cut the finger of her right hand so badly as to render it comparatively useless. It has healed up some, and she hopes soon to be able to work again. Visitor recommends them for coal once & bread for a month.

233. Henry Dodson: 119 Queen St. East. Husband & wife, both apparently respectable people. Husband a labourer. The wife has been in ill health for a long time past. An affection of the Kidneys producing dropsey, and all the husband's earnings when in full work were not more than sufficient to keep them, and pay for medical attendance for his wife. Now he has been out of work for some weeks, of course, they are very badly off, and Visitor thinks are very deserving of temporary assistance. Recommends them for coal once, & bread for a Month.

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234. Emma Bonds: Brunswick Avenue, last house but one, East side. Husband a Plasterer, no work since a fortnight before Xmas. Has been in the Country from England since July last. 2 Children both girls, 9 & 3. Takes part of a house, 2 rooms, stove, etc. to herself. Recommended for Coal, bread, etc.

235. Mary Anderson: in Case 715 in 1873, left on her own account.

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236. Sophia Jones: West end of St. Patrick St. in rear, near Bathurst. Her husband is a labourer, a steady man, & has been out of work since early in December. Being very poor and out of fuel went up a tree who is on his little lot of land to cut some branches, fell and broke his leg on 22nd of January. Lies now in a very bad state. His house being unfinished and his bed clothes few he was nearly frozen last night. Has 3 Children, eldest 9. English. Coal recommended to be sent at once as they are out of fuel. also to have bread & soup & allowance of groceries.

237. Rebecca Fluker: aged 9 years, was brought here from No. 2 Police station, to be cared for until Monday when most likely Mr. MacNabb will send her to the "Girls Home". The Parents confirmed drunkards live on Terauly St. Left 13th.

Friday 6th February. 1874.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

238. Johanna Sweeny: rear 9 Victoria St. 30 years old. husband 45. Labourer. cannot get work. 2 Children, 10 & 2 years. 5 months in the Country. from Ireland. R.C. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

239. John Sheridan: 4 Dorset St. No such Number there.

240. James Hill: 235 Pine St. Wife and two Children, a very honest fellow who did not apply until he was at the last pinch. only came out last summer. did well while work lasted, but could save nothing, as he arrived here with only 4/ [shillings] 6 d.[pence] in his pocket and stove & bedding etc. had to be got. His wife is near her confinement, and Visitor strongly recommends them for a good load of coal once a few groceries for the wife in a view of her confinement, and an allowance of bread until the end of this Month.

241. James Levett: rear of 288 Front Street wife & 4 Children. Levett is a well educated and most respectable man, was formerly in the Employment of Walsh & Levey Lumber Merchants, on their failure he had the charge of the works here, but who have since left Toronto, and Levett has been out

Employment for the last 3 Months, and he and his family have been reduced to great distress. Visitor recommends that a load of Coal should be sent them.

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242. John Fahey: 46. Irish. R.C. says he has been in Toronto since 1847. has a sore finger, consequently not able to work at present, allowed shelter in Casual ward for a few days.

Tuesday, 10th February. 1874.

Present. E.H. Rutherford Esqr. & Revd. Canon Baldwin.

243. Mary Ann Hanna: Brunswick Avenue, East side, halfway up. a very deserving industrious young widow with 3 Children. Now almost out of work. Visitor strongly recommends her for coal bread etc.

244. Julia Sheridan: Dorsett House. Married, aged 48, husband 49. R.C. Husband has a very bad leg, and the wife is in bad health. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week until 1st of April and 900 lbs. of Coal.

245. Mary Orr: 21 Queen St. East. 30 years old. Widow with one boy 8 years of age who goes to school. She is at present working at Lymans Drugstore at [dollars] 3.00 a week. English Church. Visitor recommends Coal once.

246. Elizabeth Scott: 549 King St. West. 59 years of age. Widow. R.C. Nova Scotian. No Children at home. 1 son married, & daughter at service from whom however she receives no assistance. supports herself by washing etc. but needs help in Winter Recommended Coal and bread.

247. Emily Yowles: 587 King St. West. 30 years of age, Married. Ch of Engl. English. Husband a labourer, out of work 4 weeks, about a fortnight ago he slipped and injured his knee so that now he is not able to work. No family in this Country. she expects to be confined very soon. Recommended Coal & bread.

248. Application was made on behalf of the Buckleys in Case 185, The Wife has been sent to the Hospital with small pox & Buckley is left with the three Children & the unfortunate baby. Committee agreed that the House pay for the nursing of baby for a Month or two not exceeding [dollars] 5, a Months, if applicant can get any one to take charge of it.

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No Committee present.

249. Elisa McGee: 29 Louisa St. Irish. ChofEngland. Married. 27 years of age. husband a labourer. from Ireland 4 Months ago. 2 Children, boy 4 & girl 2 years of age. 6 lbs. of bread weekly, & Coal recommended.

250. Elizabeth McCallum: rear 40 Terauly St. Visitor made enquiries & found that the husband is a great deal fonder of Whiskey than work. Cannot recommend the case. had relief in former years.

251. Margaret Lennon: 40 Louisa St. 25 years of age, husband a Waiter. in Toronto 3 years. both young people and in excellent health. No Children. should be able to earn their living. Not recommended.

252. A Mr. Wilby who has a Childs Carrage [carriage] factory, opposite 93 Richmond Street west, reports that the Elliotts (in Case 226) living at 93 are a worthless lot. they have their Barrel of Beer every week or ten days, have folks call there on Sundays, get in Whiskey and carry on. The Man Elliott earns money at his trade as Boat fitter. Mr. Wilby would not like to have his name mentioned to the Elliotts, but would give information to any respectable party who many call on him.

253. Mary Ann Richards: rear of 654 Queen St. West. Husband a labourer who can get only a few cents worth of Employment at a time. 3 Children a boy 7, 2 girls, 1 1/2 years, & 9 weeks respectively. Only about 2 Months from England. seem to be very badly off. Fuel & bread recommended.

254. Ellen Ashton: lane west of Bishop St. North of Robinson Street. one of 3 woman [women] living in a small house together. Mary Howitt being a second. no bed to lie on, & no furniture apparently of her own. one girl 7. A doubtful case.

255. Honora Burns: 77 Stanley St. 60 years old. Widow not able to work. one girl 14 years old, very delicate. 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

256. Mary Carroll: 71 Richmond St. East. 45 years of age. A Widow. not able to do much. Visitor recommends 4 lbs. of bread a week and coal. Irish. R.C. had relief from the House for some years.

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257. Emma Paine: 100 Boulton St. Married, aged 38. Husband 27. ChofEngland. English. 3 Children, boy, 10, girl, 3, baby, 13 Months. Keeps her place tidy. at present her husband cannot get much to do. Visitor

recommends 6 lbs. of bread a week, say for a Month, & 600 lbs. Coal by that time the husband may get work.

258. Mary Mansell: 94 Boulton St. No such person there.

259. William Montgomery: 132 Sumach St. Husband Wife. 1 little girl about 3 years old, and a batch of twins, little tiny creatures a few weeks old! Montgomery was in the Employment of a Candy Manufacturer on Sayer Street, selling for him about the Country, when he met with an accident about three or four Months ago, which has crippled and laid him up ever since. He was thrown out of his waggon, and broke his leg in two places! across the thigh, and below the knee. broke his arm and injured some of his ribs. This long illness has exhausted all their means, and his wife's confinement besides, has born very heavily upon them. They are very respectable people & well deserve to be assisted until Montgomery can go to work again. Visitor recommends them for Coal once & some tea, sugar, & oatmeal for the wife. bread for a Month. a little soup if they like to have it.

260. Clara Wilson: 70 Don St. Visitor found Mrs. Wilson in a miserable Cottage without any fire, and said that she has not had a fire for more than a week going over to a neighbours to wash & dress her young baby 3 months old, and having no cooking, as they had nothing but the bread & soup obtained from the House! The husband a labourer has been employed on the Jarvis St. drain, until the severe weather stopped them. and he had been at work again last week when a Comrade who was working with him missed his aim and struck Wilson a severe blow on the hand with his pick, injuring two of his fingers very severely, and rendering him unable to use his hand. They have only been 3 Months in the Country, and their infant was born a few days after they arrived here. Visitor recommends them for Coal at once & for once, & bread & soup for a Month.

261. Sarah Lockhart: South side Queen St. rear of 323. Widow, being by herself in a miserable shanty. Her only son working out on the Toronto Nipissing R.R. [Nipissing Railroad] she has heard nothing from him, and received nothing from him for weeks. Can support herself by mending umbrellas etc. in Summer, but is very destitute now. Visitor recommends bread for a Month, & Coal once.

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262. Ellen Smith: 99 Pine St. Husband and Wife & 5 Children exclusive of a baby a few weeks old. Mrs. Smith has just recovered from her confinement, her Husband has had no work for some weeks, & cannot get any at present, and they are almost destitute of both food & fuel. Visitor recommends them for coal once. Bread and a little soup until the end of the Month.

263. Ann Harrison: Rear of Cottage rear of 147 Jarvis St. Husband & wife. Husband out of Employment. Visitor recommends them for one load of Coal, and bread for a fortnight.

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Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

264. Thomas Dogherty: 2 Bathurst St. aged 44. Married. Irish. ChofEngland. 3 boys over 10. all the family but one suffering from Measles. Coal, bread & sick allowance granted.

265. Lucy Stuart: rear 144 Centre St. English. Chof Engl. Widow, 44 years of age, at present unable to work on account of bad hand. one Son aged 15, out of work. Mrs. Stuart appears a clean respectable woman. Recommended for 4 lbs. bread a week, & 600 lbs. Coal for season.

266. Mary Mansell: 64 Boulton St. Widow, aged 45. Chof Engl. English. has two little girls, one 11, the other 9 years of age. she never applied before. appears to be a respectable person. Recommended to have 6 lbs. bread a week, & 600 lbs. Coal.

267. Catherine Kearney: In Case 855 in 1873, is now living with Ellen Courtney 117 Jarvis St. as the old woman is entirely destitute the visitor would recommend that she be allowed another allowance of Coal to keep up her share of the fire at the Courtneys.

268. Elisa Coleman: rear of 327 Adelaide St. west. 40 years of age. Married. English. ChofEngland. 4 Children, 2 boys over 10, 1 girl over 10, 1 girl under 10. Husband and Son have been employed by corporation but have done nothing since winter set in.

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269. Hannah Rowat: 76 Bathurst St. 42 years of age. Marred. [married] Scotch. 4 Children, 1 boy over 10, 3 girls under 10. Husband is a packing-case maker, but has been idle 13 weeks. Children have Measles. Recommended Coal & bread.

270. Lucy Monaghan: rear 7 Camden St. 18 years of age. Married. ChofEngland. Canadian. 1 Child, a boy 9 Months old. Husband a labourer, out of Employment four weeks.

271. Thomas Smith: 214 Little Richmond St. 54 years of age. Irish. Protestant Injured by a fall of wood while loading Cars 3 Months ago. 2 Months in Hospital. is not yet able to work and applies for admission to the House for a few weeks, when with {opening} of spring he hopes to be able to work.

272. Arthur Potter: Corner of Pine & Wellesley St. Husband & wife & 4 Children. This Case visitor reported upon last year. They are very decent respectable people. but the man is not a strong man, and

the wife is in very poor health, and they can not rub through a Winter without more or less assistance. Recommended for Coal once, and bread for a Month.

273. Ann Harrison's: Case in 263, which Visitor reported upon last week only partially is briefly this. Her father was a Man well known in St. David's Ward years ago. He was a painter by trade and well off at one time but gave himself up to drink. The family have property, and this sister is living in a Cottage belonging to the Brothers for which she and her husband pay rent when they can. Her husband visitor fears is not over steady, he is a labourer, has been out of Employment for many weeks, and Mrs. Harrison who is a hard working excellent little woman has had the greatest difficulty in supporting herself & him. under those circumstances Visitor had no hesitation in recommending the temporary assistance in his last report.

274. Harriett Mooney: aged 36. Canadian. Chof England. says husband left her, and the Children, four of them are with her people. has been in Gael [Gaol], but will try and do better, if she could get a place to stay for a time. Revd. Mr. Green from St. James Cathedral visited her in Gael & spoke in her favour. Left 20th

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Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Tyner Esqr.

275. Ann Schoales: 38 Baldwin St. Husband is a delicate man, & does not get steady employment, 6 Children whom it is hard provide for things are so dear. only wants bread, which visitor strongly recommends.

276. Martha Ann Weeden: 100 Boulton St. Married. aged 35. Husband 47, ChofEngland. English. very poor, in fact, they have neither bed or seat to sit on. appear to be active, & able to earn their living. Visitor recommends Coal and bread.

277. Ann Maunder: 9 Dummer St. English. ChofEngland. one child a girl 9 years of age. husband away. no work. Coal & bread for a Month.

278. Ann Wallis: Maple Lane. husband a Soldier away from her. says she cannot work. Visitor recommends Coal & bread. Case is known at the House & Committee decline giving relief. see Case 191.

279. Christian Beachle: 120 Ontario St. Visitor called at this House & saw Mrs. Beachle, who expressed great surprise at visitor calling and did not know of any application having been made by her husband. She said her husband was a Shoemaker, that work had been very slack for some time, but that they were not so low as to have to apply for relief.

280. Margaret Wells: 91 Jarvis St. An old woman, very infirm. Son in law and daughter at present living with her. The son in law, works in a cigar factory or rather did work at one which is now burnt down, & he has been out of work for some time. they have one young child. Visitor thinks it would be well to let Mrs. Wells have a small load of Coals & bread for a Month, by that time her son in law may get into work again. the poor old woman is utterly helpless herself.

281. George Hullett: 310 Sumach St. Husband & Wife & one Child. This family are at present in great distress, having been without firing for some days, and not over much in the way of food. Sickness and want of Employment have been the cause. Visitor recommends them for Coal once, bread for three weeks.

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282. Thomas Lamson: aged 73. Methodist. Canadian. born and brought up below Prestcott. for last 3 years at Linden Station, came to Toronto yesterday. was sent to the House by the Mayor, seeks shelter for a week or two.

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Present, Mr. J.T. Smith & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. W.J. MacDonell.

283. Mrs. Graham: 38 Bishop St. a Widow. No Children. Has a bad leg, & was all last winter in the Hospital. Lives with a family named Holbert & seems very poor & shiftless. Scotch. Presbyt. Visitor supposes she might have a little Coal (300 lbs) & some bread.

284. Thomas Gormley: (see Case 170.) rear 18 Carr's Lane, off Spadina Avenue. Out when Visitor called. His Landlady said that he was a sober old man, but apparently very shiftless. a daughter say 40 years old lives with him, very delicate. Case left to discretion of Committee.

285. Mary Clary: In Case 876 in 1873, is still unable to leave her bed, and for that reason Visitor recommends that she be allowed Coal once more.

286. Ellen Crighton: in Case 875 in 1873. Visitor recommends that the Coal be renewed once more, and the bread continued until next month.

287. Rebecca Thompson: top of Bathurst St. East side, near Bloor St. Husband a Painter out of work 8 weeks. 2 Children, 4 & 2. English. Independent Church. Visitor recommends what help can be given her. Out since last month.

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288. Michael Curley: in Case 992 in 1873. Left the House, he has now got employment at his trade.

289. Jane Jaffray: in Case 996 in 1873. left the Institution, in fact ran away from it, in a fit of drunkenness.

290. Sophia Davis: see Case 162 in 1873. Left on her own account says she has a place on Yonge St.

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291. Robert Gradwell: in Case 660 in 1873. left the House Febry. 26th. says he has a place to go to work.

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Present. Messrs. J.T. Smith. W.J. MacDonald & Revd. Mr. Macdonnell

292. William Wickenden: 157 York Street. A married man. Visitor did not see him, was out looking for work. A wife & five Children, 4 at home, boy 12, girl 8, girl 6, girl 5. Ch of England. English. A labouring man. Visitor recommends 8 lbs. of bread a week for five weeks & 600 lbs. Coal, soup if they like to come for it.

293. Johanna Lynch: is very badly off & unable to obtain a livelihood. Visitor recommends a little Coal to help her over the month.

294. John Draper: 35 Hope St. Lives by peddling Coal Oil, going out twice a week, but the great competition keeps his profile down and he can scarcely earn anything. No wife, no children. very poor. no bed, has to lie on the floor & but little furniture in an unfinished house. English. bread allowed.

295. Catharine Billingham: 60 Hope Street. Husband has gone to England, owing to ill health. Has 8 Children, 2 doing for themselves pretty well, 6 others dependant on her, the eldest of these being 12 years old. Not able to go out working because of the small children, & is very poor. English. Coal & bread recommended.

296. Elenor Elliston: 15 Renfrew St. Arrived from England last October. Husband out of work, wife sickly. Visitor recommends bread & Coal. they are very poor just now.

297. Margaret Leahy: 53 George St. an old case, reported some years ago. wants an allowance of coal which Visitor recommends.

298. Jane Loader: 11 South Park St. Husband, Martin, a labourer, out of Employment since the failure of Hamilton's foundry. Originally from England, 16 years ago. was burnt out at the great fire of Chicago. Children, George 2 1/2 years. Martin Luther, 2 weeks. Methodist. recommended an allowance of coal.

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299. Mary Harnett: aged 45. Irish. R.C. an old resident in Toronto. Husband a Carter. both drink & husband illuses [ill uses] the wife & turns her out of doors. Children are taken care of by friends. Mr. J. Gilmor who has known Mrs. Harnett for the last 20 years recommends her for admission into House of Industry. Admitted if she can make up her mind to stay, without running out looking after her husbands affairs.

300. Mary Hislip: aged 54. Irish. R.C. says has been 34 years in the Country, a soldiers widow. brought a note from Mrs. Grasett recommending her admission into the House. had shelter for about 2 weeks in Building for casual poor, last January, to recover from some severe bruises and a black Eye, got from some friends in a drunken spree. To see the Doctor & Committee will admit her for a Month on trial and if she behaves might be admitted permanently. Doctor examined, his opinion is that Mrs. Hislip is just recovering from a heavy spree. otherwise nothing to prevent her earning a living.

301. Joshua Sykes: aged 33. English. ChofEngland. from England 10 years. was in the Navy 6 years, and in the Army 5 years & 75 days, bought his discharge at the Cape of Good Hope, and came to Canada to see his father who has been out 20 years, as Port Chaplain of Quebec. Sykes has been in Toronto for the last three years. suffers from palpitation of the heart. Brought a note from Revd. Mr. Waters recommending Sykes for admission. Committee recommend that Doctor examine, and the [he] be brought up gain next Tuesday. Doctor examined, and states it is not a Case for Hospital treatment.

Tuesday, March 3d. 1874.

Present. N.C. Love Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

302. Edward Finney: James St. In a bad state of health and unable to earn his own livelihood at present. Visitor recommends bread for a week until he can enquire more fully into the case.

303. Susan Daniels: 19 Strachan Avenue. Married. Wesleyan. English. (9 Children) 4 at home, 3 boys under 10, one over 10. Husband a labourer, has just secured employment in breaking stone for the corporation.

304. John Berry: 452 Adelaide St. West. 35 years of age. Married. English. 6 Children. 3 boys under 10, 3 girls under 10. Out of employment. In Canada only five months. seem very respectable people. Recommended Coal.

305. Nathaniel Hammond: 33 Little Richmond St. 28 years of age. Married. Chof England. English. recently from England. In Toronto only a few days, has not yet been able to secure employment, and has no means of subsistence. 4 children 2 girls, 2 boys, all under 10, seem worthy people. Recommended for Coal and bread.

306. Frederick Tedman: 93 Lumley St. a labourer just now out of work the packing house where he had been employed having been recently shut up. 4 Children at home the eldest of whom is 12. English. Visitor does not think that he is very badly off, but would recommend bread for a month.

307. Jane Redditt: 24 Bishop St. wanders about from place to place at present she is with rather a bad lot, but is said to be a steady deserving woman herself. Bread allowed but nothing else.

308. Ann McAllister: 188 Adelaide St. West. Has a husband, but of little or no use to her. One Child a girl. appears to be a respectable person. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a week for this Month and Coal once.

309. Edward Summer: 123 Adelaide St. West. Visitor did not see them. cannot recommend them. a doubtful looking place.

310. Louisa Hibbard: an Inmate (See Case 717 in 1872). was brought up for drunkenness & insolent behaviour. As she promised not to do the like again, Committee will forgive her this time, but if she commits herself again, to be then dismissed from the Institution.

311. John Foy: aged 45. Irish. Chof England. 25 years in the Country, chiefly in Toronto. Labourer. has a bad finger which prevents him working. seeks shelter for a time. Left 25th.

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312. Thomas Rowe; aged 63. English. Chof England. in Canada since 42. a Tailor by trade, out of work, seeks shelter for a few days, says he has no means to pay for his board. allowed to stay for 2 weeks.

313. Alexd. Newall: 53 years of age. English. Chof England. 4 years out. a Tailor by trade. no work. a disipated man. was in building for casual poor last summer. see Case 666 in 1873. admitted for a time. Left May 10/74

Friday, 6th March 1874.

Present Messrs. N.C. Love & W.J. MacDonell

314. Ann Madden: No. 3 Stanley St. 30 years old. Husband 44 years. out of work. 3 Children under 9 years. 6 lbs. of bread a week and Coal once.
315. Catharine Willard: No. 3 Stanley St. Not recommended.
316. Ann Newman: 126 Adelaide St. East. No one living there.
317. Elizabeth Dempsey: who lives at Chicago, sent in a written application asking admission into the House. Committee or Supt. to write back an answer refusing applicant admission.
318. Mary Hislip: in Case 300. was asked to make herself useful about the House, preferred leaving and working outside where she gets paid for her labour, rather than work in the House for nothing.
319. Mary Harnett: in Case 299 asked leave to go out yesterday, was refused because she had leave a few days ago & came home drunk, so Mary went without leave & has not returned yet. Not to be admitted again.
320. Thomas Boddy: an old Case, seeks admission. has friends to support him if he would behave himself. Cannot be admitted.
321. Robert Tweed: aged 52. English. Chof England, in Canada since 1857. A Chemist. has a dislocated shoulder. no means, seeks admission. Admitted for a time.
322. Joshua Sykes: in Case 301. admitted, but must submit to the rules.

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323. Janett Fitzsimmons: aged 22. English. Chof England. from England 14 days, arrived in Toronto yesterday from St. Georges House, Montreal. Came here for shelter. allowed to have shelter for a few days, and was advised to apply at the St. Georges Society, and to look for employment, as she cannot remain here being in the family way, and apparently near her confinement. Left for Lying in Hospital 12th.

Tuesday 10th March. 1874.

Present, Revd. Mr. Boddy & J. Thom Esqr.

324. Thomas Rowe: in Case 312 allowed to remain in building for casual poor for this week to enable him to get work. Left April 1/74.

325. Jane Redditt: in Case 307 to have 4 lbs. bread a week until the end of this Month.

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326. Margaret Bennett: aged 42. Irish. R.C. A widow. 22 years in the Country. 3 Children in House of Providence. says has been 18 Months in General Hospital. seeks shelter for a time. will make herself useful. Left April 1st.

Friday, 13th March, 1874.

Present. Messrs. J. Thom & E. Hobson

327. James Enwright: 142 Richmond St. West. No such person there.

328. Hugh Mattheson: aged 64. Scotch. Presbyterian. see Case 748 in 1873. has been in Hospital for some Months. applied again for admission. admitted.

329. Alfred Thom: 68 Bathurst St. see Case 209. is under the Doctors hands, suffering from an accident and quite unable to do anything. It will be some time before he can resume work, and Visitor would be glad if he can have a further allowance of coal as early as possible for he is an industrious and worthy man.

330. Nathaniel Hammond: 33 Little Richmond St. See Case 305. Visitor recommends an allowance of groceries. He is out of employment and his wife is very weak and ill having been confined yesterday. She needs little comforts which they are not able to procure.

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331. Charles Thompson: living at 85 Sydenham St. East of Pine St. is in great distress having been out of Employment for many weeks. They have two children 11 & 7 respectively. His wife is expecting her confinement hourly, and the Landlord is pressing for his rent. Visitor helped him with what will pay the last month, and if he could have a little coal, and some groceries for the wife in her illness it would be well bestowed. he will be in work in another fortnight.

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No Committee present.

332. James Enwright: 142 Little Richmond St. 32 years of age. Chof England, or Methodist. in Canada about 21 Months. 3 Children 1 boy, 2 girls, under 10. Labourer & out of work nearly all winter. Hopes to get employment in a week or two. Meanwhile has no means to procure fuel etc.

333. John Black: 135 Berkely St. Visitor met this man on his way to Berkely Street in a high state of excitement pursuing a host of small boys. Recommended to have bread & soup by all means, for the poor fellow is quite out of his mind, and is really not fit to take care of himself. Drink is the cause.

334. Susan Kenny: 84 Sumach St. Visitor visited them, but will give them what they want himself. See Case 327.

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Present, Revd. Mr. Hunter & E. Hobson Esqr.

335. Mary Keith: 3 Wilton St. Husband out of work since Xmas. Has 5 children, eldest 10. the youngest 3 months old. has been obliged to sell clothing & pawn it to get food. very poor. Irish. English Church. Coal and bread recommended.

336. John Burgess: 156 Strachan Avenue. Marrd. [married] English. ChofEngl. Labourer. No Children. In Toronto 7 or 8 Months. out of work several Months, and so out of supplies and the means of procuring them. Recommended Coal once 300 lbs.

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337. Ann Holt: in Case 33, living in the rear of 20 Little Richmond ^St.^ was confined last night, and her husband is out of work so that he is not able to procure for her the little comforts which she so much needs at such a time. Visitor therefore recommends the usual sick allowance.

338. John Tomlinson: in Case 117, Visitor recommends another allowance of Coal, as the man is in a bad state of health.

339. Lewie Dayrollies: aged 29. Irish. ChofEngl. In Canada over four years. says is out of Employment, & has no means seeks shelter. 23rd.

340. Jane Baker: 25 Hayter St. English. ChofEngl. Widow. 58 years of age. goes out nursing. Has one son 18 years of age apprenticed to a coach painter, at present very ill, confined to the House with inflammation on the lungs. appear clean respectable people. To have 600 lbs. Coal, 6 lbs. bread a week & full ration of groceries.

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Present, A.T. McCord Esqr.

341. Lowie Dayrollies: in Case 339, allowed to remain for a few days. Left March 30th.

Friday 27th March 1874.

Present, Revd. Dr. Green & E. Hobson Esqr.

342. Susan Hunt: aged 66. A widow. Irish. R.C. 6 years in Toronto. seeks admission into the House. To see Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted. Left April 20th

343. Mrs. Eagle: 90 Chestnut St. to have 300 lbs. Coal.

344. Martha Gravely: in Case 695 in 1873. To have 600 lbs. Coal once more, and bread for a Month longer. say til 1st of May.

345. Emma Webb: 152 Huron St. in Case 954 in 1873. has just been confined. very poor. she is the wife of Webb whose shoulder was broken a few months ago. Visitor recommends an allowance of groceries.

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Tuesday 31st March 1874

Present. E. Hobson, Esqr.

346. Cecilia Edmonds: Weekly allowance of 6 lbs. bread continued.

347. Ellen Caffin: 8 lbs. bread a week continued.

348. Ann Sullivan: allowance of 8 lbs. bread a week until May 1st.

349. Ellen Fitzpatrick: bread 4 lbs. a week continued during summer.

350. Mary O'Brien: summer allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

351. Hannah Robertson: 6 lbs. bread a week during summer.

352. Lucy Patterson: 239 Chesnut St. A widow, aged 37. English, Chof England. One child a boy 8 months old. to have 4 lbs. bread a week.

353. Ann Mulqueeney: her allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

354. Martha Graveley: 8 lbs. of bread a week continued until May 1st.



355. Sarah Bloomer: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
356. Hannah Asher: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
357. Sarah McGregor: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
358. Julia Brierton: in Case 805. left on her own account.
359. Sophia Jones: 8 lbs. bread a week continued. Husband ill.
360. Jane Baker: 6 lbs. bread till 15th May.
361. John Bender: 35. English. Chof England. 2 years out. Lately from Buffalo. has a sore foot, seeks shelter for a few days. expects some work. Left April 15th.

Friday 3rd April 1874

Present. E. Hobson, Esqr.

362. Elisa Gailey: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
363. Elizabeth Neill: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
364. Sarah Elliott: 26 Markham St. 8 lbs. bread a week continued.
365. Benjamin Welsh: aged 87. American. Baptist. from Detroit on his way to Smith's Falls where he has a son, seeks rest for a few days. Left April 12th.
366. Mary Peacock: (see Case 781 in 1873) of 35 Camden Street, has been in ill health and by reason of the continued cold weather her husband is still out of work, so that it is perhaps for them the worst season of the year, if therefore the Committee will kindly continue relief to them a little longer it would be an act of real charity to deserving people.

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367. Margaret Johnston: aged 30. Irish. English Church. Came from Philadelphia with five children, expecting to find her husband in Toronto, who came before to prepare a Home for her & the children. They were found destitute at the G.W. [Great Western] Station, and were sent to House of Industry for a few days shelter by Mr. Wm. Elliott, of the Firm of Elliott & Co. The children are aged respectively, Henry 11, Robert 10, Kate 8, Mary Ann 6 & baby (a girl) 2 weeks old.

Tuesday, 7th April 1874

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson & R. Gilmor.

- 368. Mary Madegan: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 369. Bridget Burns: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 370. Margaret Douglas: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer.
- 371. Bridget McCabe: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. continued.
- 372. Ellen O'Brien: 8 lbs. bread a week during summer months.
- 373. Charles Mason: 6 lbs. bread a week till May 7th.
- 374. Annie Davis: 12 lbs. bread a week allowed.
- 375. Sarah Repath: 10 lbs. bread a week continued.
- 376. Mary Ann Peterson: 4 lbs. bread a week to May 7th.
- 377. Jane Eaton: to have 4 lbs. bread a week to May 7th.
- 378. Catharine Keating: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 379. Bridget McCan: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 380. Mary Ann Andrews: 8 lbs. bread a week continued.
- 381. Ann Baines: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 382. Mary Rutherford: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 383. Mary Ann Thomas: to have 8 lbs. bread a week.
- 384. Elizabeth Ashby: to have 8 lbs. bread a week continued.
- 385. Alfred Thom: 8 lbs. bread a week till May 1st.
- 386. Honora Boyle: allowance of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
- 387. Mary Peacock: in Case 366, to have 8 lbs. bread May 7th.
- 388. Elizabeth Russell: weekly ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.
- 389. Elizabeth Johnson: (coloured) 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 390. Mary O'Brien: to have her ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.
- 391. Matilda Bagley: 6 lbs. bread a week during summer months.
- 392. Elisa Jolland: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 393. Elizabeth Burns: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.
- 394. Martha Carr: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

395. Margaret Vergeon: weekly ration of 8 lbs. bread continued.

396. William Booth: 6 lbs. bread a week during summer months.

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397. Ann Holt: to have her ration of 8 lbs. bread a week continued till May 7.

398. Ann Lloyd: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

399. Hannah Robinson: 6 lbs. bread a week continued.

400. Margaret Lennon: ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

401. Margaret Eaton: allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued weekly.

402. Ann Silver: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

Friday, 10th April 1874

Present: Messrs E. Hobson & R. Gilmor

403. David Brady: in Case 311 in 1871. Applied for admission, admitted in building for casual poor for a few days. Doctor examined. Says Brady suffers from whisky. Only received his pension on 1st of April, but seems to have spent it all. Admitted & left 30 May.

404. Hatty McLaughlan: says came from Kingston 2 months ago, and not able to work on account of a bad cold. Doctor advised whom she told that she has chills & fever, but that she left the Hospital a week ago on her own account. Not very ill, but from her looks appears not able to work just now. To have shelter for a time.

405. Mary Ryley: a Widow, two months out. Irish. R.C. Seems not very strong, would like to become an Inmate for a time, & would make herself general useful. Aged 50.

406. Catherine Eagan: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

407. Sophia Anderson: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

408. Jane Dundas: ration of 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

409. Catharine Karney [Kearny]: 4 lb. bread weekly continued.

410. Margaret Gale: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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411. Jane Todd: 8 lbs. bread a week continued.

412. Catharine Billinghamurst: 12 lbs. bread a week allowed.

413. Mary Wilkinson: 4 lbs. bread until May 10th.

414. Elizabeth Gartland: who resides with a Mrs. Rafferty No. 119 Jarvis St. a spinster aged 67. English. belonging to the Methodist Church, who has been working for her board with several families but now unable to do so on account of sickness. Visitor would recommend a small allowance of provisions & bread. 4 lbs. bread a week & small allowance of groceries.

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Friday, 10th April 1874

415. Isabella Lack: in Case 716 in 1873, wishes to leave the House, is able now to take a situation.

416. James Henderson: 40. English. Chof England. 6 months out. Sore hand, seeks a few days shelter. Left May 25th.

Tuesday 14 April 1874

Present. Messrs. J. McBean & E. Hobson

417. Jane Fraser: to have her weekly ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.

418. Agnes Adams: to have 4 lbs. bread a week during summer.

419. Grace Langley: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

420. Phoebe Gray: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

421. Margaret Aylward: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

422. Madeline Booth: allowance of 6 lbs. bread weekly during summer.

423. Mary McGee: 4 lbs. bread a week during summer months.

424. Sarah Bloomer: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

425. Mary Morrow: 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

426. Johanna Leach: to have 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

427. Mary McLean: to have ration of 4 lbs. bread continued weekly.

428. Martin Shelly: living at 92 Sumach St. Wife and two young children is in very great distress in consequence of being thrown out of work by a sprained wrist. Visitor would be very glad if he could have some bread and a few groceries and if he could have the bread for a fortnight.

429. William Carter: 18 years of age. English. ChofEngland. 9 Months out. lived at Hamilton, came to Toronto looking for work, applied to the Mayor who sent him here for a few days shelter. Left 28th April.

Friday, 17th April 1874

Present Messrs. J. McBean & E. Hobson

430. Mary Hickling: to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

431. Bridget Pickering: to have 6 lbs. bread a week continued.

432. Margaret Lawrey: (coloured). 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

433. Mary Hudson: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

434. Margaret Broom: allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.

435. Jane Orpan: weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

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436. Johanna Riley: 4 lbs. bread a week for a time.

437. Jane Curran: ration of 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

438. Honora Gillon: summer allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

439. Martha McCormack: in Case 685 in 1871. Came from the Country where she had been living of late and applied for admission. Refused on account of former bad behaviour, but allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a time. Left July 20th.

440. Edward Cook: aged 29. English. ChofEng. 2 years in Toronto. seeks shelter for a few days as he is at present out of employment. ^Left May 10th.^

441. John Townley: 67 Louisa St. English. ChofEngland. Widower. 42 years of age. Engineer out of work since Christmas last. his late wife was ill eleven weeks before death. 6 Children, girl 16, girl 13, girl 9, boy 12, boy 4 & boy 2 years of age. they appear clean and respectable, much in want of assistance. Recommended to have 12 lbs. bread a week.

442. Mary Brown: aged 26. English. ChofEngland. 11 Months from England. Has a child, a girl 3 months old. Seems respectable, cannot take a place just now on account of her child being so young. Would make herself useful if admitted. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Greene of St. James Cathedral. Admitted.

443. Margaret Johnson: in Case 367, was sent with her children back to Philadelphia by Miss Elliott & other Ladies. April 7th.

Tuesday, 21st April 1874

Present: Revd. S. Givins & R. Gilmor, Esqr.

444. Dummy Jones: recommended by Mr. Gilmor that the weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread be continued to him.

445. John Breckenridge: in Case 391 in 1872. Died this morning at 4 O'Clock. Aged 83.

446. Rebecca Heffer: allowed to have her allowance of 6 lbs. bread a week continued until 24th of May.

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Tuesday, 21st April 1874

447. Hatty McLaughlan: (in Case 404). Left the House on her own account, it is said in company with Michael Furlong an Inmate (see Case 721 in 1873) who certainly left the House without leave in her company.

Friday, 24th April 1874

Present. Revd. Mr. Givins & E. Hobson, Esqr.

448. James Morrison: 39. Scotch. Presbyt. out since last August. Baker by trade. came from Montreal last Wednesday. Met with an accident at Cobourg, stepping off the cars he slipped and dislocated his ankle. Wants shelter to rest his feet. Left May 10th.

Tuesday, 28th April 1874

Present: Revd. Dr. Topp

449. Michael Furlong (in Case 447), made application for readmission. Allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a few days and to look out for employment in the meantime.

Friday, 1st May, 1874

No Committee present.

450. Elizabeth Bennett: 12 Elizabeth St. applied for admission of her mother, Mary Law (see Case 617 in 1873), who is out of her mind & Mrs. Bennett cannot manage her at home. Thinks if taken into House of Industry she might be sent to the Lunatic Asylum without much trouble. The House cannot do anything in this case.

451. Hugh Mattheson: in Case 328. Left the House on his own account.

452. Michael Try: in Case 798 in 1871. Died May 2nd, aged 70.

453. Joshua Sikes [Sykes]: in Case 322. Left May 4th, says he got some light employment at which he can earn his living.

Tuesday, May 5th 1874

No Committee present.

454. Michael Furlong: in Case 449, left the Institution.

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Tuesday, May 5th 1874

455. Mary Ann Phillmore: 61 Ann Street. Came out last June. English. Congregationalist. afflicted with paralysis, which happened last winter. Husband returned to England last Autumn and he sent the family no money. 4 Children. A daughter aged 27, a cripple, another aged 20, works in Adams' Laundry, and her earnings is all the family have to live upon, with the exception of what is given by a few charitable Ladies. Two smaller girls 9 & 11 go to school. To have 600 lbs. Coal.

456. Owen Reiley [Riley]: in Case 777 in 1873. Left on his own account. Thinks he can earn his living at digging.



457. Richard William: in Case 696 in 1873. Died this morning, May 6th, aged 64 years.

Friday, 8th May 1874

458. Margaret Leahey: 53 George St. An old pensioner of the House, to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

459. George Marshall: aged 38. American. 12 Months in Canada. ChofEngl. Seeks a few days shelter, being foot sore & sick. Left 26th.

460. Harry Smith: aged 19. English. ChofEngl. 12 Months out. says is a House painter, out of Employment. no means. Seeks shelter for a few days until he gets work. Left 22nd.

461. James Smith: 50. Irish. ChofEngl. An old resident. Not in very good health. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Williams for admission. admitted.

462. Mary Craknill: in Case 182. Husband left her looking for work. Recommended by the Mayor for a little relief. 8 lbs. bread.

463. William Swanson: aged 53. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. 2 years in the Country. Lately from Grimsby where he met whit [with] an accident cutting his hand with a circular saw. Was sent by the Mayor for a few days shelter. Left June 10th.

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Friday, May 8th, 1874

464. Mary Barry: 24 years of age. Irish. Presbyt. 9 years in Toronto. just out of Gaol. Recommended for shelter by Revd. Mr. Greene until she can look for a place.

465. William Belmer: in Case 703 in 1873. Left the House May 11. Will go and live with some friends.

Tuesday, 12th May 1874

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

466. Thomas Campbell: an Inmate, left the House on his own account.

467. Margaret Carpenter: in Case 721 in 1873, was taken from this Institution to the incurable Hospital May 14th.

Friday, 15th May 1874

Present. Rev. Canon Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr.

468. Joseph Parrett: in a Cottage west of St. Stephens Church, aged 47. Wife Jane 25, 4 Children, boy 6, girl 5, girl 3 & boy 7 Months. Visitor recommends whatever help can be given The husband is sick, and the family are almost destitute. They are respectable people. Bread, groceries would be recommended, a little fuel also if possible. 8 lbs. bread a week & groceries.

469. William Harris: rear of 52 Alice St. See case 129. Doctor to call & report. Wife stated that her husband was nearly killed in a well.

Tuesday, 19th May 1874

Present. Rev. J. M. Laurent

470. William Harris: in Case 469. No report yet.

471. George Ross: 20. Scotch. Presbyterian. 2 years out. A Labourer, has the ague. Not able to work at present & no means, seeks shelter for a few days. Left June 16th.

472. Thomas Scott: 36. Scotch. Presbyterian. Boiler Maker. Came out on the 1st of May last. Says he has a bad cold, etc. caused by lying out. Seeks shelter for a few days. Left May 20th.

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Friday, 22nd May 1874

No Committee present

473. Clara Frank: rear 79 Louis St. Husband has left her & she is ill in bed. To have a full allowance of groceries & 4 lbs. bread a week.

474. Charlotte McCan: weekly ration of 6 lbs. bread continued.

475. Doctor visited William Harris in Case 469 on Wednesday and was told he was down town. Doctor left word for him to call on him but did not. Called at his place today again & was told that he was taken to the Hospital on Friday last & had not returned. His wife is a perfect Virago.

476. Doctor also called upon Mrs. Howden at 93 Adelaide Street. Is suffering from chronic Rheumatism, thinks she is incurable, certainly she is not able to work & is a fit case either for this place or the incurable Hospital.

477. James Goodfellow: 25 years of age. English. R.C. Church. 10 Months out. Umbrella Maker. has a very sore foot & not able to work at present. Was refused admission into the Hospital. Seeks shelter here until his foot gets somewhat better. Left August 12th.

Tuesday, 26th May, 1874

Present. J. F. Smith Esqr.

478. Ann Quinn: 12 Renfrew St. 4 lbs. bread a week continued.

Friday, 29th May, 1874

Present: W. J. MacDonell, Esqr & J. F. Smith, Esqr.

479. Michael Furlong: in Case 449, applied again for admission. Allowed to stay in building for casual poor until Tuesday next when his case may be brought up again.

480. John Chaffer: in Case 147, is now in better health, and went to work today May 30th.

481. James Smith: in Case 461 left the House, now able to work June 1st.

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482. Thomas Goff: in Case 738 in 1872. Died this Morning June 1, aged 79 years.

Tuesday, 2nd June 1874

Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell, N.C. Love & E. Hobson

483. Michael Furlong: in Case 479. Not to be admitted during the summer Months, as he is able to earn his living.

484. Neil Galbraith: aged 76. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. 18 years in Canada. worked about wherever he could find employment. has not been married, and he had no settled home. now past work & his Eyesight is failing. seeks admission. Admitted.

Friday, 5th June 1874

Present: Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & N.C. Love

485. Jane Dundas: in Case 408. Says her daughter came home sick, and has no nourishment for her. applied for a little sugar, tea [etc.] granted, & Committee would like Dr. Ogden to call upon them. 138 Richmond St. West.

486. Mary Ryley: in Case 405, left the Institution, is now able to take a place.

487. Robert Tweed: in Case 321. left the House and took a situation. June 6th.

488. Joseph Richmond: in Case 786 in 1873, ran away from the Institution June 6th.

489. Charles Cook: aged 47. English. ChofEngl. 2 years out. A Labourer. says is not well enough to work at present. allowed to stay in Casual building for a few days.

490. Emily Harwood: 18 years of age. came lately from Whitchurch to Toronto Lying Hospital where she was confined & her child a boy is now 3 weeks old. wants shelter. gave a nights lodging & advised has to go back to her friends. June 6.

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Tuesday, 9th June 1874

Present Revd. S.J. Boddy & J. Thom Esqr.

491. Nathaniel Hammond: in Case 330. The man is sick & Visitor recommended the family to Committee who allowed a full sick allowance of groceries.

492. Charles Cook: in Case 489. Doctor recommends that he be taken into the House for a time, as he is weak & just recovering from fever.

493. Elizabeth Keppel: aged 28. English. ChofEngland. 5 years out. Came from Kingston lately, and is looking for a situation. Seeks a few days shelter in the mean time. Left 16th.

Friday, 12th June 1874

No Committee present

494. Elizabeth Grumly: 23 Isabella St. has been over 40 years in Toronto. about 89 years of age, and suffers from Palsy. Application was made today for her admission into this Institution by Mrs. J.H. Evans of 22 Sultan St.

495. George Little: aged 30. Canadian. Chof England. has a sore hand caused by cut in a saw Mill. From Port Hope. cannot work at present. seeks shelter for a few days. expects some money to help him on to Hamilton. Left 21st.

496. Catharine Montgomery: aged 31. Irish. Chof England. 10 years in this Country. from Montreal 7 Months, came to Toronto to look for her husband, whom she did not find. has a child a boy 7 months old. seeks shelter, says she cannot get a place on account of the Child.

497. Charles Toy: 119 Agnes St. It was stated by one of the Children who called at the House, that the father (Toy) was ill & not able to work, the Mother lately confirmed. 4 Children at Home. Girl 14, girl 11, girl 8, girl 6 & baby a girl 3 days old. Doctor Ogden called on them and confirms the Child's statement. To have 8 lbs. bread & large amount of groceries.

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Tuesday, 16th June 1874

Present: J. Jacques Esqr.

498. Elizabeth Grumly: in Case 494. Doctor to visit, and to report upon the Case.

499. Catharine Montgomery: in Case 496. Allowed to remain with her child in building for Casual poor for a few days. Left Left August 18th.

Friday 19th June 1874

Present, Messrs. J. Jacques & E. Hobson

500. Elizabeth Grumly: in Case 498. Doctor visited & states that she appears to be suffering from old age alone. She is not paralyzed and does not appear to be afflicted with any incurable disease, and thinks her a fit case for the House of Industry. Admitted. English. ChofEngl.

Tuesday 23rd June 1874

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Present: E. Hobson Esqr.

501. Mary Gormly [Gormley]: aged 57. Irish. ChofEngl. 15 years in Toronto, formerly an Inmate, see Case 738 in 1872. Applied for readmission into the House. Admitted on condition that she make herself general useful.

502. William James: in Case 791 in 1873 left the House.

503. Mary Brown: & Child in Case 442 left the House.

504. Jenny Lee: in Case 879 in 1873 was returned to the House on account of her bad temper.

505. John Adams: aged 34. English. ChofEngland. 12 Months out, a carpenter by trade. Has no tools. Says cannot get employment. Seeks shelter for a few days. Left 30th.

506. James Mack: aged 35. Irish. R.C. Church, 12 Months out. A Labourer out of Employment on account of sickness. Asks a few days shelter.

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Friday, 26th June 1874

Present: Revd. Dr. Green & E. Hobson Esqr.

507. Edward Campbell: in case 466. Seeks readmission into the House. Committee are of opinion that he should earn his living during the summer months.

Tuesday, 30th June 1874

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

508. Mary Gormley: in case 501, left the Institution on her own account.

Friday, July 3rd, 1874

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

509. Mary Maher: to have 4 lbs. bread a week during the summer Months.

510. Elizabeth Grumly: in Case 500, died this day, July 4th at half past 2 O'Clock. P.M.

511. Margaret Woodsworth: 27. English. ChofEngland. 2 years out. says lost her husband in Hamilton, and came to Toronto to look for a sister whom she could not find. Seeks shelter until Monday. ^Left 10th.^

512. Martha Orr: aged 28. Irish. ChofEngland. 8 years out in this Country living about in different places. Is now looking for a place in Toronto. Has no means. Seeks shelter for a few days. ^Left 14th.^

513. Mary Robinson: aged 48. Scotch. ChofEngl. A cripple. has one child with her a girl 6 years old. From the States, says she will try to get into the Hospital. Seeks shelter in the meantime for a few days until she can make her arrangements.

514. Alice Downs: aged 24. Irish. R.C. 14 years in this Country. 2 years in Toronto. just out of Lying in Hospital with a baby in her arms two weeks old. says' has no where to stop at. seeks shelter for a few days until she can get a place.

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Tuesday, 7th July 1874

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

515. Honora Gillon: aged 82. Irish. R.C. An old resident in Toronto and out door Pensioner of this Institution for many years. was brought here by Miss Morrison with a recommend from Mr. Robert Gilmor for admission, the old woman being feeble and not able to take care of her any longer. admitted.

Friday, 10th July 1874

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

516. Margaret Watson: A widow, Native of Scotland, aged 49. Left her place. Seeks admission. See Case 710 in 1873. Left 27th.

Tuesday 14 July 1874

Present: J. McBean Esqr.



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517. John Elliott: rear of 142 Centre St. English. R.C. Church. 35 years of age. Married. 2 Children, boy 5 years & a boy 3 months old. Elliott is a stone polisher, but at this time very far gone in consumption. to have full rations of groceries & 6 or 8 lbs. of bread per week.

Friday, 17th July 1874

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

518. Elisa Death: Visitor recommends that her weekly ration of 4 lbs. bread be continued.

519. George Williams: aged 23. English. Chof Engl. Two years out. Came from Buffalo to look up some relatives in Toronto, but could not find them. Apparently in bad health. Seeks a few days shelter. Left 24th.

Tuesday 21st July 1874

Present. Rev. S. Givins & R. Gilmor Esqr.

520. George McKay: 44, Scotch. Presbyt. 40 years in Canada. In search of Employment. Seeks shelter for a few days. Left 26th.

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Friday. 24th July. 1874

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

521. James Farrell: an crippled Inmate, went out last Tuesday week and has been rather on a drunken spree since then. He now applies for readmission into the House. Committee think it advisable to keep him out for the present. ^See Case 702 in 1873.^

522. Mary Williamson: in Case 655 in 1873 died this day July 26th, aged say 76.

Tuesday, 28th July 1874

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

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523. Bella Ward: aged 28. Irish. ChofEngl. Says she lived in Goderich for 11 years, but came now from Buffalo where she lost her husband. has a boy, John, aged 9 months with her, says cannot get a place on account of the child. Seeks admission & would make herself useful. Allowed to stay for a time.

524. Elizabeth Johnson: 35. Irish. Presbyterian. Came to Canada when a child. Was lately in General Hospital. Seeks shelter.

Friday, 31st July 1874

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

525. Elizabeth Johnson: in Case 524, allowed to remain for a time. Left August 10th.

526. Thomas Lacey: aged 50. Irish. ChofEngl. 7 years in Canada. Rheumatic. Says the Mayor sent him to the House for a few days shelter. ^Left August 9th.^

Tuesday, 4th August 1874

Present Messrs. J. Shea, E. Hobson & J. Tyner

527. Thomas Lawson: in Case 282 applied for admission. to see Doctor & if a proper case to be admitted. Admitted.

528. Thomas Lacey: in Case 526. Seems to have no Claim on the House, but will be allowed to remain a few days.

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Tuesday. 4th August. 1874.

529. Isabella Dunbar: 89 Sumach St. aged 40 -- Canadian -- ChofEngland -- 4 Children, girls, 14, 12, & 8. & a boy 3 years of age -- husband away since April, sends her a little money at times -- expects her confinement shortly -- Visitor would recommend temporary relief, thinks if assisted for a short time she will receive something from her husband which will prevent the necessity for further assistance -- to have a full ration of Tea, sugar, [etc.] and 8 lbs bread a week.

530. Susan Berry: aged 47. Irish. ChofEngland -- see Case 630 in 187{3} Recommended for 4 lbs bread a week by Mr. R Gilmor.

531. Dan Clifford: 40. Irish. R.C. 20 years in Canada, chiefly in Toronto -- says' has had the ague, which left him in a weak state of health, and not able at present to earn his living. seeks shelter for a time -- allowed shelter in building for casual poor. Left Septbr 28th

532. Grace Langley: aged 60 -- A Widow on crutches -- Irish. ChofEngland. has been an out door pensioner of this House for many years -- seeks admission -- admitted.

Friday, August 7th 1874.

Present -- E. Hobson Esqr.

533. Robert Gradwell: in Case 291. Made application for readmission -- admitted.

Tuesday, 11th August. 1874.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. E.H. Rutherford.

534. Edward Harrington: rear 44 Edward St. English. ChofEngl 34 years of age -- Married -- 4 Children, girls, 13. 11. 9 & 1 years of age -- 3 years in Toronto. Lately fell down a well & injured his ankle, which will prevent him earning his living for some time to come. No means of support at present. To have 12 lbs bread a week & a full ration of sugar, tea, [etc.] also a little firing.

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Tuesday. 11th August. 1874.

535. Timothy Ronan: aged 90. Irish. R.C. 40 years in Toronto -- A Boot and Shoe Maker, now past work-- seems a respectable old Man -- seeks admission. admitted.

536. Catharine McWilliams: aged 42 -- a Widow -- English. ChofEngl. 4 years in Canada -- called at the House for shelter -- say's she is sick and not able to earn her living. Left 20th August

537. John Lonie [Loney]: in Case 208 -- has been in the Country working at his trade, tailoring -- say's is now out of work & seeks admission, until something turns up again. Left June 25/75

Friday. 14th August 1874.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. E.H. Rutherford.

538. David Gustard: aged 75. English. ChofEngland -- 15 years in Toronto -- past work -- seeks admission -- To see Doctor.

539. John Lonie [Loney]: in Case 537. admitted on condition that he make himself useful at his trade.

540. Ann O'Neill: who had shelter in building for casual poor for some time -- was ordered to leave on account of her depraved manners. (was admitted in Casual ward March 31)

541. David Gustard: in Case 538, Doctor reports him a fit Case for admission. Admitted.

542. Timothy Ronan: in Case 535. left the House to live with daughter on Yonge St. Left 16th

Tuesday, 18th August. 1874

Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent.

543. James Kenny: aged 66 -- Irish, ChofEngland -- came from Hamilton last Sunday, has a small House there, and his Wife and family reside in it. Kenny is a pensioner in receipt of one shilling sterling per day -- disagreed with his Wife -- and came to Toronto to be taken care of for a time either in General Hospital or House of Industry. advised to back.

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544. Peter Cogan: 30 years of age -- Irish. ChofEngland. lived in Hamilton, but last four Months in Toronto -- injured his ribs by a fall from a scaffold -- not able to work at present -- says' was sent by the Mayor for a few days shelter. Left 30th August

Friday. 21st August. 1874.

No Committee present

545. Maria Matthews: Dorsett House, Dorsett St. A Widow -- 32 years of age -- Irish -- Chof England -- 4 Children -- boy 12, earns [dollars] 2, a week -- boy 11, girl 9 & girl 3 years old -- formerly on the books for out door relief, last winter in the States with a Brother -- had to come back to Toronto, because she could not earn a living for her Children -- seeks a little assistance from the House in the shape of bread.

Tuesday 25th August 1874.

Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

546. Michael McGuire: aged 29. Irish. R.C. Church. 13 years in the Country. Labourer -- says' is not able to work at present, on account of bad health, apparently brought on by hard drinking. had shelter in building for casual poor for some days -- allowed to remain a few days longer. Left Septbr 15/74

547. Bridget McCanly [McCanley]: Spinster -- 39 years of age -- R.C. Church. from Ireland 14 years -- has a crippled hand, and not able to earn her living in service -- no means -- seeks admission -- To see Doctor & be examined, seems to be a fit case for the incurable Institution, in the mean time to be sheltered here. Left Sept 14th

548. Ann Kelly: aged 37. Irish. ChofEngl. A Widow -- has two Children in the Orphans Home at Kingston -- sailed as Cook in a schooner named Rathbon of Napanee -- left on account of indecent behaviour from the Captain towards her -- seeks shelter until she can recover clothing & wages. Left 5th Septbr

549. Maria Matthews: in Case 545 -- Committee allowed 8 lbs bread a Week --

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Tuesday. 25th August. 1874.

550. Annie Verrall [Verral]: 82 Lumly St. Aged 33. English. ChofEngl 12 Months in the Country -- Husband a Photographer out of Employment -- 7 Children, Girl, 13. laid up with Rheumatic fever, not expected to live -- boy, 14. boy, 8. boy, 7. boy, 6. boy, 4, & the baby a boy 5 weeks old. Very respectable, & very poor. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Laurent. To have 12 lbs bread a week, & full ration of sugar, tea [etc.]

Friday. 28th August. 1874.

Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr. & Revd. D.J. Macdonnell [McDonnell, McDonell].

No Applicant's

Tuesday, 1st Septbr. 1874.

Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & N.C. Love.

551. John Blyth: in Case 670 in 1873. left the House, thinks is able to make his living by peddling.

552. Grace Langley: in Case 532, left the House.

Friday 4th Septbr. 1874.

Present. Messrs W.J. MacDonell & N.C. Love.

553. John Armstrong: aged 49. Irish. ChofEngl. A Labourer -- five years in this Country -- lately seven weeks in General Hospital -- says' is not able to work at present on account of Rheumatism, & has no means to pay for his board -- seeks shelter -- allowed to remain a few days. Left 18th.

Tuesday, 8th Septbr. 1874

No Committee present.

554. William Gibson: aged 46. Canadian. Protestant, No particular Church -- was born in the Township of Symour [Seymour] -- a Cripple on crutches -- says came to Toronto to get admission into the Poor House, because they have no such place at Symor -- had shelter for a few days -- advised to go back. No claim here -- Left 14th

555. Christina Logan: 32. Canadian. R.C. from Peterborough 3 weeks ago, has a Child, a boy, 3 Months old. seeks shelter for a few days. Left 20th

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Friday. 11th September. 1874.

Present, Revd. S.J. Boddy & E. Hobson Esqr.

556. John Murphy: aged 77. Irish. Methodist -- formerly an Inmate, See Case 340 in 1870 -- seeks admission again -- admitted on the understanding that he conduct himself in a proper manner.

Tuesday. 15th September. 1874.

No Committee present.

557. Sophia Davis [Davies]: was sent here by the Revd. Dean Grasett, for a few days shelter in building for casual poor. She was formerly an Inmate. See Case 290. It appears she was lately in General Hospital with ulceration, but left there on her own accord before any cure was affected.

558. James Johnson: aged 41. English. ChofEngl. two & a half years in Canada -- formerly in the Army 4 years & 7 Months, and when out with his Regiment in the East Indies during the Mutiny, he had one of his Eyes shot out -- consequently was discharged, with a pension of 9 pence sterling per day. Seeks admission until October, when he will receive his pension, and with that will endeavour to pay his passage back to England. Recommended by the Revd. Dean Grasett.

559. Annie Glendenning: 23. English -- ChofEngl. 5 years in the Country -- says' came from Hamilton to look for a place in Toronto -- seeks shelter in the mean time. Left 28th

Friday. 18th September. 1874

Present. J. Jacques Esqr.

560. Sophia Davis [Davies]: in Case 557. seems not a suitable Case for the House. referred to the Doctor.

561. James Johnson: in Case 558, allowed to remain until 1st of ~~August~~ October -- but if he intends to remain after that, he will have to pay his pension to the Institution.

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562. Thomas Burns: 77 Stanley St. Visitor visited & found Burns aged 67, who got a hurt & ruptured himself very badly, confined to bed, and his wife Mary Ann aged 60, and one daughter aged 13, her Mother brought her home from service to assist attending upon the father -- Irish. Roman Catholic -- Visitor would recommend sick allowance of groceries & Coal, with bread for one Month. he has been in bed for three weeks.

House of Industry, Toronto 19th Sept 1874



563. In conformity with the requirement of "the Charities Aid act" of last session I this day made an inspection of this Establishment and found it, in all its departments in the best possible condition of order and cleanliness. The dormitories on the female side of the House were particularly tidy and Comfortable in their appearance and the beds and bedding throughout the Entire Establishment, of which 100 ~~are~~ <sup>^were^</sup> made up, were found in a well Kept state, with the most commendable neatness and cleanliness everywhere apparent. Considering the class of people in the House and the difficulty of Enforcing personal cleanliness too much cannot be said in praise of the state in which both the House and its inmates were found at this visit, ~~and~~ <sup>^it^</sup> this condition of things is the more creditable to Mr. Ducketts management when <sup>^it^</sup> is Known that the supply of water is far from being sufficient and is confined to what is obt{ai}ned from one well and the roof. In an Establishment of this Kind there should be, both for domestic and sanitive purposes, an unlimited and never failing supply of water and it is very clear that that can only be obtained here ~~by~~ from the City Water Works to which source ~~he~~ I would venture to direct the attention of the Board of Management, and the City authorities who are Equally interested in the good management of this House. The {oper}ation of protection from

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fire by the placing of a tank in the roof, should al{so} receive attention at the same time.

It is also most desirable that the root cellar in the basement of the main building should be removed to the yard as neither the house n{o}r the vegetables are improved by its presence there.

The inmates in the House number today 70 of whom 41 are men 21 women and 8 children. With the exception of six who were not in the House at my visit I saw all of these inmates. Their apper{an}ce denoted that they were well cared for, they were all decently clothed and, having been present ~~at~~ when dinner was served, I can also say that they are well fed. The meal consisted of soup, boiled beef and 1/2 [pound] of bread to Each inmate the quality of all being good and wholesome.

Fifty three of the 70 inmates have been residents of the House from one year up to 20 years, and 17 were admissions of the past twelve months In addition to the internal operations of the House, which shew an average daily residence of about 87 inmates, the External operations <sup>^in the way of aid to fam{i}lies^</sup> and the relief afforded by the casual ward and the soup Kitchen are very large and Extended ~~The~~ [illegible] I will again have pleasure in reporting to Gove{rnm}nt my Entire satisfaction with the manag{emen}t of this House

J W Langmuir

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Tuesday. 22nd Septbr. 1874.

Present. A.T. McCord Esqr.

564. Edward Sawyer: 62 Hope St. occupies part of a house -- seemingly a very respectable person, a school teacher, who has only five poorly paying pupils. Has a Wife and two Children, a boy, 4. & a girl 2. Is almost destitute. English. ChofEngl. All possible aid recommended. Allowed 8 lbs bread a week, and a full ration of tea, sugar [etc.]

Friday. 25th Septbr. 1874.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

565. William Skinner: aged 79. English. ChofEngland, over 40 years in Canada -- See Case 722 in 1873. seeks admission for the winter. To see the Doctor and if a proper case to be admitted.

566. William Fitzpatrick: aged 40. English -- ChofEngland, 2 years from England -- says' is a Clerk & cannot get Employment at that. No means, seeks shelter for a few days, as he is not very well. Left Octbr 3d.

567. Sophia Davies [Davis] in Case 560, appears not to be a suitable Case for this Institution -- suffers from ulceration -- Application was made to his Worship The Mayor who Kindly gave Note for her admission into the General Hospital.

Tuesday 29th September 1874.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

568. Hatty Elizabeth Johnson: aged 19. Canadian. born in the Township of Elma & Wallace, near Listowell. seeks admission into the House -- being near her Confinement, she is more a Case for Lying in Hospital.

569. Robert Gradwell: in Case 533, left the Institution, having obtained Employment outside. Octbr 2nd

570. Robert Trevors: 50. from England, two years -- A Labourer. ChofEngl. says came lately from the States, and at present out of Employment -- seeks a few days shelter. Left Octbr 10th 1875

Friday. 2nd ~~September~~ ^Octbr^ 1874.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

571. Mary Durand: aged 78. A Widow who has been an Inmate, but left and was seen begging about the City, made application for readmission. English. ChofEngl. admitted.

572. Henry Whitehead: aged 67, English -- ChofEngland. 10 years in the Country, No settled residence -- seeks admission for a time. To see the Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted. admitted. Left Novbr 27/7{5}

573. Alexander Ruglan: says is bad with diarrhea, consequently not able to work, applied for the admission of his wife Mary who is blind -- will try himself to get into General Hospital -- Both well Known at the House -- had Out door relief for some years. Committee advised her to stay with her daughter, and she may again receive Out door relief.

Tuesday, 6th ~~September~~ ^Octbr^ 1874

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants

Friday, 9th October 1874.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

575. Robert Thomas: 189 Ontario St. applied for fuel. Revd. Mr. R. Baldwin visited the man but does not like appearances. might have some bread for this week.

576. Ellen Cooper: 58. Irish. R.C. Church. A Cripple, seeks admission, was formerly an Inmate, see Case 874 in 1871. admitted, with the understanding that she behave herself properly, if not, she will have to leave the House.

577. Honora Gillon: in Case 515. left the House on her own account. says' is too far away from the Church, & during winter not able to get there, will take a little room nearer to it.

578. Elisa Waters: aged 40. Widow. Irish. Roman Catholic -- 9 years in Toronto -- says is not very strong, and out of a situation at present -- seeks shelter for a time.

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Tuesday, 13th October. 1874.

Present, J. Mc. Bain [McBean] Esqr.

579. Mary Flower: 30 Elenor St. applied for relief, to have a loaf of bread for the present, and to be visited.

580. John Blyth: in Case 551, applied for readmission -- The old man leaves the House for a few days & is sure to come back again, as he cannot make enough to pay for his board, all he can earn goes for drink. To be admitted, but must confine himself to the House and not allowed to go out excepting on Sundays.

581. James McPherson: aged 40. Scotch. ChofEngland. 10 years in Toronto -- worked about for his board in Saloons and boarding houses -- at present out of Employment, seeks shelter for a time -- says he is not very strong & was sent by the Mayor.

Friday, 16th October, 1874.

Present J. Mc. Bain [McBean] Esqr.

582. Joseph Parrot [Parrett]: in Case 468 -- Visitor recommends some bread & Groceries as he is ill, and also an allowance of Coal because of this sickness. They have 4 Children, the eldest under 7 years & the youngest about one year. To have bread & groceries, but no Coal at present.

Tuesday, 20th October, 1874.

Present, R. Gilmor Esqr. & E Hobson Esqr.

583. Hugh Matthieson [Mattheson]: in Case 451, applied for readmission. admitted. Lef August 10/75

584. Elisa Waters: in Case 578, was advised to go to service, allowed to stay a few days longer to enable her to look for a place. Left Novbr 1/74

585. Joseph Moulton: 51. English. Chof England. Machinist -- lately from Hamilton, but lived in the States for eleven years -- says that he made application to the Mayor for admission into the General Hospital on account of swimming in the head, The Mayor he says, advised him to go to House of Industry and try to get shelter for a few days, which would do as well as being sent to General Hospital. Committee will allow Moulton to remain in building for casual poor & to see the Doctor. Left 28th Octbr 74

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Friday, 23d October 1874

Present, Revd. Mr. Givens [Givins], Mr. R. Gilmor & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. Rowsell

586. Isaac Fisk: 41 Robinson St. aged 54. English. Chof England. Wife and 2 Children -- Emigrants, not long in the Country -- came from Collingwood last -- Fisk is ill at present. Recommended for temporary relief -- To have full allowance of groceries & some bread.

587. Mary Duke: formerly an Inmate, made application for readmission -- See Case 160 in 1873. admitted.

Tuesday. October 27th 1874.

Present, S. Rogers Esqr.

588. Mary Flower: in Case 579. aged 55. English. Methodist. 3 years from England, lived in Montreal, and came to Toronto July last. Husband not able to work at present -- to have a casual loaf.

589. James McPherson: in Case 581, allowed to stay a few days longer to give him a chance to look for a place.

Friday. Octbr 30th 1874.

Present. S. Rogers Esqr.

590. Ann Ryan: 14. Canadian, born in Toronto -- Presbyterian. says' is out of place seeks shelter for a time. Left Novbr 5th, R.C.

Tuesday. 3d Novbr 1874.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Revd. Mr. Broughall

591. Hanastatia Hanton: 12 Dummer St. aged 58. A Widow. R.C. Irish. has been an out door pensioner during winter Months for some years, applied again for the same relief as in former years -- to have 4 lbs bread a week for the present.

592. Philip McQuinn [McQuin]: aged 50. Irish. R.C. says' has been 3 years in the States, & 3 days in Toronto, says' his foot is sore & he is not able to work -- seems to be a loafing miserable f{o}llow -- To have shelter in building for casual poor & see the doctor. Left 10 Novbr 74

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Friday. 6th November 1874.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Revd. Mr. Broughall.

593. Maria Clark: in a Lane off Carlton St. East of Church St. Husband in Gael -- Visitor visited and made enquiries amongst the neighbours, who all agree, that the Clarks are a drunken worthless lot. had relief from the House for some years -- See Case 772 in 1873.

594. Mary Ann Shortland: aged 21. English. ChofEngland. Emigrant. 12 Months out. says her husband who was a carver in wood, died in Montreal, while she was at Oshawa working at the Straw-works -- came to Toronto last March -- has a young Child, William Thomas, 5 Months old, and blind. The poor Woman & the blind Child, were recommended for a few weeks admission by the Hon. G.W. Allan in whose district they lodged with another poor family who cannot afford to Keep them any longer. Admitted.

Tuesday. 10th November 1874.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

595. John Bunton: 76. English. ChofEngland -- 10 years in Toronto -- worked for the Corporation, is not able to do so any longer -- seeks admission -- admitted.

596. Michael Furlong: in Case 483. applied again for admission -- Mr. Hobson will see Revd. Mr. Laurent before admitting Furlong.

Friday. 13th November, 1874.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. E. Baldwin.

597. Michael Furlong: in Case 596. brought a Note from Revd. Mr. Laurent, pledging himself to that Gentleman to abstain from strong drink, and to conduct himself in a proper manner. admitted on those terms.

598. Elizabeth Bromhall [Broomhall]: 70 years of age -- A Widow. English. ChofEngl. 30 years in Canada -- used to beg about for years, had also outdoor relief from this Institution. Came for shelter, would like to be admitted as an Inmate. she is a very dirty old woman afflicted with some disease, and the stench about her is unbearable.

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Tuesday, 17th November. 1874.

Present. Revd. J.M. Laurent.

599. James [John] Farrell: in Case 521, applied for readmission, says, he has taken the pledge, and will drink no more -- admitted on those conditions, Aged. 51. Cripple. Irish. Presbyt.

600. Margaret Eaton: a Widow, say 79 years of age. Irish. Methodist. has been for many years an Out door pensioner of this House -- would like to become an Inmate, if sure, the diet, and other arrangements would prove satisfactory. To see the doctor, and if a proper Case to be admitted.

601. Margaret Wort{h}: head of Brunswick Avenue, Husband ~~has~~ has been ill 8 weeks with inflammation of the Kidnies and subsequently typhoid fever, and is now in a very critical state -- There are 3 other Children ill with the fever, and the Mother has been confined only 6 weeks. They are (as may be supposed) in a very sad state. 6 years in Canada, about a year in Toronto -- English. Bible Christian -- 5 Children, all girls, 16. 11. 4. 2 1/2 and 6 weeks old. Recommended to have a full ration of Groceries, and 8 lbs of bread a Week for one Month.

602. Ellen Kennedy: aged 27. Irish. ChofEngland -- says has been two years out in this Country -- partly in Montreal & Buffalo, & came last night to Toronto -- being out of place, no Money, & a stranger, she came here to ask shelter until she can get a place. Left Novbr 25th

Friday. 20th Novbr 1874.

Present, Revd. J.M. Laurent.

603. John Francis Pearson: Lane back of Curries Foundry, Esplanade, entrance from stone yard, up stairs. -- Has been ill of typhoid fever 7 Weeks, under care of Doctor Wright. -- Wife, Sarah Ann; -- Children, --



Charley 4: -- John 3; -- Gertrude 10 days. -- 3 years in Canada, English. Ch. of England. Recommended to have 6 lbs bread a Week & usual allowance in case of sickness.

604. John Cavanagh: No 11 Vine St. South off South Park St. to have a loaf of bread for the present, & be visited.

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605. Robert Pearson: aged 39. Native of Ireland -- ChofEngland. 30 years in Canada, most of the time in Toronto. A druggist -- Not in very good health at present -- out of Employment & No Means. Seeks admission for a time. Admitted, after examination by the Doctor.

606. Rachel Johnson: rear 18 Muter St. Has been in the Country from England a little more than a year, & 6 weeks in Toronto. Husband cannot get work in his own calling, and is obliged to work at shoemaking by which he cannot make a livelihood. Badly in want of fuel. Has been obliged to pawn several articles from the House. one boy aged 12. Husband is a very delicate man. They seem very poor but respectable & deserving. English. Congregationalist. Recommended for aid for a time.

607. Charlotte Allan: Corner of Oxford & Lippincot St. Arrived from England last June. Husband is a Ship-carpenter, but failing to get employment has gone to New York. The family are wholly unprovided for, 3 Children, eldest 9 a girl, 4 a girl, & 7 a girl. Visitor recommends relief to be given them.

Tuesday 24th November 1874.

Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

608. Agnes Adams: says is 88 years of age -- A Widow -- Irish -- ChofEngland, 32 years in Toronto -- An old Out door Pensioner of this for some years past. seeks admission -- Miss Gamble made a verbal application on her behalf. referred to Doctor and if nothing i{n}fectious about her to be admitted.

609. Susan Bennett: 54. English. ChofEngland. 2 Months in Toronto, 10 years in Brantford previously from Montreal. seems to be of a weak mind -- was brought here by Mrs. Harrison who has only Known her for a few days. Not a Case for admission according to the rules of the By-Laws, advised to try the incurable institution

610. James Hamilton: aged 52. Irish. ChofEngland. 33 years in Toronto -- a Shoemaker by trade -- says' has not been in very good health, & now out of Employment. seeks admission until next spring, & will make himself useful at his trade. admitted.

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Tuesday. 24th November. 1874.

611. Mary Moore: aged 19. Native of New-York -- came to New-London with her Mother when only 3 years of age. The Mother died since -- Step Father lives there still. Mary got acquainted with a Man Named William Kennedy, who was at one time a printer in the Globe office, Toronto. Joined the Manatoba Police & has gone away & left her in trouble, she went to Hamilton & was there confined in the Lying in Hospital of a boy now four weeks old. Came here last night for shelter, says' she went to the Mayor and asked for a pass to take her back to London but was refused, and told to call at the House of Industry Committee advise her to call on the Mayor again, explain her Case, & say, if his Worship would grant a pass for half fare, the House will pay the other half. Methodist Left Novbr 30th

612. Susanna Pooler: 94 Victoria St. 76 years old -- one daughter 21, who goes out to clean Offices -- ChofEngl. Recommended 6 lbs Bread a week & Coal when given out, & a little tea & sugar --

613. Mary Flower: 30 Elenor St. Husband has been afflicted with abscesses for some time & is quite unable to work. A son who was the chief support of his parents is now out of employment, & is the only Child at home with his parents. She could do some needle work, but cannot find occupation. Is English, has been in Toronto since July -- Weslyans. Seem very deserving people and aid is recommended.

614. Sophia Powell: 31 Ceder St. Lives in rear, in the summer Kitchen of a friend. Has no family, is a Charwomen, and was out at work when Visitor called -- seems to get a fair share of Employment, Visitor does not see that there is an particular need of assisting her just now. Possibly in the cold weather she might have a little coal. Is English.

615. John Cavanagh: 11 Vine St. -- Wife Bridget, not in -- was born in Toronto: lived with Mrs. King, & Mrs. Crawford, is a Native of Ireland, the Husband is -- but has been many years in Canada -- lost his right arm in a saw mill in Bytown, spent last Winter in Brockville: has 2 Children, Sarah aged 7 years -- John 5, -- Roman Catholics. Recommended 6 lbs of Bread.

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Present. W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

616. Margaret Towhy: Lane rear 221 Seaton St. Has left and gone to service.

617. Sarah Bright: aged 76. A Nova Scotian. ChofEngland. Widow of the late Robert Bright, Butcher, an old resident of Toronto. Says she has no means of supporting herself. Seeks admission into the House. Admitted on the terms that she make herself agreeable to other inmates, and useful as far as able to the Institution. Left April 25/75.

618. Elisa McKewan: 53 George St. Widow for many years. From County of Monaghan, Ireland. 15 years in Toronto. Sells fish, [etc.] but cant do much work, owing to imperfect sight. Had a son named Patrick, in or about Chicago, has not heard from him since the great fire in that City. Roman Catholic. Recommended coal when distributed.

619. George Beavor: 54. Native of Ireland. Tramps about the country, and turns up here for shelter at times. Has been here again since Novbr. 10th. Left this morning.

620. Elizabeth Robertson: aged 23. English. ChofEngl. 2 Months out from England. Says she took a drop too much, and consequently was sent to Gael for a Month. Apparently in the meantime her husband cleared out, as he cannot be found where they used to lodge, nor can the people inform her where he has gone to.

621. Jane Johnson: 29. Scotch. Presbyt. 12 years out. Says came from Goderich this fall, looking for a place, but the same old story, took a drop too much, was taken up, and sent to Gael for a month. Johnson (who is an old acquaintance see case 516 in 1873), and Robertson the above case, came this morning out of Gael, and have nowhere to go to. They brought a note from the Rev. Mr. Grene [Green], recommending them for shelter, both promises to do better, and will try to get into service.

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Tuesday, 1st December 1874

Present: N. Love Esqr

622. Ann Biggins: 317 Queen St. East. 57 years old. 3 children, two of them sickly, boy 19, girl 17, boy 15. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. of bread a week recommended and coal when given out.

623. Maria Dinwiddie: rear 317 Queen St. East. 32 years old. Husband, carpenter, sickly, 32 years old. 3 Children, girl 11, Boy 9 & girl 5 years. English. ChofEngl. to have 8 lbs. bread a week & coals when given out.

624. Thomas Waters: 18, English, ChofEngl. 2 years in the country. all the time in St. Catharines, excepting for the last week in Toronto. says has Rheumatism, and takes fits. Seeks admission. To see the Doctor & allowed to remain a few days in building for casual poor, and then try to get back to St. Catharines, or go to work.

625. James Corcoran: 18. English. ChofEngl. 9 years in the country. says has a sprained ankle. seeks a few days shelter. allowed to remain in building for casual poor for a few days & see the Doctor.

626. Elizabeth Robertson: in Case 620 and

627. Jane Johnson: in Case 621, allowed shelter for another night but must find a place or go to service after that, as they are both young and able to do so. Left Debr. 3rd.

628. Alfred Morse: rear of 19 Elizabeth St. Married. English. ChofEngl. 32 years of age. 4 children, girls 6 & 3, boys 4 & 2 years of age. This family arrived from England four months ago. at present employed as Night Watchman at the St. James' Hotel. himself and family have been ill for some time since they arrived. They appear clean respectable people, and Visitor would recommend coal when given out.

629: William Soul: 14 Haggerman St. English. Baptist Church. Married. 36 years of age. 2 children, girl 5 & boy 1 year of age. Soul is bad with disease of the heart, has not been able to work for eight months past. The wife appears an industrious woman. Visitor recommends 6 lbs. bread a week, and coal when given out. To see Doctor.

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Tuesday, 1st Decbr. 1874

630. Mary Calvert "says" she is about 38 years of age, and a widow, Canadian, ChofEngl. came from Weston today with her four children, Charles, 8, John, 5, George, 3 & James 18 months old. che tried to get them into some of the public Institutions but did not succeed. Came here for shelter. Said she lost her husband five weeks ago at Weston, they lived there many years, and all her children were born there. The Reeve & Council will not assist her in the least, although she has applied for relief frequently, was always refused.

631. William Soul: Case 629. Doctor examined and states that the man is weak and debilitated, but has no disease.

632. James Corcoran: in case 625. Doctor states Corcoran just appears a little weak but not severely.

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Present, Messrs. N.C. Love & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

633. Ann Bain: rear of 21 Dummer St. a poor woman, having a small boy 5 years old. Not able to get work. Widow. Irish. R.C.

634. Mary Grace: rear of 21 Dummer St. Irish. R.C. Old woman deserted by her husband, not able to do much work. Bread and coal recommended when given out.

635. Mary Nolan: 28 Dummer St. A loane old widow. Irish. R.C. Recommended to have 4 lbs. bread a week & coal alternately with

636. Jane Gleeson: whose door she uses. Mrs. Gleeson is old and not able to work & her husband is old and sickly, and hardly able to walk. To have 4 lbs. bread a week.

637. Letitia Potter: English. English church. Husband a sickly man not able to do much work. They have 3 children, girls. Seem very poor. Visitor thinks they should have bread and coal. The woman herself does not know the moment she may be confined. Should also have a little sugar, tea, [etc.]

638. Susan Berry: 100 Boulton St. requests a continuation of coal as formerly, she is not able to go for bread herself.

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639. Caroline Barker: rear 140 Richmond St. West. English. ChofEngl. Husband 3 months dead. Suffering now herself with inflammation in the eyes, etc. She goes out to wash & scrub when she is able, and can get it to do. Seems much in need. Has four children, a boy 19, who is learning the baking trade, a boy 15, a boy 13 & a girl 11 years of age. Recommended for bread & coal.

640. Mary Alcock: 100 Boulton St. English. Chof England. A widow with one small child. Charwoman when she can get it to do. would like to be employed. In the past she had to pay 20 [cents] per day, for the keeping of her child when employed. Has an exceedingly small room for which she pays [dollars] 2.00 per month. She also seems very poor. Visitor thinks she should have bread and coal.

641. Mary Stone: in rear of 34 Richmond St. west. Irish. R.C. She does not live with her husband. Rents a very small place, for which she pays four dollars a month to Mr. Smith, preferring to be alone. She is a sober industrious well behaved woman, and visitor thinks she should have coal to encourage her in her industrious habits.

642. Lucy Curry: 67 Victoria St. Native of Ireland. English church. Aged 30 years. Husband left her, one child a girl 8 years. Has had help in previous years. Appears industrious, goes out to wash, etc. Recommended to have coal and bread.

643. Mary Ann Henry: No. 42 Jarvis St. Widow, aged 48 years, one son who has left her. Cannot do much for her own support having sore eyes. Recommended for coal & a bag of flour.

644. Ann Mack: No. 94 Richmond St. East. Widow, aged 53 years. A Native of Ireland. Chof England. Has four children, 3 sons, aged 23 years, 19 years & 13 years, and a daughter 13 years. It appears there must

be something wrong as the two oldest sons are able to work. Visitor cannot recommend any assistance to this family.

645. Ellen Thompson: rear 93 Jarvis St. Not in when visitor called.

646. Mary McAllister: 119 Jarvis St. Has left there.

647. Margaret Gale: 108 George St. Not living there.

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648. James Corcoran: in Case 632 to leave the place.

649. David Wilkinson: 35. Irish. ChofEngl. Says has been 7 years in the country. came from Hamilton 3 weeks ago. applied to day to the Mayor, who sent him up here. Wilkinson is paralysed on the left side, caused by a fall from a building in Montreal five years ago.

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650. Mary McAllister: 97 George St. A widow 38 years old, one boy 13 years old. Makes a living by washing & scrubbing. Chof England. 6 lbs. bread & coal recommended.

651. Margaret Gale: 97 George St. 78 years old in bed, not able to help herself. 4 lbs. bread & Coal, a little sugar, tea, [etc.]

652. Bridget Burns: 50 Duchess St. 60 years old. Not able to work. R.C. Irish. 4 lbs. bread & coal.

653. Catharine Evans: 27 Dalhousie St. Widow, whos [whose] husband died last August, her age is 30 years. A Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic. Has 4 children, one girl 6 years, 3 boys 5, 4 & 12 years of age. cleans an office and would like to go out to work if she could, but having no person to take care of her children she cannot do so. appears industrious and clean but very destitute. Visitor would recommend coal & bread. Oatmeal & rice if the committee approve.

654. Sarah McGregor: 5 Church St. near the Wharf. Lived latterly in Alice St. Widow, 26 years of John a weaver. 23 years in Toronto. Says she is 87 years old. Chof England. No children or friends. from Ireland. Is now in receipt of bread. Visitor recommends coal when distributed.

655. Mary Hickling: 104 Robinson St. Badly off last week as her husband was away, but now does not need aid as he has returned and is in work.

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656. Sarah Elliott: 133 Lumley St. Not in when visitor called. Learned from a next door neighbour that she had a couple of rooms from a friend, and that she seemed to be in much the same condition with her two children as last year.

657. Ann Boyle: a deserving old party without a family. Aid recommended as last year. Monk St., formerly 21 Hackney.

658. Dora Walsh: 520 Bathurst St. No such address. Visitor could learn nothing about her.

659. Mary Peacock: 52 Ceder St. Husband a labourer. Hurt himself in the chest and can't do much work, earns a little by sawing wood and when [dollars] 4 a month rent is paid he has little towards maintaining his family. 4 children, the eldest 9 years old. a small & uncomfortable house poorly built. English. Chof England. usual aid recommended.

660. Jane Turner: 593 Bathurst St. Husband is a shoemaker. was out of work 3 months, and then got laid up with a bad leg, which confines him to bed. 4 Children, eldest 8 years. English. Bread & Coal allowed, also an allowance of groceries. 1200 lbs. Coal at once.

661. William Barns: No. 5 in a lane off Renfrew St. ChofEngland. 4 children, 3 boys, 13, 11, & 8 years old, and a girl 6 years old. very poor, the man cannot get work, and the woman is sickly and can hardly walk. Bread and coal recommended.

662. Margaret Slattery: 26 Dummer St. R.C. Irish. One little girl 8 years old. She cannot work. Bread and coal recommended.

663. Mary Wilkinson: 48 Dummer St. She was out when visitor called but she is well known. Has two children. Visitor would recommend bread & coal.

664. Mary Hull: 20 Dummer St. Visitor could not find her.

665. Catharine Hardiman: 6 Renfrew St. Could not be found.

666. Margaret Watson: 48 Dummer St. Could not be found.

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667. Mary Ann Brown: 102 Boulton St. English. Chof England. came to this country 5 years since, she is a Laundress, but can't get now more than one day's work in the week. She is thirty years of age. David Brown her husband is forty years of age. Is a soft stone cutter by trade, but they say not able to work, having been injured in the back by a fall more than two years ago in Buffalo, however he has no appearance of sickness about him. How the wretched appearance of poverty in their small place originated Visitor does not know. They have neither stove or fireplace in their room, and of course no fire. Mrs. Brown says a Lady has promised to assist her in getting a stove. Visitor thinks they should have coal and bread.

668. Ann Lloyd: 102 Boulton St. Irish. Methodist Church. she is not sure of her age, but thinks she is over sixty. Seems very poor, she is not able to have any fire in her small room until she gets the coal from the House of Industry. Has neither husband or children alive. tried to make a little money in the summer time with a basket & small quantity of fruit. Receives bread. Visitor recommends coal.

669. Margaret Binns: rear 144 Centre St. English. Methodist. Married. 30 years of age. 6 children, boy 2. girls 9. 5. 4. 3 & 1 years of age. she is near her confinement. Husband an Umbrella Maker. They arrived from England 15 months ago, worked at Dundas for some months, then came to Toronto with a promise [promise] of constant work, but for some months passed had very little employment. To have 12 lbs. of bread a week, with double allowance of coal for first month, and full ration of groceries on account of confinement.

670. David Wilkinson: in case 649 to be admitted. Left Jany. 10/75.

671. William Walsh: 68, Irish. Chof England. Two years in Canada, in Toronto since last March. says has a daughter in General Hospital. His hands are crippled with Rheumatism. No means to support himself. seeks shelter for a few days.

672. Ann Quinn: a widow. Irish. ChofEngl. 76 years of age. 20 years in Toronto, now past work, seeks admission. Admitted.

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Present. Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Thom

673. Johanna McDonnell: rear 93 Jarvis St. 60 years old, not able to work, was in the House of Providence. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. of bread and coal.

674. Ellen Thompson: 93 Jarvis St. 75 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread a week & Coal recommended.

675. Honora Boyle: 117 Jarvis St. 74 years old. Not able to work. Irish. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & coal & a little tea & sugar.

676. Margaret Watson: 48 Dummer St. old woman not able to work. her husband is in the House of Industry. Visitor recommends bread and Coal.

677. Mary Hull: 50 Dummer St. she has two children, a girl 22 years working out, and a boy 13 years learning a trade. she is hardly able to walk. Bread and Coal recommended.

678. Johanna Hanrahan: a very sickly old woman not able to work. Lives in the rear of No. 1 Dummer St. Bread & Coal recommended.

679. Mary Maher: rear of 210 Queen St. west, above. not able to work, very poor. Irish. R.C. bread & Coal recommended.

680. Sarah Freeman: in rear of 169 Queen St. west. Irish. ChofEngl. she don't know her age. is an old woman, husband dead. two sons, the youngest silly, the eldest in the country. Mrs. Freeman is rather deaf. Visitor thinks she needs Coal & bread.

681. Mary Maroney: 23 on a Lane opposite Ritchys Terrace, Adelaide St. west. Irish. R.C. does not know her age. thinks she is about 60. Husband dead. No family of her own. Mrs. Maloneys son's widow lives with her, and has been sick in bed four weeks, with inflammation on the lungs, thinks she won't live long. 3 small children, belonging to the son's wife, boys 4 & 2, and a girl 5 years of age. Coal and bread recommended. Committee allowed 10 lbs. bread a week, a double allowance of coal and groceries, on account of sickness.

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Present, Messrs. N. C. Love & J. Jacques

682. Charles Mason: 13 Ontario St. Husband and wife. No children. Very old people. Husband works for the Corporation during the summer months, and so manage to pay their rent. Their case will be found reported upon in previous years. Visitor recommends them for bread for two Months and Coal 3 times.

683. Mary Davidson: formerly living at No. 335 Queen St. East, but now removed to a lane south of Queen St. An old widow woman, one daughter works in the Tobacco factory [etc.] helps to pay her Mother's rent. Visitor recommends Mrs. Davidson for a loaf of bread, & coal three times. No. 25 St. Paul St.

684. Elizabeth Russell: 508 King St. East. Widow, with four children, all young. Is now receiving bread from the House. Has a brother in law boarding with her who helps to pay her rent. Visitor thinks she is an industrious hard working woman. would allow Coals 3 times.

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685. Margaret Gartland: rear of 17 1/2 Renfrew St. sickly, having a girl 17 years old, but no work. Irish. R.C. Bread & Coal recommended.

686. Ann Heenan: 80 Dummer St. Living with her Sister. both sickly, cannot do much. Recommended for bread & coal. Irish. R.C.

687. Fanny White: rear of 80 Dummer St. she was out when Visitor called, but was told she has 4 Children, two boys, one 19, and the other 6 years old, and two girls 12, and 9 years old. Bread & Coal recommended. R.C.

688. Bridget Fahey: rear of 26 Dummer St. She was out when Visitor called, but believes she has four children, two boys, one 15, the other 8 years old, two girls, 14 & 6 years old. The oldest girl is sick. Irish. R.C. Bread and coal recommended.

689. Ellen Collins: 6 Dummer St. 4 children. she was also out when visitor called. two girls, 19 & 16, working out. two boys one 13, the other 11 years old. Visitor did not see Mrs. Collins & therefore cannot tell what assistance she needs. Committee questioned, and learned that Mrs. Collins and her children earn [dollars] 5.50 per week. They granted coal, but on account of the woman's impertinence withdrew the grant.

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690. Catharine McKew: 40 Stanley St. A widow aged 75 years. Blind & Bedridden. A Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic. has one daughter living with her aged 40 years, who is sickly and not able to work. They live in the upper part of the House, occupied by a Mrs. McMullen, a widow, daughter of the above, with four children. Visitor would recommend Bread, Coal, and a supply of Groceries for the old woman.

691. Ellen O'Brien: 10 Duchess St. 30 years old, a widow. 3 Children, one boy & two girls. Washes & scrubs when she can. was lying in bed very sick. Irish. R.C. 8 lbs. bread and coal recommended.

692. Mary Mandeville: 114 George St. 38 years old. Widow. 4 children. 2 boys & 2 girls. earns her living by washing & scrubbing. Irish. R.C. 8 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

693. Margt. Wells: 23 Adelaide St. west. Must have given the wrong number, as Mr. Alex. Stewart owns, and lives in 23 Adelaide St. W.

694. Fanny {blank}: at Mrs. Cleggs' 151 Queen St. West. Mrs. Clegg says she is supplied with everything she needs by the Ladies of St. Georges Church. Only if the Committee would allow coal & send it, as she is to ill to apply at the House herself. Sent 600 lbs. coal.

695. Ann Sullivan: 123 Adelaide St. west. Irish. R.C. Was out working when the visitor called. her daughter a Married woman, said she taught [thought] her Mothers age was between 50 & 60. they have

5 Sons, 9. 7. 6. the other two quite young children. The Husband is a labourer, not able to work just now. might have coal & bread. The woman is 42 years of age, instead of 50 or 60.

696. Margaret Brown: Widow. Dorset House. English. ChofEngl. 4 children. 3 boys, aged 9, 7 & 2 and a girl 5 years old. Goes out to wash, [etc.] when she gets it to do. Coal and bread recommended.

697. Margaret Clough: A Widow. Dorset House. English. ChofEngl. Is not able to work much herself, troubled with Erysipelas in the head. her daughter 16 years old works when she can get it to do. Visitor thinks they might have Coal & bread.

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698. Julia Sheridan: Dorset House. Irish. Canadian. R.C. her husband, French Canadian has been afflicted as well as herself. They seem poor. Bread & Coal recommended.

699. Essy Watson: 393 King St. East. Wife of Robert, a baker, who left for New York some 7 years ago and has not been heard of since. Came from Montreal where she was well off, about 3 Months ago, with her son in law, Wm. O'Neill, a baker. lives with him. he is out of Employment. She is 30 odd years in Canada from Ireland. ChofEngland. Visitor hardly knows what to advise in this case, but thinks 6 lbs. bread per week might be allowed for the present, and Coal once.

700. Sarah Lockhart: 43 South Park St. was not in when visitor called. Committee allowed 4 lbs. bread & Coal for the present.

701. Mary Healy: 43 Bishop Street. Her husband lives upstairs with the notorious Pettigrews, and having had a row she came down on Saturday night to take up her quarters with another inmate of the House. Visitor cannot recommend aid.

702. Annie Verrall: 140 Terauley St. Her husband not being able to get Employment here, has returned to England. She has 6 children, the oldest boy being 15 years, is in the Dominion Telegraph Office with small wages. There is a baby 5 months old, and they have no means of Livelihood and are in a very bad way. assistance recommended.

703. Rebecca Marsh: 141 Vanauley St. a very respectable Widow, with one girl, who finds it difficult to get along. English. Visitor recommends that coal for the winter be sent her all at once, without employing the ordinary Carts. (1200 lbs.)

204. Susan Dewe: College St. second door west of St. Stephens Church. Her husband cannot get employment or work of any kind. Is very respectable, a Miller in the old country. She is willing to go out working, but cannot do so owing to her children of whom she has two, one 3 years of age, the other six Months. Coal recommended, to be sent at once.

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705. Catharine Billinghurst: 60 Hope St. now in receipt of bread, wants wood, but will take coal if she can't get the former.

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706. James English: No. 3 first lane west of Givins St. A labourer out of work and can't get any. His wife has been confined only 5 days and is about the house which is a cold miserable place. There are 5 children, the eldest being 7 years of age. They are only 9 Months from England. Bread, Coal, and groceries recommended.

707. Margaret Virgin: Lippincot St. west side 4th door from College St. She and her husband are both in delicate health. Coal recommended as she has bread already.

708. Ann Mulqueeney: 51 Maple Lane, an old case. Coal allowed as heretofore.

709. Ann Scholes: 38 Baldwin St. Her husband is in delicate health and cannot work regularly, losing [losing] thereby a great deal of time. There are 6 children at home. Visitor recommends bread, she says she will be content with that.

710. Isabella Weir: 31 Avenue Lane. Canadian. ChofEngl. A widow, 40 years of age. very bad leg unable to walk without crutches. 6 children, boy 18, a painter, ears [dollars] 5 a week, boy 12 in a drug store at [dollars] 4 a week, boy 7, boy 4, a girl 13, at present out at Service & a girl 3 years of age. appears a clean respectable woman. Recommends for coal, soup & 10 lbs. bread a week.

711. Mary Sargent: 217 Elizabeth St. a spinster aged 60. Irish. Chof England. An old out door Pensioner of many years standing. To have 1200 lbs. coal. crippled with Rheumatism.

712. Catharine Davis: rear of 126 Chesnut Street. Irish. R.C. Widow. 70 years of age. one Son married, unable to do anything for his Mother. The old lady seems to be an industrious person, not able to do much for a living on account of age. Coal & 4 lbs. bread recommended.

713. Maria Day: rear of 110 Terauly St. was not at home when visitor called. learnt that she goes out nursing. her statement is to be taken when she calls at the House.

714. Bridget Efferson: 105 Centre St. see former report. to have the same as last year.

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715. Bridget Latcham: 46 Elizabeth St. was not at home when Visitor called, but was informed by the Land lady that Mrs. Latcham was a widow in bad health, and has one child. Particulars to be taken when she calls at the House.

716. Mary O'Neill: rear of 140 Jarvis St. Widow, aged 38 years. A Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. Washerwoman. has two daughters, one aged 15 years, who goes out to sew, and one 10 years at School. appears very cleanly & industrious. Visitor would recommend Coal.

717. Robert Craig: 45. Irish. Presbyterian. Labourer. 20 years in the country. from Ottawa last. had shelter for some days in building for casual poor. say's has the ague, asks to be allowed to stay on for a week or two until better. Left Debr. 30th.

718. John Clifford: 29. Irish. ChofEngl. Plasterer. 8 years in the country from St. Thomas last. has been a casual for some days. swelled feet caused by Rheumatism. begs to be allowed to stay until able to work.

719. James Heathrington: 35. Canadian, born in Kingston. Methodist. Labourer. Was a casual for some nights. went in the country to look for work, and came back with his toes badly frozen.

720. Peter McLaughlan: 64. Scotch. Presbyterian. 22 years in Toronto. has five sons, all away in the States, and his wife at present in the small Pox Hospital. The old man is destitute & has no where to lodge. Seeks admission. say's was sent by Mr. Coatsworth.

721. Rachel Myers: 23. German. In New York since a child. Protestant. Two children with her, boys, 5 years & 10 weeks old. Husband a pedler came to Toronto some Months ago and recently sent his wife [dollars] 7 to pay fare for herself and Children to Toronto, and he would meet them at the Western depot, or Meyers' Hotel. When she arrived about a week since, she neither found him at the depot, or the Hotel, the latter place he had left some 8 days before her arrival. She spent her means, and applied to the Mayor, who advised her to come to the House of Industry where she might stay for a few days, and perhaps hear tidings from her husband, as enquiries will be made for him.

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Present. Messrs. E. Hobson, J. Jacques & W.J. MacDonell

722. Elizabeth Heatherly: 27 Monk St. The husband is a sailor & in the fall lost employment owing to the sickness of two daughters who were ill from typhoid fever. The Mother was laid up for some time also & he is out of work. Visitor knows the case well. There are five children at home, and Visitor would recommend Coal [etc.] as soon as possible. Scotch.

723. Ann Currie: 177 Spadina Avenue. Out working when Visitor called. A widow with 3 children, the oldest of whom is 10 years. Washes & does char work for a living. The little girl at home could give scant information. apparently deserving. House clean & tidy. left to Committee.

724. Margaret Harrington: 73 High St. out when Visitor called. learned from next door neighbour that her husband is a well-cleaner, and now gets little work to do. Besides he has a sore leg, and they are very poorly off. The Mother works at char-work when she can get employment. Two children at home. Aid recommended.

725. Emma Webb: 152 Huron St. Married. 34. English. ChofEngl. Husband a plasterer. 5 children. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. coal now & 600 lbs. later in the winter.

726. Rebecca Davis: Garrison St. North side, 6th door from Niagara St. English. ChofEngland. has been in Toronto since August 1873. Her husband is a shoemaker but being in very poor health is able to do very little work. 2 children, girls 12 & 15 years of age. Seem worthy people and certainly are in need of assistance. Coal & bread recommended.

727. Catharine Hardiman: rear of 68 Dummer St. One Child, a girl 7 years old. Husband not able to work. Recommended for bread & Coal. Husband to see Doctor.

728. Ellen Freeman: rear of 26 Dummer St. has 3 boys at home, 12, 9, & 7 years old. Widow, a cripple not able to work & poor. Bread & Coal.

729. Mary Tyrrell: 22 Renfrew St. hardly able to walk, she has only one boy 13 years old, who is a cripple, having only one leg. Bread & Coal recommended.

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730. Catharine McNulty: rear of 27 1/2 Renfrew St. Old woman not able to work. she has a daughter helping her a little. Bread & Coal recommended.

731. Bridget Mularky: 117 Jarvis St. 50 years old. Working in a Tobacco factory. Irish. R.C. Coal recommended.

732. Ellen Courtney: rear 119 Jarvis St. 64 years old. Husband 80 years, not able to work. Irish. R.C. 6 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

733. Ellen Rutherford: 85 Sherborne St. 75 years old. living by selling apples [etc.] in Summer. Widow. Irish. R.C. Coal & bread.



734. Ann Boles: 49 Emma St. Married. 56. Native of South Carolina. Coloured. Husband a whitewasher in bad health. Has her Mother who is 89 years of age, and a daughter 13, living with her. Methodist. To have 8 lbs. of bread & Coal.

735. Mary Ann Lyons: 25 Agnes St. Irish. Presbyterian Church. Married. 24 years of age. one Child, a girl 19 Months old, and again near her confinement. appears a clean respectable woman. Husband has left her in May last, does nothing for her, and has no knowledge where he is gone. Recommended for Coal and 6 lbs. bread a week, when confined, full ration, with extra coal.

736. Mary Cogan: 18 Agnes St. 50. A widow. Chof England. Irish. An industrious Charwoman. No [now] suffering from Rheumatism. To have 8 lbs. bread & 1200 lbs. coal.

737. Charlotte Quinnon: 70 Edward St. Husband a Waiter, R.C. Both young. No children. Have no right to expect assistance from this Institution.

738. Maria Irwin: rear of 200 Chesnut St. was not in when Visitor called. was informed she is a widow in good health, well able to earn her own living, with two sons, young men in full work. To have no assistance from this Institution.

739. Mary Daman: 123 Terauly St. 73. Married. Plymouth Bretheren. English. To have the same as last year. 600 lbs. coal.

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740. Elizabeth Reid: rear of 137 Centre St. 41. Married. ChofEngl. Irish. Husband an old Man past work. 5 Children. Visitor recommends the same as last year. 8 lbs. bread & Coal.

741. Isabella Philips: rear 143 Elizabeth St. Widow. Blind. ChofEngland. Irish. A crippled Son aged 29, works for the Corporation, and is the chief support of his Mother. To have the same as last year. Coal.

742. Margaret Tansey: rear 27 Elizabeth St. 74. Married. ChofEngl. Ireland. Husband an old Man has been past work for the last two years. To have the same as last year. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

743. Johanna Riley: aged she says about 40. and lives at 34 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. bad Eye sight. A Miserable looking place. No Windows, but pieces of board nailed on where the Windows should be and a hole to let the light in, she is a lodger there. A great Number were gathered around the old stove, Male and female, old & young, most miserable looking lot. she certainly looks needy enough to require Coal & bread

744. Ann Conner: 138 Richmond St. west. Irish. R.C. aged about 80. No family. Not able to call at the House. she is very infirm & in poor health. if she could have her bread on Saturdays, she could have it brought to her by a person from the same house. Coal & bread.

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745. Margaret Densmore: 151 Queen St. west. aged about 44. Widow. Irish. R.C. one son 17. 3 girls, 20, 14, & 8. the last two at home with their Mother. she had a fall and fractured her wrist, is getting better, but not able to work yet. Coal and bread recommended.

746. Catharine Stuart: 98 Jarvis St. Widow aged 59 years. a Native of Ireland. R.C. No Children. takes in washing, and goes out to work when she can get it to do. appears industrious, but very dirty rooms, for which she pays [dollars] 4 a Month. Bread & Coal recomd.

747. Catharine White: rear of 23 Queen St. Widow, age 68 years. A Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. lives with Mrs. Edmonds who got to day 600 of Coal. No children, goes out to wash. Visitor recommends bread in the mean time, as she does not require Coal till Mrs. Edmonds' is done.

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748. Catharine Carberry: rear of 23 Queen St. East. A Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. aged 33 years, has a husband same age very sickly with Consumption and not able to work, one boy 10 years old, she was out at work to day. Visitor thinks she is industrious, and her Rooms are very clean, and she should be encouraged. Recommended to have Coal and bread, and if the Committee think well a small allowance of groceries.

749. Mary Jane Davis: 90 Victoria St. Widow aged 61 years, Coloured. a Baptist, a Native of Washington U.S. Cleans clothes. a very clean thrifty old woman. Recommended for Coal, which Visitor believes she has got, & very thankful she is.

750. Johanna Hinchy: 23 Queen St. East in the rear, Visitor could not find.

751. Ann Guyatt: 40 St. David St. Husband, Wife, & 4 young Children, the eldest 7, the youngest an infant in arms. Husband labourer, out of work at present. had more or less work through the summer but was ill all last winter and a good deal in debt. and this autumn has had quinsy [inflammation of tonsils] sore throat. Visitor recommends them for bread for two Months. Coal once. then at the end at the first Months coal, the Case to be referd. to visitor again.

752. Annie Davis: 54 St. Davis St. Widow. 6 children. Keeps a small shop in front room for sale of lollipops [etc.] Eldest daughter. a girl of 16 just gone out to service at [dollars] 4 a Month and her board. Eldest boy earning [dollars] 3 a Week. second son [dollars] 2 a Week as message boys [etc.] Remaining 3 Children too young to do anything. Mrs. Davis herself does a little sewing when she can get it. Says it is doubtful whether her daughter, who has only been for a short time in service, can remain, as she is threatened with consumption. She was assisted by a friend who has been very Kind to her, in stocking her Windows, but she has very little sale for her sugar plums [etc.] Visitor thinks she might have a little bread for the Winter Months & Coal twice.

753. Caroline Spink: No. 40 St. Davids St. Not at home when Visitor called.

754. Bridget Farley: 39 Wellington St. see Case 154. Seems to be a hard working deserving person. Recommended for coal & 8 lbs. of Bread.

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755. John Lovett: Tait St. East of Cherry St. & South of Front St. Entrance by a lane a short distance East of the School house, on the corner of Cherry St. last house on Last St. at the Western end. Wife and five Children, two out of Town. Has been many years in Canada, in the lumber trade: lived in Collingwood, Brantford [etc.] Is at present much reduced and has been out of Employment for several Months. A case not easily dealt with. but Visitor thinks an allowance of Coal might be granted.

756. Sarah Lockhart: 43 South Park St. 4 years a Widow of Archibald a tinsmith. Recently from the Hospital, where she went with a broken Collerbone. Has a son Richard, living with her, aged 28, doing nothing. Was born in the Island of Shepey [Isle of Sheppey], County of Kent, England. Came from Woolwich to Toronto, 13 years ago. was at Service in a Tavern on the Corner of Victoria & Richmond St. ChofEngland. This is another Case wherein one is doubtful what to do! 6 lbs. of bread and an allowance of Coal may not be amiss for the present.

757. Bella Ward: and Child in Case 523. &

758. Mary Ann Shortland: and Child in Case 594, left the Institution together, will set up house keeping between them.

759. Grace Slavin: 19 Albert St. Irish. R.C. A Widow, 56 years of age. one daughter 19, who was obliged to leave her situation on account of sickness and is now at home. Mrs. Slavin appears unable to do much work. Visitor recommends Coal, & 4 lbs. bread.

760. David Craig: Coloured, lived about Mount Forest neighbourhood for 20 years. came to Toronto last night, to get into the Poor House, as there is none where he comes from. Methodist.

761. Mrs Woolger: 90 Agnes At. A Widow with two Children. recommended by Mr. Alexr. MacNabb. P.M. [Police Magistrate] for an allowance of Coal. Mr. Hobson Visitor granted 1200 lbs.

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762. Ann Armstrong: 125 Adelaide St. Irish. ChofEngl. two Children Girl 6. boy 2 years old. Very poor, but visitor thinks deserving. bread & Coal

763. Mary Campbell: 210 Richmond St. west. Could not be found in that Number or near it. all large houses there.

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764. Mary Ann Price: {Harrigons} Lane. Husband and Wife are the same age 36 years. have the appearance of being able to work if they had it to do. he is a labourer but not able to get work. English. ChofEngland. 3 Children boys, 10 & 4, & a girl one year old. Visitor recommends bread & Coal.

765. Rose McKenna: 99 Queen St. west. No such person of this Name in or near that Number.

766. Sarah Rocheford: West St. Shanty close to Trunk factory. In Toronto 2 years. Irish. R.C. Lives with Mrs. Sheen, manages to get on very well in the summer, and to maintain herself by washing & scrubbing. In Winter not able to do so as she suffers from Rheumatism. Recommended Coal & bread.

767. Mary Tracy: 16 Garrison St. Irish. Chof Rome. No family with her. pays [dollars] 2 for a room in Mrs. ^Mc^Kenzies house. her son provides for the rent and her daughter who is in service provides her with clothing. Not able to use her arm, and can do but little for herself. Recommended Coal and bread.

768. Ann Atkinson: 40 Garrison St. English. ChofEngl. Widow who maintains herself and family by washing. an industrious woman who gets on very well in Summer but finds it a hard struggle in the Winter. One boy over 10, one under 10. two girls under 10. Recommended Coal & bread.

769. Mary Quinn: 98 Little Adelaide St. corner of Tecumseth St. Irish. R.C. Widow. lives with Mrs. Christie who is very kind to her, and says that she suffers from a disease which prevents her getting employment. Gets on very well in summer but not in Winter. this almost universal complaint. Coal and bread recommended.

770. Elizabeth Smallicombe: 64 Niagara St. Native of Jersey. Wesleyan. No family. husband a labourer. ought to be able to get on without assistance.

771. Mary Ann Harman: rear 119 Tecumseth St. Widow. 6 in family. 1 boy over 10. one under 10. 3 girls under 10. A respectable woman who finds it difficult to Keep her family together. Coal & bread recomd.

772. Henrietta Johnson: rear of 60 Dummer St. one boy 12 years of age. Very poor recommended for bread & Coal.

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773. Bridget Walker: 40 Dummer St. she cannot get work. has a boy 14 years. Not very strong. Bread & Coal recommended. Nothing allowed.

774. Ellen Sullivan: 24 Dummer St. 3 Children, girls, 11, 10 & 6 years old. husband sickly. bread & Coal recommended. Doctor to see Sullivan

775. Catharine Cowan: 14 Beverly St. two Children, a boy 13 & a girl 15 years of age. the girl has been sick for a long time. the Mother cannot get work. bread and Coal recommended.

776. Elizabeth Brown: rear of 60 Dummer St. 3 Children, two girls 7 & 5 years, & a boy 3. The Mother has been sick. and the father has work only a few days in the week. very poor. bread & Coal.

777. Thomas Francis: North West Corner of King & Princess St over a Chemist store, and rent a room from the Chemist. Wife and one Child. Francis has been lying up for 5 weeks & is likely to lie a good while longer. They have fuel, for before he fell sick he had a little Money & he bought a stock for the Winter. Recommended by the Revd. E Baldwin who knows the Case well & has assisted and will pay the rent for them. Allowed a Bag of flour. English. ChofEngl.

778. John Richardson: 74 Stanley St. 75 years of age, Native of Ireland, ChofEngland. works on the street for the Corporation, but he says he could not get employment for some Months. Visitor has known him for many years to be an industrious decent old Man, & recommends him for Coal & bread.

779. Mary Carroll: 79 Stanley St. Widow. A Native of Ireland, Roman Catholic. 40 years of age, sells fish in the summer Months. but appears to have nothing to doe [do] during the Winter, two boys, one 10 years, one 12 years, going to school. has been on the books for years she says, Mr. Duckett knows her well Recommended the usual allowance of Coal & bread.

780. Louisa Anderson: 98 Jarvis St. Widow, a French Canadian 34 years of age. has one boy 11 years nearly naked goes round gathering chips for her to make a fire, has no stove, appears very destitute. Roman Catholic. goes out to wash and do general work. Recommended for a supply of bread and Coal. she is trying to hire a small stove.

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781. James Fitzpatrick: 71 Richmond St. East. 75 years of age. A Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. peddles Fish & fowl. well known to the Committee. Visitor leaves him to the judgment of the Committee.

782. Mary Wilkinson: near of 99 Richmond St. East. Widow. 45 years of age. A Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. has one boy 10 years, and one girl 11 years. works out when she can get it to do. but says she is not able to do much as she is crippled in her hand with Rheumatism. her husband was Coachman for Homer Dixon. Recommended for Coal & bread. She has a room with a Mrs. Fogerty whose stove she has the use of, as she has not one of her own.

783. George Thomas: aged about 35 years, Married. living at 78 Victoria Street. his Wife is aged 28 years. he is Welsh or English, so they said and his Wife Canadian. belong to Congregational Church. Boiler Maker, but has been working for the Corporation on the Streets. and now says cannot get anything to do. one child 1 1/2 year old sick, having had the scarlet fever. appears very poor, only four Months in the City having come from Hamilton. Visitor thinks there must be a screw loose. fears it is drink. Cannot recommend but leaves the Case to the Committee. Nothing.

784. Catharine Dowley: 65 Victoria St. Cannot be found. Neighbours know nothing of her.

785. Mary Dunlop: 86 Sherborne St. 57 years old. Husband 52. lying sick in bed. Not able to work. 3 Children, 2 boys & 1 girl. Presbyterian. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

786. James Enright: 63 Muter St. a labourer out of Employment. Has a Wife and 3 Children the eldest of whom is 4 years old. The Wife has been sick and now having a baby on the breast cannot go out working. seemingly very poor. aid recommended English

787. John Lacroix: 183 Strachan St. A labourer, out of work. Has a Wife and one young Child. French. Presbyterian. Is said by Neighbours to be a sober steady man and deserving of aid. His Wife is expecting to be confined shortly & cannot work. All that he can Manage is to get an odd job now and then.

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788. James Curtan: Elenor St. (Carr Street) has got employment since he applied.

789. Jane Redditt: 41 Bishop St. An old lone lady. Known to the House. usual aid recommended.

790. John McQuinn: 62 Esther St. A Machinist by trade. Has been ill 7 Months, and quite laid up. Apparently respectable and deserving. Has a Wife and 7 Children at home, a son is serving his time as a printer. The Children are only earning [dollars] 5 between them. There is one girl too ill and weakly to do anything. English. Methodist. Liberal assistance recommended.



791. Jane Eaton: rear of 16 Power St. Widow. an old woman. can do nothing for herself in Winter. She occupies a room in a rented by a young woman of the name of Smith also a Widow, with one Child. Visitor would recommend that the old woman should have bread for the winter, and that an allowance of coal be made between her and Mrs. Smith, as using the same stove. say 3 times. provided Mrs. Smith continues to give Mrs. Eaton the use and benefit of her stove.

792. Esther Watson: Visitor thinks this is a Case for admission into the House. Esther Watson is a single Woman without any friends and partly paralysed, and therefore incapable of supporting herself.

793. Margaret O'Brien: 431 Queen St. East. Husband and Wife and one daughter. case will be found reported upon in previous years. Visitor inclines to the belief that the husband drinks. He is one of that class. that to use his own phrase. "work on the corporation" during the summer, or in other words, talk! and pretend to scrape a little earth together! for [dollars] 1 25 per diem! The wife however is an old woman and on her account Visitor would give a small allowance of bread for a couple of Months & Coal twice.

794. Jane Eaton: 16 Power St. Mentioned before, see Case 791

795. Caroline Spink: Widow, No Children living with her. one Son a Married man a labourer with a large family of his own. Mrs. Spinks seems a respectable woman, trying to do what she can by Knitting, scrubbing, sewing etc. to support herself, but work is slack now, and rent fuel [etc.] hard to provide for. Visitor would recomd. for a small allowance of bread for a couple of Months, Coal twice.

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796. Harriett Nichols: 138 Pine St. A Widow. 2 young Children, is laid up with a sore foot which prevents her doing any work at present. She is living with a family of the name of K<sup>n</sup>ibbs, wife husband and two young Children, the youngest an infant a few Months old. The husband is a labourer. fine intelligent looking man. but out of work and has been so for some time. As visitor hopes Mrs. Nichols foot may be but a temporary trouble. thinks the best way of arranging matters would be, to let the Knibbs have an allowance of Coal on the understanding that Mrs. Nichols shares the stove, and that they both have a small allowance of bread for a Month. then the Case to be referred again to Visitor.

797. Mary Martin: St. Paul St. bottom of the Street, lane on right hand side. An old case reported upon for years past. Widow. old Woman, No friends, sells nedles [needles], take [tape], print [etc.] in summer. Visitor recommends her for bread for the Winter, & Coal twice.

798. Mary Ganett: Duchess St. an old and very respectable woman whose case Visitor has reported upon from year to year. Recommended for Coal 3 times.



799. John Cahill: Lane off of Power St. Wife and 4 Children. an old Case reported upon in previous years. Cahill has been laid up for some time in the Autumn with a sore leg. Visitor recommends them for Coal twice, bread for a Month.

800. Catharine McNamara: 431 Queen St. East. Visitor did not see her. but if this be the same old woman whose case will be found in the books for some years past as reported upon by Visitor, would without any hesitation recommend her for Coal.

801. Smith: an old Maiden Lady who lives at 123 Queen St. East. Visitor would recommend as in former years, Coal and a bag of flour.

802. Catharine Hardiman: 58 Dummer St. Doctor visited her husband and thinks that he suffers more from Whiskey than pain in his back. He was pretty full when Doctor saw him although not by any means drunk, and to judge from the way in which he twisted and bent his back and body to show how he was injured and suffering Doctor would say there could not be much amiss with him. He is certainly able to do any moderate amount of work if he can get it to do, and Doctor does not think his back need prevent him doing anything that his general strength, bodily strength is cabable [capable] of. See Case 727.

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803. J.A. Terry: Aged 35. English. ChofEngl. 3 1/2 years in Montreal from England. formerly in the Army. Wife 25, and two Children, girls, aged 3 1/2 years & 14 Months. Came from Montreal to day, and cannot get a place to put his family. has work promised him at the Grand Trunk. Seeks shelter for himself and family until he can rent a place.

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804. Ann Wilson: 97 Elizabeth St. No person at home when visitor called

805. Mary Mansell: 17 Agnes St. Not at home when visitor called.

806. Thomas Mackett: rear of 35 Buchannan St. was not in when visitor called, his wife was there, but so deaf she could not hear what was said A clean respectable old woman. Visitor made her understand that her husband must call at the House of Industry on Saturday when he can give particulars.

807. Mary Ann Whealan: rear of 19 Albert St. The Case is well Known at the House, recommended same as last year.

808. Maria Clark: 110 Chesnut St. appears very ill and scarcely able to speak. Visitor told her to send one of her daughters to the House of Industry on Saturday at 9 O'clock, where she can give an account of the family. Her husband is a Shoemaker lately sent to Gael for 6 Months. Mrs. Clark appears much in want of assistance. 5 Children at home, & two in boys home. Recommended for coal, bread, & full rations.

809. Jemima Wood: rear of 137 Centre St. No person at home, when Visitor called.

810. Hannah Sanigar: rear 14 Terauley St. English. Methodist. Widow, aged 73 years. A clean industrious old woman. one grandson, a labourer aged 20, who has been ill with fever, but now better, a steady young man. Not strong enough to work yet. Recommended Coal & 4 lbs. bread a week

811. Rachel Davis: rear of 123 Adelaide St. West. Irish. Methodist Church. Husband English, a labourer, out of work, the place he was working is closed for the Winter, Mrs. Davis works when she can get it to do. Four Children, two boys, 10 & 8, 2 girls 5 years (twins) Visitor thinks they should have Coal and bread.

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812. Rose McKenna: rear of 299 Queen St. west. was not in, but the women of the house told visitor that Rose's age is about 60. Irish. Roman Catholic. No family. Visitor believes she is in need and left word for her to attend the Committee on Saturday morning.

813. Catharine Willard: rear 117 Queen St. west. Irish. R.C. Husband English. ChofEngland. The Woman 28, the Man 27 years of age. They are lately from Oshawa. Husband can't work, say afflicted with asthma. ~~She has two older daughters.~~ There is appearance of great poverty. Coal and bread recommended. Husband to see Doctor.

814. Ann Boulton: 29 ~~Boulton~~ ^Dorset^ St. aged 45. Irish. R.C. Two Children girl 10 & boy 8 years. She is a widow & much afflicted with asthma. She has two older daughters, who work and pay her rent. Visitor thinks she should have Coal & bread.

815. Grace Boyer: Dorsett House. Irish. ChofEngl. Husband & Wife same age 35. one girl 10. two boys 5 & 3. husband not working much, poor in health. Mrs. Boyer will attend the Committee on Saturday Morning. if able. but does not know the moment she may be confined. The Committee will please order the Coal if the poor Woman should not be able to attend, her little girl can get the bread. Visitor thinks they are very needy.

816. Henry Cluff: 93 Strachan St. No such address. Visitor could not find him.

817. Charlotte Rolling: 171 Hope St. Husband has been ill from something like Rheumatic fever. & she is out of health. No Children. Apparently deserving people. English. ChofEngland. Usual aid recommended for a time.

818. Elizabeth Ryland: 5 Wilton St. A Widow. one son, who lost his leg some time ago and can only get occasional work suitable for him. She is sober and industrious, and usually has two days work in the week. Is therefore poorly off. English. Aid allowed.

819. Ann Beaty: rear of 14 Beverly St. her husband cannot get work. No Children. Visitor recommends bread & Coal.

820. Mary Pollard: No. 3 Renfrew St. A Widow aged 65. Irish. ChofEngl. has two Grandchildren living with her, a boy 10 & a girl 7 years of age. Bread & Coal recommended.

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821. Mary Cady: in rear of No. 18 Stanley St. Widow, aged 55 years. Irish. Roman Catholic. Confined to bed having received a hurt from a fall. in the summer Months goes out with a small stock of different articles in a basket, but is not able to do anything in the Winter. clean and neat, and Visitor thinks deserving. Recommended for Coal and bread, (but she is not able to go to the House for anything) also a small supply of groceries.

822. Bridget Conley: 82 Stanley St. Widow. Irish. And a Catholic. an old customer of the House, aged 54. has one Boy 12 years old, who she says goes to School. Mrs. Conley goes out to do general work, but complains of work being scarce. Clean and industrious, Visitor would recommend coal and bread.

823. Mary Spence: No. 82 Stanley St. Visitor did not find her at home.

824. Julia Fraser: No. 86 Stanley St. Married, aged 40. Irish & Catholic. Her husband who is lame, having his ankle broken, is a Scotchman, & a Presbyterian, aged 39, with a boy 7 years. They make a living by gathering rags & bones. Visitor thinks they are very fond of Whiskey as he saw ample evidence of it. Coal might be given once. Visitor saw about half a Cord of Wood in the Shanty.

825. Jane Burgoyne: 118 Jarvis St. Must have given the wrong Number. as Visitor could not find anything of her.

826. Isabelle Carr: No. 101 Richmond St. East. Widow. Irish. English Church. aged 42. has 4 Children, all boys, 14, 12, 10 & 8 years of age. The two eldest are out at work, and the other two at School. goes out to wash [etc.] she has been ill with some eruption. Visitor would recommend some coal, her place is very dirty, and Visitor thinks she drinks.

827. Catharine Wilson: rear of 27 Queen St. East. Not at Home.

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828. Mary Berney: rear of 25 Queen St. East. Married. she says husband had gone to the Country to look for work three weeks since, he is a labourer aged 52 years, & she is 54. Visitor found they both drink, and believes fight and that he has not gone in the Country, fears they are a hard pair, and does not recommend anything for them. Able to earn their own living if industrious

829. Johanny Hinchy: rear of No. 23 Queen St. East. Not at home when Visitor called.

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830. Catharine Cole: 83 Jarvis St. 26 years old. Husband 32 years old. Labourer. one child 6 Months. from Ireland. cant get work. R.C. 4 lbs. bread & Coal recommended.

831. Henry Smith: 136 Bleeker St. 51 years old. very bad in consumption. 3 children, under 14 years, 2 girls & one boy. Wesleyan. 6 lbs. bread & Coal.

832. Jane Bellinger: 240 Front Street. House closed, and apparently unoccupied, 10.30 A.M. Visitor called twice.

833. Mary Livingstone: 62 South Park St. There is no such Number. This is the second time Visitor had a "wild Goose chase" after this woman. See report of January 30th 1873.

834. Jane Moffatt: 144 Pine St. Widow. 5 Children living at Home eldest boy 16, has been driving a cart all summer. girl a little older was out at service, but is at home at present. 3 other Children at School all young: Visitor would recommend Mrs. Moffatt bred for a Month. & Coal once. Then the case to be referred again. as she will not stand in need of assistance if the boy and girl (the two eldest) can get into work again.

835. Mary Carney: 319 Queen St. East. Widow. No Children. works in Tobacco Factory. Mrs. Conall: another Widow lives in the same house. Both make use of the same stove with their Landlady. another old Woman! Mrs. Carney says work is very slack just now, and even when employed at the Factory, does not make more than [dollar] 1.25 to [dollar] 1.50 per Week. Mrs. Conell is an old helpless sort of a body, who goes to scrub, sells fish fruit etc. in Summer. Visitor thinks they should have an allowance of Coal between them. say 3 times, a small loaf each for two Months.

836. Emily Morris: 429 Queen St. East. Husband and Wife and one child an infant in the arms. Husband a labourer. did very well until about a Month ago. when eldest Child was attacked with scarlet Fever and died just a week ago. The Mother is prevented from doing anything by her infant who was ill also, but is now recovering. The husband seems a respectable Man and anxious to work. Visitor thinks they should have immediate relief. Coal once, bread for a Month. a little Tea & Sugar for the Mother. and after a Month or six weeks the Case to be referred again to Visitor.

837. Mary McHenry: 60. Irish. R.C. has been in Toronto for some years, now out of a Home. seeks shelter, will make herself useful.

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Monday, 28th December 1874.

838. The Committee to inspect and examine Tenders met to day at 10 OClock A.M.

Present, Revd. Mr. Broughall & Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers.

The following Tenders were read [read].

David Rees Tender at [cents] 9 1/4 per 4 lbs. loaf. William Aitkins Tender at [cents] 8 3/4 per 4 lbs. loaf. Charles Beaty's Tender at [cents] 8 3/4 per 4 lbs. loaf. Mr. Beaty's Tender was accepted in preference to Mr. Aitkins, having served the House well all the year.

Mr. William F. Birds Tender for Meat, at [cents] 1 3/4 per lbs. Mr. Peter Hutt's Tender at [cents] 1 1/2 per lbs. was accepted.

Mrs. Margaret Harpers Tender for Milk at [cents] 5 per quart was accepted.

Mr. James Shields Tender for Groceries was accepted.

Tuesday. 29th December, 1874.

Present. Messrs. E. Hobson. W.J. MacDonell & J.T. Smith.

839. Thomas Wood: rear of 28 Dummer St. 54. Irish. R.C. A Cripple. Recommended for Coal and bread.

840. Elisa Walker: over Dickeys stables opposite 88 Niagara St. Irish. R.C. Husband a labourer, not very well. out of work several weeks. 1 boy over 10. 1 under 10. 1 Girl under 10. lives with Alice Falloon. next Case.

840. Alice Falloon: over Dickeys stables Niagara St. opposite 88. Irish. R.C. In Toronto 30 years, husband out of work for some time. 1 boy over 10. 1 under 10. 1 Girl under 10.

841. William Moore: Shanty in the Ravine Wellington Avenue. ChofEngl. English. 59 years of age. In Toronto nearly 40 years. Manages to get on in Summer. earns a living by gathering rags. but the energy

of the Man is not equal to trials of a Canadian Winter, and he feels himself compelled to make an annual call upon the House for help. recomd. for Coal & bread.

842. Honora Kerwin: 180 Little Richmond St. Irish. ChofRome. In Toronto 10 or 11 years. Three Children, 2 boys over 10, 1 under 10. Husband a pensioner now serving a time in the Central Prison for his own and the Country's good. During his absence the woman needs help. Coal & bread.

843. Ann Flood: rear 75 High St. An old case well known to the Institution Her Married daughter who has been deserted is still a cripple. The grandson aged 11, is still with them. A Married son lives with the old woman but being dissipated does little for his Mother. Aid recommended.

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844. John Irwin: rear of 200 Chesnut St. American. Wesleyan. Married, 29 years of age. a painter, has been ill only one week. A little bread might be given for a few days. 2 Children, a girl 13, in service, & girl 9 in bad health at home. If they were steady & industrious people they would not require assistance.

845. Mary Porrett: Old Asylum, Queens Park. up the back stair case. A Widow, aged 78. English. Methodist. A respectable old out door pensioner of some years standing. To have 1200 lbs. Coal.

846. Thomas Mangen: 105 Ann St. aged 60. Married. Irish. R.C. Cripple. 3 Children. boy 16 girl 12, and boy 6. Coal & 8 lbs. bread.

847. Catharine Wilson: rear of 27 Queen St. East. Widow, aged 55. A Native of Ireland. Chof England. No Children. works at picking paper, & earns [dollars] 2 per week. Appears clean and industrious. Recommended for Coal & bread.

848. Johanna Hinchy: rear of 23 Queen St. East. A Widow aged 57. Irish. Roman Catholic. has one girl aged 13 years, who is at work and earns [dollars] 2 50 [cents] per week. The old woman herself is very frail, & not able to do much, but works occasionally. Recommended for Coal.

849. Ellen Sweeney: 20 Victoria St. Married, has her husband living with her. aged 30 years, who has been working all summer carrying the Hod at [dollars] 7 per week. Wife's age is 28 years. Irish. R.C. two children, a boy 4 yrs. and a girl 15 Months. drinking everything they can get hold off. The most dirty and Miserable place visitor has visited, and can make no recommendation. Committee consider Married Man in good health should provide for their families.

850. Johanna Sweeney: rear of 9 Victoria St. has a husband living with her whose age is 48 years. apparently sickly. Shoemaker by trade but out of work. her age is 30 years. Irish. R.C. only 12 Months in the Country. two children living with them, one boy nearly 3 years, one girl 9 Months. Visitor thinks it might be well to give them a little coal.

Mary Carney: rear 63 Stanley St. whose Name Visitor found to be

851. Margaret Mitchell was not at home.

852. Julia Mullen: rear of 23 Queen St. East. Not at home when Visitor called

853. Julia McCarthy: rear 18 Victoria St. When Visitor called he found her not at home.

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Tuesday. December 29th. 1874.

854. Mary Berney: whose case visitor reported on last Saturday. See Case 828. Complained that her Neighbours had done wrong in giving such information as Visitor obtained, said she could obtain a Note from Dr. Oldright as to Character, which Note visitor encloses to Committee. Makes no recommendation. Dr. Oldright states in his Note that he attended Mrs. Birney, that is made one Visit to her, several Months ago, but is unable to judge any better of the circumstances at the present time than any body else who hears her story

855. Mary Wood: 33 Tait St. not known there.

856. Frances Hood: 16 Front St. upstairs, back room, an old case, frequently reported on. Mrs. Hood is in feeble health, and will be satisfied with some coal, which visitor thinks may be granted

857. James Cain: 94 Front St. Top story, back room. Widower, 15 Months. Born in Liverpool. Left the 60th Regt. at Halifax. Went to London, Ontario. thence came here 3 Months ago. Was 15 years in the Army. Children, Christina 10, Mary 7, James 4, Annie 3. No Church in particular. There is no doubt this Case requires relief, but it may not come within the sphere of the House. The Committee can judge for themselves. The best course might be, put the Children into the "Girls Home" and leave the father free. Perhaps some one can suggest how that may be done.

858. Jane Bellinger: 240 Front St. Husband, Thomas a labourer, from Cheltenham, England, last year. Was not in. has been sick for two Months of a fever. Only one child, living. Beatrice, 5 Months, has lost six. ChofEngl. Like the preceding this Case requires relief. but the Committee must use their own discretion.

859. Thomas Rowe: in Case 312 Came again for shelter Debr. 8th.

860. David Porter: an Inmate had leave to go out the day before Christmas, did not return until last night. says on coming home on Christmas eve, his foot slipped, and a Police man near by thought he was drunk and took him to the station, where, and the Gael he has been since. Committee will pass over it this time, but cautioned Porter not to slip again.



861. Sarah Watson: Canadian. ChofEngland. says, lived in place, but received very little wages. now out of place & no means, seeks shelter until she can get another situation. Left Jany. 25/75

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Tuesday, 29th Decbr. 1874.

862. Catharine Crawford: say 60 years of age. Native of Ireland. Wesleyan. 40 years in Canada. has two married daughters in Guelph with whom she lived, but could not agree with. she left and came to Toronto last Saturday. came here for shelter until she can get a place. applied to the Mayor who sent her here. ^Left 20 Jany.^

863. Mary Ganett: 51 Duchess St. A Widow, aged 67. ChofEngland. Irish. an old out door pensioner of some years standing. Visitor recommends that coal be sent her.

864. John Pembroke: rear of 36 James St. Irish. R.C. Married. 76 years of age. very bad with gravel. unable to do anything for a living. appear a very respectable couple, every thing very clean. Recommended to have 1200 lbs. Coal.

865. Elizabeth Terry: 46 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngland. Married. 25 years of age. lately arrived in Toronto from Montreal. Husband got work on grand trunk, but will not receive pay for five Weeks. 2 Children, girl 4 & girl 1. Visitor recommends 600 lbs. Coal & 4 lbs. bread a week for one Month.

866. Josephine Kealey: rear of 79 Edward St. A Widow, aged 37. Teaches music when she can get pupils. Irish. R.C. 4 Children with her. Girl 15 & a girl 1. a boy 14, & a boy 4 years of age. daughter going to service. Visitor recommends Coal, & 8 lbs. bread a week.

867. Richard Bartlett: rear of 142 Centre St. To have a half price ticket, and soup.

868. Catharine Adams: rear of 50 1/2 Elizabeth St. Not known there.

869. John Quinn: aged 21. Irish. ChofEngland. 6 Months out. No employment at present. seeks shelter for a few days. Left Jany. 15/75

870. Ann Bush: aged 20. ChofEngl. Canadian, from Trent. Has one child, a girl, 2 years old with her. No Means, seeks shelter for a few days. No husband. says she had a misfortune. Left Jany. 8/75

871. Maria Montgomery: Aged 27. Native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. says she is a Widow, and came from Hamilton, to get her boy who is with her, and is Eight years of age, into one of the Homes, and herself will try to get into service. Mean time seeks shelter until she can carry out her intentions. Left 5th. January 1875

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December 29th 1874.

872. Catharine Dolan: aged 30. Irish. Roman Catholic Church. 9 years in Canada. lived in the Country. is trying to get a place in Town now. seeks shelter for a few days. will make herself useful.

873. Ann Houton: aged 45. Irish. ChofEngland. Married, but husband left some years ago. 20 years in the Country. afflicted with Rheumatism. was a patient in Incurable Hospital. was turned away from there, because being insubordinate & insolent. was admitted into House of Industry but given to understand to behave herself, if not to be dismissed. Originally from Guelph

874. John Thomas: 83 years of age. A Native of England. ChofEngland. 20 years in the Country. was formerly an Inmate. applied again for admission. admitted.

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Friday 3rd January 1879

Present Messrs. A. McMurchy J.W. Drummond & W.J. MacDonell

1. Clara Wilson: 15 Strachan Street does not live at this address
2. Margaret Jackson: 104 Herbert Street Ch of E one son 8 yrs. going to school lives with her father John Telfer pensioner 11 [pence] per day are very deserving of Fuel Bread & Soup
3. Mary Rice: 104 Herbert Street R.C. husband deserted her 2 Children eldest 2 1/2 years has work of 1 day in 2 weeks lives in small room appears deserving & wishes fuel Bread [etc.]
4. James Enwright: 102 Herbert Street Ch of E previously reported have now 5 Children no work of any account consider fairly deserving of Fuel Bread [etc.]
5. Mary Hickey: 113 Herbert Street R.C. husband dead 5 Children lives in a portion of her sons house he is out of work & unable to help her further than rent free says unable to get work but acknowledges having given up steady work at St. Marys Church wishes Fuel Bread [etc.]
6. Mary Ann Oswin: 47 Strachan Street previously reported another young Child will want fuel soon but Bread at once. he expects work on Bishop St sewer but says it will only be about 50 [cents] [per] day

7. Catherine O'Donnell: 89 Strachan Street husband died 2 Months ago has 2 Children another expected at any moment has her Aunt living with her have hardly any resources wishes sick relief. Fuel, Bread [etc.]

8. Louisa Anderson: 22 Conway Street previously reported husband has had no work for past 2 weeks & expects none this winter in immediate want of Fuel Bread [etc.]

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9. Ann Daly: 120 Bishop Street husband labourer but has deserted her a month ago 2 Children Girl 4 years Boy 8 yrs. R.C. is unable to get work it appears, wishes fuel Bread [etc.]

10. Charles McKenzie: 120 Bishop Street Painter Ch of E has had no work for a Month past has 2 Children 4 & 2 yrs. their place is very clean & tidy desire fuel only.

11. Rose Glenfield: 78 Bishop Street husband dead 2 years Ch of E. 5 Children eldest 16 years is out of work for past 6 weeks appears very respectable & deserving of Fuel Bread

12. Lois Hodgson: 22 Bishop Street Ch of E Carpenter no work at present 4 Children eldest 7. profess to have lost money by recent failure are respectable & deserving of fuel & Bread

13. Ann Flood: 4 Hope Street previously reported very little to add except that she is probably a little less able to help herself thro' [through] natural debility should say is deserving of Fuel Bread & Soup

14. Sarah White: 315 Wellesley Street. 5 Children eldest girl 18 years is at service next 1 boy to [too] young to work the last 3 mere infants husband is a most respectable & industrious man in poor health who is always looking at snow shoveling & such like when he can get it. The only objection to recommend relief is the danger of pauperization incurred by the acceptance of it

15. Jane Cook: 58 Borden Street husband Carpenter who has been out of work for some time has 6 Children 2 Boy 2 years 6 weeks. 4 Girls 8. 7. 5. 4. in very needy Circumstances recommend aid for a Month

16. Carloline [Caroline] Webb: 80 McGill Street aged 36 husband aged 36. English Ch of E. Plasterer 8 years in Toronto 3 Boys 14. 9. 6. 2 girls 4. 1. husband out of work has cancer in the nose recommend Coal & Bread

17. Mary O'Keefe: 48 Hackney Street Irish R.C. 8 years

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in Toronto 2 Boys 17. 14, 2 girls 15. 9. husband left her was a hard drinker Boy had his arm taken off by accident not able to work since think they are deserving recommend Coal & Bread

18. Honora Lynn: 29 Monk Street husband was School master 2 years in Toronto 3 Boys 14. 12. 6. 1 Girl 8. have little comfort man gets but little work son goes to work but spends it all recommend Coal & Bread

19. Mrs. Alexander: 19 Bulwer Street Ch of E aged unable to work steady & respectable separated from her husband because of his intemperate habits & refused to do anything for her recommend Bread & Fuel

20. Mary E. McNamara: 41 Dalhousie Street Irish R.C. spinster has been in Toronto about 20 years has no means of support & is not able to work no stove of her own would recommend 4 lbs. Bread weekly

21. Elizabeth Brown: rear 26 William Street 3 Children one boy 6. 2 girls 10. 9. she is sickly & cannot work the father has had no work for a long time they are very poor would recommend Bread & Coal

22. Alice Turner: rear 26 William Street alone she has no work recommend Bread & Coal

23. Emily Day: 9 Elliotts Row English Ch of E. widow 30 years old 1 Child 4 Months old very willing to work if she could get it to do recommend Coal & Bread

24. Philip Burt: 104 Boulton Street English Ch of E. aged 42. Wife 30. 2 Children Girl 7. Boy 2 he lost his leg he cant do any work it is a running sore would recommend Coal & Bread

25. Susan Malley: 63 Boulton Street English Ch of E 43. husband 53 one Son 22 not able to do any work no right in his mind husband Ship Carpenter out of employmen{t}

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recommend Bread & Coal

26. Mary Ryan: 101 Adelaide St West Irish R.C. her husband & Children are inmates of the House of Providence she works to support herself recommend Bread & Coal

27. Susan Wood: 118 Richmond Street west not in

28. Alexander Hall: 170 Adelaide St west English Ch of E aged 22 Wife 21. one Child 24 Months old Marble polisher 2 Months in this city without any work he also left Montreal for want of Employment they had no fire in their rooms the room was neat & Clean recommend Bread & Coal
29. Emma Hutchinson: 100 Oxford Street aged 25 years husband 28 no trade has usually been engaged as porter about a store without regular employment since August 2 Children boy 2. Girl 4. English recommend aid for a Month
30. Julia Tye: 141 Vanauley Street aged 38 husband same age a bricklayer by trade had pretty good work all summer though not constant. none for some time past say 6 weeks has 5 Children the eldest a girl 11. youngest 3 mos. English recommend Aid for 1 Month
31. Edward Horn: 36 Sydenham St. no such person at that number which is a good house & well to do people
32. David Wade: rear 171 Parliament Street husband wife & 1 Child appear to be respectable people ready to do any work they can get to do but it is the old storey [story] no employment & no prospect of it There can be no doubt about the destitute state they are in recommend Bread & Coal
33. Frances Jones: rear 30 Centre Street (Cold. [coloured]) husband white Ch of E. 2 boys 13. 10. husband out of work wife washes recommend Coal once only
34. Susan Thompson: rear 93 Centre Street Ch of E husband

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- labourer out of work 2 Boys one 16 earns [dollars] 3 [per] week one age 13 years 5 girls 11. 9. 7. 4. 2. years. recommend Coal & Bread
35. Lydia Kent: 75 Edward Street husband drunkard no Children Ch of E. recommend Coal only once
36. Nellie Spencer: 75 Edward Street Husband out of work labourer Ch of E. 2 Boys 15. 8. no work wants Coal & Bread
37. Amelia Morris: 94 Albert Street Cold. [coloured] widow Charwoman Ch of E. recommend Bread only
38. Rebecca Greentree: 91 Elizabeth Street Ch of E husband at Orillia looking for work 3 Boys 8. 5. 2 1/2 Girl 2 months recommend Coal & Bread
39. Elizabeth Cavanagh: rear 35 Buchanan Street R.C husband has occasional work 1 Girl 10. Boys 14. 12. 8. 5. 2 years of age recommend Coal only
40. Joseph Thorogood: 94 Hayter Street labourer out of work. Methodist Girls 10. 8. Boys 12. 7. recomd. Coal only

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41. Sarah Thompson: rear 74 Chestnut Street Cold. [coloured] widow no Children. Washes. recommend Coal once
42. Mary Bradley: 33 Colborne Street 3rd. Storey husband now in Hospital Both Canadians but lately from the States where they have lived for some time husband kept a grocery & bakers shop 5 Children 4 at home eldest girl at service have evidently seen better days recommend Coal & 8 lbs. Bread
43. Mary Moores: 106 South Park Street husband labourer English was in the Royal Artillery & discharged at Halifax. Was not in. cutting Ice somewhere 1 girl daughter of a former husband subject to fits aged 16 has other Children Married Ch of E recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal
44. Anne Crosby: 24 Pine Street see report 30th Dec 1876 husband

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sick as on former visit did not see him discharged from Netley Hospital 10 years ago came here from Montreal I would {blank}

45. Eliza Beeton: 17 South Park Street husband labourer out of work but anxious to get some came to England 7 years ago 2 Children 2. 9 Mos. Ch of E. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal
46. Eliza Goodwin: 53 1/2 George Street visited 30th Dec 1876 has 6 Children 4 Married & living in Toronto 2 girls at home aged 14 & 15 recommend Coal once
47. Margaret Labelle: 100 South Park Street was not in she is a widow with a daughter about 16. lives with Mrs. Peterson has a stove of her own & can be allowed Coal & Bread apart
48. Isaac Peterson: 100 South Park Street, he was out saw his wife Angeleique a French Canadian, has 2 Boys 10. 8. 2 girls younger at a friends recommend Coal & 6 lbs. Bread
49. Ellen Laughlin: 198 Oak Street Canadian, he is sickley she also complaining he earns a little by selling Tea [etc.] on Commission Think he prefers to gloat over his former illnesses instead of working now she is working at some sewing from Metropolitan Church Dorcas Society 3 Boys 17. 13. 11. they seem to rely on fact that they have been well recommended by others for relief & have had it for years seen to be respectable & clean but not apparently very destitute at present
50. Caroline Reed: 486 King Street East Basement in rear husband a Coloured man 7 Children all married or at service her brother David Wagstaff is a brick maker at Lestie [Leslie] Ville. her friends should help her says her husband has no work. Think they are not in as much want as many
51. Nancy Houston: 117 Sumach Street Canadian from Richmond Hill Labourer 2 small children no work seem destitute

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52. Eliza Hains: 117 Sumach Street English Labourer 4 years from England has worked at Gas works till a week ago Think steady & asks for me to make reference at Gas office 7 Children 14 to 1 years Boy gets [dollars] 2 Per week man wants work house rather dirty must be helped recommend Coal & Bread

53. Mrs. Densem: 208 Oak Street. English husband book keeper his last employment was at Bowmanville with a firm that failed last summer & he has been unable to get anything to do since have been very well educated & well to do people & are now in absolute want I should be very glad if some flour & Coal could be sent to them as I think they are specially deserving of the assistance which they would never ask for themselves

54. Mrs. Towers: Ontario Street Is a most excellent and respectable woman & her son for whom I would like to get some Coal is a steady sober industrious young man. he has small Children to support & has tried to get on without assistance they are nearly destitute of Fuel & no means of getting any. One good allowance would tide them over the next 2 or 3 weeks after which they would require no further assistance

Tuesday 7th January 1879.

Present Messrs. J.W. Drummond A.T. McCord J. Fleming W.J. MacDonald [MacDonell] & Revd. Dean Grasett

55. Edward Hall: admitted till Friday next. Case to be then disposed of. ^left Saturday^

56. Mary Burnside: 68 Lombard Street married 32 years of age husband pedler aged 34 Eng Ch he has been sick for some time has 1 little girl they appear clean & neat would Recommend some Coal

57. Eliza Crawford: 130 Church Street in the Country spending the holy days

58. Mary Brown: 98 Jarvis Street married aged 27. husband

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a labourer aged 30 no Children Ch of E. husband a Yankee she is a Canadian, he is afflicted with very weak eyes & bad sight I do not think they should get much assistance would say Coal once

59. Mary Stane: 23 Richmond Street East I have recommended her for Coal several years see past reports I now recommend her for Coal & Bread

60. Mrs. Greg: 97 Chestnut Street no such person known in the neighbourhood

61. Thomas Allan: rear 179 Chestnut Street Ch of E husband labourer out of employment 2 Boys 23. 16 not employed 2 Girls 7. 4. recommend Coal & Bread

62. Margaret Durrant: 30 Centre Street Ch of E husband labourer out of work 3 Boys 11. 10. 3, 2 Girls 13. 4 years wants Coal & Bread

63. Celia Bass: 37 Centre Street Ch of E. husband is a labourer out of work 1 Boy 12. 1 Girl 9. a sickly woman asks for groceries Recommend Coal & Bread

64. Julia Smith: 63 Elizabeth Street Widow absent when visitor called learned she has a boy 12 yrs. & Girl 8 years of age

65. George Washington: 72 Elizabeth Street Coloured 1 girl 8 years should be at work recommend Coal once

66. John Dayman: 123 Terauley. Samuel Dayman lives here but needs no Relief

67. Charlotte Williams: 15 Osgoode lane Ch of E. her husband in Bed for Months 3 Girls 18 (blind). 11. 9. seem very badly off recommend Coal & Bread & Groceries once

68. Mary Coleman: or Kelly 435 Adelaide Street west

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Irish R.C. Widow in Toronto 26 years one son who is in the country & does not assist his mother in any way has a room in house of a Mrs. Fitzgerald who speaks well of her her great enemy is "the drink" though she has been steady for some time past

69. Mary McGrath: rear 379 Adelaide St west. husband a labourer 2 Children boy 17. Girl 8. Irish R.C. neither husband nor son have regular employment house very comfortless

70. Margaret English: rear 22 Little Richmond St Irish R.C husband not living with her makes her living by sewing for the stores but complains that she cannot get work No family

71. Elizabeth Gordon: 22 Little Richmond Street Scotch presbyterian husband a painter is now seriously ill with no provision for winter 1 boy 1 girl both under 10. Recommend Coal Bread & Sick allowance
72. Whelmina McEvoy: rear 327 Adelaide St west. From the Shetland Islands Presbyterians husband labourer went to England 8 weeks ago with Cattle 1 Girl grown up & 1 Grand Child of 14 Months has no regular work house is frequented by noisy & disorderly people if not worse
73. Susan Highly: rear 393 Queen Street west English Methodist husband a Carpenter who came from Guelph to work at the Exhibition building has made no provision for winter 8 Children 2 Boys under 10. 4 Girls over 10. 2 under 10 seem respectable people recommend Coal & Bread
74. Charles Oswald: 364 Adelaide Street west German R.C. Cook formerly employed at the American Hotel now out of work 3 Months behind in rent [at] [dollars] 10 [per] month neither husband nor wife able to get work 3 Girls under 10. house very tidy seems to be very decent people recommend Coal & Bread
75. Louisa Sutton: 170 Little Richmond St. French Canadian husband labourer at present out of work 7 Children 2 boys over 10 3 Boy under 10. 2 girls under 10

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76. Eliza Potter: 170 Little Richmond Street French Canadian R.C. widow 2 girls 10. 2. 2 Boys 7. 4. years. out of work just now Recommend Coal & Bread
77. Annie Nelson: rear 393 Queen Street west Canadian Ch of E. says her husband returned last June but is not working at present seems to be living with a man named Donelly or Conolly house not at all orderly her man does not seem to look for work
78. Elizabeth Goddard: Browns lane off Bathurst Street English Ch of E. husband left her 20 months ago has a room with Mrs. Burns for which she pays [dollars] 1. a month 3 Children 1 Girl 2 Boys all under 10. recommend Coal & Bread
79. Ellen OBrien: 14 Esther Street Irish R.C. widow 3. Children boys 12. 10. 6. Is a washerwoman but has not sufficient employment recommend Coal & Bread
80. Clara Wilson: 16 Borden Street out with her husbands dinner when I called no Children was told that if they wanted it was only because he would not work not recommended.
81. Elizabeth Bell: 19 Brunswick Avenue aged 21 husband 27. a plasterer with scarcely any work during the summer last year a very unfortunite [unfortunate] one seemingly a very respectable man 1 Child a baby boy 3 months old Irish Presbyterian recommended for Coal & Bread

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82. William Waites: 92 Brunswick Avenue an old case still in want from lack of employment respectable people English 4 Children recommend Coal & Bread

83. Esther Medler: 57 Richmond St west is now going to live at rear 22 St Albans Street. Irish presbyterian from Rochester about one week aged 53 one son 23 yrs. expects to fall into work at small wages she looks very poor recommend Coal & Bread

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84. Susan Woods [Wood]: 118 Richmond Street west she is aged 79 Canadian Ch of E. born in Montreal in Toronto 40 years no family recommend Coal & Bread

85. Sarah Atchison: rear 5 Renfrew Street 3 Children 8. 6. 3 her husband drinks I was told recomd. Bread & Coal for a while.

86. Mrs. Lavell: 16 Bulwer Street. Father Mother & 5 Children Ch of E. Father out of work expects work next week. Son 19. cannot get work. Girls 17. 12. 10. 7. eldest girl out of place at present girl of 12 earns [dollars] 2 [per] month as nurse & does not live at home 6 in family at home recommend present allowance of Fuel

87. Henry Cuff: 158 Dundas Street he is English 5 years out wife & 3 Children 1 girl about 16. boy about 9. & baby 2 years old he is a labourer has had no work for 3 weeks the family have had Typhoid Fever during the summer & lost 1 girl 14. think they are deserving of relief recomd. Coal & Bread

88. Jane Davidson: McGee Street east of the Don. Widow her husband dead 6 months. 1 Boy 12. 1 girl 17. who is only at home through illness & expects to get work next week she has 1 son married & another living out at service but she says they wont do anything for her. The house & lot they live in are their own property & she gets from 1 to 2 days work a week at washing seems willing to work if she could get it I have stated the case as she explained it to me a little Coal would suffice at present. of course you can please yourselves but I really think she ought to get along without relief

89. Margaret Hagger: 180 Strachan Street Ch of E. labourer 1 son at home husband been sick for past 16 weeks with rheumatism & palpitation of the heart are greatly in need of Fuel & Bread

90. Rebecca Davies: 180 Strachan Street occupies 1 room in same dwelling as Mrs. Hagger. confined to bed with Chronic rheumatism has 2 daughters one home attending to her other

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unable to render any assistance desires sick relief fuel [etc.]

91. Emily Brunt: Bellevue Place previously reported have been without work of any account for past 2 months Eldest son also are greatly in need of what assistance can be given in the way of Fuel & Bread

92. Ann Hooper: 20 Bishop Street. Mrs. Hudson lives at this address

93. Ann Anglesea: 11 St. Charles Street widow living with her son who is married aged 65 does a little work when she can obtain it does not appear to be in want would question her regarding her sons habits understand he is not very steady & is too lazy to work when employment was offered him. he has been ill during the summer but has got partially well

94. Mary Ann Murphy: 69 Victoria Street Irish R.C. Charwoman was not in refer to former reports. 2 Children 3 & 7. the father who is an old resident of Toronto is at present confined to his bed & has been so for 6 weeks recommend Bread & Coal & a small allowance of Groceries

95. John Spencer: rear 122 Lumley Street Coloured about 60 years of age born in Maryland U.S. about 30 years in Canada 20 in Toronto Wife White born in England Methodist. 1 daughter 16. not living with parents he is suffering from Chronic Ulcer in the leg. Wife unable to use right arm house poorly & scantily furnished seem poor and afflicted would recommend assistance in fuel & Bread

96. James Blay: 6 Markham Street 23 years of age is a Canadian. Lather by trade Ch of E. Wife 19. English 1 Child 15 Months. The man had little work during the summer & has had none at all for the past 10 weeks seems in want would recommend Coal & Bread reported on in winter of 78 [1878]

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97. Rebecca Walker: 147 Sydenham Street in rear. English 3 years in Toronto from England Ch of E. man no work he was said to be in bed with a Cold when I called woman looked rather bloated daughter grown up expects to get a place tomorrow Son grown up. no work either she shewed me some pawn tickets says has nothing to eat cannot satisfy myself as to them. It may be a deserving case & no harm to give Bread for the present

98. Mary Carney: St. Paul Street east side Cant find no house on East side

99. Susan Rennick: 84 Sumach Street. has been confined better send the Coal & give boy some bread & a trifle of Groceries I think the man is not very deserving but the woman is at present helpless

100. Ellen Bagley: rear 12 Duchess Street 40 years old unmarried living by selling laces & toys very weak in her back would recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals once
101. Maria Saulter: 67 Princess Street 45 years old widow living by washing & scrubbing 2 Children going to school recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals
102. Elizabeth Fahey: 48 Duchess Street Not in
103. Mary Morris: rear 94 Duchess Street 36 years old husband 34 years old painter by trade fell of a scaffolding in St Stephens Church not able to work 3 Children recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals
104. Mary McDonald: 135 Front Street East was told that she has gone to service & does not now require relief
105. Mary McDonnell: 114 South Park Street see report 14th Feby. 1876 husband dead 3 months. Grandfather Wm Hardwick who lived formerly with Conl. [Colonel] Shaw lives with her 3 Children at home eldest boy works at shoemaking

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youngest Girl 9 Months recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal once

106. Mary Ede: 182 Pine Street reported upon last year husband had been ill with Typhoid fever at that time from the effects of which he was more or less unfit for work all the summer. They are in very destitute circumstances again this winter recommend Coal once Bread for a Month
107. Mary Wardrobe: 15 Power Street Ch of E. husband wife 3 Boys & 2 Girls at home. husband labourer out of work just now she is a very respectable woman & works hard herself cleaning offices [etc.] recommend Coal once Bread for a Month
108. Mary Scully: 9 Sydenham lane East Side South of Sydenham widow no Children worked in a rag store out of work now & in very bad health recommend her for bread which is all she asks for for 2 Months
109. Julia Beasley: Reeds lane East Side North Sydenham Ch of E. husband Wife & 9 Children. The 2 eldest boy 13. girl 14. both out of work now the other Children very young the youngest a baby of 3 months. husband is a shoemaker but his trade has been very slack all the summer & he has but little steady work now recommend Coal once Bread for a Month
110. Bridget Rogers: 126 Pine Street. R.C. Widow an old pensioner on the house now living with her daughter a Mrs. Kerr & her husband who has 4 young Children 5. 4. 3. 1 years old he is out of

employment & has been so for some time so he does little to help towards their support recommend Bread for 6 weeks Coal once

111. Alice Murphy: 236 Sydenham lane East Side North Sydenham husband wife & 6 Children small at home husband waiter for Mr. Cameron on Jarvis Street & gets his meals there. she goes out to scrub & wash seems a respectable industrious sort of a body recommend them for temporary relief on account of the Children say Coal once bread for a Month

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112. Susan OBrien: 69 Ontario Street husband Wife & 4 Children 2 girls 14. the others 11. 3. 4 both husband & wife out when I called recommend them for temporary relief and I will report again

113. Ann Jane Moffatt: North east Corner King & Power Street Methodist husband wife & 1 Child 1 year old very respectable people. she poor woman was in Hospital last summer and underwent a most painful operation the removal of one breast her husband a very steady man has been & is now out of any regular work recommend them strongly for Coal once. Bread 6 weeks. & a few groceries

114. Margaret Walsh: 12 West Street believe her to be destitute & worthy of some Coal

115. Edward Hyland: 92 Little Adelaide Street Wife & 8 Children 17. 15. 13. 11. 10. 8. 6. 3. husband is a man that has lost his health & tries to make something by selling fish but the weather is against him

116. Antonie Glick: 3 Way Blk. Queen. W. [3 Way's Block, 625-639 Queen St. W.] Wife & sick Child cannot get any work & all seem to be in extreme distress recommend Bread & Coal

117. Sarah Johnston: 72 Garrison Street husband went to the States to get work in the Spring & has not succeeded yet. there are 3 Children 5. 3. 1. Great distress recomd. Bread & Coal

118. Harriett Gordon: 53 Walton Street living with 2 Sisters Canadians 40. 34. 31. 1 is sickly & cannot work the two others are out of work for some time. They are very deserving poor & in great need of Coal. 600 Coal

119. Margaret Virgien: 22 High Street English Ch of E. 5 years in Toronto 1 Boy 8. 3 Girls 15. 10. 8. husband in ill health wife unable to get work had assistance last year recommend Coal & Bread

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120. Mrs. Wright: 190 Bathurst Street English Methodist 1 girl 7 Months have 1 room rent [dollars] 2 1/2 Cannot find work but willing to do it Recommend Bread & Coal

121. Lizzie McCaul: 25 Hackney Street old widow knows enough to live but little work Coal was sent to same house there are many others in greater want near her. Recommends Bread once or twice

122. Mrs. Hackett: Corner High & Hackney Street. 3 Boys 18.15.8 3 Girls 19.10.3 Husband died 6 Months ago not strong or well eldest girl gets work but earns little boy had work till a short time ago Children are kind to their mother Recommend Coal

123. John Murlay: 34 Monk Street English. 3 years in Toronto 3 Boys 12.8.4. 3 Girls 13.5.1 1/2 he has been out of work for months think that he wants energy I would recommend Coal & Bread

124. George Stork: rear 61 Maitland Street English Methodist labourer 26 years in Toronto no Children he had work for some time past cannot get it his age is 53 wife 43. Recommend Coal & Bread

125. Mary Ann Oakley: 233 Kingston Road. I find they are very hard up cant get any work the husband is a Sadler by trade there are only 4 of Family & they would be thankful for any thing you could do for them.

126. Richard Boddy: 65 English Ch of E 40 years in Canada Most of his time in Toronto labourer

127. Thomas Evitt: 76. Irish Ch of E. an old Pensioner 27 years in Toronto very helpless brought here by a man with whom he boarded because Evitt would not pay his board his wife has been an inmate in this house for some time is nearly as helpless as her husband case to be considered on Friday next.

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128. William Harden: in case 1055 in 1878 had leave to go out & has not returned

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Present Revd. Dean Grasett & Messrs. A.T. McCord J. Fleming & W.J. MacDonell

129. Charles Hudson: 66 Garrison Street labourer out of work wife. Ann. & 3 Children 10.5.4. they are very much in need of Coal & Bread

130. Charlotte Wolton: Wellington Hotel Strachan Avenue is here on her way to her husbands in British Colombia her daughter aged 15 years has been working but the woman with whom she hired is obliged



to dismiss her as her (the womans) husband is out of work just now her other 2 Children aged 8.7. are of course altogether dependant on her Recommend them for Bread & Coal

131. Mary McGery: 212 Niagara Street has been a widow for 5 Years has 4 Children aged 16.14.12.9. the oldest of them is not able to get any work for some time I would Recommend Bread & Coal

132. Julia Marshman: 94 Little Adelaide Street husbands labourer cant get work nor is he very Strong Since an accident he was the victim of Some time ago. there are 8 Children 18.16.14.10.8.6.2 the 2 eldest are generally at work the daughter is working in the laundry but the Son has not had any for a couple of weeks Recommend Bread & Coal

133. Henry Elliott: 187 Dundas Street. English 6 years out wife & 2 Children 7.4. he is a Methodist & by trade a Carpenter but out of work he is a very respectable Man Recommend him for Coal for present use

134. Mrs. Fisher: Dundas Street 2nd door west Dover Court Road She is a widow with 4 Children whom she supports entirely

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by her needle she is most respectable & Worthy in every way & I beg to Recommend her to the favourable consideration of the Board for some Coal

135. Elizabeth Goddard: Browns lane reported on before

136. Elizabeth Healey: 479 Queen Street West from Newfoundland a respectable woman with Sick husband Recommend Coal Bread & Sick Allowance

137. Eliza Urquhart: rear 76 William Street. 4 Boys & 3 girls all small they are very poor the mother is a very industrious woman but she is Sickly for the last few months & cannot work husband cannot work. Recommend Bread & hard Coal

138. Daniel Cowey: rear 56 William Street he has no work & his wife cannot find any either Recommends Bread & Coal for a while

139. Mary Ann Pickburn: 23 Clyde Street aged 39 husband 29. A labourer with no work for some time past there are no Children. he is an Englishman Seemingly poor. I can scarcely say why 2 young people without encumbrance should be in this State Recommend Aid for a Month.

140. Mary Burke: 102 Boulton Street Widow Irish R.C. She has rather poor health works when She can get it to do & is able no family Recommend Bread & Coal

141. Mary Ann Oliver: 102 Boulton Street English Ch of E husband & Wife Same age 40 Years 6 Children 4 Boys 13.11.8 & baby 8 Months Girls 7. & 5 Years. husband labourer but no work children go to School Recommend Coal & Bread

142. Elizabeth Constantine: 89 Boulton Street English Baptist Widow no family 75 Years old in delicate health She only wants Coal

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143. James Clearey: 85 Queen Street West Canadian Baptist aged 42. Wife 32. 1 Child 2 years old husband Gardener has not had work for some time their room looks as they require some Coal & Bread

144. Margaret Sullivan: 23 Melinda Street Irish R.C. 60 years old never was married Recommends Coal & Bread

145. Mary Alexander: 154 King Street East 2nd Flat 38 years old widow 4 Children Recommend 8 [pounds] Bread & Coals

146. Ellen Barker: 5 Whites Block Duke Street 23 Years old husband 27 Years labourer 2 Children cant get work recommend 6 [pounds] Bread & Coals

147. Dan Jeffers: rear 119 Jarvis Street. Called. Not in.

148. Josephine Goodsey: 101 George Street left there

149. Mrs. Smith: Sherbourne Street No. 36. 35 years old husband left her Blacksmith by trade 4 Children all girls quite young Recommend 8 [pounds] Bread

150. William Warner: 51 Duchess Street 38 Years old Wife 32 labourer cant get work 4 Children Recommend 6 [pounds] Bread & Coals

151. Mary Murphy: rear 23 Queen Street East Widow 32. Irish. R.C. has 1 Child 1 year old appears very destitute gets no assistance from any other Society think She goes round begging & I think she partakes freely of whiskey She has not any stove of her own & I think she lives a few days in one place & then goes to another when She has not anything to pay her way. I leave her in the hands of the Committee to do what is best.

152. Mrs. Matthews: 69 Queen Street East Married aged 34 husband labourer aged 41. She is very sick with Congestion of the lungs & really wants some nourishment the husband cannot get any work No Children but they are Miserably poor Recommend Coal at once & a Supply of Groceries

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153. Sarah Kidd: rear 64 Lombard Street a married person who has had assistance from the House last year See last report Recommend Coal & Bread

154. Jane Fraser: 10 King Street East Top Flat out at home when visitor called

155. Jane Prescott Abby Lane East from Sherbourne Street See report 21st January 1878. 1 boy earns [dollars] 3 p[er] week another [dollars] 2.25 at box factory does her best to get on Recommend Coal once 6 [pounds] Bread

156. Jane Hall: 363 King Street East called at 2 P.M. Knocked at door heard Someone moving inside but I could not get in

157. Harriett Jacobs: 83 Cherry Street See report Jany. 19th 1870. husband a Shoemaker has Rheumatic's 2 Boys working 3 other Children including girls aged 6 all at home would give her some Coke

158. Elizabeth Healey: 51 Trinity Street husband labourer out of work 6 years here from London. 1 Girl 18 earns [dollars] 1.50 a week. One 10: a Cripple one 6 years husband not in Recommend Coal once & 6 [pounds] Bread

159. Emma Callon: 12 St. Lawrence Street husband painter out of work 7 years here from London 6 Children. Girls 18.14.10.8.5. & baby have things in pawn Methodist husband not in Suggested where he might find employment would Recommend Coal & 8 [pounds] Bread

160. Margaret Fahey: 79 Tate Street Same house with Caroline Spinks. See 19 Ultio. [ultimo] Widow 33 Years here from Limerick R.C. recommend Coal alternatively with Mrs. S. as both use the Same Stove

161 Ellen Berry: 100 Bishop Street previously reported husband who is a painter has had no work for past

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3 weeks & probably will have none until March wife is troubled with Asthma Consider very deserving of Fuel & Bread

162. Joseph Blyine: 66 Hope Street R.C. Painter here 2 years from U.S. 2 Children 1.3 years Girl. 1 Boy 6 years husband out of work for past 5 weeks wife is ill very Clean & tidy consider deserving of Sick Relief fuel & Bread

163. Mary Ann Hammond: Clinton Street near Bloor St Piano Maker been at labouring work last but not since Novr. last has 7 Children 2 Girls 3 & 6 Years 5 Boys 15.13.10.3 & 2 Years. eldest is earning [dollar] 1 P [per] Week wife has been ill for past 3 Months lungs & heart being affected have been begging from door to door to Save themselves from Starvation Consider deserving of Sick Relief fuel & Bread

164. Maria Neil: 187 Centre Street Ch of E husband out of work 3 Boys 11.5.2 1 Girl 7. Recommend Coal & Bread

165. Elizabeth Larkin: 73 Edward Street Ch of E husband R.C. out of work & disabled for a time 2 Boys 9.7. years Recommend Coal only once

166. Julia Beatty: 181 Centre Street. Not Known here

167. Jane Gregg: 79 Chestnut Street Ch of E. Widow confined to bed 1 Girl 11 years Recommend Coal Bread & Groceries once

168. Harriett Phillips: 72 Louisa Street Widow CH of E no Children cant find employment Recommend Coal & Bread

169. John Malom: 52 Emma Street Wife States no help wanted

170. Mary Sharp: 211 Elizabeth Street Ch of E. Cold. [Coloured] Woman husband out of employment 5 Boys 12.10.7.5.1 years Recommend Coal & Bread

171. Elizabeth Elliott: 92 Edward Street Widow Ch of E dressmaker. Recently from Ottawa no employment Boy 14

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1 Girl 12. doing nothing Recommend Coal & Bread

172. Annie Whitehouse: 56 Elizabeth Street in Basement Found her in bed Drunk. none but herself to provide for

173. Mary Marsden: 65 Albert Street Presbyterian Widow no employment 1 Infant Recommend Coal once & Bread

174. Arthur Muldoon: rear 51 Queen Street West Sickly 1 Boy at work Recommend Coal only once

175. Eliza White: 23 Hackney Street Ch of E. husband labourer 3 Years in Toronto 4 Boys 12.9.7.2. 1 Girl 2 husband met with accident Recommend Coal & Bread

176. John Williams: 20 Bright Street labourer Ch of E 6 Years from England 5 Children 3 Girls eldest 12. 2 Boys. Nice clean & well brought up man no work was Sick in Summer house very clean woman tidy & respectable & think deserving Recommend Coke & Bread nothing in house.

177. Henry W. Ridler: 171 Pine Street labourer Ch of E 4 Small children house very dirty & Woman untidy Says She expects landlord to turn them out & Sell for 2 Months Rent. 7 Years from England think them Slovenly but Seem in want Recommend Coke & Bread

178. Mary North: 210 Niagara Street She is not a Strong woman herself her husband a Brakesman on one of the trains is home Sick since day before yesterday her eldest daughter has been a simpleton since infancy 21 Years. is Subject to fits during which She is so unmanageable that none but Mrs. N. herself can do any thing with her so this fact of course prevents her going out to work her next daughter is a Consumptive Girl. Not Strong. She has another a Cripple obliged to walk with a Crutch & a little blind Boy So considering her pitiable circumstances would be charity to give her Sick allowance

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179. Mary Ann Beatty: 3 Downeys lane Ch of E. house small got a Sewing Machine Seems industrious has got nothing no firing. If she was helped a little I think she & her husband would be able to get on Recommend Coke & Bread

180. Henry Belt: rear 17 Terauley St. Coloured U.S. aged 65 Ch of E. Has a very bad foot & cannot walk out Would advise Coal & Bread

181. Albert & Jane Symmes: rear 23 Edward Street large family. English Ch of E. family able to make a living if they had work would advise assistance

182. Margaret Beck: 46 Edward Street lives in a small broken down house Would Send Some Coal & Bread

183. Thomas Kerby: 60 Garrison Street he is a labourer without work. Charlotte his wife aged 29. 3 Children Aged 10.4.1 Years. her mother lives with her works when She can get it Recommend Coal & Bread

184. John Meek: 7 St David Street Aged 38 Wife 33. 5 Children Girls 10.9.7.4. 7 Months English Ch of E 3 Year in Toronto had relief last Year Recommend Groceries at once & Coal as soon as possible

185. Ann Donnally: 654 Queen Street West is about 40 years of age has no one to support her but her own work for herself & 3 Children 12.10.8. She is an industrious woman & deserving of Coal & Bread

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186. Thomas Evitt: in case 127. Weekly Committee would refer case to general board

187. Charles Stephens: 20 High Street 1 Girl 5 years house tidy he is a ~~Stair~~ ^straw hat^ Maker are not in very great want Recommend Small Coal

188. Wilson Winters: 143 Hope Street 43 Years of age Painter. U.S.

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living in Toronto 18 Months. Wife 37. English Ch of E. 2 Children Boy 15. Girl 11. house clean but scantily furnished appear most intelligent & respectable people have been very unfortunate of late the youngest Child after a long Sickness died & the expences attending the illness & funeral exhausted their Means. The husband a few weeks ago had both feet badly frozen is still laid up & likely to remain So for Some time the wife works when She can get it at the Sewing Machine Recommend immediate help in the Shape of Bread & Coal

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Present Messrs. R. Gilmor J.W. Drummond

W.J. MacDonnell Saml. [Samuel] Alcorn Wm. Howland & Revd. A. Baldwin

189. Elizabeth Jones: Howard Street head of Parliament St. Irish Ch of E. Boy 1 year 2 Girls 5.2 1/2 Widow & is worthy of assistance

190. Edith Graham: 33 Givens Street husband Labourer when he can get work works on the drains but is now out of employment he is Irish Ch of E. 11 years in this Country in Toronto all the time. will make further inquiries in the meantime would Recommend Some Coal

191. Michael McCarty: 28 William Street he is a professional beggar & I think he might get along well without the assistance of the House.

192. James Ryan: 20 William Street an old man would Recommend Bread

193. Mary Edmunds: 141 Victoria Street See report 3rd. Dec. 1878

194. Mary Webb: 96 Queen St East an old pensioner See former report

195. Bridget Robinson: 96 Queen St East was not in when I called out at work

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196. Mrs. Ashton: 2 Soho Street Widow Ch of E. She is aged & past work & has poor health 1 Child a girl of 11. They are supported intirely by Charity Recommend Bread & Coal & as She is now Sick the usual Sick allowance

197. Maria Day: 71 Louisa Street Married English Ch of E 7 Children boys 12.7.4 Girls 11.10.6.1 1/2 years wants Coal & Bread

198. Rose Whiter: 5 Clifford Street off Strachan Avenue. Aged 33. husband 38. labourer cant get work 3 Children 12. 5. 2 1/2 Years. Recommend Bread & Coal

199. James Bellingham: 27 Garrison Street aged 60 years Wife 40. 1 Girl 10. the man cannot get any work would recommend Bread & Coal

200. Mary Clark: 50 Duchess Street 45 Years old Widow living by washing & Scrubbing 1 Child Recommend 4 [pounds] Bread & Coal

201. Michael Gilooly: 78 Duchess Street 37 Years old Wife 35 Years. 4 Children husband worked in a Grocery Store cant get employment Recommend 6 [pounds] Bread & Coals

202. Sidney King: 101 Sherbourne Street 46 Years old widower has been in the hospital with a Sprained foot I would recommend [pounds] Bread & Coals once

203. Michael Honan: 91 Jarvis Street 45 years old Wife 35. 5 Children cant get work very poor Recommend 8 [pounds] Bread & Coals

204. Henry Ray: 1 Duke Street 44 Years old Wife 45 husband Mason by trade cant get work 4 Children Recommend 8 [pounds] Bread & Coals

205. Rebecca Scott: 15 Sydenham Street. Baptist Cold. [Coloured] Woman 2 Children a little thing a Cripple the other a baby a few weeks old husband in the Country & has work there but has been unable to get any pay for weeks Recommend her for Coal once & a few Groceries & Bread for a Month Case to be again refered to me

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206. Mary Kennedy: Ramsays lane South Side 2 doors from Ontario Street husband & Wife & 17 Children at home was reported upon in 77 [1877]. I then expressed great doubts of the husbands Sobriety & now the poor woman tells me that he has gone utterly to the bad has been in mail for the last 3 Months She seems a hard working respectable woman would Recommend Coal twice Bread for 6 weeks

207. Ellen Bateman: 27 St. Davids Street husband & Wife & 4 Children 11.9.7.1 3/4. The husband has injured his leg & has also been Suffering from Ague all the Autumn he is out of employment now & they represent themselves as being in great distress think they should have Coal once bread for a Month then the case to be again refered

208. Jane Biddlecombe: 154 Pine Street Ch of E. husband & Wife & 3 Young Children 11.5.1 1/2. husband a labourer out of work. The wife had a miscarriage 2 weeks ago which has left her very weak & unfit for work. They appear to be respectable people & in great want at present. Recommend Bread for 6 weeks Coal twice

209. Mary Baskenville: 157 Berkeley Street called twice not in either time

210. Catherine Heaney)

211. Margaret Currie) 29 Ontario Street Neither of them were in when I called but I did not hear a very good report of them.

212. Ann Hooper: Stibbs Row Bishop Street Ch of E. husband labourer no work of any account for past 3 Months has a disabled hand has 1 Boy 10. desires fuel Bread [etc.]

213. Ellen Williams :172 Bishop Street Ch of E. labourer no work for past 6 Months wife very ill with inflammatory Rheumatism has 1 boy aged 2 years 1 Girl 6. are very deserving of Sick relief Coal Bread [etc.]

214. Mary Ann Oswin: 47 Strachan Street. Having

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a very large family 9 in all desires that her allowance of Bread be increased.

215. Mary Rice: 104 Herbert Street Bread only furnished in this Case. consider her deserving of Coal also greatly in need

216. Minney Hunter: 25 Elizabeth Street Ch of E husband Sick no Children very poor Recommend Coal & Bread

217. James Hall: 6 Christopher Street Aged Cold. [Coloured] Man alone Recommend Coal once

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218. Charlotte Symons: rear 25 Elizabeth Street Ch of E. very poor & Sickly. 1 Boy 17. earns [dollars] 1.50. p [per] week. 1 Girl 13. Recommend Coal & Bread. She wants an allowance of groceries.
219. Elizabeth Morris: rear 34 Centre Street Widow Ch of E. 2 girls 16.14. income from labour [dollar] 1.50 p [per] week wants Coal & Bread
220. William Dell: rear 49 Emma Street. Ch of E. husbands long out of work 1 Girl 15. out of Employment Boys 14.10.2 1/2 Years Recommend Coal & Bread
221. Patrick OBrien: 100 Chestnut Street Seem to be living with abandoned Women not worthy of any help.
222. John Tracy: 100 Chestnut Street Same report as Case 221
223. Doctor Sheppard: rear 90 Elizabeth Street Baptist Ch. Cold. [Coloured] Man. White Wife. no Children Recommend Coal once.
224. Janet Smith: 15 Brunswick Avenue. Not in when I called but was told by the party who has one flat of the house that she is industrious & Sews when she can get work. her husband has had a Needle run in his hands 4 Months ago they are very poor in consequence not having literally nothing to eat 4 Children eldest a boy 7. English Aid Recommended
225. Margaret Brennan: 25 Clyde Street aged 34. husband

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38. out of work for the last 2 weeks. was sick most of the summer Is a delicate man 3 Children eldest a girl 16. who is usually in. Service but is now at home sick 2 other Girls 6.5. apparently respectable house clean & tidy. Irish Presbyterian. Aid recommended for a Month
226. William Reynolds: 369 Front Street East. he had gone to Hospital to see his wife; 20 years in Toronto. from Ireland he is a bottler by trade was generally employed by McCormick & Co Yonge Street but at present is doing nothing Children 10.8.5.3 & 4 Months Ch of E. Give her some Coke
227. Sarah McGuire: Mill Street. 1st Shanty on North side east of Water Street. Widow 33. English 1 Son 30. living with her but he is a worthless fellow of little use. Mother Supports both by washing R.C. Recommend Coal once
228. Margaret McGowan: 22 1/2 Church Street 3rd Storey Spinster troubled with Asthma spent most of her time in Service. Will go to some Public Institution in the Spring Mean while lives with Mrs. Whalan who will call for her allowance was born in Co. [County] Derry. & has been some 40 years in Toronto R.C. Recommend Coal once & Sick Allowance

229. Elizabeth Adamson: 139 Hope Street aged 41. Scotch Widow. husband Killed a few months since by a fall at Exhibition Buildings. 5 Children Boys 17.15.12. Girls 13.11. eldest boy & girl out at work but getting little or no wages. She appears a respectable intelligent woman House & Children Clean & Comfortable no means to support her family only by her own work Recommend Coal

230. Ann Dogger: 484 King Street East Widow Ch of E. Charwoman 4 Small Children Clean & hard-working. Think deserving & destitute has had work occasionally none at present Recommend Coke & Bread during winter

231. Patrick Campbell: not at home when I called

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232. Samuel Parks: 33 Gerrard Street East (handy man about place) English Ch of E. Seems very respectable clean & deserving 2 Boys who earn [dollars] 2.50 a week between them aged 13.11.4 little Children. Old feeble Mother of wife lives with them man Says no work recommend Coke & Bread for the present

233. James Fundy: rear 47 Sumach Street no children works at rag picking Think they Should manage for themselves. House clean not destitute they think they should get help because others do.

234. Frances Hamilton: 289 Wilton Avenue east Pine Ch of E. 1 Girl 12 at Service who pays rent getting [dollars] 3 p [per] M. [month] lives by herself house very clean & tidy she says is Rheumatic in need of Fuel at once & bread occasionally

235. Joseph Reed: 19 Bell Street English Ch of E. labourer no work at present has worked & will again when bricks are made with Wagstaff (K. Rd.) {Kingston Road?} woman complaining & probably not strong but making most of everything 2 Girls at Service 5 Small Children Send Coke once & Bread if thought proper. probably must be helped for a short time tho' man Should make effort to get work

236. Mrs. Warr: 169 Oak Street. At request of Mr. Beatty & Some ladies visited Mrs. W. She makes no complaints but is in want as husband tho' in work gets nothing for some time Children ailing. Recommend if possible some flour to give her a start

237. Thomas Humphreys: 22 1/2 Alice Street Is a very respectable Man he is much in want for necessary food & fuel. Please give him what you can. he is not in any (Mr. Obrien) district but I can guarantee the facts

238. Margaret Newton: 95 Ann Street Irish R.C. 18 Years in Toronto 2 Boys 9.8. Girl 6. Woman appears decent & husbands character not good drinks freely Recommend Bread & Coal

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239. Elizabeth Crofton: 81 Wood Street English Ch of E. 25 Years in Toronto 3 Boys 23.16.8. 5 Girls 20.17.15.13.7. all at home a very respectable family husband when living had a good Govt. Situation eldest Son is in Lawyers Hall pays the rent & Renders them assistance Recommend Coal & a bag of Flour same as last year

240. Mrs. Adams: I find that she lives in the County of York outside City Limits. (Mr. Pape)

241. Charlotte Simmonds: rear 25 Elizabeth Street widow 2 Children English Ch of E. I Know of no one more worthy of help than she is has been very ill for Several weeks Recommend Bread Coal & Groceries.

242. Catherine Irwin: in case 1601 in 1878 left on her own accord

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243. James Ryan: 26 William Street an old man alone he has no work very poor Recommend Bread & Coal

244. Elizabeth Perkins: 20 Renfrew Street. husband has work only once in awhile she has been unwell for few weeks they might receive assistance for a while

245. William Cline 100 Chestnut Street Eh [Ch] of E out of work Wife Sick. 2 Children away Recommend Coal once & Bread

246. Elizabeth Beatty: 182 Centre Street husband out of work 2 Girls 16.12. 6 Boys 18.10.8.6.4.2. Boy & Girl & Self earns together 2 to 3 dollars a week would recommend Coal & Bread

247. Honora Kelly: 96 Elizabeth Street R.C. deserted by

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her husband no children lives with a poor family would recommend Bread only.

248. Harriett McLaughlan: rear 155 Centre Street Ch of E Widow. 1 Girl 9. very poor Recommend Bread & Coal

249. Agusta Norris: 83 Hayter Street Widow Methodist 1 girl 8. 1 Boy 11. earns about 2 25/- p [per] week Recommend Coal once & bread

250. Lavina Morton: 166 King Street west English Ch of E. 2 children boy 12. girl 5 husband not a good man left her 4 years ago dont know anything of him or where he is she works at Tailoring making fine vests her health is not good I think that she needs Coal & Bread

251. Maria Fullerton: 101 Adelaide Street west Irish Ch of E 32 years old 1 Child 18 Months husband French Canadian but a terrible drunkard he dont come near her she is very hard of hearing Recommend Coal & Bread

252. Maria Chapman: 93 Boulton Street English Ch of E husband 50. Wife 49. daughter 19. much afflicted with heart disease not capable of doing work 1 Son 17 does what work he can Girls 15. 13. The Mother says she cant get a place for the 15 year Girl not being able to clothe her in a proper maner 1 boy 7 & girl 3. husband not able to do anything he was lying in Bed a miserable looking creature sometimes in bed & sometimes out of bed I think the help should be continued by the house

253. Patience Savage: 590 Bathurst Street 49 Years of age born in L'pool [Liverpool] England Married husband 60. Are Supporting 3 Orphan Children left by their 2 daughters would recommend assistance in Fuel & Groceries

254. Minney Wilson: 1 Whites Block Duke Street 20 years old husband 38. left her 8 Months ago 3 Children would recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

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255. Emma Robinson: 1 Whites Block Duke Street 22 years old husband left her 8 weeks ago 1 Child 18 Months old Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal.

256. Alice Connolly: 11 Britian [Britain] Street 34 years old. husband 42 labourer cant get work recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

257. Elizabeth Fahey: 48 Duchess Street 38 years old widow 1 Child Charwoman Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

258. Joh [John] L. Smith: 197 Ontario Lane 26 years old Wife 25 1 Child Printer by trade cant get work very poor would recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

259. Josephine Goodsey: 101 George Street left there
260. Mary McCan: 32 Eleanor Street Irish R.C. 20 years in Toronto 1 Boy 3. Recommend Bread
261. Eliza Fisher: 66 High Street widow English Wesleyan 2 years in Toronto 4 boys 23. 21. 19. 11. 1 Girl 8. deserving of assistance Recommend Coal
262. Hannah Randal: 58 Eleanor Street English Ch of E 6 years in Toronto 2 Boys 14. 9 years. This woman is sick in bed recommend Coal Bread Soup & also a few groceries
263. William Harding: 57 Ann Street age 48 years English Ch of E Brakesman 14 years in Toronto 1 Girl 10. he was on the Canada Southern where he got his leg broken is pretty much disabled & can do little work recommend Coal & Bread
264. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond Street East Widow has received assistance from the House for a many years Recommend to get the usual relief Coal & Bread.
265. Catherine Ryan: 39 Lombard Street wrong number must have been given as the house No 39. is vacant & has

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been for some time I could not get any information about her

266. Jane Fruen: 10 King Street East Top Flat widow 46 5 years from England. has 1 Son 15 out of work she goes out to wash & do general work got relief last year see last years report think she is very deserving Recommend Coal & Bread
267. Helen Longhead: 19 Agnes Street has 1 Child 4 years is reported to be a decent woman rents one room in a decent house Recommend fuel
268. Robert Hamilton: 10 Edward Street a well known applicant recommend Fuel
269. Margaret Ryan: 36 Louisa Street husband living in the States gives her no assistance 5 Children eldest 9 has an infant in arms not in strong health Recommend fuel & Bread
- 269 1/2. James Humphreys: 22 1/2 Alice Street English Ch of E. 4 Children eldest 18 Seems to be a decent man in temporary distress is anxious to work his wife has heart disease the family is in great need Recommend fuel & Bread
270. Kate Maddigan: 13 Ontario Street 4 Children boys 13. 9 Girls 10. 8 husband deserted her 3 weeks ago does not know where he has gone She is partly crippled on one side & is Scarcely fit for any work they are very destitute and I recommend Coal twice Bread for 6 weeks

271. Mary Innis: 16 Power Street 5 Children eldest 14 rest all young husband works in a Coal yard injured his arm about 3 weeks ago has been out of work for a month wife an industrious respectable woman recommend Bread for a Month

272. Lucy Moore: 138 Pine Street Had been in service for Several years & about a year ago Married a man named Moore a traveller for a Tea house here who deserted her at the time of her Confinement Selling off her things & leaving her in her weak Condition utterly destitute Recommend her for

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Coal once & a few groceries on account of the child

273. Sarah Elmsworth: 148 Pine Street husband gone to Hamilton in search of work has 4 young Children 11. 9. 7. 5. Recommend her for Coal once & bread for a Month

274. Margaret Curry: 17 Reids lane Have twice tried to find this woman out but cannot find any such person living in Reids lane

275. Elizabeth Taylor: Stibbs Row Bishop Street husband in England whither wife expects to go shortly Ch of E 2 Boys 2 & 3 years she is here 2 Months from Fall River Mass. she desires fuel & Bread

276. Emma Robinson: does not live at the address given nor in the vicinity as far as I can ascertain

277. Rebecca Davies: 180 Strachan Street had a paralytic stroke last Friday and is semi conscious her daughter has left her situation & is waiting on her. Ticket for Bread only has been granted but Coal is needed very greatly

278. Peter McIntosh: 37 Hope Street Presbyterian 3 1/2 Years from Scotland formerly Sailor but now labourer with no work & little prospect 1 Girl aged 10 years have pawned some of their clothes for fuel. Desire fuel & Bread

279. Elizabeth Healey: 479 Queen Street west Irish Ch of E. husband ill & not likely to recover recommend Coal Bread & Sick Allowance

280. Minney Connors: Browns lane Irish Ch of Rome Widow 1 girl 6 Years Charwoman but not able to get work Recommend Coal & Bread

281. Elizabeth Hagarty: 142 Little Richmond Street Irish husband a sailor who has deserted her & left her with 2 Children to support recommend Coal & Bread

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282. Ellen Weir: rear 370 Adelaide Street west Irish Ch of E husband a locksmith 4 Children 2 girls 14. 5. 2 Boys 16. 9. husband & wife might earn money & do well if it were not for the drink so at least the visitor has been informed

283. Martha Travis: 99 Portland Street a respectable English woman husband Carpenter who came to Toronto 5 Months ago but has made no provision for winter and cannot get work no family Recommend Coal & Bread

284. Harriett Leith: 370 Adelaide Street West Canadian husband a labourer out of work did very well till his wife took ill several Months ago 7 Children Recommend Coal Bread & Sick allowance

285. Caroline Gilmour: rear 393 Queen Street west widow Canadian 4 Children a father who is almost blind & not able to do anything for her Recommend Coal & Bread

286. Margaret Hill: 592 Queen Street west Irish widow 2 Children widowed sick sister who is helpless lives with her recommend Coal Bread & Sick allowance

287. Henry Jas. Collins: 142 Little Richmond Street West Indian by birth Married 1 Child out of work since Novr. not able to get employment Recommend Coal

288. Ellen Davie: 55 Sumach Street see old report husband out of work not strong has spinal complaint & cannot do hard work works at lathing none at present house clean & respectable 5 Children 3 Small 1 Big boy out of work Think there Steady recommend Coke & Bread for 1 Month

289. Ellen Kearns: 373 Queen Street East has left cant say where now

290. Bridget Hagan: 52 Saint David Street lives with a man & woman named Elliott who gave her room rent free She is not able to work much if at all looks as if she drank But Elliotts seem respectable & Steady has a boy 14 who does a little

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also a Married daughter who she says cant help her would Recommend Bread occasionally

291. Mrs. Frere: 37 Pine Street says she has not applied for relief

292. Mrs. May: 41 Pine Street Has been hoping to get some Coke. (See my report)

293. James Humphreys: 22 1/2 Alice Street Wife & 4 Small Children. Recommended by Mr. OBrien who says but for assistance from myself he worked for me last summer on a farm which has since been sold he had no work & cant get any clean respectable & Steady They should have some Coal & Bread at once They are reduced to breaking up furniture to burn he has been at the house several times & I am told has not been visited

294. Richard Thomas: 41. English Guernsey Brittish Isles 6 years in Toronto Clerk out of employment seeks shelter for a time promises to make himself generally useful

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295. Sarah Farrell: 50 Duchess Street 50 years old husband lately from the Hospital not able to work Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

296. Mary Elliget: 31 Duchess Street 40 years old husband 43 labourer 1 Child cant get work recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals.

297. Josephine Goodsey: 104 George Street 22 years old Husband left her 6 weeks ago 3 Children recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

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298. Thomas Woods: 40 Centre Street R.C. old man boards With a family receiving help from the House recommend one loaf

299. James Johnson: rear 11 Soho Street No family Ch of E. he states that he has been out of work for 5 weeks & has lost 3 weeks wages through Mr. Gearing. he states that in his time he has had his drop of liquor but not now or of late his landlord corroborates this latter statement of his sobriety recommend Fuel & Bread

300. Mary Campbell: Saint Paul Street at end R.C. 5 Children man says no work. She Chores. House extra dirty Man seems rather clean than the rest of them cant find anything about them not very favourably impressed perhaps Coke once or so

301. Jane Hammond: 97 Pine Street She complains of hard times. her son seemed annoyed she should have applied & says he is to have work this week for a Month or so [at] 90 [cents] or [dollar] 1 per day who will Keep them. In addition she gets fuel from the House of Industry

302. Mrs. Campbell: 32 Amelia Street Recommended by Col Moffatt for 1/2 Ton Coal & a bag of Flour if it could be sent by other than a H. of I. [House of Industry] cart. I would feel obliged

303. Henry Heysman: 5 Reids lane East Side St Sydenham husband wife & 4 Children 12. 9. 6. 2. husband a Corporation labourer out of work at present except occasional jobs of snow Shovelling had tolerably steady work through the Summer Recommend Coal once Bread for a Month

304. Mrs. Robertson: 15 Centre Street in rear. her boy & one girl are out of employment & the family depends upon the wages of the Girl which wages have been reduced Recommended by Revd. J. Pearson for fuel

305. Fredrico Greaves: 40 Richmond Street west German aged 50, husband English Ch of E aged 64. husband

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has not been to work nearly two years wife dont get as much work as she would like to get recommend Coal & Bread

306. Bridget Robinson: 96 Queen Street East 40 Years of age Irish C of E Charwoman 2 girls 9. 12. gets very little work at present Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal

307. Evelina Randolph: 90 Victoria Street aged 65 American Baptist Ch. Shirt maker Widow has been 45 Years in Toronto is troubled with Rheumatism Recommend Coal once

308. Margaret Gloyns: 16 Lombard Street was not in when I called refer to last years report

309. Sarah Malone 73 Queen Street East aged 64 Irish R C widow has no room of her own would recommend 4 lbs. Bread

310. Amelia Partridge: 83 Grosvenor Avenue Married 55 English Ch of E 3 Children Girls 26. 15. boy 13. Recommended by Revd. A.J. Broughall for 1200 lbs. Coal by private Cart

311. Jane Trahee: 32 Monk Street recommended by Mr. Gzowski for to send her Coal tomorrow if possible her house is very open & the little Children will suffer if the fuel runs out this is an urgent case.

312. Elizabeth Jury: rear 25 Melinda Street. Dr. Wagner Certify's that she has been in delicate health for some time & is in rather destitute circumstances at the present time

313. Mary Hughes: Stibbs Row Bishop Street Ch of E. husband in hospital with bleeding at the lungs has no Children wife works when possible to obtain it more lately very clean & tidy premises desires fuel & Bread

314. Ann Suthers: Stibbs Row husband labourer aged 59 disabled arm & has had no work since November last

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Wife aged 68. unable to do work of any moment no Children Ch of E. obtained last relief 8 years ago & do not require anything now but fuel

315. John Henderson: 189 Bishop Street Widower Presbyterian has had no work for past month Son aged 17 no work daughter 10 & one 17 Keeps house Carpenter by occupation but has latterly been doing labouring work desires fuel Bread [etc.]

316. Mrs. Cracknell: 185 Bishop Street Three large loaves of bread weekly are necessary to avoid Starvation & sick allowance for Mrs. Cracknell who is ill

317. Sarah Williams: 69 Emma Street resides in back part of house of ill repute no Children states her husband is out of work but did not see any husband

318. Catherine Freeman: 91 Elizabeth Street Widow Ch of E 1 daughter 18. out of work Mother poorly recommend Coal once

319. Margaret Shantol: 113 1/2 University Street R C husband likely to get work this week. Recomd. help for a week

320. George Markby: 258 Elizabeth Street Ch of E. Sailor out of work 2 Girls 7. 2. 5 Boys 17. 11. 9. 5. 3. wants Coal & Bread

321. Mrs. Mackett: 33 Buchanan Street Ch of E husband blind 4 Girls 16. 11. 6 1 Boy 17. earns [dollars] 4 per week

322. Mrs. Carroll: 15 Centre Street not in need of assistance

323. Elizabeth Thompson: 140 Brock Street widow aged 32 1 Child a boy aged 6. besides having 2 Brothers Aged 11. helpless one 9. & a sister 13. to support Canadian Ch of E. recommended by Revd. J.D. Cayley for assistance

324. James English: 1 Cecil Street 3 years in Toronto labourer 5 Children 2 girls 3 Boys youngest 2 years is a Sober man trying do what he can to support his family Recomd. Coal & Bread

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325. Margaret Fox: 253 King Street East husband a leadworker 2 years from the States born in Montreal is unable to work at his trade having contracted what is called lead Colic 2 girls 14 (Sick) 9. R.C. Recommend Coal which is all she asks
326. Joseph Dilmer: 425 King Street East Carpenter out of work 3 years here from Rochester Wife confined yesterday of a still born infant 2 Girls 7. 4. 2 Boys 4. 2 years Recommend Coal 8 lbs. Bread & Sick allowance
327. Margaret Oliver: 151 South Park Street last house on South side of Street. husband just able to crawl about labourer 4 years here from Ireland Boys 11. 9. 4. Girls 7. 6. 2. was flooded last summer & has been sick ever Since Recommend 8 lbs. Bread Coal once
328. Sarah Binns: 140 Mill Street Widow, 2 years from Philadelphi [Philadelphia] 4 Years from old Country 1 girl 2 years old Ch of E washes for living brother assists her to pay rent but I advise her to procure less expensive rooms Recommend Coal & 6 lbs. Bread
329. William Whitman: 87 Cherry Street See report 20th Decr. 1876. Thinks Mr. Softly recommended them Children are in the Country only self & wife at home
330. Sarah Warrell: Cherry Street back of the Pound See report 19th Dec 1868 [1878?] An old woman deaf recommended by Mr. R. Wilkes an adopted daughter with her. Would recommend Coal once
331. Eliza Woods: Cherry St next door & daughter to Mrs. Warrell widow with 7 Children was not in could learn nothing more of the case than is now stated
332. Catherine Naughton: 283 Front Street East husband in hospital with broken leg 3 Boys 12. 6. 3. 4 Girls 14. 10. 8. 1 Year eldest children work for Mr. Cooper & left to maintain the family came here from Sligo when 3 years

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of age R. C. Recommend Coal & 8 lbs. Bread.

333. Fanny Price: 94 Ann Street Scotch Presbyterian 4 Months in Toronto 1 Boy 2 years. The woman appears decent & respectable husband a bad Character at present in Central [Central] Prison where he was sent for 6 Months for drunkenness & bad Conduct she is in the house with another woman who

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gets assistance but her Coals are done leaving sickness & 2 Young Children in the house Recommend Bread & Coal

334. Jenny Hunter: rear 91 McGill Street husband labourer 20 years in Toronto 1 Girl 9 Months husband cannot get work appears very decent people do not go to Church Want Coal only. please send it without the woman calling as she has a young Child

335. Ann Holt: rear 43 Esther Street English Ch of E 8 years in Toronto 4 Boys 12. 8. 3. 1 1/2 Years 2 Girls 6. 5. husband works on the drains but had no work for 2 Months is a steady man wife smart & tidy Recommend Coal

336. Jane Griffiths: 15 Brunswick Avenue aged 26 husband 37 a labourer who has had no work for past 5 weeks on account of inflammation of the lungs he is not yet able to work 2 Children 1 Boy 4. Girl 2. Scotch Presbyterian Recommend aid for a Month & an allowance of groceries Coal once

337. Annie Stewart: Borden Street west side I reported this case before as unworthy she says her husband has left her

338. Mrs. Lusty: 117 Bleaker [Bleecker] Street Irish Widow Methodist 65 years of age no Children very respectable Recommended by Mr. J Paterson for Coal

339. Thomas Evitt: in case 127 died on the 21st January at 10 oclock P.M. aged 76 years

340. Annie Barlow: in case 1042 [1878?] in had leave to see her daughter on Saturday last did not return until Wednesday. Was told

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to come on Friday and apply for re admission

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341. Jasper Cook: 53 Years of age Native of Ireland Presbyterian Church 23 Years in Toronto Wife dead & Children all away from him allowed to remain in Building for Casuals for a week or two. Left April 14th.

342. Melinda McKenny: 90 Ann Street aged 40 Baptist husband 50. Ch of E. Varnisher has been out of work but has got work lately most of things pawned 5 Boys 2 Girls Recommend Coal once. 1/2 Ton sent from Coal Yard

343. Isabella Curry: Ramsays lane North side 1st door East of Reid husband wife & 4 Children all girls 8. 6. 4. 1 1/2 Came out from England last year was working with a farmer in the Country until the Autumn. They have been living from hand to mouth lately their means are quite exhausted & they had nothing left for it but to apply for assistance Recommend Coal once Bread for a Month Soup when they go for it

344. Mary Wilkinson: 56 Power Street. must be a mistake There is no such person there

345. Annie Hughes: 37 Cornwall Street Wife husband & his Mother an old woman of 63 Years & 2 Children Girl 10 Boy 1. Hughes is a journeyman [journeyman] tailor They married about 18 Months ago & has had Steady work until lately & now the work has stopped altogether now for the last month I do not think they can possibly struggle on without temporary assistance their greatest want is fuel Recommend Coal once bread for a couple of weeks

346. Sarah Hewish: 351 Queen Street East husband & wife only. he is a plasterer out of Work. I am afraid intemperance

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on the husbands part is at the bottom of their troubles I only saw the wife however & until I see him I would ask the Committee to allow them a little bread & Soup

347. William Tarlton: 58 Eleanor Street English Ch of E 4 years in Toronto Fireman Saved a little from work in Summer but only having 4 Months work could not save much. Not strong had bad accident some time ago by a fall recomd. Bread & Coal

348. George Banks: 30 Carrs lane off Spadina Avenue English Ch of E. 48 years Wife 50 years 5 years in Toronto 21 years from London Eng. [England] 6 Children 2 at Service 4 at home seem respectable people Wife sick in bed. He was Stores-Man for Mr. Godson for a long time no work for last 2 Months recommend Bread & Coal

349. H. {blank} Brown: rear 29 Monk Street English Ch of E 6 months in Toronto has bad leg other taken off by cars unable to do much work at any time recommend Coal

350. John Mossop: 30 Eleanor Street English Baptist Carpenter 23 years in Toronto 2 Girls 8. 7. has had sickness in her family for a long time which has Kept him poor wife is now confined to bed recommend Bread & Coal some Sugar Tea & Gruel for wife

351. Mary Allcock: 56 Richmond Street west Widow Irish Ch of E aged 37. 9 years in this country is willing to work if she could get it. 1 Boy 6 years I think she requires Coal & Bread very much

352. Dan Jeffers: rear 119 Jarvis Street 40 years old Wife 27 cant get work 4 lbs. Bread & Coals once



353. Eliza Crawford: 130 Church Street 58 years of age English Methodist husband not living with her seems to be a very respectable woman room very clean Recommend Coal & Bread

354. William Atwood: 78 Richmond Street East Could not find him at this address.

355. Abraham Parault: rear 37 Sherbourne Street French

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Canadians 12 years in Toronto from Montreal labourer out of work has 3 grown up children & 2 young ones one of the elder ones has dislocated her hip joint another is lame from some other cause R.C. The family do not appear destitute recommend Coal once & 8 lbs. Bread may not be amiss

356. Mrs. Malone: 299 Queen Street west is a widow of the late Professor Malone she has seen better days & has hidden her distress from others but her poverty having been made Known to me I have visited her from time to time & have aided her in the way of rent I have lent her this winter more than [dollars] 20 for this purpose & cannot go on any longer she has no friends or relations & her usual pupils have this winter left as she is very old she has some hopes that the Masonic Order (in which her husband held a high position) may help her meanwhile she is distressed for fuel but cannot bear the idea of her neighbours or landlady seeing her receive it from a charitable Source. Nor will her stove burn Coal either hard or Soft I beg that the Committee will give a Kindly consideration to this case as one of real need [need] & desert Recomd by Rev. J. OCayley

357. Fred Bell: 93 Claremont Street widower previously reported but has since lost his wife has had only 5 days work since November & is now effected with Rheumatism has 6 Children at home to provide for & his means are exhausted is deserving of fuel immediately & suffiscent bread to maintain 7 persons

358. Susan Chessel: 95 Claremont Street states she has not received her coal greatly in need of it

359. Mrs. Cracknell: 185 Claremont Street has not received sick relief

360. Amelia Day: rear 18 Muter Street aged 30 Wife 28 yrs. husband labourer out of work for 6 weeks receives aid from no other quarter has 5 Children eldest boy 12. English Ch of E wife very ill from Bronchitis does not want fuel as they belong to a fuel club recommend a liberal allowance of Bread & Groceries.

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361. Maria Edwards: 100 Chestnut Street Widow Ch of E Irish 3 Children 2 daughters in service away from the City. Son 21 a shoemaker out of work just sold out by Bailiff no bed or furniture seem very decent people recommend Coal once & bread

362. Sarah Cocks: 195 Centre Street English Ch of E 7 Children eldest girl of 15 husband labourer out of work & sickly worthy recommend Bread & Coal

363. Charles Arnold: 162 Chestnut Street Coloured labourer white washer 5 Children eldest girl 18 with about 2 days work a week Wife ill seem very respectable & have been trying to get on without help recommend Coal Bread & Sick allowance

364. Patrick McCarty: rear 132 Centre Street Irish R.C. 3 young Children wife just confined Painter by trade out of work for 5 Weeks worthy recommend Coal

365. Janett Urquhart: 144 Terauley Street husband deserted her 2 years ago 5 Children eldest 14. gets occasional jobs eldest girl 12 gets [dollar] 1 p [per] week from a box factory deserves to call attention to above fact Scotch Presbyterian respectable & in great need Recommend Coal

366. Mary Clark: rear 66 Albert Street decent woman Methodist no Children husband book pedler Recommend that a loaf of bread & a basket of Coke be given them they are in need

367. John Dunn: 47 Chestnut Street husband labourer out of work children of age & away not helping them Ch of England Recommend Coal

368. Lizzie McMullen: 72 Louisa Street widow no children Presbyterian Irish Recomd. Small allowance of Coal

369. Sarah Aills: rear 18 Terauley Street husband Machinist out of work 3 young Children English Ch of E. Sick himself seems very worthy recommend Coal & Bread

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370. James Arnott: 15 Terauley Street wife & 2 Children youngest 5 Months old English has been out of work from 7 weeks before Christmas labourer & worker in Stone has pledged his tools seems to be a decent man in want though [through] no fault of his own recommend fuel & Bread

371. Margaret Willard: 21 Albert Street Presbyterian. lives with a nice old couple rather more comfortable than usual She has a very bad cold & and is not able to work has a little girl with her Recommend Coal & Bread

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372. Jane Boyle: 35 Louisa Street husband a brush maker has been in the hospital has no work. wife is a very respectable woman 2 Children Wants some fuel & Bread

373. Margaret McFarlane: 52 Alice Street Scotch husband a turner. out of work since Christmas 5 Children evidently in want offers to pay in the summer anything he may get recommend Fuel & Bread

374. Thomas Ratcliff: 17 Agnes Street Painter wife & Child English out of work for 8 weeks wants some fuel & Bread for the present has been in great need recommend fuel & Bread

375. Jane Burns: Browns lane Irish R.C. Charwoman widow one son aged 12 is not able to get work

376. Winnie Connors: Browns lane same house & Stove as Nancy Leary Irish Ch of R. [Rome] Widow 1 girl 6 years of age Charwoman not able to get work.

377. Margaret Huggins: Browns lane Irish R.C. lives with her daughter Elizabeth Goddard see report not able to do much by way of making a living being 56 years of age not very strong

378. Elizabeth Thompson: 140 Brock Street Canadian Ch of E widow 3 boys 11.9.7 years of age 1 girl 12 years

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of age seems very respectable woman who tries to make a living to keep her family together by sewing find it very difficult in the winter.

379. Mary Ann McEnerney: Browns lane 1st door on North Side English Ch of E. Husband a labourer out of work 12 years in Toronto 9 Children 3 Girls 6 Boys 4 over 10. & 5 under 10 only 1 Son earning anything [dollars] 2 50/. Per week Find it very difficult to procure the necessaries of life Recommend Coal

380. Sarah Eldridge: rear 6 Camden Street German R.C. In Toronto 21 Months 3 Children all girls eldest 10 years & blind husband a Molder out of work 7 weeks has made a provision for winter seem decent people & are recomd. by Mr. Lee Queen St W

381. Peter J Ryan: rear 16 Stanley Street)

Catherine Coyle: rear 16 Stanley Street)

Eliza Littledale: rear 16 Stanley Street)

Catherine White: rear 16 Stanley Street)

Relief stopped for the present by the Visitors (Mr. N.C. Love's) orders

382. Samuel Horn: lately of Vanauley Street aged 38 a printer out of Employment Married Canadian Ch of E. 4 Children boys 13.9.4 Girl 6 Recommended by Mr. W.H. Howland

383. Caroline Webb: in case 16 husband has cancer in the face large family of Children nearly all helpless Revd. Mr. Potts recommends that weekly allowance of bread be increased from 8 lbs. to 12 lbs. & a full allowance of Groceries be given & sick allowance of Coal

384. Elizabeth Evitt: in case 1029 in 1878 died this day 27th January

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385. Emma Johnson: rear 46 Edward Street husband a Shoemaker has ulcerated Soar throat & liver complaint cannot work Steadily English out here for 20 years no family wants fuel recommend her for fuel

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386. Julia Dunn: rear of 75 Terauley Street husband Shoemaker out of employment 4 young children has a young baby & cant do much work herself English recommend Fuel & Bread

387. Mary Ann Cooper: 191 Niagara Street aged 40 1 daughter aged 8. this family my attention was called to by the neighbour as they are very badly off they have been provided with provisions as the husband can do writing & the wife sewing. If the board will give some Coal no doubt they can get along

388. James Inglas: rear 99 William Street 2 Children Girls 4 years & 19 Months he has no work recommend Bread & Coal for one Month or 6 weeks

389. Jane Hall: rear 363 Ring Street East she says she is in want of Fuel & Bread I believe She is worthy of Charity her husband is dead is 49 years of age & has 3 female Children ages 14.13.11 years. none of them are earning anything

390. Mary Ann Brennen: 50 Elizabeth Street. Is very poor her husband has been out of work for a long time she has 5 Children 10.8.7.3.1 Years she never needed to be assisted before she was without fire for the last few days except what her friends could give to help her

391. Bridget Porter: top of Lippincott Street West Side aged 29 her husband seems to be a disapated man who left her about 6 Months ago she has a helpless aged Mother & 5 Children dependant on her

The eldest a girl 12 takes care of the little ones while the Mother does an occasional days work Irish R.C.  
Coal once & Bread recommended

392. Ellen Perkins: 210 King Street East does not live at this address it is a Second hand Clothes Shop

393. Patrick Hagan: 8 1/2 Church Street Is a Cigar maker by trade young was born in Toronto Wife & 1 Child

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2 years out of employment in consequence of a strike R.C. Recommend Coal once.

394. Mary Ann Clark: rear 454 Adelaide Street West Irish Ch of E. 2 Boys at home 13.11. a very industrious respectable woman who can get no employment & is in distress for want of the necessaries of live recommend Coal & Bread

395. Catherine O'Connor: 40 Little Richmond Street Cannot find her at that address if she is the person known by that name in this neighbourhood she is a decent old woman with grown up Son & daughter who are both said to be out of work. By reason of illness I have not been able to look at this case but will report again when I find her proper address.

396. Margaret Allan: rear 68 Stanley St. does not live there

397. Ann Hackett: Corner High & Hackney Streets Widow 6 Children 3 Boys 19.10.3. 3 Girls 18.15.8. 2 at home. She is not very strong husband died 7 Months ago I sent in an application some time ago but nothing has been sent. would recommend Coal

398. Henry Hoppner: {blank} English 7 Months in Toronto from Liverpool 1 Boy 1 1/2 1 Girl 4. Years of age. use only 1 room very little in it Mr. H. has been in very much better circumstances I would very much like the board to do all they can for him they have always had comfort till this winter recommend Sugar. Tea. & Coal

399. Mary Ann Henry: 60 Sherbourne Street 53 years old Widow 1 Son Plasterer by trade cant get work would like to get a bag of Flour & Coals

400. Norah Hall: 24 Ontario Street 21 years old husband 23 labourer cant get work 1 Child recommend 4 lbs. Bread

401. Patrick Moores: 191 Jarvis Street not living there

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402. Mrs. Walsh: 133 Jarvis Street applied before

403. Martha Taylor: 404 Queen Street East Mother & 5 Children 2 Girls 17.15 others 11.8.6. Mother & one daughter work at the pickle factory getting [dollars] 2. a week when employed The 2nd daughter was out at service [at] [dollars] 4 p [per] Month but has been ill & at home for the last month The other children go to school no work for anyone now They are very badly off for fuel recommend Coal once bread for a Month to be visited again

404. Mrs. Little: 420 King Street East Ch of E. Mother & 6 Children all young The husband a plumber & gas fitter could have supported his family in comfort having always plenty of work at his command but he was an incorrigible drunkard & finally in May last took himself off to the states, She is a very decent respectable woman who does her best to support her large family of young Children (11.9.7.5.3 & 2 Months) by tailoring recommend Coal twice Bread for 6 weeks

405. Eliza Thompson: 57 St. David Street widow living with a family of the name of Mullin in a miserable hovel & very destitute but they all drink & are I fear a bad lot

406. Eugene Leneux: 65 St. David Street R.C. husband wife & 2 children 11.8. years. French Canadians. he is a shoemaker by trade makes Childrens Shoes for the wholesale houses here Seems a respectable & industrious man was ill last summer which he says threw them back a good deal & work also has been very slack The wife was ill & in bed when I was there I was very favourably impressed with the Mans appearance & manner & the general look of things but in answer to some enquiries I made in the neighbourhood it was hinted that they were not altogether deserving Nevertheless I should be very much disposed to let them have Coal once & bread for a fortnight

407. Wesley Rhoades: 53 Sumach Street Coloured man & white wife a plasterer by trade had a job of plastering some houses not long since when the frost got in the plaster & some peeled off cant get his money recommend Coal once & Bread for 2 weeks

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408. George Davies: in case 784 in 1876. died this day 29th January aged 78 years.

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409. Catherine McGee: 125 Winchester Street 5 Small Children 2 Grown up ones eldest son away & will not assist, a quarrel some fancy but which the fault is Husbands or Wives I cannot make out probably both in fault. husband is sickly & unable to do hard work the family are {literly} in want

410. Mary Wright: 92 Muter Street is in great want her sons aged 20.17. Cannot get work & she is very badly off Irish R.C. aged 52. I have known her for about 20 years & can recommend her for relief in the shape of fuel, cannot you send her 1/2 Ton & be done with it

411. May Downey: 5 William Street She is living with her mother who receives assistance from the H. of I. [House of Industry] I did not see her She was out has a little boy 10 years old She might receive assistance

412. John Lovatt: 117 Little Richmond Street has struggled for some time to make out but is now in absolute want Could you give him a little Coke & Bread & Send his name to the visitor recomd. Mr. J. Gillespie. Gave 8 lbs. Bread & Groceries thinks shall not require anymore assistance

413. Maria Bays: 96 Niagara Street Canadian Ch of E. 1 Child 3 1/2 years husband left her a year ago takes in washing but cannot get enough at present Seems respectable house tidy recommend Coal & Bread

414. Maria Whalen: Browns lane Irish R.C. husband labourer out of work 4 Children 1 Girl 16 years 3 Boys 12.10.8. years recommend Coal

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415. Eliza Carey: Browns lane Irish R.C. husband labourer out of work since Xmas 8 Children 4 Girls 8.6.4.2. 4 Boys 15.13.11.9. all small of their ages & not doing anything except selling papers occasionally when the boy can get a start would recommend Coal.

416. Mary Ann Hannon: 109 Little Richmond Street Ch of E. 5 Children 1 Girl over 10. 3 under 10. 1 Boy under 10 husband a baker but not able to get work for support of his family a most respectable & industrious couple recommend Coal

417. Margaret McEvoy: 9 Funston Street off Sumach Street 9 Children 5 Boys 4 Girls eldest 20. youngest 18 Months Income [dollars] 4.50 per week father sick & only eldest boy working had no fire when I visited & seemed to be in want



418. Charles Patrick: 19 Brunswick Avenue aged 26 Wife & 3 Children boy 4. Girl 2 1/2 baby 7 Months used to write in a lawyers office but now willing to do anything he can get no employment to be had very badly off would recommend Coal once & Bread for a Month. English
419. Maria Dorrien: 60 Louisa Street alone lives with a poor family no Stove cannot recommend help the Committee must decide
420. Martha Collins: 41 Emma Street Methodist absent at work husband out of work 1 Girl 10. 3 Boys 4.8.11 recommend Coal only
421. George Mills: 35 Centre Street Ch of E. out of work his wife objects to receiving help. out of money
422. Harriett Watson: 73 Hayter Street Ch of E. has been out of work Engineer Girl 1 1/2 Boys 5.11.13.15 years of age recommend Coal & Bread
423. George Trimble: 134 Centre Street Ch of E. out of work bad foot no children at home very poor recommend Coal & Bread

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424. Mary Foster: 141 Victoria Street 46 years of age English Is an old resident of Toronto. Methodist Spinster does sewing [etc.] when she can get it has been sick in the hospital for some time & just now discharged I believe her to be very much in want & recommend Coal & Bread
425. Margaret Stead: rear 56 Richmond Street west Irish R C aged 40 husband English C of E. labourer gets very little to do 2 children Boy 9. Girl 6. She requires Coal only
426. Fanny Lennard: 104 George Street 24 years old husband 30. labourer cant get work 1 Child recomd. 4 lbs. Bread Coal once
427. Patrick Moran: rear 91 Jarvis Street 35 years old Wife 34 Baker by trade cant get work 3 Children recomd. 6 lbs. Bread & Coals
428. Mary Ellen Metcalf: rear 113 Sackville Street husband Wife & 5 Children Boy 13. the others 10.8.6 yrs. youngest 6 Months Seem a very respectable decent family would not apply for help if they could avoid it their fuel is just exhausted & I am satisfied that they are in actual want of food recommend Coal once Bread for a Month & Soup when they can call for it
429. James McArtney: 95 Gerrard Street east Parliament husband & Wife. The husband a poor miserable sickly creature works occasionally for the corporation in Summer. The Wife who really supported herself & him in a great measure had a bad fall about a Week ago which has confined her to her bed She asks to

be allowed a little Tea & Sugar. No Coal. She hopes in another Week or Ten days to be fit for work recommend her to be allowed the Groceries

430. William Henderson: 55 Boulton Street he is a Worthy person who has had two deaths in his family lately & very little employment he is a printer by trade 3 Months since from Belville [Bellville] Canadian Methodist 1 Boy 2 years old he is just now in need of Coal if you can help him you will be doing a good turn

431. Thomas Crowler: aged 23 Canadian belonging to Coburg

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has his left foot badly frozen was Sent from Coburg to Toronto to shift for himself Methodist Church. died April 5th

432. Hugh Harbell: in case 763 in 1873 died this day 2nd Feby. at 5 OClock A.M. aged 65 years.

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Present J.W. Drummond Esqr.

433. Arthur Potter: Wellesley Street north side next Cemetery fence. I visited him last year & he is again in need of this winter he has been ill & has 3 Children at home with him without any regular income to meet expenses of living. I think he is deserving of aid.

434. Emma Paine: 100 Boulton Street English C of E. aged 43. Husband 42. Presbyterian he is a labourer but no work 4 Children boys 14.8.4. Baby 19 Months recommend Coal & Bread

435. Mary Duke: 67 Albert Street C of E. Suffering from Paralysis living with a family receiving assistance from the house recommend Bread & Groceries

436. Mary Livingston: rear 95 Chestnut Street Ch of E. Widow living with a family receiving assistance from the House recommend Bread only

437. Catherine Scott: 7 Bulwer Street Widow Wesleyan 3 Children Boy 6 Girl 4. Baby 18 Months also living with her, her mother aged & paralytic, Mrs. Scott can get no work of late Wants fuel can do without Bread at present

438. Thomas Carr: rear 11 Soho Street called a second time to see him & neither time can find him am told that his Wife is in Hamilton

439. Alexander McMullen: 9 Walz's lane 40 years old

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Wife 40 years old labourer cant get work 3 Children under 9 years recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

440. Daniel Haley: rear 121 Jarvis Street 70 years old Widower bad with rheumatism not able to work recomd. 4 lbs. Bread & Coal

441. Sarah Lynch: rear 16 Stanley Street an old pensioner of the House an industrious old Irish woman have reported on her for several years recommend

442. Dorah OConnell: rear 79 Lombard St See last report recommend her as usual I have not anything nice to say of her

443. Catherine Ryan: rear 16 Stanley Street is an old dependant on the Charity of the House, I reported her last year the husband drinks I will leave the Committee to be the judges in this matter

444. Sarah Shipcott: rear 16 Power Street husband & Wife & 2 Children at home boy 7 baby 1 year old 3 Children in the Girls home husband a labourer out of work. She says they are in great want of fuel & no means of buying any as her husband has not had Work for some months recomd. Coal once.

445. Ellen Grady: 12 Sydenham lane West Side South of Sydenham St. Husband wife & 1 Child not at home when I called the neighbours said the husband had been out of work for a long time & that they were both steady respectable people & very badly off perhaps temporary relief could be afforded them until I see either husband or wife

446. Susan Williams 14 Taylor Street. Episcopal Ch. husband a varnisher was 3 months in Hospital last summer cannot get work 2 Girls 3 & 5 years. They are now getting 6 lbs. Bread & got 25 Bushels Coke in December which lasted only 3 weeks they think that they did not get full weight Can this be the case. Give 2 lbs. more of bread making in all 8 lbs. & 10 Bushels more of Coke will see them again

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447. Mary Curtis: 30 Ontario Street Married English C of E 8 Children 3 Boys 12.17.22. 5 Girls 25.15.6.2.1. I visited him Some time ago he seemed so hopeful & Cheery that I did not perhaps impress you with the view that he was in need of help. recommend him for Coal & Bread

448. Ann Madden: 99 Pine Street in case 1390 in 1878 asks help in the way of food I think my report only mentioned Coal I think She might have bread as she Says Children are starving & husband out of work

449. Jane Walker: 35 Robert Street a very respectable widow aged 36. She takes in one familys washing & has had a very hard struggle to get on has a son aged 18. one aged 10. & a Girl 8. latter at school son is ill of Asthma & can not work at all regularly Irish Ch of E. recommend 1/2 Ton hard Coal

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Present J.W. Drummond Esqr.

450. Emma Commin: 17 Terauley Street English has a husband and 3 Children husband works on the Grand Trunk when they have Work for him has been out of Work for 2 Months Infant Child has water in the brain belongs to St. James Church eldest Child about 7 years old husband sick at present They seem greatly in want. The woman looks respectable. They have been in Toronto 3 years. She Seems to have applied for assistance about 3 years ago but not Since recommend Fuel & Bread.

451. Patrick McLaughlin: 135 Victoria Street 45 years of age Irish R.C. an old resident of Toronto always willing to work when he can get it to do mearily [merely] wants a little temporary relief I believe he would not ask for any if he could possibly avoid it recommend Coal

452. Augusta Harland: 15 Emma Street not known there

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453. Caroline Buttery: 79 Edward Street Ch of E. husband labourer out of work 1 Infant wants Coal only

454. Marcella Ryan: rear 33 Queen Street west I found out she had no permanent abode at that number nor any place else She just takes a nights shelter where she may be working if they keep her I believe she is a decent woman I recommended her to make application to get into the House as an inmate but she declined that for a number of years might have some Bread

455. Mary Haley: 53 Wellington Street Top Flat room No. 8. 5 years in Toronto husband brick layers assistant not in 1 Girl married one 10. Boys 12 years R.C. recommend Coal once, 6 lbs. Bread for a Month

456. Mary Birtles: 22 Hope Street nobody in this house & unable to find a person of this name living in the vicinity

457. Ann Wilson: Clinton Street unable to find this person not Know in the vicinity of Bloor Street

458. Ellen Salmon: Hope Street 2nd door North of Henderson Avenue Ch of E. no work of any Kind for past 9 weeks 2 Girls 2 Boys Young eldest boy & Girl goes to school very destitute apparently desire Bread & Coal

459. Elizabeth Ryland: 5 Wilton Street. Ch of E. Widow. J.R. is her son has been out of work since Xmas last had some Coal from Mr. Bickford. Mrs. Ryland is Suffering from a Severe Cold desire hard Coal

460. Mary Brown: 98 Jarvis Street. I visited her about a Month Since & recommended her for Coal only I would now recommend her for some Bread & another supply of Coal as she is at present very destitute

461. Augusta Harland: 15 Emily Street does not require help now going to service

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Present Very Revd. J.M. Laurent & J.W. Drummond Esqr.

462. Mrs. Cunningham: an old woman who has been living in Yorkville for some years. the Revd. Mr. Jones applied for her admission into the House Case refered to the General Board

463. Matilda Barry: rear 155 Centre Street Ch of E. Widow at work Girls 13.12.6. Boy 3. recommend Coal once only

464. James Whitney: 236 Chestnut Street Methodist Cold. Widower out of work Girls 16.11.8. Boy 17. out of work. Girl 16 Sickly recommend Bread only if anything

465. Emma Gee: 28 Osgoode Street Ch of E. husband earns [dollars] 6 per week at J.B. Smiths' woman sickly for weeks 2 Girls 17.8. 1 Boy 13. recommend Coal if anything but with their income they should not be suffering much

466. Annie Johnston: rear 30 Monk Street Ch of E. husband labourer. English 4 Years in Toronto 2 Girls 3.2. expects to get work end of next Month recomd. Bread & Coal

467. Mary Lee: 53 Bulwer Street Presbyterian Husband Ch of E. 5 Children Girls 11.9.7.3. Boy 6. husband out of work save some little jobs on Saturday have now exhausted all their means She was aided 6 years ago by the house recommend Fuel once & Bread

468. Ellen Porter: Virgins lane. Found them in extreme want no furniture of any account husband 30 Wife 25. one baby 7 weeks old. husband having a Sore foot not able to work no income from Scotland & in Toronto 3 Months recommend the usual allowance of Bread & Fuel

469. George Staunton: 72 Dundas Street English Ch of E. 6 years in this Country has wife & 4 children from 13 to 1 is a bricklayer out of work they are very respectable people they do require Fuel at present having sub-

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scribed to the fuel Club during the summer but would like some Bread recommend that if possible they be given Bread & Groceries he finds it quite impossible to get work at present

470. Robert Hall: 111 Adelaide Street west Irish Ch of E. aged 35 Wife 28. 3 Children Girls 7.2 1/2 baby 6 weeks old husband Carpenter out of employment would not trouble the Institution if he could get work recomd. Coal & Bread

471. Sarah Ann Collett: 9 Alexander Street English Ch of E. husband watchmaker 6 Months in Toronto 5 Boys 20.18.11.9.6 2 Girls 22.15. The family appear respectable & well behaves were pretty well off went to Manitoba [Manitoba] & from sickness had to leave. this is the first time they applied for help one of the Boys is apprenticed works half time one girl is hired & Working out recommend Coal & Bread

472. Jane Newton: rear 91 1/2 Strachan Avenue aged 25 husband aged 29. 3 Children 6.5.1. years are in very poor circumstances owing to the illness of husband being the cause of losing his Situation recommend them for Coal & Bread

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Present Very Revd. J.M. Laurent & Messrs. J.W. Drummond & R. Gilmor

473. Maria Smith: 57 Elm Street a widow aged 40 Methodist English 5 Children 2 Boys 13.8. 4 Girls 15.12.10.7. had relief of some years Mrs. Smith is Sick at present Revd. Dr. Young recommends the family as deserving

474. Ann Powers: 147 York Street English Ch of E. 52 husband 49. years of age 4 Sons 25.20.14.8. husband labourer has done no work for last 3 Months nor could he have done so if he had it to do for bad health recomd. Bread & Coal

475. Mary Smith: 300 Front Street West Canadian Ch of E. Widow 3 Sons 13.10.5. the eldest boy is learning the varnishing

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trade at Hay & Co. for which he gets [dollars] 2 per week second boy does to school. Mrs. Smith is quite unable to do any work for a living or even to walk for the last 3 Months She has been dreadful afflicted with rheumatism which prevents her from doing anything to provide for her family she gets some help from her Church & her sons wages which are quite insufficient for her wants she says Revd. Mr. Cayley promised 2 Months since to bring her case to the H. of I. [House of Industry] but has received no help yet recommend Bread & Coal & sick allowance

476. Thomas Kerby: 60 Garrison Street in case 183. has become so ill as not to be able to work and if it would not be too far imposing on your Charity visitor Mr. Cosgrave would recommend him for sick allowance as he cannot do with the food he has been used to

477. John Day: rear 18 Muter Street aged 32 labourer in Toronto 5 years Wife Amelia aged 29. English 4 Children 2 Boys 11.16 mos. 2 Girls 7.3 years. Ch of E. he has had no work since Xmas Mrs. Day is unable to work suffering from inflammation of the lungs this family was visited before & reported as very urgent There is an actual want of food & would strongly recommend immediate help the family appear Clean respectable & intelligent

478. Elizabeth Fisher: rear 23 Brittian [Brittain] Street 36 years widow 4 Children under 8 years living by washing & scrubbing would recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

479. Francis White: 117 George Street 43 years old Wife 38 Bookbinder by trade cant get work 6 Children under 14 years recommend 12 lbs. Bread & Coals

480. Elizabeth Cook: Walz's lane South Side 38 years old husband 34. labourer cant get work 1 Child recomd. 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

481. Bridget Hillman: 47 Duke Street 25 years old widow 2 Children living by washing & scrubbing cant get work recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

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482. Kate Hickey: 26 Duchess Street 25 Years old Widow 1 child 3 years old, living by washing & scrubbing, can't get work. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals.

483. Mary Wilkinson: 50 Duchess Street 54 years old. Widow 2 children earning [dollars] 1.25 a week. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals once.



484. Mary Ann Hamblin: 287 Beech Street. Widow. Methodist. See old report. She is suffering from Bronchitis at present & should be kept warm. 2 Boys 1 at school (10) & one 13 out of work. She must be helped. Say a little Bread & Coke for one month. Clean.

485. Mrs. Brown: 322 King Street East. Scotch. Clean & respectable, husband in Scotland. 3 Children with her & one orphan neice also her mother very old with broken leg. She cannot leave her to go to work at present. Her sister lives with her & helps her eldest daughter at service. Recomd. Coke for 1 Month.

486. Michael O'Heron: 119 Berkeley Street. Irish. R.C. Seem very destitute, nothing in house to eat. 5 Children eldest 14, 2 of them sickly. He has no work & looks feeble perhaps lazy wife, clean & house tidy, he has sold & pawned many things for food. Must be helped at once. Recommend Coke & Bread & a trifle of groceries for Children. Say they have no help from others, think him sober.

487. Mrs. Oswin: Strachan Street desires sick relief, is unable to go down on a/c [account] of illness, her husband has started breaking stones today but will not be paid for some time yet to come.

488. Peter McIntosh: 37 Hope Street has met with an accident at the drain on Hope Street & is confined to the house, desires Coal greatly.

489. R. Davie: 189 Claremont Street. This family of Eight cannot subsist on anything like twice the quantity of bread granted them, can it not be increased

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to Six or Eight large loaves weekly and also furnish them with some Coal wanted badly.

490. Ann Willis: rear 18 Albert Street has a husband & no children, he is a labourer & has been a long time out of work. She does washing but says she cannot do much work on account of a bad Knee, husband is English. The woman seems respectable & says she only wants a little fuel & bread to help her on till her husband gets work, applied once last year for help but says she got none. I think she might have fuel & Bread for a time.

491. Elizabeth Watson: 49 Monk Street, called at the above found E. Harrison living here. Had called at same house before & reported on Mrs. Harrison, can't find E. Watson.

492. Ann Cooney: 30 St. Albans Street. She is a deserving woman, her husband is an invalid at the General Hospital. She supports herself when she can get work. 2 Children 1 Boy 4, 1 girl 2. Recommend Coal once to be repeated if the cold weather lasts.

493. Peter Pansonier: Niagara Street. Wife is a very good creature being anxious to work when she can get it but as both she & her husband are idle, she is obliged to look for some Bread for which I

recommend her to your charitable consideration knowing she will not ask it whenever she can do without it.

494. Elizabeth Higginson: in case 418 in 1875 died this day 15th February aged 86 years.

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Present Revd. D.J. MacDonnell & W.J. MacDonell

495. Stephen Berkeley: aged 63. English. Ch of E. 7 years in Toronto, was formerly an Inmate. See case 802 in 1878. Seeks readmission, brought a recommendation from Mr. Dennison P.M. [Police Magistrate] Committee will admit Berkely for a Month to

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test his behaviour when last in the house he was rather fond of getting drunk whenever he could obtain the money to do so.

496. Elizabeth McGibbon: 91 Ontario Street. Ch of E. Irish. 5 Children 2 married, but also poor. One subject to Epileptic fits & imbecile. 2 Boys out of work, 1 little girl at service. Man out of work, wife has to look after sick boy. House & people clean & respectable, would recommend Coal & Bread for one Month.

497. Jane Carr: 55 York Street. She was not in her lodging house, was out working, could not see her.

498. Margaret Taylor: 268 King Street East. Widow came from London last May. Keeps a small shop but does no business & is in arrears with her rent. 2 Girls 15, 12. 3 Boys 10, 8, 4 yrs. All at home, recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals.

499. Catherine O'Donnell: 87 Strachan Street. Please let this person have some Coal & the sick relief for a few weeks. She is just up from her bed of sickness & without any means of support.

500. Mary Harrison 24 Bishop Street expects to get work in 2 weeks but at present is without means to get fuel and is without any.

501. Thomas Blyth: 24 Bishop Street, wife ill & desires Sick relief. Coal also wanted very urgently.

502. Jane Morrissey: 44 Emma Street. Methodist, husband labourer out of work. 1 Boy 2, Girls 4 & infant, would recommend Bread only.

503. Sarah Roachford: West Street, lives in a mere shelf of boards composing one room where she has to remain both night & day, she has no one to depend on for support & unable to work. I will Recommend her for some Coal.

504. Mrs. Green: 29 Garrison Street. She is in great distress

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for Coal as she cannot get as much work as to supply her self with this necessary article especially as her daughter is in very delicate health & is dependent on her.

505. Mrs. Turner: Corner Strachan Avenue & Little Adelaide Street. He is in distress owing to his not having any work this last month, his wife is delicate & there are 5 children 11, 8, 7, 5, 2. Recommend him for some Bread.

506. Elizabeth Jester: rear 434 Front Street West, is a very respectable English woman whose husband 72 Years of age is not able to get work of any kind nor is she able to get sufficient for their support. There is one child a boy under 10, recommend Coal & Bread.

507. Ellen McManners: 73 Queen Street East, living with a Mrs. Duffy, a widow aged 55. R.C. No children, goes out to work occasionally but I find she has not any stove of her own but I suppose she would like to get some Coal in order to pay something for her lodging. Recommend Bread.

508. Mary Windust: 92 Adelaide Street East. Widow 49, Ch of E. English, has 3 children 15, 16, 18. Some of them are at work part of the time & one had to leave her place & come home & help her mother who is very sick & confined to bed. Mr. D. has already given her a small allowance of groceries as sick relief. I would recommend her for some Coal, she appears to be very deserving.

509. Mrs. Sweeney: 20 Victoria Street. I have visited her some time since & reported & she is now receiving the allowance of the House.

510. Margaret Allan: rear 66 Stanley Street, lives with Mrs. Sheffler an old Dutch woman who gets relief from the house, married aged 45, no children living with her, husband a labourer aged 62. R.C. I think very helpless people & perhaps it would be well to give them a little Coal & Bread.

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511. Ann Duffy: 73 Queen Street East who has got Coal once would like if the Committee could give her a second supply, there are 6 Children in the House & they appear to be starved.

512. Kate Gervin: 28 Edward Street, husband very ill with inflammatory Rheumatism & suffering severely, has 2 young children at home, husband a Canadian shoemaker by trade, been ill 3 weeks, says he once subscribed to this institution. Wife says she would work if she knew how to get it. He has 2 married daughters but are both in poor circumstances. These people have evidently been respectable & are brought down by the mans sickness. Recommend Bread & Coal.

513. Edward Harrison: 34 Alice Street, a printer, English, out of employment since September owing to the shutting up of the Leader Office. Wife, no children at home, wife is advanced in years & has been suffering from Cancer which still troubles her. The people are respectable & deserving. Would recommend Fuel & Bread.

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Present Revd. W.J. MacDonnell & W.J. MacDonell Esq.

514. Maria Johnston: rear 27 Bishop Street. Please let this person have coal at once if only a little or sufficient to tide over this severe spell of weather. Recommended by Mr. Bailey.

515. Caroline Began: rear 26 William Street. I could not find her, has left William Street.

516. Caroline Norris: 51 Elm Street. Widow. Ch of E. Living with a family 1 Infant, 15 months. Strong healthy woman, no object of charity work 3 days each week.

517. Ann McBride: 44 Centre Street, vacant house, name not known by the neighbours.

518. Margaret Martin: 24 Little Richmond St. Canadian Methodist in Toronto 14 Years 4 Children 2 Boys 2 Girls all

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under 10, husband left her a second time in April last, tries to make a living by sewing, [etc.] but finds it very difficult, wishes an allowance of Coal. Seems to be a worthy & respectable woman. The allowance is therefore recomd.

519. Mrs. ^Ruth^ Ralph: 68 Sherbourne Street 55 years old, widow lying in bed. Recommends 4 lbs. Bread & Coals.

520. Sarah West: 11 Walz's Lane 30 Years old, husband 27. Baker by trade, can't get work, 3 children under 5 years. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

521. Sarah Dempsay: 69 High Street. R.C. Husband Carpenter 4 years in Toronto. English. 1 Girl 8 months old, out of work for 4 Months. Recommend Bread & Coal.

522. Mary McEwan: 71 High Street. R.C. Husband labourer, Irish, 8 years in Toronto. 3 Boys 5, 3, 1 years of age, would recommend Bread & Coal.

523. Ruth Johnston: 251 Queen Street East. Man, Wife & 4 Children live with his brother, foreman in McDonalds tin works, house very comfortable & made me doubt necessity for relief, applicant has had work up to a few days ago at McDonalds [at] 1.75 p [per] day (generally working short time). I think they ought to have saved something & he ought soon to get work as he is a good Mechanic. I inquired at works & fancy from what I learned that he is afflicted with laziness & a desire to get full pay for 1/2 work. The children are from 16 to 6. Ch of E. Revd. Mr. Pearson visits them. They may be in want now & possibly should have temporary relief but he should be made to work.

524. Thomas Brown: 100 Boulton Street. Said he never applied to the house for help. He supposed it might be through Mrs. Manning as she had been talking to him on the subject but he declines the application to the House as he has had Coal twice this winter from the Irish Protestant

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Benevolent Society through me.

525. Thomas Parr: 12 Richmond Street West. English, Ch of E., husband aged 48. Wife 42. They seemed to have a comfortable furnished room but they had not much fire. Husband labourer, he said he had lost a large sum of money by rail road contracts no work lately. They have no children. I suppose they might have Coal & Bread for the remainder of the season.

526. Michael Purcell: 56. Irish. R.C. Labourer 33 years, in Toronto, bad leg, not able to work. Seeks shelter for a time. Left April 16th.

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Present Messrs. N.C. Love & J. Fleming

530. Mary Cook: 65. Married, husband in the States. R.C. Irish. Has been a resident in Toronto for many years. Seeks admission. Admitted.

531. Mary Fitzgibbons: rear 19 Centre Street. Does not need any help as he claims we did not look after him in time, he had to go to work & now is independent of the house.

532. Emma Stewart: 115 Elizabeth Street. Coloured, husband deserts her, no Children in the Country, earns [dollars] 1.00 per week. Wants Coal but appears a worthless pair not deserving help.

533. Mary Mitchell: 67 Elizabeth Street. Cold. Clergyman, husband lives in the U.S. & sends [dollars] 10 per month to his family, 3 Girls 10, 9, 5 years, 4 Boys 16, 12, 6, 2 years. Recommend only Coal once.

534. Mary Graham: 25 Hackney Street was not at home. Her friend Lizzie McCaul informs one they want Coal & tells one Mr. G. has no work. Some of the neighbours say he has work regularly. I have called now 4 times & not seen him.

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535. Charles Waterman: 5 Whites Block Duke Street. 38 years. Wife 39 years old. Labourer can't get work, 5 children under 11 years. Came from Orilia [Orillia] 6 months ago. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals.

536. Mary Ann Large: 2 Sherbourne Place off Sherbourne Street opposite Dr. Ross. Can't find her.

537. Mary O'Brien: 116 Jarvis Street. 43 years of age. Irish. R.C. Widow has one daughter 15 years of age. They came from Montreal about a month ago. Think mother and daughter should have remained in Montreal, were sent here with a pass. Would not recommend any relief, leave it for the Committee to decide.

538. William Whiter: 230 Dundas Street. Has called on me (Mr. Kirkpatrick) to report his case. He has received help from the House already & wants some Coal badly as he says his wife is daily expecting to be confined. He is English, 11 years in Canada, one year in Toronto, has wife & 3 Children, is a Gardener out of work. If possible I hope the Board will give him some Coal.

539. Elizabeth Cridland: 37 Cherry Street. Found them in great want of Bread & fuel. They are 2 years in Toronto. Came from South Wales. Ch of E. Husband James 37. Wife 34, 3 Girls 11, 9, 4, 2 Boys 6, 18 mos. No income & father cannot get any work.

540 John Mullens: 57 St. Davids Street. He & his wife live together. Children all away, another woman lives with them. Could not make out with certainty as to whether they drink, no sign of it on Sunday. The house was clean & table, etc. also clean, seemed to have no fire but a few sticks. His son works at factory & gets good wages but he says won't help him. Recommend some Coke while the cold weather lasts.

541. Harriett McCarty: rear 132 Centre Street. Recommended by Mr. Downey for a supply of Coals as they are in need.

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542. Ann McBride: rear 21 Melinda Street. Scotch Presbyterian, aged 35. She is laid up with a sprained ankle. She is quite unable to work & help herself. The husband, 53 years, was run over by a sleigh on the 31st Decr. last & has been in the hospital ever since. They have no family. The whole place or room looks a distressed, forsaken looking abode. Surely she requires Coal & Bread. I think if the Committee could see their way clear to give the poor creature one sick allowance any way they would be doing a much needed Charity.

543. Mary Kavanagh: rear 30 St. Albans Street. Presbyterian, husband R.C. has one child 3 weeks old. Has just recovered from her confinement. Husband out of work, must help them for the sake of the Mother with a little Coal & Bread for a month. Tea & Sugar for herself once.

544. Michal Garvin: is out of work since before Christmas. All his pension went to rent & he is in great need of Fuel if it would not be too much to ask. I would recommend him for some Coals. Previously reported in case 1096 in 1878.

545. Ann Wilson: Clinton Street 1st house south of 101. Coloured. Married 2 Children boy 10, Girl 12. Husband has frozen feet. U.S. Methodist. 600 lbs. Coal & 8 lbs. Bread weekly.

546. Annie Jerdin: 6 Taylor Street. They seem to be respectable people but require no assistance.

547. Rebecca Anderson: 37 English. Ch of E. 10 years in Canada, was an Inmate before. See case 610 in 1870. At present not well enough to earn her living. Seeks readmission. Recommended by Mr. R. Gilmore. Admitted.

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Present Messrs. N.C. Love & J. Flemming

548. Ann Oliver: Grog lane, rear St. Patricks Market. 3 children 10, 8, 3 years. The husband has no work. She



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might be assisted for a while with Bread & Coal.

549. John Deverow: 54 Bond Street, aged 35, Canadian, R.C. Labourer, his wife has inflammation of the lungs. 2 Boys 2, 5, 8. 2 Girls 10, 12 years. Seem in want. Recommend Coal, Bread & Sick allowance.

550. Mary Dempsay: & sister rear 18 Terauley Street, R.C. Sickly unable for service, lives with a family receiving relief. Recommend Bread only.

551. Maud O'Neil: 143 Centre Street. Ch of E. Husband left & in Montreal. 4 Boys 14, 12, 10, 6, 2 Girls 13, 3. Boy earns [dollars] 1.50 p [per] week. Recommend Coal & Bread.

552. Elizabeth Alexander: rear 18 Terauley Street. Ch of E. Widow, no work, no children. Recommend Coal only once.

553. Mary Carney: 5 Power Street. Widow. R.C. 3 Children, the eldest 7 years old. Was in service in the Country until a fortnight ago when she left her situation not being able to attend to her Children & do the work that was required of her, at present no means of subsistence, asks for fuel which might be given her.

554. William Marriott: 20 St. Paul Street. This case has I understand been reported on before. He is a labourer & during the winter tries to earn something by mending Chairs. He is a temperance man & attends All Saints Ch. He is evidently willing to work & appears to be deserving of assistance. I would recommend that his request for fuel be granted.

555. John Carter: 484 King Street East. A young man with a wife & 3 small children belongs to the Baptist Church, has been unable to work on account of Rheumatism, although better, is now unable to obtain work. Recommend some relief being given to him.

556. Mrs. Travis: rear 393 Queen Street. Has just been

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confined & therefore needs little comforts which at other times She might do without. Recommend the Sick allowance & also Send the Coal a little before the time when it will be due her.

557. Margaret Nare: 36 Richmond Street West. Widow over 3 years. Irish. Ch of E. Aged 41 years. 3 Children 2 girls 6, 4 Boy 2 1/2 Years. She has been 7 months in the Hospital, has left there one week. Her

health is no better, her complaint is inflammation of the lungs, one lung is entirely gone, her health is no better, but she thought the change might help her a little & anxious about her poor little children. She has taken one room. There is a small stove in the room but no fire in it nor any coal to make a fire nor the appearance of any other comfort. She certainly is an object of charity. Recomd. Coal & Bread. I think if any one needs sick allowance it is that woman.

558. Mary Conners: 73 High Street. Widow. R.C. 2 Boys 15, 17 Years. Receive aid from the Church 1/4 Cord Wood each Month & 3 loaves Bread a week. Boys get work to do frequently. I rather think she has seen assistance given to her neighbours. What she gets from the Church keeps her from actual want. Send Small box Coal.

559. William Turner: Strachan Avenue. His wife is very ill. Would you be kind enough to allow him sick allowance.

560. George Carruthers: aged 79. Native of Scotland, Presbyterian Church. An old resident, seeks admission. Not admitted, has a Son in the City well able to support the old man.

561. Peter McKarnan: aged 45. Wife Mary aged 60 & daughter Elizabeth aged 9 years. Irish. Roman Catholic church. Came here for shelter 25th Feby. The wife not being well were allowed to rest for a few days as soon as able they intend going to Guelph were they have friends. Left March 5th.

562. Charles Gillick: aged 38. Irish. R.C. Came from New York to look for a Cousin in Toronto whom he did not find. Came

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here for shelter till he can send a letter to a brother in New York for funds to carry him back to that City. Left March 30th.

563. Catherine Fitzgerald: aged 24. Irish. R.C. 4 years in Toronto. Came here last week for shelter until her left arm which is partially disabled gets somewhat better so that she can go to Service again. Left 20th.

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Present N.C. Love, Esq.

564. Minnie Grant: 73 Agnes Street. No object of charity. Baptist. Widow. Strong, healthy, no children, does not like Service as she prefers a room of her own and be independant.

565. Thomas Steel: 51 Chestnut Street. Presbyterian. Boarding, Bread only if anything, an occasional Loaf.

566. Mary Elliott: 238 1/2 King Street East, 29 years old, husband 40 years old, labourer can't get work. 2 Children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

567. Emily Norris: Scadding Street east Don. I find the family are in very low condition, the husband has been very ill for some time & Mrs. Norris also from Rheumatism. There is 2 Children in the family. They will be glad to get anything you can give them.

568. Charlie McArthur: 3 Windsor Street. Scotch. Presbyterian aged 36. Wife 32 years, 2 Girls 14 yrs. 15 months, 2 Boys 8, 5 years. Husband labourer out of employment. Sometime they have apartments in that large house free for taking charge of it. I think Coal once and Bread, the Remainder of the Season.

569. Thomas Brown: 100 Boulton St. Canadian. Ch of E., from Kingston about 4 Months. He is a Carpenter to

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trade but has not been able to get any work. He has 3 children 2 Sons 17, 4 years, 1 daughter 14 years who has gone away from him, he don't know where. His wife is dead after a long sickness. He says he is only anxious to get work. I think he is in need of Coal & Bread.

570. Emily Anderson: 394 1/2 Queen Street East. Married, English, Ch of E. 1 Baby. Seem respectable people & should be above want. Say they have no work. The wifes brother & Sister live with her. She seemed distressed at having to ask relief. Recommend Fuel for 1 Month.

571. Ann Hibbett: 106 Oak Street. No such person there nor has been never lived in the neighbourhood.

572. Mary Moore: 82 Stanley Street. Spinster. Irish, RC. Aged 40. Recommend 5 Bushels Coke & 4 lbs. Bread Weekly.

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Present J.W. Drummond Esq. & E. Hobson Esq.

573. Martha Barrett: 3 Bellevue Place off Dennison Avenue, age 31, her husband aged 31. Has been sick all winter & the family are in a very reduced State. There are 5 Children, a boy aged 9 being the eldest. Recommend Coal & Bread & also Groceries.

574. Harriett Paddington: 29 Ontario Street. English. Ch of E. Husband Brushmaker 3 Years from England. Lost his Stock last Summer. But seems trying hard to make a living. House clean. No children. No fuel & seems to have put all he could make into tools etc. as they seem industrious. Think might have one lot Coal or Coke.

575. Mary Hows: 115 University Street. English. Ch of E. 3 Children. Has succeeded so far in getting along without help this year. Tells me she is obliged to ask for some Coal now. You know that they are worthy & deserving of assistance. Recomd. Coal.

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576. Mrs. McKenzie: 5 Hickory Street. Please give her an allowance of Groceries as she is ill in bed.

577. John Thompson: 19 Reed Street aged 38. Married. English. Ch of E. 4 Children, Boys 14, 12, 5, 2 years of age. Printer by trade but has weak eyes & not able to read well. Recommend temporary relief. 5 Bushels Coke, Groceries & Bread.

578. Mrs. Johnson: rear 30 Monk Street. She is in want of more Coal as she has Small Children. I hope you may give it to her again in case 466.

579. Kenneth McGilberry: 120 Borden Street near top, aged 35. Is a Carpenter out of work since before Xmas, has recently had sickness & a death in the family. Broke his leg last summer & so has had nothing to live on. One Child, a Girl aged 3 & Wife. Recommend 600 lbs. Coal at once. He expects to be in work in a fortnight.

580. Bartholomew Gardener: 18 Alice Street. This man was a Clerk in the advertising dept. of Leader. He has 7 Children, 4 Young & Wife. Would recommend that he gets fuel & Bread & am satisfied with what Mr. Duckett has done in giving Bread, Groceries, [etc.]

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Present Revd. Dr. Potts & J.W. Drummond Esq.

581. Mary Ann Large: 2 Sherbourne Place rear 67 Sherbourne Street, 32 years old, husband 31 years old. Butcher by trade, can't get work, 4 Children under 14 years confined two weeks ago. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal.

582. Mrs. Wheatley: rear 72 Richmond Street west, English, Ch of E, aged 49, husband 53. Carpenter out of employment Since before Xmas, only came from England last Summer. Have 3 Children at home 17, 9, 6. They are quite decent looking people. Recommend Coal & Bread for the present.

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583. Margaret Jackson: 104 Herbert Street. Previously reported in case 2. Has only received one allowance of Coal. She is entirely without fuel & is very deserving. Please let her have another quantity equally with others.

Friday, 14th March 1879

Present Revd. Dr. Potts & J.W. Drummond, Esq.

584. Sarah Gillman: 45 Duke Street 49 Years old. Husband 45 years. Tinsmith by trade can't get work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

585. Sophia Billingham: Grosvenor Avenue. Will you give her an allowance of Groceries as she has now been confined. Married. Husband working at Lawsons Bakery at [dollars] 3 per week. English. Ch of E. 2 children. 2 Children Girl 16 Months & boy 2 weeks old.

586. Robert Smith: 22 Pine Street. English Ch of E. 5 Children. Alice 18 in Service, Ellen 16 not able to work, Sidney 12 earns 60 [cents] p [per] week. Hugh 7 going to school. Fred 3 Years. 7 Years in Toronto. Furniture good & house Kept neatly & worthy of relief.

587. John Lovatt: 117 Little Richmond Street has been out of employment Several months & is in a distressed condition for want of necessaries. He is Recommended for Coal.

588. Ann Graham: 155 Centre Street. Widow. Presbyterian, old & Sickly, came from P.E. [Prince Edward] Island. No children here, boards at this house & unable to earn anything. Recommend Groceries, Bread.

589. Mary A. McAllister: 40 Lombard Street, Widow. Her Son is very ill & she seems deserving. It might be well to give her a little fuel & something for the Boy, her only Child, until he is better.

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590. Susan Chessal: 95 Claremont Street. husband is still ill he had his leg broken & has not been able to do anything for some time & they need the sick allowance very much as they have had help before his case is well known to you

591. Sophia Billingham: 74 Grosvenor Avenue. Please give her an allowance of Coal as she is quite without fuel & is suffering from the Cold after her Confinement her husband is only earning [dollars] 3 p [per] week

592. John Forsight in case 1223 in 1878 went to place with Mrs. Beamish 107 Sumach Street

Tuesday 18th March 1879

Present Messrs. E. Hobson (for H. Rowsell) & Saml. Alcorn

593. Thomas Savage: 590 Bathurst Street a labourer aged has had no work for the winter & is said to be very badly off. The Grandchildren depending on him the Mother having died last December & the Father being a worthless fellow. English. recommend Aid as soon as possible

594. Mary Jane Brophy: 101 Adelaide Street west Irish R.C. aged 32. husband labourer. but gone to the Country looking for work She has not heard from him since he left that is 7 weeks ago. She is very ill off She neither fire nor food 2 Children Girl 5 years Boy 20 Months old would recommend Coal & Bread

595. James Halvey: 40 Emma Street, has a Wife & Infant his wife has just been confined They are in great destitution. Please give a supply of Groceries & some Bread also some Coal recommended by Revd. Dr. Potts

596. Patrick Fahey: Garrison Street there are 5 in family & no one working recommended by Mr. Cosgrave for Bread for a couple of weeks until his boy gets some work they get relief from our Society but not enough to support them.

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597. Owen Hughes: aged 66 Irish Roman Catholic 25 years in Toronto last 3 months in General Hospital no able to earn his living at present recommended for admission by Mr. Joseph Leslie. Admitted was formerly an Inmate See case 905 in 1877

598. Kate Ferrell: 298 Spadina Avenue Irish Ch of Eng 2 Children Girls 17.22 years husband out of employment She has struggled on very hardly through the winter & she is obliged now to apply recommended by Revd. A.J. Broughall for some hard Coal to be sent privately

Friday 21st March 1879

Present Revd. Dr. Young & Messrs. Samuel Alcorn & E. Hobson for Henry Rowsell

599. Fanny Duncan: 140 Terauley Street Ch of E. husband labourer out of work 1 Boy 6 years 4 Girls 14.8.3.1. years seem poor & deserving Recommend Coal & Bread

600. Alfred Taylor: 100 Elizabeth Street Eh of E. labourer Infant 3 weeks Boy 3 years does not seem very temperate but on account of wifes illness might have Groceries once

601. Mary McDonald: 135 Front Street East She has it appears been married twice & is again a widow Was born in the County of Oxford Canada & came to Toronto some 9 years ago has no children living earns a living by washing Presbyterian Will take anything in the shape of relief recommend Coal & 4 lbs. Bread

602. Mary Rice: 104 Herbert Street appears to have received only one Supply of Coal & is greatly in need of some to be able to struggle through Until the Mild weather Please let her have some at once

603. Melinda McKenney: 90 Ann Street has already has 1/2 Ton Coal but nothing else She says She is now badly off for food & her husband is out of work I think you might give her either 600 lbs. Coal or some Coke

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Present R. Elmsley Esq. Saml. Alcorn Esq.

604. Mrs. Cracknell: Bishop Street. Is ill & has been so for some time have had Coal twice but as this is very urgent please let her have a little more

605. Mrs. Oswin: Strachan Street is ill very seriously and is desirous of receiving sick allowance Please grant same

606. James Williams: 62 Centre Street, boards at the above No., single Man absent when visitor called ought to be able to make out will explain why not to the Committee



607. Caroline Baker: 14 Tate Street. Found the house neat & the Furniture good also the family very respectable looking & had neither Fire or Food when visited. Ch of E. 3 Years in Toronto English. husband 54 Years Wife 53 Years 2 Girls Emily 20 Years Sick not able to work Sarah 13. going to school. No income as Mr. Baker is out of employment Recommend Bread & Fuel

608. Thomas Rowe: in case 535 in 1875 left on the 24th March with the intention of getting into the Hospital

Friday 28th March 1879

Present R. Elmsley Esq.

609. John Jones: 53 Bulwer Street has wife & 2 Children Girl 9. Boy 7 Ch of E. a labourer came out from London end of last summer & has been able to do for himself till now though hard put to it at times on account of the severity of the winter. He would not apply for help now where [were] it not that work having entirely failed he can not get fuel he is evidently a sober steady man Recommend Fuel (Soft Coal) and for the present Bread

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Tuesday 1st April 1879

Present R. Gilmour Esq. & Revd. A. Baldwin

610. Mitalda [Matilda] Lane: 213 Sumach Street aged 31 years husband out of work Ch of E. English 3 Children Girl 5. Boy 4. & Girl 5 weeks old

611. Richard Thomas: in case 294 in 1879. left this day Thursday 3rd April 1879.

Friday 4th April 1879

Present R. Gilmor Esq.

612. James Walker: rear 21 Renfrew Street his wife is dead he has 2 Girls 13. 10 Years old English Ch of E. The man has been sick in the Hospital he cannot get work to do he is very poor It would be well if he could be assisted for a few weeks

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Present Mr. W.D. Matthews

613. Eliza Ray: 12 Sheppard Street in case 1334 in 1878 Recommended by Dr. Ogden for Sick allowance

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Present W.D. Matthews Esq.

No Applicants

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Present Messrs. J. Jacques S. Alcorn & A.J. McCord

614. Mary Ashworth: in case 625 in 1877 applied for readmission. Admitted to come on Friday. Left May 31/79.

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615. Mary Bolan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

616. Julia McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

617. Mary Downey: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

618. Bridget Burns: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

619. Margaret Martin: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

620. Mary Gillam: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

621. Bridget Efferson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

622. Margaret Walsh: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

623. Ann Gorman: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued

- 624. Susan Pooler: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 625. Robert Potts: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 626. Mary Anderson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 627. Catherine O Donnell: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 628. Ann Swanton: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 629. Mary Denman: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 630. Rose McKenna: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 631. John Cavanagh: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 632. Phoebe Gray: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 633. Jane Willis: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 634. Catherine Stewart: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 635. Elizabeth Carter: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 636. Maria Ford: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 637. Mary A. Andrews: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 638. Ellen Thompson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 639. Mary Sullivan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 640. Catherine Eagan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 641. John McCan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 642. Bridget McCan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 643. Ada Stephens: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 644. Mary OBrien: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 645. Sarah Moore: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 646. Margaret Lennon: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 647. Honora Boyle: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 648. Catherine Hallorin: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 649. Dummy Jones: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 650. Mary Maddigan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued
- 651. Janett Sawden: 17 Pine Street had relief all winter Mr. Pell applied on their behalf for Bread. The man

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is ill not able to work the woman has bad legs & there are four Children to have 8 lbs. Bread to 15th June

652. Mary Cunningham: a widow 73 years of age Irish Ch of E. respectable old woman Seeks admission to be admitted say in a months time as the House is at present uncomfortable on account of cleaning up. Admitted April 20.

653. Stephen Berkeley: in case 495 had leave to go out on 14th April has not returned since

Friday 18th April 1879

Present Messrs. A.J. McCord & Clarke Gamble

654. Bridget Walsh: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

655. Clement Read: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

656. Catherine Luff: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

657. Susan Walsh: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

658. Margaret Elwood: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month]

659. Ellen Rutherford: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

660. Elizabeth Gothart: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

661. Julia Kane: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

662. Elizabeth Fisher: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

663. William Booth: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

664. Mary Miller: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

665. Maria Day: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

666. Mary Pollard: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

667. Jane Eaton: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

668. Margaret Nare: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

669. Hannah Ashaw: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

- 670. Amelia Thomas: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 671. Elizabeth Johnson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 672. Eliza Holland: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 673. Jane Pervis: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 674. Mary Hannan: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 675. Jane Hedge: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 676. Mary Henry: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month
- 677. Ann Duffy: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month

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- 678. Thomas Kerby: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 679. Mary Duke: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 680. Elizabeth Burns: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 681. Jane Fraser: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 682. Maria Chapman: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 683. Margaret Eaton: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 684. Michael Rogers: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 685. Mary Wiley: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 686. Mary J. Brophy: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 687. Sarah Freeman: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 688. Harriet Beck: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 689. Mary Cook: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 690. Ellen Fitzgerald: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 691. Margaret Lawrie: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 692. Jane Curran: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 693. Frances Helm: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 694. Bridget Ketts: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 695. Eliza Ray: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

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696. Mary Walker: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
697. Emma Webb: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
698. Rosanna Lee: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
699. Catherine Wilson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
700. Matthew Curran: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
701. Mary Watts: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
702. Hannah Bodkins: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
703. Ann Callowood: is a respectable old woman who is not able to earn her living & needs assistance during the Summer as well as in Winter She is recommended for the Summer allowance of Bread to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly
704. Matthew Curran: William Street. husband & Wife they cannot work being too old had relief during the Winter Recommended by Revd. J.M. Laurent for Summer allowance of Bread
705. William Bartin: in case 1222 in 1878 left this day 22nd April to go to the Hospital

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Tuesday 22nd April 1879

Present Messrs. J. Scott & R. Walker

706. Margaret Wills: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
707. Eliza McKewan: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
708. Hannah Birmingham: to have 6 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
709. Margaret McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
710. Catherine McNamara: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
711. Mary A. Whalen: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
712. Johanna McDonnell: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
713. Jane Dundas: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
714. Jane Glenn: to have 8 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
715. Ann Frost: to have 4 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer
716. Catherine Prince: to have 8 lbs. Bread Weekly during the summer

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717. Alfred Goodwin: in case 1079 in 1878 left the House this day Tuesday 22nd April

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No Committee present

718. Jane Hiles: 36 English Congregational. 2 Months from England 2 Children Girl 3 1/2 Boy 1 3/4 husband a printer out of Work Mrs. Hiles is near confinement again gave Bread and Groceries

719. Catherine Keating: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

720. Bridget McCabe: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

721. Mary Carney: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

722. Thomas Rowe: in case 608 returned from Hospital for readmission, admitted. left the House June 20th.

Tuesday 29th April 1879

Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. S. Rogers

723. Mary Ann Robertson: Widow 53 English Ch of E. has

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a crippled hand not able to earn her living. Husband died in the House some years ago, seeks admission for a time, admitted.

724. Louisa Powell: 252 Sumach Street husband away in England English Methodist 2 Children 12.6 years to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly

725. Isabella Rogers: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

726. Elizabeth Irwin: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

727. Ann Flood: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

728. Eliza Thompson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

729. Sarah Fleming: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

730. Emily Robinson: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer



731. Robert Gamble: in Case 621 in 1877. Left the House being now well, and able to earn his living. April 25th.

732. Joseph Carlyle: aged 60. Native of England. ChofEngl. a Mariner. crippled by Rheumatism. came here for shelter February 10th, and left March 28th having recovered so far as to be able to go peddling with a basket.

Friday May 2nd 1879.

Present, Revd. Dr. Topp & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. S. Rogers

733. Mary Rutherford: to have allowance of 4 lbs. breads continued

734. Celia Grately: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

735. Sarah Bryan: to have weekly allowance of 6 lbs. for summer

736. Mary Keaman: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

737 Rebecca Heffer: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

738. James McIntosh: to have 8 lbs. bread weekly continued.

739. Jane Hiles: in Case 718, to have 8 lbs. bread weekly for one Month.

740. Mary Swan: 35 years of age. English. ChofEngland. came to Toronto from Hamilton, asks few days shelter, until she can get a place as Servant. Left 10th.

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Tuesday May 6th 1879

Present. Revd. J.D. Cayley, & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. E.H. Rutherford

741. Mary E. Trimmer: (125 Portland St.) and daughter have both been ill for several weeks, are getting better, but neither yet able to work. Revd. Mr. Williams (Visitor) recommends a sick allowance, to help them in their present trouble.

Friday May 9th 1879.

Present. Revd. J.D. Cayley, & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. E.H. Rutherford.

742. Mary Wymes: ration of 4 lbs. bread continued.

743. Mary Bell: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

744. Mary Patterson: 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer.

Tuesday 13th May 1879.

Present. No Committee.

No Applicants.

745. William Gregg: in Case 1061 in 1878. Left May 14th.

746. Patrick Tighe: in Case 1673 in 1878 Left May 14th.

Friday May 16th 1879.

Present. Very Revd. J.M. Laurent.

747. Mary Jane Hughes: aged 27. a widow. with one Child, 3 Months old. English. ChofEngland. 4 lbs. bread weekly.

748. Emily Williams: 154 Centre St. just confined. Husband away looking for work. 3 Children, Girl 12, boy, 2. and baby (a boy) 4 days old. Groceries for the present, and bread for a few weeks.

749. Alfred Peck: in Case 1089 in 1878, Left the House, will work for his own living.

750. Annie Beatty: in Case 1101 in 1878, Left the House on her own account.

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Tuesday, 20th May 1879.

Present, No Committee.

751. Morris Cosmar: in Case 1076 in 1878. Left the Institution on his own account.

752. Bridget Pickering: 138 Richmond St. west. A widow with two Children, Girls, 10 & 8 years old. and her aged Mother (Bridget Meehan) living with her. had Outdoor relief for some years from the House. applied for a continuance of bread during summer Months. allowed 8 lbs. bread weekly.

753. Samuel Bowden: in Case 884 in 1877, Left the Institution on his account, his sight being better, expects to earn his living. rather depraved in his morals.

Friday. 23rd May 1879.

Present, Revd. D.J. Macdonald

754. Bella Weed: aged 29. Canadian. Baptist, and one Child, girl, 10 Months old. Recommended by Revd. J.D. Cayley for shelter until Monday. Looked at the Lodgings, but preferred going to the Home.

755. June Shera: 185 Elizabeth St. Married. Irish. ChofEngl. 5 Children, 2 boys, 13, & 11. 3 girls, 9.7. & 5 years of age. boy 11, & girl 5, have been sick. Recommended by Mrs. Grassett. had no relief before. Groceries. 8 lbs. bread weekly until 1st July.

756. Mary Anderson: in Case 1067 in 1878. Left May 20th to live with a Grand daughter.

Tuesday, 27th May 1879.

Present, N.C. Love Esqr. & W.J. MacDonell Esqr

757. James Clark: aged 32. United States. Roman- Catholic. 5 days in Toronto, a Moulder by trade.

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has the Chill fever, not able to work at present, seeks shelter for a few days until better, when he will return to the States. Left June 10th

758. Ann Wilson: aged 32. Irish. R.C. 3 Children. Edward 5. William 2. and Albert 1 year of age. from Buffalo, arrived in Toronto to day about 2 O'clock, Husband a Shoemaker, in Central Prison for a term of 16 Months. has served two weeks of his time. Mrs. Wilson was sent from the Mayors Office, wants a few days shelter for herself and Children until she can get a place.

Friday 30th May 1879

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. N.C. Love.

759. Joanna Sweeney: rear 79 Stanley St. aged 40. Irish. R.C. 3 Children- boy, 7. Boy, 3. & girl 4 Months. says Husband is in General Hospital with bad Eyes. to have bread for the present, and to bring a Note from Doctor to certify that husband is as she represents. Brought certificate from Doctor that husband is in Hospital. 6 lbs. bread weekly.

760. Bridget Hughes: Elliotts Rowe an old pensioner. to have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

761. Mary Ruglan: an old pensioner on the House. aged 65. English. Chof England. 4 lbs. bread during summer.

762. David Porter: an Inmate, see Case 860 in 1874. had leave to go out on Wednesday, and contrary to rules, did not return until Thursday- Committee will grant shelter in Casual ward until Tuesday when his Case might be brought up again before the weekly Committee.

763. Elizabeth Timson: in Case 145 in 1876. died this day May 31st Aged 68 years.

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764. Agnes Garner: aged 24. Canadian. Presbyterian. from Teeswater, came to Toronto to look up some friends, could not find them. out of money, seeks shelter for a few days until she can get a pass from the Mayor, to send her back from where she came from. Left June 4th.

Tuesday, 3rd June 1879.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

765. David Porter: in Case 762. to be admitted, with the understanding, if he stays out again without leave, he will be dismissed.

766. James Hamilton: in Case 610 in 1874. was brought before weekly Committee, for insubordination, and abuse. not his first offense. was ordered by Committee to leave the Institution and find quarters somewhere else, unless he promises to behave better in future. promised not to offend again.

Friday 6th June 1879.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

767. William Barton: in Case 705. applied for shelter until he can get employment. Left June 28th.

Tuesday 10th June 1879.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. J.W. Drummond.

No Applicants.

Friday 13th June 1879.

Present. Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. J.W. Drummond

768. Andrew Baker: aged 33 years. A Native of England. Catholic Apostolic. 2 Months in Canada. out of Employment and without means to maintain himself. appears a little strange. expects remittance from a Brother in England. Mr. Pell applied for the man's admission into the House. Admitted. Left 28th July.

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Tuesday, 17th June 1879.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. Henry Rowsell.

769. Margaret Tansey: 27 Elizabeth St. aged 78. A widow. Irish. Chof England. An old out door Pensioner of the House for many years. Lived lately with a daughter in the Country, who died, so the old woman had to come back to Toronto, and is now seeking at the House the relief she formerly had. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly, and some Groceries.

770. ~~Margaret~~ Catherine Cullerton: Queen St. west. says her husband has a cold, and not able to work just now. To have 8 lbs. bread for the present, and husband to see Doctor.

771. Thomas Smallwood: 72 Elizabeth St. aged 78 years. U.S. Methodist Church. Coloured. had relief last winter. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer.

772. Joseph Poiton or Pointon: in Case 1063 in 1878. left the House. having procured Employment.

Friday, 20th June 1879.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. Henry Rowsell.

773. Margaret Taylor: wife of Alfred, in Case 600. applied for relief, husband is now a Lunatic in Provincial Asylum, 2 Children, boys, 3 years, and one 3 Months old. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly, & Groceries for the present.

Tuesday 23th June 1879.

Present. R. Wilkes Esqr. & E. Hobson Esqr.

774. Isabella Tranor: 394 1/2 Queen St. east. ChofEngland. English. 5 Children, 2 boys, 6 years, & 6 Months. 3 Girls, 8, 4, & 3 years of age. Emigrants, 2 weeks in Toronto. husband a Schoolmaster, no Employment. 8 lbs. bread & Groceries.

775. Mary Carroll: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer.

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Tuesday 23th June 1879.

776. John Farrell: in Case 599 in 1874. died this 27th June softening of the Brain.

Friday, 27th June, 1879.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

777. Mary Duke, in Case 679. Made application for readmission as she left on her account without asking permission, and this not being the first time her doing so. Committee do not feel inclined to admit her at present. She says her pension has been stopped. Having made enquiries at the Pension Office Supt. was told that Mary is still in receipt of half her husbands pension.

Tuesday, 1st July 1879.

Present. R. Gilmor Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday, 4th July 1879.

Present, W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

778. Elizabeth Davis: in Case 981 in 1878, dies this day. aged 74 years. softening of the Brain.

779. Mary Ann Robertson: in Case 723. left the Institution on her own account. hired herself to a Market Gardener & his wife as House Keeper.

Tuesday, 8th July 1879.

Present, Revd. A.J. Broughall & E. Hobson Esqr.

780. Elizabeth O'Neill: 10 Church St. an old out door Pensioner during winter Months, applied for a weekly allowance of bread during summer. to have a large loaf weekly.

781. Margt. Hile: in Case 286. aged 50. Irish. W. Methodist. To have a large loaf weekly during summer Months.

782. Ellen Casey: an old Case. to have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

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Friday, 11th July 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

783. Patience Savage: had relief last winter. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends a large loaf of bread weekly on account of two Grandchildren whom she has to maintain.

Tuesday, 15th July 1879

Present. Messrs. J. Jacques & E. Hobson.

No Applicants.

Friday, 18th July 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants



Tuesday, 22nd July 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

784. Frances Middleton: A Widow, aged 67. English. Ch of England. four years in this Country. says she no friends out here, and apparently not very strong to earn her living. Applied for admission. Seemingly a decent respectable woman. Admitted.

785. Elizabeth Dempsey: in case 596 in 1876. Died this day July 24th.

Friday, 25th July 1879

Present: E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

Tuesday 29th July 1879

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers

786. James Smith: aged 74. English. Ch of England. 31 years in Toronto. says has no friends in Toronto, and not able to earn his living. brought a recommend from Revd. Mr. Williams for admission. Admitted with the understanding that he make himself general useful.

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787. James Burke: aged 62. 2 weeks from Montreal. is a Pensioner in receipt of 25 pound Sterling a year. seems to be just recovering from a heavy spree. Seeks admission. allowed a night's lodging in casual but cannot be admitted.

788. Elizabeth Jury: 109 Adelaide St. West. had relief last winter, is now sick. Recommended by Dr. Wagner for relief as they are destitute.

Friday, 1st August 1879

Present, Messrs. S. Rogers & E. Hobson

789. Margaret Vergon: 22 High Street. had relief for some years during Winter Months. Husband now in last stage of consumption. 4 Children. To have 10 lbs. bread weekly and Groceries, on account of the Husband's illness.

Tuesday, 5th August 1879

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

790. Cathr. Walsh: aged 66. Exceedingly poor, her husband, an old man, has been sick for a long time. had relief last winter. Revd. Mr. Laurent recommends bread weekly for the summer. 6 lbs. bread per week. Irish. R.C.

791. Elizabeth Robinson: No. 10 Shepperd St. Canadian. Ch of England. 2 children, boy 5 years, and a girl one day old. requires nourishment. sent a Doctor's certificate. Bread & Groceries.

Friday, 8th July 1879

792. Cathr. Cullerton: rear 654 Queen St. west. aged 41. Irish. R.C. 5 children at home. 3 girls 9, 7, 3 1/2, 2 boys 5, 1 1/4. Husband, a labourer, has not been able to work since May on account of sickness. To see Doctor. Bread in the meantime. Doctor called upon Cullerton, and believes the man is not able to work. 8 lbs. Bread weekly & groceries for once.

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793. C. Smith: 16 Renfrew St. English. Ch of England. a Labourer, at present out of Employment. Married. 5 children, 4 girls, 6, 5, 4 & 3 years of age, one boy, a baby 2 weeks old. 8 lbs. bread, and sick allowance on account of wife's recent confinement.

794. Mary Jane Brophy: in Case 594, is in receipt of weekly allowance of bread. Dr. U. Ogden recommends a few groceries as she is too ill to work. Has not heard from her husband yet.

795. Mary Cunningham: in Case 652, left this Institution for Montreal where she has friends. August 11th.

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796. Rebecca Coventry: aged 22. Canadian. Methodist. From Owen Sound, where she lived 10 years. No husband, but expects to be confined in about 3 1/2 months time. had her expenses paid to Toronto, and was told the people in Toronto would take care of her. was sent here for a few days shelter by Revd. Dr. Potts, who will try and find what can be done for her. Left 16th.

797. James Smith: in Case 786. Left the House on his own account. cannot put up with the confinement.

Tuesday, 12th August 1879

Present: Very Revd. J.M. Laurent

798. Mary Gormley: 60 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. an old case, well known at the House. Has been an Inmate several times. seeks admission again. allowed a few days shelter in Casual Ward for the present.

799. Patrick Dunnay: in Case 673, in 1870. Died this day, August 12th, aged 67 years.

800. William Page: aged 58. Native of England. in Toronto since the Rebellion. ChofEngland. No friends to provide for him. not able for heavy work on account of rupture. seeks admission.

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Friday, 15th August 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

801. Mary Gormley: in Case 798. Allowed to remain in Casual Building until next Tuesday. The case to be considered according to her behaviour. Left on Monday 18th on her own account.

802. James McCartney: aged 54. English. ChofEngland. Lately out of General Hospital. a Tailor by trade, not able to work on account of bad sight. Was an Inmate two years ago. See Case 943 in 1877, seeks admission again. admitted.

803. Elisa Belgue: 40 St. Davids St. A widow, aged 46. has 7 children, boys 9 & 6, girls 17, 15, 13, 10 & 4 years of age. had out door relief for some years. not well in health. 12 lbs. bread weekly and groceries for this once.

Tuesday, 19th August 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

804. Elizabeth Stacey: 28 Edward St. 28 years of age. English, ChofEngland. 2 Children, boy 3 years, and boy 15 Months old. Husband a labourer, went into the country looking for work, she has not heard from him for two months. had relief last winter. applies for bread. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly and groceries for the present.

805. William Page: in Case 800 to be admitted with the understanding to make himself general useful.

Friday, 22nd August 1879

Present: E. Hobson Esqr.

806. Alice Allan: 44 St. Davids St. aged 33. ChofEngland. four years from England, six weeks from Montreal. 3 Children, girl 7, boy 5 & boy 1 year old. Husband a farm labourer, has been sick for some time, but somewhat better now, has gone into the Country looking for work. Seems very respectable, but in destitute circumstances. Seeks relief. 8 lbs. bread weekly & Groceries.

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Tuesday, 26th August 1879

The Committee on Coal, to open and examine Tenders met today. Present Messrs. N.C. Love & E. Hobson.

807. Mr. P.D. Congers Tender being considered the most suitable and was accepted.

808. Mary Livingstone: an old out door Pensioner during winter Months, applied for the continuance of bread during summer. allowed 4 lbs. bread weekly.

809. James Patton: living at 19 West St. He has had the typhoid fever and is getting round. came here with his wife a short time ago. was working at the Exhibition grounds where he was taken ill. Revd. D.J. Macdonnell recommends whatever the regulations of the House allows for a sick Man in such a case. In a few days the wife will be free and go to work in a Laundry, where she has been promised employment. At present they are without means and dependent on charity. To have full allowance of groceries & bread for the present.

810. Martha McCormack: in Case 55 1/2 in 1877. had leave yesterday to go out, came back in the evening drunk and abusive annoying every one. the only way to stop her noise, was to put her outside advising her to go and get sober where she got drunk. She returned this morning and took her traps away, declaring Vengeance to every one belonging to the House. August 27th.

Friday 29th August 1879

No Committee present

811. Susan Charbotte: an old out door Pensioner of many winters, applied for a continuance of bread during summer months. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

812. Jane Sadden [Janett Sawden]: who receives a weekly allowance of bread from the House, applied for sick allowance on account of Husband who has been ill with dropsey for some Months. Full allowance.

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813. Mary Gormley: in Case 801, came again for admission, with a recommend from Revd. Mr. Cayley. was told to remain in casual until Tuesday, when she can see weekly committee.

Tuesday, 2nd Septbr. 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

814. Mary Gormley: in Case 813. Doctor examined, cannot find anything the matter, considers her able to make herself useful about the House, quite as well as other Inmates. Left 15th Septbr.

815. Mary McCarty: William St. A widow, aged 75. Irish. R.C. 23 years in Toronto. had no relief before from this House. brought a recommend from Revd. Mr. Laurent. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

Friday, 5th Septbr. 1879

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

816. Sarah Roachford: a Spinster, aged 60. an out door pensioner, of many winters. Recommended by Mr. Cosgrave for bread, on account of a very sore hand. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

817. Mary Duke: in Case 777, came for Lodgings, says has no place to stay. Wants to get admission into the House.

Tuesday, 9th Septbr. 1879

Present. Revd. Dr. Potts & E. Hobson Esqr.

818. Catharine Johnson: aged 61. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. A Widow, 25 years in Toronto. had relief from this House for many years. says she has a cancer in her leg, looks for a few days shelter until she can be taken into the Incurable Institution.

819. Mary Duke: in Case 817. To be admitted with the understanding that her pension will be paid to the House for her support.

820. Mary M. Jinner: 103 Strachan St. Irish. ChofEngl. 2 Children, husband sick. Relief recommended for the present.

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Friday, 12th Septbr. 1879

Present. Mr. E. Hobson, for J.W. Drummond

821. Martha McCormack: in Case 810. applied for readmission, having stayed away until now. On account of bad behaviour and abusive language, Committee do not feel inclined to admit her at present.

822. Jane Kellett: a worthy old woman who had Out door relief from the House for some years during Winter Months, applied to have her allowance of bread continued. 4 lbs. bread weekly.

Tuesday 16th Septbr. 1879

Present, Revd. Dr. Young & Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Alcorn.

823. Ann Watace [Watson]: an old Case for winter relief. Applied for allowance of bread during summer. To have 4 lbs. weekly.

824. Mary Harrison: also an old Case for winter relief, say's her husband is doing nothing for her, a useless fellow. has five small Children, and herself not very strong, ask's for bread, to have 10 lbs. weekly.

825. Martha McCormack: Committee will give her one more chance, on condition that she behave herself in a proper manner and confine herself to the premises, if not complied with, she will have to leave the House. See Case 821.

Friday 19th September 1879

Present, Revd. Dr. Young & Messrs. E. Hobson & Saml. Alcorn

826. Leon Lemieux: aged 49. Native of Quebec. R.C. Mariner. Cripple with a wooden leg. has been an Inmate in House of Providence four years, left there and went to Kingston with intent to better his condition, did not succeed, came back to Toronto, on account of crowded state of House of Providence, could not be received there. Seeks admission into this Institution, brought a recommend from Revd. J.M. Laurent. To see Doctor, and if proper Case admitted.

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827. Margaret Smith: aged 35. Irish. ChofEngl. say's is a Widow without incumberance, has been in Jail several times. a hard looking case, has a sprained ankle, was sent here for a few days rest by a Mrs. Harvey, who is connected with an Institution called the Haven. Left Octbr. 4/79. York Co. [County]

Tuesday, 23rd Septbr 1879

Present, Messrs. R. Wilkes & E. Hobson

828. Dora Hirloff: 89 Sumach St. German family. Lutherans, 3 children, boy 6, girl 3 years, and a boy 11 months old. husband had Typhoid fever. 8 lbs. bread weekly for a month and full ration of groceries on account of husband being sick. Mrs. P. Wagner who knows them, recommended.

829. Emma Coleman: aged 35, 4 children, Girls 11 & 3, boys 5 & 5 Months. Came from the States a Month ago. Husband has gone back to the States and will send for his family as soon as he gets work. wants assistance for the present, until she gets money from her husband. to have 8 lbs. bread weekly for a time.

Friday 26th September 1879

Present, Messrs. R. Elmsley & E. Hobson



830. Rachel Smith: aged 24, living at No. 10 Szar [Czar] St. Canadian (Toronto), Methodist. 5 Children, boy 2 and girls 7, 5, 3 & baby 3 months old. says her husband, a labourer is in bad health. seeks relief. 8 lbs. bread and groceries, and send name to Visitor. Visitor recommends relief for the present, as the woman cannot work on account of the baby, but thinks the Case might be taken up later in the season.

831. Thomas Brown: aged 60. Native of Ireland. Chof England. say's came from Belville [Bellville], is a Labourer looking for work, has a sore hand, seeks a few days shelter until better to go to work. came Septbr. 21st and left Sept. 29th. Returned same day, and left October 10th.

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832. Patrick Mahon: 52 years of age. Irish. R.C. Labourer, says came from Weston, looking for work. has a sore hand, seeks a few days shelter. Came Septbr. 21 and left Septbr. 29th.

Tuesday, 30th Septbr. 1879

Present, Revd. A.H. Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr.

833. David Cox: aged 70. Native of England. No particular Church. says has been a peddler in Toronto for many years, last 3 months in General Hospital with a bad Eye. came here for shelter, wants to become an Inmate.

Friday, 3rd October 1879

Present, Revd. A.H. Baldwin & E. Hobson Esqr.

834. Lucy Curry: an old out door Pensioner with one child, applied for relief. to have a loaf for the present, and call again when relief is given out for the winter.

835. Thomas Evans: aged 12 years, went to place with Mr. Frank Bosten, a Store Keeper, in the Township of York, Octbr. 4/79. See Case 598 in 1868.

836. George Laidlaw: aged about Eleven years, went to place with Mr. Andrew Warfe, a Farmer, in the Township of Scarboro, Octbr. 4/79. See Case 509 in 1871.

837. Maria Lincoln: 50 Borden St. aged 20. English. ChofEngl. Husband a painter, has deserted her, one child, a boy 18 months old, and expects her confinement shortly. she is unable to work. Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends some bread, and if possible some groceries.

Tuesday, Octbr. 7/79

Present Revd. A.J. Broughall & Messrs. J. Gillespie and E. Hobson

838. Jane Hay: aged 34. English Emigrants, 2 months out. Husband a labourer, at work just now, but will not get pay for two weeks. 3 children, girl 9, girl 5, and boy

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Eighteen months old, expects to be confined shortly, asks for help. to have 8 lbs. bread for the present, and a full allowance of groceries.

839. Mr. James Stibbs: of Adelaide St. West, applied for the admission of a Mrs. Marshall, who lives at present with Mary Stedd rear of 56 Richmond St. West. Mrs. Marshall is blind, and otherwise afflicted. her husband a pensioner at one shilling sterling per day, and able to work. They received relief from the Institution winter and summer for a number of years on account of the wife's utter helplessness. Committee consider her a proper case for the Incurable Hospital. Doctor to examine the case and report.

840. Frances Middleton: in case 784. Left to day October 8th on her own account, will live with a person to take care of two children.

Friday, 10th October 1879

Present, Messrs. J. Gillespie & E. Hobson

841. Ellen Faloon: aged 36 years, from England. ChofEngland. stranger in Toronto, 12 months out, travelling about in the U. [United] States & Canada, would like to go to Montreal where they have relations. 3 children, Henry 9, Henrietty, 7, Mary 4 years of age. Husband Henry, got into trouble, sentenced 20 days in Gael. Wife says through no fault of his. Mr. McCord will enquire into the case, meantime wife and familie to remain in Casual until husband comes out of Gael.

842. Belina Marshall: in case 839. Doctor visited and reports, that he found Mrs. Marshall rather feeble, and an inoffensive old lady, say 55, or 60 years of age. she has poor sight, but enough to enable her to go about, and thinks to attend to her own wants, she looks more clean than the majority in her condition, but she is not able to work for a living, nor is she fit to take charge of a house, and on the whole Dr. thinks she is a fit case for the Charity of the House of Industry, and would recommend her admission. To be admitted.

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Tuesday, 14th October 1879

Present, A.T. McCord Esqr. & J. Jacques Esqr.

843. David Cox: in Case 833. cannot give a satisfactory account of himself. apparently has no Claim on the City or this Charity, recommended to go back to Markham, where he at one time owned a farm, and where he chiefly lived. stayed until Septbr. 23/80.

844. Bridget Farrell: aged 70. A Widow. aged 70. Irish. R.C. to have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

845. Cathr. Irwin: in Case 242. has been in Gael. application was made in her behalf for admission into House of Industry, by Dr. Richardson, some Ladies belong to the "Haven", and Mr. Clark Gamble. admitted, although not a proper case for this Institution, only fit to live in a cell by herself.

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Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

847. Hannah Humphrys: rear 64 Albert St. from England 2 months, ChofEngland. Husband a Book Keeper. 5 children, boy 7, girls 12, 10, 4 and 2 years of age. Doctor examined husband, says is suffering injury to his testicle and unable at present to work. To have full allowance of Groceries for the present, and allowance of 12 lbs. bread weekly.

848. Thomas Fisher: 73 Centre St. Married. 59 years of age. Doctor Winstanley is attending and states that Fisher is suffering from disease of the lungs, and in a condition that totally incapacitates him for work, and considers him a proper subject for any further relief that could be administered to him from the House of Industry. has known him and his wife for years, and has known them to be industrious

people. Have been in receipt of 6 lbs. bread weekly, to be increased to 8 lbs. weekly, and full allowance of groceries.

849. Charles Anglesea: in Case 1028 in 1878. Recommended by Mr. Robert Baldwin for readmission. Admitted.

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850. Charles Birden: aged 64 years. a Tailor by trade. Native of Ireland. R.C. Church. a resident in Canada for many years. seeks admission, will make himself general useful. admitted.

851. Cathr. Irwin: in Case 845, left the Institution on her own account. saw by the papers since she left, was committed to Gael for 6 months. Fit place for such as her.

Tuesday, 21st October 1879

Present, Messrs. J. Scott & E. Hobson

No Applicants

852. Friday, 24th October 1879

Present, Messrs. R. Walker & E. Hobson

852. Andrew Baker: in Case 768, is again destitute and without a House. Mr. Pell applied, on his behalf for readmission. admitted.

Tuesday, 28th October 1879

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers

853. Ruth Johnson: Married. Husband away in the States, will send for Wife and family as soon as he can earn something. 4 children, girl 10, boys 16, 10 & 4 years of age. English. ChofEngl. 10 lbs. bread and groceries.

854. Emma Cuff: Dundas St. A widow, aged 49. 3 Children, Girl 23, not over bright, 2 boys 12 & 3 years of age. English. ChofEngland. The family had relief last winter. very poor. To have 8 lbs. bread weekly.

855. Margaret McKay: 163 Sumach St. Husband out of his mind. English. Methodist Church. 7 Children, 5 Boys, eldest 16 working out, 9, 7 & 3. 2 Girls, 14 & 5 years of age. 18 Months in Toronto. Recommended by Messrs. Alderman Hallam and Love for relief. Sent full allowance of groceries, and 12 lbs. bread to them, and messenger left word for Mrs. McKay to send weekly for the bread.

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Friday, 31st October 1879

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers

856. Wesley Collins: an old Case for relief applied to have his name placed on the bread list. to have a loaf for today, and to apply again in December.

857. Ann Simmonds: aged 47 years. Irish. ChofEngland. 13 years in Canada. Husband, Thomas, works at Mr. McCormacks bottling establishment on Yonge Street. Mrs. Simmonds is partially paralyzed and otherwise afflicted. says her husband turned her out of doors. she came here for shelter in a most desperate state. enquiries are to be made about the husband, in the meantime, she is to receive shelter.

858. James Crain: 48 years of age. Irish. R.C. From Hamilton, wants to go to Stayner where he has a brother. seeks shelter until he can get a pass from the Mayor. say's has the St. Andrew's dance. Seems certainly very much afflicted. Left Novbr. 10th.

859. Ann McDonnell: aged 75. Native of Scotland. ChofEngland. came from Barrie, expected to meet a daughter from Parkhill. seeks shelter in the meantime. Left Debr. 2nd 1879.

860. Jane Bone: 111 Jarvis St. English. ChofEngland. aged 38. says her husband is sick in bed, and not well herself. looks very respectable. was sent here from the Mayors Office. bread and Groceries.

Tuesday 4th Novber. 1879

Present, Revd. J.D. Cayley & E.H. Rutherford

861. Jane Chambers: a well known case, has been a burden on the House for last twenty five years time, and often an Inmate, but always left in disgrace. as much known at the jail as at the House of Industry. Not a married woman, but her Children were brought up at the expense of this Institution. Irish. ChofEngland. Made application for admission again. Committee consider her according to the By-Law, not a

Tuesday, 4th Novbr. 1879.

proper case for admission, being depraved in her morals, and her general character bad. See case 524 {1877}.

862. Susanna Carter: 134 Sherbourne St. Native of Toronto. Wife of George, a barber, who has not lived with her these 5 years, has been in Chancery and was allowed by the Court to keep her children, one of whom is a widow of Andrew Stewart and supports the family by giving music lessons. Son George aged 16, was not in, said to be a handy fellow, good waiter, [etc.] but can find no employment. The family are Mulatto. Mrs. Carter is well known to Revd. Messrs. Grasett, Baldwin & Givins. she is ChofEngl. and daughter of Richards, the old "Spring Water Ice" man of Yorkville. Property there was mortgaged & lost. They want fuel and are in arrears with rent; in neither of which matter can the House give assistance. They might, however be allowed some bread and small sick ration owing to Mrs. Carters infirmities.

863. Susanna Baldwin: in case 213 in 1878. Died this day Novbr. 5th, aged 86 years.

Friday, Novbr. 7th 1879

Present, E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

864. Amelia Spinks: A widow, aged 40. English. ChofEngland. 8 children, 6 at home, boys 13, 10 and 18 Months, Girls, 17, 10 & 5 years of age. respectable. had relief last year. To have 8 lbs. bread weekly.

865. Elizabeth Ryland: A widow, aged 46. English. ChofEngland. has one boy, a cripple, aged 28, who has been sick for about five weeks. just able to do a little work again. Brought a Doctor's certificate to that effect. had relief off and on for some winters. respectable. 6 lbs. bread weekly.

Tuesday, Novbr 11th 1879

Present, Very Revd. J.M. Laurent

866. A Family named Cox: No. 2 Garrison St. apparently in great distress. Recommended by Mr. Gillespie. Sent 10 lbs. bread & groceries.

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Present, Very Revd. J.M. Laurent

867. Hubert B. Vlengels: aged 66. A Belgian. R.C. had relief from the House for two winters, has a son who used to help to support him, but who is now out of work and can hardly do for himself. The old Man is paralyzed on one side, and not able to do anything for his living, asks to be admitted into the House. Admitted.

868. William Taylor: aged 69. Irish. ChofEngland. Formerly an Inmate, see Case 1066 in 1878. returned to Toronto, suffering with Rheumatism. applied for readmission. Admitted.

869. Margaret Eaton: 75 years of age. Irish. Methodist. An auld acquaintance of the House of some twenty five years. has been an Inmate several times, and when not an Inmate an Out door Pensioner. See case 1161 in 1878. She now applies for readmission. Admitted.

870. Cathr. Roach: 16 Hagerman St. aged 32. Irish. R.C. 2 Children, boy 9, and girl 5 years of age. Husband, Michael has been very bad with spine disease for last 4 weeks. his lower extremities are completely paralyzed. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Laurent. Not in want of bread but will accept groceries. Very clean, respectable.

871. Sidney Galbright: say 75 years of age. A widow. Irish. Church of England. 40 years in Toronto. No relations, had Out door relief from this Institution for some years. Not able to live by herself any longer, was advised to make application for admission. decent old boddy.

872. Ruth Bloor: living in a lane on the west side of James St. between Louisa and Albert Streets. 4 children, boy 9, girls, 7, 2, and 2 Months old. Husband has been in Hospital with a bad ankle, is now gone to Weston to look for work. had word from No. 2 Police Station that the family was in extreme want. Called and found them having recd.

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relief last year, no strangers to House of Industry. asked why she did not apply. said intendet [intended] to do so, but a gentleman called that afternoon and would see to it.

Tuesday 18th Novbr. 1879.

Present, Revd. J.D. MacDonnell & W.J. MacDonnell Esqr.

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873. Annie Byron: to have a loaf of Bread for the present.

Friday 21st Novbr. 1879.

Present. Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & J. Paterson Esqr.

874. Robert Read: aged 80. Native of Royston, Hartford shire England. 30 years in Toronto. has a Brother and a Son in the City who are poor themselves, and say they are not able to Keep the old Man, but neglected him very much, he is in a filthy state, and alive with vermin. Recommended for admission by Revd. A. Baldin [A.H. Baldwin]. Committee will admit the Man, providing his friends will put him in a fit state for admission. ^admitted same day^

875. William Harden: a Cripple. aged 48. English. ChofEngland. a hard Case. has been an Inmate before. Now again applies for admission. see Case 263. allowed to remain in Casual for a week, and if he behaves himself, may be taken into the House.

876. Margaret Farrell: Spinster, aged 38. Irish. professes to belong to no Church. 8 years in Toronto. Not very well able to do hard work, on account of a crippled arm, caused by a severe scald. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

877. Jane Woodward: 179 Spadina Avenue. A Widow, aged 32. Irish. ChofEngland. 19 years in Toronto. 3 Children, 2 girls, 9 & 10, and one boy 5 years old. Had relief last winter. to have 8 lbs. bread weekly & Coal when given out. Recommended by Revd. J.D. Cayley.

878. Morris Cosmer: 34. Irish. R.C. formerly an Inmate, see Case 1076, in 1878. sore toes, applied for a few days shelter until his feet are better.

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Tuesday 25th Novbr. 1879.

Present, N.C. Love Esqr.

879. Robert Read: in Case 874. fell and broke his leg. was sent to General Hospital

880. Emigrants: Mr. Softly called on behalf of nine Emigrants, men who came out and left their families at home. these people are allowed shelter in Emigrant Sheds' but have no food. allowed 6 large loaves, and Tea and sugar. Novbr. 22d.

881. Emigrants: Three Men called here from Emigrant Sheds, on behalf of themselves, and fourteen more, now staying at the Sheds, for food. 6 large loaves, tea and sugar. Novbr. 24th.

882. Catharine J. Harvey: 102 Clairmont St. 32 years of age. Irish, ChofEngland. not ChofEngland, but Bible Christians. Emigrants. arrived in Toronto in August. Husband met with an accident, had his leg and ankle crushed, by some bars of Iron falling on him, is now in General Hospital where he has been 12 weeks. 4 Children, 2 boys, 6 years, & 8 months, two girls, 8 and 4 years old. Belong to the Philanthropic Club in England, from which they receive some benefit at present, at the rate at nine shillings sterling per week. very respectable people seemingly. 8 lbs. bread weekly.

Friday, 28th Novbr. 1879.

Present, N.C. Love Esqr.

883. Clement Read: 71 years of age. Wife Esther, aged 70. Irish. ChofEngland. have one grandchild living with them, aged 7 years. The familie had relief from the House for some years. Recommended for admission by Revd. Mr. Cayley, who will get the Grandchild into Orphans' Home. The old man says he would rather not come into the House, but would receive and accept thankfully what relief Committee will please grant. would not like to be seperated from his Wife in their old days. Wife delicate. Committee increased allowance of bread, from 6 to 8 lbs. weekly, occasionally groceries. & Coal when given out.

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884. Mrs. ^Mary^ Woods: No. 75 Tate St. Mr. Charles Burns (Visitor), was directed by Hon. G.W. Allan to visit this Case. did so, and found them destitute of everything pertaining to the nescessarys of life: but in making enquiries, found it was to a great extent their own fault. as liquor was the cause of it. Mrs. Woods' age 45 years. a Roman Catholic, Native of England. Ambrose Woods', age 45 years, Protestant, ChofEngland. 9 Children, 7 Girls, 3 in service. Eldest 20 years. 2 boys going to school. In Visitors opinion, if they Keep from liquor they could live very comfortably, will leave the Case to Committee's own disposal.

885. Harriett Buskin: 3 Lombard St. Baptist. Native of England. has been ill. 8 Children. Husband brought a Card from Mayor's Office. gave 12 lbs. bread, & full allowance of Groceries. since then Visitor called on them, found that husband has been at work at Clarks' Coach factory for last two weeks. could not see the wife who has recently been confined. will call again.

Tuesday, Decbr. 2nd 1879.

Present, Revd. Alexd. Williams

886. Edward Farrell: aged 66. Native of Ireland. Resident in this City for some years. applied for admission. This man applied for admission some years ago, on enquirie it was found, he was too lazy to work for his family, the Wife had to support herself and Children as best she could. Farrell was therefore refused admittance at that time. To call again some future time.

887. Alexd. Macdonell: aged 64. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. Church. a resident in Toronto for many years. A Carpenter by trade. was injured above the Knee, at the Queens Hotel some years ago when the building was enlarged. not been able to earn his living since. lived lately with some friends in the Country who can Keep the old man no longer. Recommended by Revd. D.J. Macdonnell for admission. Dr. Ogden examined thinks him a proper Case for Incurable, or House of Industry. Admitted.

888. Bridget Newman: rear 82 William St. Irish. R.C. Husband, ill for some time. 5 Children, 4 girls, one Boy. Very Revd. J.M. Laurent, recommends bread & Groceries.

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889. Thomas Reid: wife Elizabeth, and 3 Children, (girls) aged, 6 years, 4, years, and yunges [youngest] 17 Months. Scotch, ChofEngl. had no relief before. 21 years in Toronto. Reid is a Son of Clement, in Case 883. Live at 28 1/2 Bulver [Bulwer] St. Revd. Mr. Cayley recommends bread, and a little grocerie.

890. Hannah Woods: 58 Terauly St. aged 40. Husband 48. no fami{ly} Irish. Church of England. 2 Months from Montreal. Revd. Dr. Potts, recommends firing. 10 Bushel Coke.

Friday 5th Decbr. 1879.

Present. Revd. Alexd. Williams.

891. George Cox: aged 68. applied for admission. refused on account of former bad behaviour. See Case {blank}

892. Peter McLaughlan: aged 70. Native of Scotland. Presbyt. 27 years in Toronto. A Carpenter by trade. his wife lives out as Nurse. The old man cannot support himself. seeks admission. was formerly and Inmate. see Case {blank} a decent old Man. admitted.

Tuesday 9th Decbr. 1879.

Present, Revd. Dr. Potts & E. Hobson Esqr.

893. Margaret McDougall: A Widow, aged 45. Irish. ChofEngl 37 years in Toronto in delicate health. has a Son aged 17, at Shields' & Co. who earns enough to pay the rent. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly.

894. Emma Commin: 365 Adelaide St. west. ChofEngland, English. 3 Children, girls, 9, 4, and 2 years of age. Husband a labourer. Mrs. Commin is ill, and needs supplies which her husband who is out of work, is not able to get for her. Revd. A. Williams who visited, recommends Groceries & Coke.

895. John Marks: rear 333 Adelaide St. West. English. ChofEngl, no relief last Winter. Wife and four Children. Revd. Mr. Williams recommends a little bread and Coke.

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Friday 12th December 1879.

Present. Revd. Dr. Potts & E. Hobson Esqr.

896. Jane Farmer: 96 Boulton St. aged 26. husband 30. Irish. Methodist Church. 4 Children, 3 boys, 7. 3 1/2. 1 1/2 and a girl, 5 years of age. temporary relief for a Month. Groceries once. 10 lbs. bread weekly, for a Month.

Tuesday 16th December 1879

Present Messrs. J. Alcorn & E. Hobson

897. Harriett Sargent: rear 170 Centre Street Respectable looking people Clean house husband labourer out of work 5 Children eldest 9 youngest about 1 year are really in need as not earning the rent Recommend Bread at present & if husband does not get work Coal may require to be added everything favourable in appearances no drink or laziness only work wanted

898. Mary Nolan: 12 William Street an old woman alone cannot get work. poor, recommend Bread & Coal

899. Eliza Martin: 26 Clyde Street aged 40 her husband aged 40 has had irregular work as a labourer during the summer & for the last month has been out of employment. English. There are 3 Children all under 8 years of age The wife is delicate & unable to work recommend Bread & Coal when it is given out

900. Jane Cook: 58 Borden Street Irish Ch of E aged 30. 6 Children 2 Boys 3. 1. 4 Girls 9. 8. 7. 5 husband Carpenter out of work. 1 girl sick. recommended to have Bread for a Two weeks & an allowance of Groceries

901. Sarah England: 95 Elizabeth Street Ch of E 3 Girls 10. 8. 5. 2 Boys 9. & infant. husband in bed with supposed rupture. no work when well would recommend Coal & Bread ^ (Hangman) rather doubtful case S.A. [Samuel Alcorn]^

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902. George Baldwin: rear 44 Centre Street Ch of E. 2 girls 7. 11. years 2 Boys 10 & infant husband for some time at the Hospital lately discharged now looking for work need temporary help only ^Subject to Fits^

903. Rosa Whiter: 3 Brookfield Street 1st Street west of Dundas Street. English 3 years in Toronto husband was in 16th Regiment at Halifax wife & 4 Children ranging from 13 years, to 9 months a labourer out of employment some weeks had not regular work during summer but hopes to get on at the Massy [Massey] Manufacturing Compny. in January he is steady & I think worthy does not drink attends St. Anns Church. have Known him 2 years recommend him for Some bread & Coal

904. Jane Bone: 111 Jarvis Street 30 years old wife 28 26 years from England both delicate no family Machinist by trade recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal once

905. Jane Chambers: 232 Wilton Avenue she is an old woman Irish Episcopal or Methht. a widow one son 35 to 40 able bodied & is at work got some assistance last winter would not give anything just now will call on her again

906. Hannah Dean: 149 Victoria Street her husband is an invalid, unable to work a family of Seven Children all dependant on his mother who was confined 4 weeks ago & is only recovering well reported of their neighbours. One of the Boys employed & receives [dollars] 4 [per] month

907. John Gilmour: 105 Dalhousie Street lately employed by the G. W. Railway and will receive no pay until 19th Jany. & being his first month will only receive [dollars] 12 behind in his rent to day two months due. 4 Children all unemployed lately lost his Cab & some little property Character good

908. Hannah Birmingham: Reids lane West side North of Sydenham Street. Husband & wife & at present a grandson living with them. R.C. They have been old pensioners in former years

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Both husband & wife are old people The husband does work occasionally for the Corporation but he is utterly unfit for any hard work if he could get it as I should think he must be nearly 70 Mrs. B. knits [etc.] and gets on pretty well though the summer but I suppose that in winter they cannot manage without assistance the Grandson who is 18 just got out of the Central prison. he has been trying to obtain work at Broom making but without success recommend that the old people have Bread for the winter & Coal at Xmas

909. "Emigrants": Seven men who lately came from England & remained for 2 weeks in Emigrant Sheds Toronto where sent here by Mr. Donaldson Emigrant Agent as proper subjects for the Poor House gave them shelter for a night & food. next day Mr. Donaldson gave them all a pass to Kingston & so got rid of them.

Friday 19th December 1879

Present Messrs. W. J. MacDonell J. [S.] Alcorn & E. Hobson

910. Ann Fox: 138 Richmond Street west Irish R.C. widow she is all alone in the same house & the same small room is about 57 years of age Believe she is in need of Coal & Bread

911. Eliza Potter: 172 Little Richmond Street French Canadian widow R.C. 4 Children 11. 8. 6. 2 years not able to get much work in winter recommend Coal & Bread

912. Hugh McGee: Browns lane off Bathurst Street Irish R.C. in Toronto 21 years married one daughter 32 years of age who is lame & not able to work The old man is not able to earn his living family dependent upon the wife who cannot earn enough to keep them during the winter Recommend Coal & Bread

913. Louisa Sutton: 170 Little Richmond Street French Canadian 7 Children oldest 14 often gets work at Burns Coal yard husband generally employed there

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914. Martha Hopkins: 363 Adelaide Street West English Ch of E husband away from her since July 2 Children 6 years 6 months Recommend Coal & Bread

915. Bridget Walker: 40 William Street alone cannot get work has been sickly for the last few weeks recommend Bread & Coal

916. Hannah Rowatt: rear 56 William Street 3 Children 1 Boy 13. 2 girls 11. 8. husband sick very poor recommend Bread & Coal

917. Robert Adam: 104 William Street 4 Children 2 Boys 9. 7 2 Girls 11. 5. his wife is away he cannot get work & I think he is not able to work recommend Bread & Coal

918. Susan Mally: lane rear 4 Renfrew Street her husband has no work she says her step son 24 years is working at low wages herself goes to wash by the day she told me she had a little ^girl^ of 6 years but by making inquirey I could not find her

919. Christina Thomas: 30 Bulwer Street there is no such number the highest even number is 26

920. Mary Owens: 40 Duchess Street 38 years old 2 Children 10. 7 years recommend 6 lbs. bread & Coals

921. Jane Hill: 99 Sherbourne Street 53 years old husband 65 Labourer 3 girls 12. 10. 6 years cant get work recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

922. Catherine Richardson: rear 38 Duchess Street 60 years old widow living with her daughter a widow also 1 Child Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

923. Ellen Klingler: rear 63 Duchess Street 46 years old widow Boy earns [dollars] 1 per week recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

924. Ann Dunleavy: 25 Lombard Street lived last year in rear of 16 Lombard St. would recommend same as last year see last report

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925. Jane OConnell: 69 Queen Street East Married but husband left her about 20 years while living in Montreal about 60 years of age R.C. Irish has no Children goes out to work when she can get it to do think she might get a little Coal when it can be given & a little Bread

926. Maria Lincoln: 21 Victoria Street was confined yesterday 18th of a fine healthy boy her husband has left her about 3 months since to look for work she is in a very destitute situation has another Boy 1 yr. & 8 mos. old & not a bite of anything to eat in the house would recommend some relief in the shape of



Coal Groceries & Bread in all my visitations I never seen a more deplorable case please help at once further information will be given in a few days

927. Harriett Buskin: 3 Lombard Street. husband a waggon maker English. Baptist 6 Children from 17 down to 2 years husband could not get work she has been lately confined baby died & the family have had Scarlett & Typhoid Fever for over 2 months behind with rent [dollars] 24 eldest girl had to come home to attend the others Mrs. B. has now work & appears very desirous to get on would recommend Coal & Bread & a supply of groceries for sickness

928. Sarah Lynch: 40 Lombard Street the old Irish dealor who in former years lived in rear of 16 Lombard Street only wants a little Coal when the Committee can give it which I recommend

929. Ellen Gordon: 22 St. David Street husband a Cripple for 4 years no trade Ch of E Canadian Labourer 8 Children eldest a Boy about 15 rest small Boy gets from 50 [cents] to [dollars] 1 [per] week The woman works at washing [etc.] she & the boy keep the house with the help of his sister who has a place & seems a nice woman The man is not able to walk far hip joint disabled he seems to think not able to do anything & has not tried could only do light work If nothing against the woman should have something to help to feed the Children

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930. Caroline Henderson: 41 Ontario Street Baptist husband wife & 2 children 4. & 6 months have been a year in Toronto The wife seems a very respectable woman. The husband I fear is not good for much he is a sort of half Cabinet maker half Carpenter & lived here as a young man a great many years ago. he has been out of employment for a length of time had to part with what tools he had to procure means for the family they are in distress both for food & fuel recommend them for some Bread for a fortnight or 3 weeks Coal once. Case to be again refered to me

931. Catherine Maddigan: 13 Ontario Street R.C. widow 4 Children Boy 13. Girls 15. 12. 8 Mrs. Maddigan is Paralyzed on one side & can do nothing for her own livelihood. The Children sell papers the 2 eldest all day long I do not think there will be any change of circumstances in her case during the winter recommend Bread & a little Coal

932. Eliza Lester: 26 Power Street Ch of E Husband 4 Children Girls 8. 4 Boys 7. 15 Months husband labourer the family have had ague & a good deal of sickness & added to that want of employment has reduced them very low recommend Bread for a Month Coal once case to be again refered to me

933. Catherine Armstrong: 42 Regent Street Methodist husband dead 5 Children Girl 10 boy 8 Girls 6. 4. 8 months she appears to be a very respectable woman willing to help herself but at present very much

embossed by the care of her husband infant & such a family of young Children I think it is certainly a case for relief recommend Bread for a month Coal once. refer the Case again

934. Maria Edwards: 100 Chestnut Street Irish Ch of E Widow 2 daughters at service 1 son 16 years old out of work states she gets no assistance from daughters but should get along with very little help

935. Maria Matthews: 15 Osgoode lane Widow Ch of E 3 Children

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1 Boy getting [dollars] 5 [per] month 2 Girls 14. 8. She does washing recommend Coal once

936. Catherine Henry: 17 Osgoode lane Ch of E husband left her 5 months ago Boys 10. 6. 4. 2 Girl 8 years recommend Coal & Bread

937. Catherine Stuart: 17 Osgoode lane Ch of E widow alone too old to work much recommend Coal & Bread

938. Annie Byron: 49 Elizabeth Street Ch of E Two widowed sisters live together one of them disabled with a {manned} hand live by sewing but cant earn sufficient deserving people recommend Bread & Coal

939. Isabella Beatty: rear 81 Agnes Street Presby. old Maid & Widow sister not able to work under Doctors care & Widow washes but cant get sufficient to do deserve assistance Coal Bread & Groceries once

940. Mary Lawler: 116 Terauley Street, no such person known here

941. Norah Harrison: 32 Hackney Street a widow out of work when I called has 5 Children one of whom is a girl out at place one girl is learning a trade aged 15. 2 Boys 13

& 10 respectfully & a girl 6. Seemingly very poor R.C. Irish recommend Aid as last year

942. Jane Wallace: 88 Claremont Street husband is a labourer out of work & cannot find employment is an immigrant from Ireland arrived last June was misled by false reports in old Country 5 Children the eldest Boy 8 a very dirty uncomfortable house cellar being filled with water Presbyterian Aid recommended

943. Mary Lacy: 54 Claremont St. aged 40 husband 49 a labourer out of work & in bad health he had very little to do all summer has 2 Children Boy 13 Girl 11 both attending School Irish R.C. Aid recommended

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944. Sarah Walmsley: 17 Strachan Street husband has had a sore leg for last 2 months & is now out of work a labourer 2 Children 3 yrs. & baby 2 months old Canadian Ch of E would recommend Coal once & Bread for a month

945. Mary Rice: rear 654 Queen St. West lives up stairs for last 12 months & is now out of work a labourer 2 Children one 3 years old & 2 1/2 years old a charwoman she says Irish R.C. Recommend Bread & Coal

946. Emma Webb: 152 Huron Street being ill is to have her Bread sent thro her little Girl

947. Ann Schoales: 25 Clyde Street aged 40 husband 40 has 6 Children 4 Girls 11. 9. 7. 3. 2 Boys 15. 2. husband is sickly & is often out of work Irish Ch of E. I told her not to apply until she was obliged then she may have Bread & Coal as in previous years

948. Henry Justice: 17 Vanauley Street laid up from rheumatism for 4 Months is now better but can get no work some has been promised after the new year aged 45 Wife 37. is a delicate woman 4 Children the eldest a girl 16 has been brought home from service because of the bad health of her mother there are 2 Children now sick of measels Irish Ch of E to have health for a Month fuel at once because of the Sickness.

949. Martha Wrigley: rear 64 Muter Street her husband would not support her his brain being supposed to be affected though excessive smoking so she was obliged to seperate has 5 Children all girls 12. 10. 8. 6. 4. the 2 eldest between them earn a dollar a week at a Factory she seems a respectable woman & makes Shirts at 60 cents a dozen Canadian Ch of E. recommend Coal & Bread

950. James S. White: 18 Conway Street Is a patteron [pattern] maker by Trade had a fall from a height of 27 feet

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about 1st Oct & is out of work but says he hopes to get it soon aged 45 has wife & 4 children 3 of whom are at ~~work~~ home the eldest a boy aged 7 seemingly a deserving party Canadian Ch of E recommend Aid for a Month

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951. Jane ONeil: rear 120 Claremont Street her husband is a baker out of work thro [through] sickness & therefore she applies the same cause existed last year for her applying He is able to work if he could get employment has 4 Children all at home the eldest being 8 years old Irish R.C. recommend Coal once Bread for a Month

952. Catherine Flood: a widow aged 56 Irish Ch of E 34 years in Toronto 2 Children 1 a girl away in the States. The other a Boy a worthless drunkard who is a terror to his mother. Mrs. Flood is well known at the House as a decent respectable woman not very strong wishes for admission into the house admitted

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Present Revds. Dean Grasett & A.J. Broughall & Messrs. E. Hobson. J. [S.] Alcorn. A. McMurchy & J. Gillespie

953. Sarah England: 95 Elizabeth Street in case 901 Doctor to call & report if husband is really ill. Doctor called & states that England hurted himself caused by lifting a heavy stone & most likely will have to go to General Hospital

954. Joanna Fogharty: 69 Queen Street East lived last year in 16 Lombard St. refer to former reports recommend Coal & Bread

955. Edward Alexander: 92 Adelaide Street East Married aged 48 years Wife 29 years one child 3 years old English Ch of E came to this country 8 years ago the child has had HWhooping Cough for 3 Months & the father took it from the Child he goes out to do labouring work but the Cold affects him so that he cannot do much he is also subject to fits think they should have Coal & Bread & a little Oatmeal

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956. Catherine Keogh: rear 78 Lombard Street same as last year when she lived on the opposite side of the same Street no change in her circumstances recommend the usual allowance

957. Thomas Walls: rear 101 Richmond St. East with his little blind wife has received relief for many years which I recommend to be continued this year no change

958. Sophia Sheffler: rear 66 Lombard Street same as last year recommend the same allowance & the Coal to be sent as soon as Convenient as she is in great need of it

957 1/2. Dora OConnell: rear 78 Lombard St. same as last report & would recommend the same allowance

958 1/2. Ellen Sweeney: 20 Victoria Street same as last report & in the same Circumstances

959. Jane Hedge: 18 Lombard Street a widow with a large family & to whom the House has been very kind I again recommend her as a very deserving person

960. Martha Eggleston: 21 Victoria Street a widow living with her son who is a painter & out of work she has seen better days & is very poor aged 61. English Ch of E. she would like a little assistance. I make no recommendation at present & leave her case in the hands of the Committee

961. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond Street East Cannot find her called twice she has no settled place of abode

962. Sarah Beatty: 141 Victoria Street Ch of E resident about 40 years one son in Lindsay but from his being out of work & a family dependant on him they returned to Toronto about 3 months ago house very tidy would like fuel uses wood

963. Hannah Deveron: 213 Church Street no such a number in the Street

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964. Peter Morrissey: rear 75 Carlton Street labourer aged 30 Wife aged 27 he is from France she from Ireland both Ch of E appears respectable & well behaved no drink used 3 children. Boy 3 years 2 Girls 6. 1. he earns about one dollar a week In the city severl [several] years recommend Coal & Bread for a Month

965. John Deviro: rear 97 McGill Street labourer aged 40 wife ill about same age 4 Children 2 girls 13. 11. 2 Boys 8. 6. he is from Lower Canada she from Ireland R.C. labourer no work appears decent & temperate house rather decent Children decent & appears well behaved severl [several] years in the city would recommend Bread & Coal for a Month

966. Eliza White: 41 Hackney Street Married husband a labourer out of Employment & has been ill 4 Boys 13. 11. 5. 3. all at home 2 eldest going out to sell newspapers & earn together about 10 cents a day but have been ill with measles the other 2 have also been ill one daughter aged 16 goes out to service but has been ill & is now at home. English Ch of E. have been in the Country about 9 years have been helped a little by St. Philips Church during their illness. house tolerably furnished

967. Ellen T<sup>e</sup>ague [Teague]: ~~69 Esther Street~~ a widow from England Eng. Ch. been in the Country about 18 Months but used to live here years ago has 1 Boy 9. & 1 Girl 6. both at home she has no friends occupies a single room very poorly furnished & deserves some assistance

968. Margaret Gaslin: 23 Eleanor Street no such person as that name living there

969. Mary Cliff: 16 Woolsley Street English husband out of work 4 Boys 13. 12. 10. 8 all at home but not earning anything have been in this Country 3 years house tidy & clean & has a little furniture in it have known them as respectable & well deserving people & can recommend them for help

970. Eliza McCauly: 25 Hackney Street a widow R.C. Irish 11 year in Toronto no Children & no means of support receives Bread

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from House of Industry but sadly needs fuel

971. Jane Noon: 3 Brookfield Street husband a labourer has left her for last 3 months to go she thinks to look for work on Can. Pac. [Canadian Pacific] Railway have come from Halifax N.S. 2 years ago Methodist 1 Child 1 year old she works out whenever she can seems a decent young woman & worthy of help recommend her for some Coal

972. Harriet Nicholas: 57 Givens Street see report 21st Dec 78. her husband has not returned from States sent her money once during summer she is hard working & has kept her Children respectable works out recommend her for some Coal

973. Edith Graham: 33 Givins Street see my report 13th Jany. 79 her husband has not had steady work during summer & is now out of employment would recommend some Coal & Bread Children have whooping Cough.

974. Mary Ann Gooderham: 28 Givins Street English Methodist 7 years out 2 Boys 1 Girl from 8 to 2 years old husband out of work have never wanted help before seems very respectable people recommend some Bread & Coal

975. Anne Haigh: 48 Cedar Street English husband & 1 child 4 years. 10 weeks out from England has worked with bridge Company but completely destitute at present being a new comer I know nothing of them but beg to recommend Bread & Coal for the present

976. Mary Ann Rightingburgh: 29 Cedar Street husband a labourer 3 years from Hamilton Canadian 4 daughters from 16 to 2 years the eldest out at work with a farmer. husband out of work & says he can get none at present Eng Ch I beleive they do not drink & are trying to get along respectably recommend them for some Bread & Coal

977. Martha Haggerty: 8 Johnsons lane husband English RC age 29 Wife 25 One Child 10 Months husband sick in bed 7 weeks he ruptured a blood vessel near the heart in the

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left lung recommend Coal Bread & sick allowance

978. Rachel May: 157 Adelaide Street west no such number it would come in behind the Upper Canada College

979. Ann Mack: rear 116 Peter Street Irish Ch of E 1 Son aged 23 living in the Country 1 son & 1 daughter twins boy has lately received employment she should have Bread & Coal

980. Margaret McDougall: rear 67 Queen St. west I met her son in the door I asked him if his mother wanted help he said no. he was a Plumber and working every day he did not see how it could take place

981. Annie Reiley: 66 Boulton Street was not in her room the people of the House did not know where she was

982. Sarah Caswell: 12 Richmond St. west husband Irish Presbyterian Wife Ch of E. husband not able to do any work for 2 years with Rheumatism 6 Children Boys 13. 8. 5. Girls 12. 10. 5. recommend Coal & Bread

983. Mary Cowan: rear 117 Queen Street west husband English Ch of E. young couple 1 Child 8 months old she says her husband is a labourer cant work when it is stormy weather she said she would be satisfied with Coal neither herself nor house look tidy

984. Mary Rennie: 434 Adelaide St. west Canadian Married 6 Children 20. 17. 15. 10. 4. 2 1/2 years only 1 Boy at home

985. Anthony Marlborough: Browns lane Irish R.C. wife an east Indian 6 Children 4 Boys. 1 Girl. labourer out of work seems unfortunite in his efforts to secure regular employment recommend Coal & Bread

986. Mary Ann Durrant: rear 40 Little Richmond St. born in Montreal in Toronto 30 years widow 2 Boys 16. 14 not able to get much work eldest Boy gives her a

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little help but not all she needs



987. Mary Carpenter: rear 140 Little Richmond St. English no family a respectable woman who goes out to work but has only 2 days engaged in the week & finds it insufficient to meet her expences recommend Coal & Bread

988. Joseph Sullivan: 381 Adelaide St. west Irish R.C. married 1 Child Boy of 10 at home Labourer out of work

989. Caroline Gilmour: rear 393 Queen west widow Methodist 4 Children 11. 9. 7. 4 respectable woman recommend Coal & Bread

990. Ellen McCrimmon: 493 King Street west 2nd door west of Portland St. Scotch Presbyterian Widow 2 Children Boy 9 Girl 5. respectable industrious woman recommend Coal & Bread

991. Lucy Brown: 12 Camden Street married 2 Children 1 ill husband a labourer out of work recommend Coal & Bread

992. Maria Johnson: 127 Claremont Street requires Bread & Coal

993. Susan Chessall: 95 Claremont Street 6 Children 12. 10 7. 6. 4. 2. requires Bread & Coal

994. Mary Davy: 195 Claremont St. 7 Children requiring Bread & Coal

995. Matilda Cracknell: 185 Claremont Street she has 3 Children requiring Bread & Coal

996. Mary Amos: Hope Street requires Bread only

997. Alfred Smith: 43 Claremont Street 4 Children requires Bread & Coal

998. James Enright: 102 Herbert Street There is Typhus fever in the House requires Bread Coal & a full sick allowance of groceries

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999. Peter Neilson: rear 120 Claremont Street no children but she an invilid [invalid] & in great want of Bread & Coal

1000. Mary Ann Hammond: 101 Clinton Street respectable but poor at present require Bread only

1001. Mary Fentiman: 103 Clinton Street there is appearently no great distress here desires Bread & Coal

1002. Catherine Gordon: 121 Claremont Street a widow & aged appears to be respectable 1 Child besides Bread & Coals she desires Groceries

1003. Thomas Blyth: 183 Strachan Street one Child desires Coal only

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1004. Mary Lawrence: 13 St. Charles St. wife of an old army pensioner who is at the House of Providence an industrious woman works when she can get it Sober must recommend a small relief whenever she applies for it which will be only when she requires it very much

1005. Ellen Cosgrave: 103 Baldwin Street she has 9 of a family oldest 16 youngest only a few weeks old R.C. Is in very low circumstances her husband is out of work I advise that a little Coal & Bread be given in the meantime

1006. James Smith: 1 Cecil Street. Find he is in great need & I beleive he is fairly deserving he has 5 of a family he is out of work in the meantime I advise that a little fuel & Bread be given to him just now

1007. Elizabeth Hill: 4 Oak Street English Ch of E 38 years married when 15 Came to this Country with husband & 4 children lost her husband & 3 Children. Married second time a coloured man who left her nearly 2 years ago to this man she had one child a daughter 6 years old she is a young Strong active woman work when she can get it the house is poor not very clean & the whole appearance gives an unfavourable impression

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received aid last year from the House let case stand for a week & I will visit her again

1008. Charlotte Williams: 206 Oak Street tried twice & could not get in

1009. Ann Hibbitt: 206 Oak Street husband 70 years old a tailor is suffering from Rheumatism his wife 67 years English Ch of E 27 years in Toronto brought up 15 Children all of whom are dead but 2 sons who are married one with 10 the other 7 Children cant help any. they have 2 Grand Children with them 11. & 13 Boys. The house appears well recommend Coal Bread & Soup

1010. Sarah Anderson: 116 River Street widow 60 years old Methodist daughter 23 a widow stays with Mother. Another married & away 1 son 19 at home not strong but can work. Son 17 yrs. Strong & well. Son 14 was hurt by a horse biting him but is now better the mother does washing the boys were at work in summer & have some money owing them but not able to collect house is fairly comfortable I would have much difficulty to recommend Mrs. A. for any assistance just now

1011. Isabella Nanin: 314 Front Street East aged 35. husband 38. Irish R.C. both healthy. husband working [dollars] 6 [per] week She also works no family found everything very comfortable furniture of the best description & not needing any relief They were taken by suprise [surprise] when I visited them as I have known them for many years & admitted they could get along without it

1012. Ann Crosby: rear 363 King St. East Find them in want of Bread & Coal as they have no income none of the family being able to work Ann C. 45 years John 47 yrs. Sick 5 Children 4 Boys 1 Girl eldest 12 years youngest 7 Mos. 3 of them going to school Parents Irish Roman C.

1013. Elizabeth Simpkins: 451 King Street East 57 years born in Toronto John Simpkins born in England Ch of E 2 Children eldest 3 youngest 6 months had no fire or food when I visited very little furniture & in great distress recommend Bread & Coal

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1014. John Thompson: 19 Sackville Street. age 41. English Ch of E [Church of England] Mrs. Thompson do. [ditto] 40. Sick baby 3 days old. 4 children 2 Boys & 2 girls. eldest 13 working at [dollars] 1.50 p [per] week the only income they have. Coke preferable to Coal. I also recommend Bread & Groceries

1015. Dennis Barton: 99 George Street. 47 years old. Wife 45 yrs. Labourer has only one arm. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1016. Bridget Rossiter: 112 George Street. 40 years old. husband 42 years old. labourer. cant get work. 6 children. eldest only 13. Recommend 12 lbs. Bread & Coals

1017. Margaret MacKay: rear 91 Jarvis St. 50 years old. husband 54. labourer. cant get work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1018. Mary Ann Millen: rear 91 Jarvis St. 40 years old. husband 45. labourer cant get work. 5 children. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

1019. Mary Henry: rear 91 Jarvis Street. 53 years old. husband 60. labourer. cant get work. 2 children. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1020. Jane Berguine: 119 Jarvis Street .55 years old. widow. work in Tobacco Factory. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

1021. Elizabeth Bradford: 92 Duchess Street. 35 years .husband 39. labourer. cant get work .wife living by washing .4 children under 7 years recommend. 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

1022. Mary Ann Bailey: 92 Duchess St not there

1023. Mary Birney: 40 Duchess St. does not live there

1024. Martha Taylor: 29 Duchess Street. 47 years old. widow. living by washing & scrubbing. 4 children 2 Boys & 2 girls. would recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1025. Jane Hammond: 114 Sherbourne St. 49 years old. living as a servant. bad with Mualgia [myalgia] Cant work. would recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

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1026. John Rice: Ontario lane 2nd house on South side from Ontario St. 67 years old. Bricklayer by trade. cant get work. living with his daughter a widow 1 child. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1027. Mary Webb: 140 Ontario Street. 30 years old. husband in England. gets no help from him. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

1028. Mary Ellen Kelly: rear 23 Britian [Britain] Street. 34 years old. husband 45. 4 children. husband cant get work. recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

1029. Eliza Carroll: 23 Britian [Britain] Street. 39 years old. widow. 3 children 19. 15. 10. years Cant get work. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

1030. Mary Ennis: 23 Britian [Britain] St. 50 years old. husband 52 yrs. Cant get work 3 Children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal

1031. Mary Jane Heffron: Walzs [Walz's] lane. 56 years old. 1 daughter & 2 Children living with her. lives by selling Fish. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1032. Jane Moffatt: Walzs [Walz's] lane. 45 Years old. widow. 3 children. living by washing & Scrubbing. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1033. Eliza Cook: Walzs [Walz's] lane. 39 years old. husband in the Asylum. 1 child Living by washing & Scrubbing. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

1034. Jane Equie: 100 Albert Street. Scotch. widow. without children. can not get work gets a little help from the Church. recommend Bread. has wood

1035. Henrietta Ringler: rear 21 Elizabeth Street. German. husband Tailor out of work. 3 girls 9. 7. 5. 2 Boys 4. 2. Seems a deserving case. want Coal & Bread

1036. Mary Hall: rear 44 Elizabeth Street. Irish. Methodist. old widow. 74 years. carries a basket of small wares for sale when weather permits but cannot make out. very poor & very deserving. Recommend Coal & Bread the former for Christmas

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1037. Mary Todd: 102 Albert Street. colored. no husband at home. lives by washing 1 Boy 12 years. can only want Bread. neighbours report she is a hard case & undeserving (No allowance.)

1038. Catherine Ryan: rear 34 Centre Street. absent when visitor called husband no child very poor

1039. Ellen Reiley: 100 Albert Street. R.C. Widow out of work 1 daughter at Service earning [dollars] 6 p [per] month one son left living. Recommend Coal & Bread

1040. Kate Stanley: 147 Elizabeth Street. Scotch. Ch of E. [Church of England] too old to work much lives by peddling seems respectable daughter 14 years of age Grand daughter 3. husband left 4 Months ago. recommend Coal & Bread

1041. Annie Searles: rear 90 Elizabeth Street. widow. sells small wares lives with another family & gets the use of stove 1 Child with her & 2 away recommend Bread only

1042. Eliza Thompson: 95 Chestnut Street Ch of E [Church of England] Widow. no Children. boards with a family & Should Support her-Self by her work

1043. Martha Flooker: 123 Agnes Street. husband tinsmith 2 boys at home. eldest 12. need assistance. recomd. Bread & Coal

1044. Martha Groom: 73 Edward Street. English. Baptist. 2 Children at home. {blank} is away from home gets about [dollars] 1.25 a week from Children working seems to be decent woman rooms clean & tidy. Recommend Coal

1045. Ann McCarty: 83 Elizabeth Street. house almost bare. 4 children. eldest 12. husband out of work R.C. would recommend Bread & Coal

1046. Minnie Robinson: 73 Elm Street. Methodist. husband a carraige [carriage] Maker now in Hamilton. Seeking work. 4 Children. eldest 8. decent respectable people. Clean house first time

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they have had assistance. Recommend Bread & Coal

1047. Maria Napolitany: 79 Louisa Street. Italian R.C. 3 Children eldest 15 Boy goes out playing fiddle. She is dependent on his earnings. Seem respectable clean people. recommend Bread & Coal

1048. Frances Rowe: 72 Elizabeth Street. Colored. husband left her. 5 Children. all young seems respectable & clean she is scarcely able to support herself. recommend Coal & Bread at discretion

1049. Emily Broomhead: 73 Agnes Street. Painter fully reported on last year. wife seems decent hard working woman but has 2 Boys aged 23. 18 at home who should not be living on the other people. everything seems straight & decent & also the house. I think assistance must be given as the woman is near her Confinement. Recommend Coal & when woman is Sick groceries

1050. Elizabeth Gray: 7 Dale Street. husband Shoemaker. both over 70. seem decent old people really needy. recomd. Bread & Coal

1051. Josephine Jackson: rear 4 Dale Street. dont like look of people at place but cant be exactly sure my suspicions are correct. think Coal Sufficient

1061. James Whitley: 236 Chestnut Street. Colored. 4 Young children. is recovering from an attack of Rheumatism & unable to work. Recommend Bread & Coal

1062. Susan Thompson: 195 Centre Street. husband gardiner [gardener] owing to illness has not been able to lay by anything out of Summers work. 7 Children. oldest 13. Clean house & appears respectable Steady woman. about to be confined & will need assistance. recommend Bread Coal & Groceries

1063. Lydia Bartholomew: rear 144 Centre Street. reported last year fully on this case. Matters even worse this year as husband has had a paralytic Stroke which has made him almost useless perfectaly [perfectly] Steady respectable people

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1064. Mary Elliott: rear 176 Chestnut Street. widow. respectable. good habits. reported fully last year. recommend Bread & Coal

1065. Lucy Brown: rear 202 Chestnut Street. husband labourer out of work. decent people. Steady. reported last year fully. woman about to be confined. would Recommend Bread Coal & Groceries

1066. Mary Harrison: rear 204 Chestnut Street. husband deserted her. decent hard working woman. reported fully last year. recommend Bread & Coal

1067. Mary Ann Richards: 31 Avenue lane. husband labourer. out of work. 3 Children. eldest 6 years. Ch of E [Church of England] sober respectable people. first time they have asked for relief from House. Recommend Bread & Coal

1068. Annie Donnan: 5 Renfrew lane. 5 Children. 4 Boys 10. 8. 2 & 9 mos. 1 Girl 4. father frequently out of work. recommend Bread & Coal

1069. Sarah Archer: 6 Renfrew lane. 4 Children. 2 Boys 12. 6. 2 girls 15. 3. husband out of work. Recommend Bread & Coal

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1070. Mary Ann Hexter: Renfrew lane. 5 Children. 3 Boys 9. 6 & infant 4 days. 2 girls 8. 2. husband has no work. Recomd. Bread & Coal

1071. Daniel Cowey: rear 58 William Street. one boy 18. he was sick during the summer & he cannot work. her husband has no work. she should receive assistance for some time he has been sick. Recommend Bread & Coal

1072. Annie Christian: rear 58 William Street. 1 Boy 18. he cannot work as he has been sick. she should receive assistance for sometime

1073. Ann Brennan: 28 Oxford Street. a respectable old widow. aged nearly 70. no children. past work .Irish R.C. a case known to the house. recommend Bread & Coal

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1074. James Cox: rear 77 Grosvenor Avenue. aged 46. his wife is dead only 6 weeks & leaves a baby 6 mos. old & 5 other children. the eldest a girl 15 who has charge of the house all were down with Typhoid fever at time of mothers death. They are in very destitute circumstances the house is damp & they have only a small stove to heat it. They are dependent on neighbours for a stick of wood. Cox his now working out his wifes funeral expences. Is an Englishman. Recommend Coal to be sent at once & Bread

1075. Ellen Berry: 10 Goulding Street off Muter Street. Is asthmatic herself, her husband is in the States having gone there in search of employment & has recently been hurt by a fall. There are 5 Children 4 at home. eldest Boy 13 earns [dollars] 1.75 a week very poor & behind in the rent English Ch of E. [Church of England] Aid recommended as usual

1076. James Darby: 83 Hope Street. Labourer. sometimes gets Corporation work has had none since Septr. has a wife but no Children. she says he is light headed & not fit for much work. English. Bread & Coal Recommended.

1077. John C. Spencer: rear 122 Lumley Street. out when I called & so was wife. They have 1 daughter aged 19 living with them who has baby 7 weeks old. a labourer with little work to do. one room searves [serves] as Kitchen & bedroom with two beds very untidy. seemingly very poor But I do not see why the three Aduts [Adults] should not be able to provide for themselves. born in U.S.A. Colored Methodist

1078. Jane Hay: rear 20 Muter Street. 3 Months in Toronto having recently come from Ottawa. her husband a labourer. Came here in search of employment & has been out of work for 3 weeks appearently [apparently] in great want. There are 4 Children eldest Girl 11 Youngest Baby English Ch of E. [Church of England] Bread & Coal recommended



1079. Emma Wright: rear 20 Muter Street. her husband is Sickly & has had very little work all Summer. a good deal of sickness in the house lately. 2 Children eldest 19 Months, the Younger a baby 5 weeks. her husband has only an occasional days work. English Methodist. Aid recommended

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1080. Mary Campbell: 328 Spadina Avenue. a widow with 2 daughters. one aged 20 in decline the other at present out of place but expecting short to get one. very poor seemingly deserving. a charwoman but can get very little work. Scotch Presbyterian. Coal & Bread Recommended

1081. Clarissa Brown: 77 Sydenham Street. see former report. son says no work strong young man. daughter also grown up but hand hurt at present. think they should manage to get along with slight occasional help. seem to expect relief as a right

1082. Margaret Labelle: 404 Queen Street East. widow. R.C. French Canadian. Shoemaker. one Boy 15. house dirty but she is lame having come from Hospital. she is apparently helpless except to hobble about house. he cant speak English Boy seems to do all he can. recommend something to eat until boy gets some work

1083. Edward Wade: 14 St Paul Street. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Sailor. 4 little Children at home. Wade & Wife seem very respectable. Says he only asks help on a/c [account] of little Children. says can get no work. was taking Cattle to England for Mr. Dunn. cant get work at present & Says quite destitute. expects work in about 1 month from Dunn. Should be helped till then

1084. Mary Kenniday: 24 Ramsays lane. husband wife & 8 Children. Girl 16 in Shoe store Girl 12 Sells papers boy 9 sells papers boy 7 Girls 6. 4. Baby 10 Months. husband is a drunken worthless fellow. his wife is a hard working industrious woman. they have received relief from St. V. DePaul Scy. [St. Vincent de Paul Society] in Shape of wood. I think therefore that Mrs. K. might get a little Bread but I dont think I can Recommend her for anything else

1085. Rachel Mesnard: 144 1/2 Ontario Street. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] her only son died a few weeks ago. her daughter married to a man the name of Crozier. has been left with a family of 4 young children who deserted her & went off to the States. Mrs. M. the mother has no one to support her & being an old woman & having also had the mis-

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fortune to slip on the Ice the other day & break her arm Recommend her for Bread at all events & will report upon her case again

1086. Eliza Theobald: 287 Queen Street East. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] between 50 & 60. has grown up children living in Town but do nothing for her. She sews & makes out her living that way. this is the account I have from the landlady a very respectable woman as Mrs. T. was not in when I called. I should think she might have Bread at all events & I will report upon her case again

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1087. Henry Elliott: Dundas Street. wife & 2 Children. Boy 9 Girl 5. English. Methodist. 8 years out from England. Carpenter by trade. has been 3 months sick this summer & I know are badly off. would recommend him for some Coal

1088. Hannah Edwards: 29 Duchess Street. Not there

1089. Mary White: 4 Duchess Street. 35 years old. Widow. 1 Child. sells Fish. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread Coals once

1090. Ann Wilson: 31 Duchess Street. 37 years old. widow. 2 Children. living by washing & Scrubbing. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1091. Mary Melville: 68 Sherbourne Street. 34 years old. husband 30 years old. labourer. cant get work. 4 Children under 4 Years. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1092. Eliza Landsberry: 68 Sherbourne Street. 36 years old .widow. 3 Children. living by washing & scrubbing. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

1093. Joseph Goodsay: 69 Ontario Street. 25 years old. husband 23. living by selling rags. 2 Children 7. & one 13 Months old Cant get work. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

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1094. Mary Lawler: 116 George Street. 72 years old. husband 70. not able to work. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

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1095. Catherine OBrien: rear 95 Jarvis Street .38 years old. Widow. 1 girl 7 years old. living by washing & scrubbing cant get work. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

1096. Margaret Garrison: ^23 Queen St. E.^ ~~58 Princess Street~~ 35 years old. husband gone to the Country. 5 Children under 14 years. recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

1097. Margaret Quirk: rear 142 Richmond Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband Irish. 5 Children 3 Boys 15 a cripple 12. 5 Girls. Complain of want of work. they have the appearance of wanting Coal & Bread

1098. Mary Labelle: 75 Boulton Street. Widow. Irish. R.C. no family 60 years of age. recommend Coal & Bread

1099. Jane Lonsdell: 44 Boulton Street. English. Ch of E [Church of England] aged 39. husband 43 years. has been in buisness [business] & failed. he is now looking for employment but so far without success. they have 3 sons 17 (Sickly) 11. 7. recommend Coal & Bread

1100. Catherine Brown: 86 Adelaide Street west. widow. English. C of E [Church of England] 3 Children. 2 girls 5 yrs. & one 11 Months Boy 3 years. she is not strong not able to do much work. Recommend Coal & Bread

1101. Mary Moroney: 59 Boulton Street. Irish. R.C. aged 75. no family. recommend Coal & Bread

1102. Jane Haddix: 21 Melinda Street. widow. Irish C of E. [Church of England] she thinks she is about 40 years. 1 daughter about 16 not very strong she says. I did not see the daughter. the mother says she goes out to places by times she looks rather a steady woman. she also says she gets very little work and would recommend Coal & Bread

1103. James Bellingham: 65 Boulton Street English Ch of E. [Church of England]

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husband 60. Wife 50. 1 Girl 16. husband not working. would recommend Coal & Bread

1104. Walter Ralph: 170 Adelaide Street west. English. C of E. [Church of England] aged 24. Wife 22. only 1 Child 5 days old. husband an Engine driver out of employment. recommend Coal Bread & Sick allowance

1105. Annie Armstrong: rear 158 Richmond Street west. Irish C of E. [Church of England] 3 Children 2 Girls 11. 8. boy 6. She is aged herself 29 years. they seem very much in need any way of Coal & Bread

1106. Mary Ryan: Munns lane 1st house from Wellington St. Irish. R.C. aged 40 1 Girl aged 10. at School. husband worthless Character now an inmate of the House of Providence. she tries to support herself &

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she tries to support herself & child by doing all the work she can get to do. would recommend Coal & Bread

1107. Margaret Densman: rear 151 Queen Street west. Irish. R.C. 1 Son not any good to her one daughter aged 13 years. would recommend Coal & Bread

1108. John Mullins: rear 335 Queen Street west. aged 61. Wife 59 years. C of E. [Church of England] he is quite an helpless old man in much need of Coal & Bread. I did not see his wife this time

1109. Annie Jackson: 38 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] old Couple. no children. both unable to work. recommend Coal Bread & Groceries once

1110. Mary McGuire: 34 Centre Street. no such person at this No. [number]

1111. Benjiman [Benjamin] McGill: 30 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] out of work. 2 girls 13. 6. 1 Boy 11. Wants Bread & Coal

1112. Mary Ann Price: 115 Agnes Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] 2 Girls 7. 5 yrs. 2 Boys 8. 3. The husband seems to have some of his earning in whiskey. the family are in want Coal & Bread

1113. Catherine Whittaker: 122 Agnes Street. Grace Ch. [Church] Widow living

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alone. her son who supported her having left help for a month as her son may find employment

1114. Margaret Mayes: rear 90 Elizabeth Street. old widow. have wasted her substance in dissipation [dissipation]. lives with a family might be allowed a loaf

1115. Edward Smith: rear 34 Centre Street. very old Tailor unfit for work. lives alone in a miserable apartment. needs {Keep}. Recommend Coal & Bread

1116. Michael Dunn: rear 87 Chestnut Street. R.C. old couple. no Children. Labourer unable to work been disabled by a bad leg. recommend Bread & Coal

1117. David Buckingham: rear 95 Elizabeth Street. Colored. Methodist. no work. 1 Boy 4 years 2 Girls 6. 2 years. woman about to be confined. recommend Coal & Bread

1118. Isabella Foster: 174 Elizabeth Street. Methodist. Single. recently confined. living with a poor family. unable to board her or themselves. recommend Bread for two weeks & Groceries.

1119. Elizabeth Holme: 80 Esther Street. husband a School Teacher at present trying to obtain some higher Certificate in the Normal School & has no remunerative [remunerative] employment. wife has supported the family by needlework for some time but with a child only 2 Months old finds it hard to do

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anything. has a nother child Girl 2 years. husband has been in Canada about 18 years English C of E. [Church of England] occupy rooms small & scantily furnished a very worthy case needing only temporary relief

1120. Mary Graham: 25 Hackney St. The mother was out but I ascertained [ascertained] from the oldest boy the following particulars. husband labourer out of work. Irish Presbyterian. 2 Boys 10. 8. I should think this a worthy case. occupy a house but rent one room to an old woman at present receiving Aid from the House

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1121. Bridget Purtle: 30 Hackney Street R.C. from Ireland. 28 years a Spinster but provides & earns for 2 orphans Children of a diseased [deceased] sister. Boys 10. 8. going to school. every thing [thing] clean & tidy & Comfortable. I am doubtful if much help is needed. The woman gets something by going out washing but says work is scarce & she requires assistance for a little while. recommend her for some little temporary relief she has however had relief before from the house

1122. Jane H. Smith: rear 35 Hackney St. husband labourer out of work. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] in Toronto 2 Years 3 Boys 9. 5. 3. 1 girl 7. The youngest sick. rent the house which is dirty though tolerably furnished. This is a case of want arising to all appearances from their own fault. I do not doubt the need but I cannot help feeling that in a great measure it might have been avoided.

1123. Jane Hall: rear 363 King Street East. English. Presbyterian. 13 Years in Toronto. husband dead. 3 Girls 2 at home eldest 17 & working 14. 12. Mrs. Hall works herself & has a man boarding in the house with her. seems to be very comfortable

1124. Bridget Gerough: rear 363 King Street East. 63 years of age. Irish. R.C. lives in a room to herself. she says she suffers very much from Cold & in need of Bread

1125. Elizabeth Murray: rear 363 King Street East. aged 35. James 40. Irish R.C. 6 Children. 5 Boys 12. 9. 6. 4. 3. one Girl 1 year none going to School. She says keeps them all at home to mind the house. 9 years in Canada. 2 years from Port Hope. her husband working. I am told that she has the children out begging. She says she works herself. They have scarcely any furniture & Bedding very bad

1126. Robert Shipcott: 79 Tate Street. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Robert 49. Sickly & cannot do much work. Sarah his wife 38 years. 3 Children at home Robert 13 earns [dollar] 1 aweek [a week] John 7 & a babe 2 years old. none going to school the [they] have also 2 Children in the Girl home [Girls' Home]. Both of them have the name of hard drinkers

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1127. Jane Connors: rear 288 Front Street East. her husband has taken the children & put them in House of Providence. boards out himself. can do nothing with her as she is drunk the most of her time she is not worthy of relief

1128. Clara Chambers: 451 King Street East. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 7 years in Canada. 26 years of age. has a baby 21 Months old. husband dead. could earn a living for herself if she had anyone to care her baby but as it is she must stop home to mind it. destitute in everything apertaining to the necessities of life

1129. Catherine Murray: 69 Sackville Street. widow. lives with Mrs. Smith who seems a decent woman & gives a good account of applicant (of course). has no children no church. recommend coke occasionally thru winter to a small extent

1130. Mary Campbell: St. Paul Street. Old {Hand} R.C. hard case. Drinks & very dirty. 2 Small Children & 1 girl at work & 1 girl at work & 1 Boy. husband away. Dont think worthy of relief. But children must not be allowed to starve. a plan should if possible be got for eldest girl & the 2 little ones sent to girls home or away from Mother if possible

1131. Lucy Moore: 115 Sumach Street. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] husband out of work. seem decent. 1 Child 18 Months old .would Recommend Coke for one Month

1132. Francis Allan: 116 Sydenham Street. widow. 4 small Children. See former report. he seems to take good care of his children. they are clean & bright. he is helped by several but might have Coke occasionally

1133. Mary ~~Butler~~ ^Bertles^: 482 King Street East. husband says he is sick & incapable of work. dont think he wants to work & he admits drinking when treated by his friends. C.E. [Church of England] eldest girl seems nice clean Child at Service gets [dollar] 2 p [per] month. Boy 16 years old & 2 Small children. Dr. Cameron or Mr. Samson might give information about them

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1134. Hester Norris: 83 Hayter St. widow with 2 Children. eldest Boy about 13. does not seem badly off. has a baby to nurse for which she gets [dollar] 4 Amonth [a month]. takes in washing. says she has been in the habit of getting relief from the House

1135. Joanna Henry: 237 Elizabeth Street. this is a somewhat distressing case. Man Wife & 6 Children. eldest a girl 14. he a labourer out of work. woman sickly has lately been confined. 2 Children sick with measels [measles]. the children are all sickly looking. Dirt & Sickness are the prevailing charecteristicts [characteristics] of the house. think Coal & Bread might be supplied to these people

1136. Isabella McAdam: 209 Elizabeth Street. says she has been in the habit of getting aid from the House. has had a skin disease for 25 years & cannot work Is comfortably nursed in a respectable boarding house. Mr. Duckett will be able to judge of her case

1137. Charlotte Walsh: 49 Louisa Street. widow with 3 Children at home. eldest a young man. another son in Buffalo sends her money when he has it. has been unable to do so lately. she has been sick & unable to work. can get work when she is well. is better now & will be able to work next week. says she has got aid before from the House. she might be helped now with fuel & afterwards as she needs it

1138. Martha Carlson: 3 Symms lane. Swedish family out about 6 weeks. husband worked on Credit Valley R.R. [Rail Road] was injured & is now in General Hospital. 4 Children 3 Boys & 1 Girl

1139. Elizabeth Coulter: 1 Inkerman Street. aged 43. 6 Children 3 Boys 17 doing a little 14. 7. 3 girls 15. 11. 5. Industrious woman. husband has been confined to his bed for a long time & not likely will ever get up again. Mr. Sheard recommended 1200 lbs. Coal & 12 lbs. Bread

1140. Mary Anderson: aged 65 living at South West Corner of Spadina Avenue & Bloor St. Coloured people husband old & infirm. Baptist Church Revd. Mr. Broughall recommends Coal To have 1200 lbs. at once

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1141. {blank} Dyer 27 Melinda Street Is a very decent old person & needy. recommended by Mrs. Inglis for Soft Coal

1142. Eliza Bocker: 64 Garrison Street. aged 25. Germans. R.C. 4 Months in Canada. seven weeks in Toronto. from Muskoko [Muskoka]. husband has been ill for some weeks is better now & will go to work. 3 Children Girl 7. Boy 3 yrs. & one 6 months old. 8 lbs. Bread & Coal after new Year

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1143. Elizabeth Osborne: 98 Jarvis Street, Married aged 30 Years, has 1 Child 3 Years, husband a Strong man about 48 Years old. Ch of E. [Church of England] She came from Wales. he is English. they say they were assisted last year when they lived in Trefan Street. I think they are a worthless couple & I think they must use Whiskey freely. She has black eyes & her face otherwise disfigured. they live in a dirty & filthy state. If it were not for the Child I would not recommend anything to them as I am afraid they would sell what they got. the committee may do what they think best.

1143 1/2. Jane Clark: 70 Lombard Street. same as last year. see report. I think very deserving. Coal & Bread

1144. Harriet Batty: rear 83 Lombard Street. Widow. lives in the same room as an old person called Sarah Ogden who was helped by the House last year. the one Stove does both. old & deserving. would recommend Mrs. Batty for Coal & Sarah Ogden for Bread

1145. Mary Ann Bailey: 29 Duchess Street. 51 years old. widow. 1 Girl lame not able to work. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

1146. Mary Birney: 40 Duchess Street. aged 58. husband 58. labourer cant get work with rheumatism. R.C. Irish. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

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1147. Julia Elliott: rear 13 Soho Street. her husband has been out of work 3 weeks. they have 2 Children boy 12 & Girl 10. Ch of E. [Church of England] would recommend Fuel & Bread

1148. Barbara Douglass: 12 Sullivan Street. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] has 3 Children 2 boys 14 12. Girl 8. Cannot get work at present. I recommend fuel one supply. will call again if more is needed

1149. Margaret Gartland: 25 Eleanor Street. Widow. Irish. R.C. probably about 62 Years of age. has 2 daughters one Sick in the Hospital the other living at Service in Rochester. receives no help at present from any one. is in poor health. occupies 2 rooms but is behind with rent. rooms poorly furnished. I ascertained [ascertained] these particulars from the landlady the woman being out when I called

1150. Ann Begley:)

1151. Jane McIntosh: 134 Front Street East. These cases have been visited & reported on in previous years. no change worth mentioning. certainly none for the better. husbands can find no work & now are thrown upon their own resources. Recommend usual allowance

1152. Mary Silvy: 45 Princess Street. came from England when 4 years old. lived here ever since. husband Joseph a Canadian has not been at home for 2 or 3 weeks. supposed to be looking for work. has 1 boy in the Country & 2 at home Joseph 8. John 6. Mrs. S. says she is Ch of E. [Church of England] there seems to be something odd about her. Recommend Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

1153. Susan OBrien: rear 119 Jarvis Street. This case was reported in full under the name of Susan Bond 7th Feby. 1876. she married Dennis OBrien & has several times since been mentioned under that name OBrien is an old pensioner of the house & resided formerly in the Old Ontario Hotel OBrien has 2 Children by his first wife & 2 more by the present they are not in my district (W.J. McD [W.J. MacDonnell]) but I am well acquainted with the case & recommend Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

1154. Margaret Glenn: 151 Reids lane. Scotch. husband pensioner. 3 girls 18. 14 & 1. small house fairly clean. gets pension of 6 d. [pence] Stg. [Sterling] per day. Do not think them worthy of relief as they ought to

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have enough & are evidently both drinking Characters. Recommend that the above applicants be pumped upon every morning to cool their heads

1155. Mary McCarty: 150 Sackville Street. see old reports. widow. R.C. has been helped with wood by her church. her son a Strong lad is she says out of work expects some shortly. 2 smaller Children She has a baby to mind for which she is paid [dollars] 3 a ^month^ ~~week~~. house very clean & tidy. do not seem very destitute. But might have one supply of Coal

1156. Rebecca Greentree: 36 St. David Street Ch of E. [Church of England] husband shoemaker but evedently [evidently] ill with Dropsy & is now an out patient of Hospital. 4 Small Children seem respectable. house rather untidy But perhaps to be accounted for by helpless family. found man working at his trade but apparently not up to much. English. Recommend fuel & Bread for the present

1157. Thomas Graham: 42 Regent Street. English. Baptist. woman was confined a week ago But now compelled to be up as no help. looks feeble. husband out. room looked clean under circumstances. 1 child of 2 or 3 & baby. recommend fuel & some Groceries

1158. Mary Wardrobe: 15 Power Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband out of work. 5 Children 1 Boy about 16 at work getting [dollars] 2 a month & board. Girl 18 out of work. Mrs. W. gets [dollars] 8 a month for Cleaning offices. This family should not be in want. husband in County seeking work. House Clean & respectable [dollars] 7. a month rent.

1159. William & Mary Thomas: 51 Sumach Street. see old report (man Colored) very respectable & clean. man getting old & feeble. no children. might have some fuel

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1160. Catherine Mulheron: 69 Ontario Street. widow. lives with a poor family but was not in when I called

1161. Mary Dunlop: Cotesworths [Coatsworth] lane rear 161 Ontario Street. Irish widow. Husband died about 3 Months ago. Presbyterian. lives with a respectable looking family named Taylor

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labourer. also very poor being out of work. Mrs. D. has 2 Boys 13 & 11. might have Coals & if necessary Bread

1162. Margaret McGill: 140 Ontario Street. widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] aged 60. Seems rather dirty. lives with a Mrs. Webb also poor. like the rest complains more of want of fuel than of Bread

1163. Mary Ann Clark: 450 Adelaide St. west. is a respectable & industrious woman who manages to get on very well during the summer but when the winter sets in finds it difficult to meet expences or to get the necessaries of life. Recommend her for Coal & Bread

1164. John Marks: 333 Adelaide St west. he is a respectable & industrious man but is reduced to a condition of distress by sickness & want of work. recommend Coal & Bread

1165. Eliza Trimmer: 428 Adelaide Street west. is very ill so that she will not be able to appear before the Board. I know the case & can confidently recommend her as both needy and deserving. will you kindly send the full allowance of Coal at once. it will be used prudently & probably she will never need it more than at present

1166. Benjiman [Benjamin] Commin: 365 Adelaide Street west. English labourer. 3 Children out of work & wife seriously ill. need fuel & {Feed}. Recommend Bread Coal & Sick allowance

1167. Eliza Cook: 413 Adelaide St west. Irish. R.C. husband Carpenter but has not been able to work for nearly a year on account of some affection of the eyes which unfit him for work. 6 Children 3 Boys 21. 12. 4. 3 girls 10. 7. 6 years of age. would recommend Coal & Bread

1168. Charles Spice: 389 King Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 9 Children. a tool grinder by occupation but not able to get work in the cold weather. This is his first winter in the country & he has not been able to make provision for the support of his family during his unoccupied time. recommend Coal & Bread

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1169. Mary Ann Pasco: rear 25 Little Richmond Street. husband a blacksmith but being an old man he is not able to get employment. no Children. Recommend Coal & Bread

1170. Mary Valentine: Browns lane. Irish, husband a Sailor. had ague during the summer so that he could earn but little & has saved nothing. 3 Children at home boy 12 girls 11. 9 years. recommend Coal & Bread

1171. Margaret Coady: Browns lane. Irish. no Children. husband an old man who has no regular employment. seem decent people. recommend Bread & Coal

1172. Anne Goddard: rear 6 Camden Street. not at home when visitor called. neighbours reports that they are industrious & respectable people but very destitute. 3 young Children

1173. Eliza Trimmer: 428 Adelaide St. west. English. widow. 2 in family. 1 daughter she is able to provide for herself. Mrs. T is a very respectable woman. very ill so that she is not able to leave her bed. Recommend Coal & Bread also that the full allowance of Coal be sent down at once instead of in separate quantities at intervals

1174. Margaret English: rear 22 Little Richmond Street. Irish. widow. no family. respectable woman. employed at Coopers shoe factory

1175. Michael McEnerney: Browns lane. Irish. widower. 8 children at home 4 girls 4 Boys. employed at Burn's Coal yard. lost his wife a few weeks ago with only one of the children to look after the house probably finds it difficult to meet expences

1176. Fredrick J. White: Browns lane. 3 Children 2 Boys 11. 8. 1 Girl 4. labourer decent man out of work. Seems wanting in energy & push & so cannot get on & make provision for winter. very poor. Recommend 2 loaves Bread & Coal

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1177. William S. Green: 130 Mill Street. English. in Canada 9 years. 26 years of age. wife 30. 2 Children Boy & Girl 11. 5 Years. Ch of Eng. willing to work & cannot get any. Furniture good. house very neat. they never asked for relief before. want Coal & wood. Mrs. G. in bad health. would recommend them sick relief

1178. Mary Moore: rear 363 King Street East. not worthy of relief as she was the worse of Licquor [liquor] when visited. reported she had 5 children. by inquiry I found she had none. husband working

1179. John Glass: 13 Water Street. aged 83. lives in a house by himself. Irish. 40 Years in Toronto. Presbyterian. he thinks he could get along if he got some bread as he has picked up some wood which will do him for awhile & the neighbours are very kind to him

1180. Margaret Obrien: 431 King Street east. is in St. Davids Ward & not visited

1181. Margaret Davies: 279 Front St East. aged 29. husband 29. 5 children 2 Boys 8. & baby 14 Mos. 3 girls 11. 6. 3. parents natives of Toronto Ch of E. [Church of England] cause of distress no work. had no fire when visited nor bread for children. she asked for Coal & Wood which I think they very much need

1182. William Pepworth: 160 Victoria Street. English Protestant. Storekeeper unable to work through infirmity. Character good. one daughter sickly unable to be much at work. Book folder by trade. when well able to earn three fifty a week. wishes for firing

1183. Bridget Hill: 67 Victoria lane. called twice have not seen her. will report as soon as I have seen her

1184. Robert King: rear 120 Claremont Street. Married. English & Scotch Presbyterians. labourer 11 Years in Toronto. no Children. decent rooms. orderly habits. gets no other help. would Recommend Coal

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1185. Sarah Mead: 137 Hope St. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] Canadian. lives by peddling. has been 2 1/2 years in Toronto. no children. rooms extremely neat. habits apparently good. gets no assistance elsewhere. recommend her for Bread

1186. Margaret Quigley: 179 Strachan Street. an aged widow. R.C. native of Dublin. Washerwoman. her only son away from home. lodges with a married daughter her only daughter here. gets 1 Loaf a week from her Church. is disabled by sprained ancle [ankle] recommend Bread

1187. Eliza Carey: 100 Herbert Street. Married woman. husband out of work. natives of London & Dublin R.C. in Toronto 8 Years 4 Boys 14. 8. 4. 2. 2 girls 12. 5. all at home. Children earn no wages at present. rooms in fair condition. habits rough but apparently decent. recommend this case for both Fuel & Bread

1188. Margaret Irwin: 2 Clinton Street. Married Presbyterian. husband ill. he Irish She Scotch. 5 years in Toronto. labourer. 3 Boys 10. 12. 19 last one dangerously ill. both parents in bad health. a daughter only one at home helping mother aged 15. 1 boy going to school. none earning anything. decent rooms. habits good. recommend Fuel Bread & Sick allowance

1189. Robina Juby: 193 Strachan Street. husband Sick. Scotch. he English. 11 weeks in Toronto. 3 Boys aged 1/2. 4. 6 2 girls 6. 16. place desired for the elder one. no wages coming [coming], habits decent. rooms neat. Recommend Fuel & Bread. no assistance from elsewhere

1190. Sarah Ann Watkins: 172 Claremont Street. married. Ch of E. [Church of England] both English. he farm labourer. 10 Weeks in Toronto. 1 Boy 10. 5 Girls 7. 9. 14 15. 19. eldest at service. the others wanting places. rooms decent. habits good. most respectable people. recommend Fuel & Bread

1191. Mary Evans: 5 Garrison St. aged 70. she is deserving. recommend Coal

1192. Elizabeth Cominsky: 22 Garrison Street. 8 in family. recommend Coal

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1193. Jane Smith: 33 Garrison Street. there are 5 in this family. recommend Coal

1194. Mary Harrison: 78 Little Adelaide Street. aged & lives alone. Recommend Coal

1195. Catherine Hyland: 92 Little Adelaide Street. 10 in family. husband Sick. Recommend Coal & Sick allowance

1196. Julia Marchman: 94 Little Adelaide Street. there are 10 in family. recommend Coal & Bread

1197. Ann Burns: 204 Little Richmond Street. 4 in family. Mother aged. oldest son dying of consumption. recommend Coal & Sick allowance

1198. Mary McGarry: 212 Niagara Street. there are 5 in family. recommend Coal & Bread

1199. Ann Mullins: 158 Strachan Avenue. 8 in family. would recommend Coal

1200. Mrs. Fieldcamp: 15 Stafford Street. 6 Children in family. recommend Coal & Bread

1201. Mary Flannagan: 39 Garrison Street. 3 in this family. recommend Coal & Bread

1202. Mary Ann Harrison: 80 Little Adelaide Street. 6 in family. recommend Coal & Bread

1203. Elizabeth Morrow: 76 Stafford Street. recommend Coal & Wood

1204. Charles Myers: rear 174 Chestnut Street. German. Lutheran. Engineer by trade. has been employed in Copelands Brewers. met with an accident which laid him up for a long time. 2 Children eldest 2 1/2. respectable looking people. Clean house .Recommend Bread & Coal

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1205. Mary Surgeon: 31 Avenue lane. old woman rather more feeble than last year but found her working away most industriously. Recommend same allowance as last year

1206. Mary Hussy: 216 Chestnut Street. widow. does sewing & washing. has 2 Children both young. very respectable quiet person. think worthy & have no doubt about her necessities. Recommend Bread & Coal 1st time of application

1207. William Rogers: 207 Centre Street. Tinsmith. 2 Children eldest Girl 10 yrs. other 2 3/4 yrs. Canadian C of E. [Church of England] cause of applying no work. evidently very poor much in need of assistance. house clean. people tidy respectable looking. recommend Coal & Bread

1208. Ellen Porter: 182 Centre Street. husband Carpenter out of work. 1 Child 12 Months old. seem clean people & in need. Recommend Bread & Coal

1209. Eliza Ludlow: 187 Centre Street. husband labourer out of work. been sick had a great deal of Sickness during the year. 4 Children eldest 8 years. woman just about to be confined. never had assistance before

1210. James Hall: Christopher Street. old man. Colored. lives in a miserable old house. There is nothing against him from the neighbours. old man not in when I called. Think board can judge when he comes before them wether [whether] he should be helped

1211. Mary Mullins: rear 98 Chestnut Street. Widow. R.C. no child. washes & cannot need much help. had Mary Bell's Coal. 10 lbs.

1212. Mary Monk: rear 14 Terauley Street. Methodist. old couple without Children. husband decayed Bookkeeper. woman washes but cannot work at present on account of a fall. Recommend Bread & Coal

1213. Ida Henderson: aged 20 English Ch of E. [Church of England] has been in General Hospital. was sent here by Mrs. Clarke Gamble for a few days shelter until a pass can be got from the Mayor to

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send her on to Montreal. came Decr. 26th & left on 30th

1214. Mary Casey: aged 55 Irish R.C. from Sunnidale where she lived for many years. came here on 23rd Decr. to get into the Poor House. was told to go back to Sunnidale. gave her shelter on account of bad weather. left 29th December

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1215. Neil McCullum: aged 30 from Scotland. Presbyterian. a labourer from Nova Scotia. 5 days in Toronto. came here for shelter 28th Dec. has a very sore throat. wishes to be sheltered until better ^Left Jany. 15/80.^

1216. Elizabeth Masters: Canadian. aged 25 & husband George aged 32. a Shoemaker by trade. came from Peterborough to Toronto looking for work. very destitute. they came here for Shelter until they can look about for work. both Ch of E. [Church of England] 31st Dec. ^Left Jany. 10/80.^

1217. ^Annie^ Sarah Freeman: aged 50. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] Some years ago from Barrie. formerly an Inmate. well Known at the house. was sent here by Revd. Mr. Cayley for shelter & have her case brought before weekly committee Decr. 31st

1218. Wesley Collins: rear 100 Chestnut Street. Colored man without feet & an old white woman with one eye for a wife. in a very destitute condition. recommend immediate help Coal & Bread Groceries once

1219. Lucy Curry: rear 141 Elizabeth Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] widow. 1 girl 13 washes & cannot need much help perhaps Coal once

1220. Wesley F. Eaton: 52 Elizabeth Street. will send report

1221. Ellen Gillespie: 73 Edward Street. out when your visitor called. now nursing a sick person & not likely to need help at present

1222. Mary Daly: ^63^ Albert Street. R.C. widow. washes. no Children. does not need much help

1223. Robert Potts: in case 625. Readmitted again

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Present Revd. A.H. Baldwin & Messrs. A. McMurchy W.J. MacDonell & E. Hobson

1. {blank} Pike: 192 Parliament Street. cant make out this case. they are respectable people & she says never asked help But supposes friends did as husband is out of work. she says will ask her husband before going to H. of I. [House of Industry]

2. Henriette Hahne: 40 Regent Street. German. All Saints Church. 8 Children. eldest 17. a boy who earns [dollars] 3 [per week] girl 13. sick. she cleans offices for Mr. Scarth. hard working & respectable. should be helped as occasion requires

3. William ~~Burns~~ ^Barrows^ & Wife: 38 St. David Street. Methodist. one small child. clean & respectable. Burns is a varnisher but at present out of work. seems steady. wife very clean & tidy. recommend Coal for 1 Month and Bread if in want
4. Bridget Hagan: Regent Street. R.C. St. Davids Church. Widow. hard case. apparently has 1 son of 18. Think she drinks. suppose must be kept from starving as she has a soul to be saved
5. Fanny Wilding: 190 Berkeley Street. not to be found
6. ^Sarah & Mary^ McQuiggan: 214 Sackville Street 2 old women. out of fuel. living at present with sister, Mrs. Ray who will help them till fuel arrives. both old & helpless. must be kept going
7. Mary Duffis: 17 Cornwall Street. Irish. R.C. husband hiring on farm & said to be making little more than pays his board. Wife at home with 4 Children. eldest girl of 14 seem respectable thro [though] probably lazy & slovenly. Think fuel & Bread for the present
8. Ann Carr: rear 115 Sumach Street. husband labourer out

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of work. 4 Children at home. all small. eldest 14 makes 1 pw [per week] learning a trade. they seem very destitute. little girl very ill. think they probably drink & house dirty. must have help at present

9. Kate Murray: rear 67 Sackville Street. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] she lives with a man & wife having two rooms between them. not very energetic, Not disreputable tho [though] somewhat dirty. they might have some food

10. Catherine Hardiman: rear 34 Centre Street. a bad case well known at the house. drinking looking person. husband too lazy to work. should get very little help

11. Mary Mullens: rear 89 Chestnut Street. see former report sent last week

12. Elizabeth Levy: rear 34 Centre Street. husband labourer out of work. 1 girl 9 years. wretched & no doubt that whiskey keep them down. not worthy

13. Margaret Durrent: rear 34 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Girls 12. 4. Boys 11. 9. years. husband labourer out of work. recommend Bread & Coal once

14. Ann Quinn: Prices lane near Elm St. R.C. husband in Hospital. 3 girls 11. 4. 2. 3 Boys 9. 6. 3. years. Wretched Miserable den of infamy. the only help needed is to rescue the poor Children from such a mother

15. Ellen Hall: rear 89 Chestnut Street. R.C. husband left her. has 1 girl 5 years. should be able to make out with very little assistance

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16. Harriet Rex: rear 56 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] widow Ch of E. in poor health. 2 girls 15. 9. the eldest girl needed at home to do the work. her parents live at {whilerate} unable to help
17. Jane Gray: 33 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Girls 13. 9. 6. Boys 11. 7. 4. strong able people. can only need temporary help

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18. Sophia Cummings: rear 21 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband labourer out of work. he is a young strong Englishman & ought to find work soon. 1 Child 3 yrs. recommend Bread & Coal once
19. Sarah Jones: 66 Centre Street. Widow. R.C. lives with her daughter whose husband is earning & ought to be able to support her
20. Rebecca Williams: 44 Centre Street Ch of E. [Church of England] 1 Child 2 years, husband a worthless fellow & gives very little help, recomd. Coal once
21. William Jarrott: 60 Sherbourne Street, 30 years old, labourer. cant get work, Wife 28, one child has a very bad cough, recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal
22. Bridget Heys: rear 12 Duchess Street. 56 years old. widow. living by selling Fish. cant get any to sell now. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once
23. Catherine Coyle: 33 Duchess St. 30 years old. husband 42. labourer. cant get work. 2 Children 8. 6 1/2 years. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal
24. Eliza Littledale: 33 Duchess Street. 39 years old. widow. 2 Children. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal once
25. Mary Scully: 121 Jarvis Street. 45 years old. widow. living by washing & scrubbing. recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal
26. Margaret Hughes: 73 Jarvis Street. forgot to visit there
27. Jane Burns: Browns lane. Widow. Irish. R.C. one Boy 13. one girl at service. can mannage in summer but needs a little fuel in winter. recommend Coal & Bread
28. Alice Follen: Browns lane. Irish. R.C. married. husband a hod carrier. not able to get work now. 3 Children 1 Boy doing for himself 1 girl 13 boy 11 years
29. George Tremble: 72 Bathurst Street. Irish. C of E [Church of England] labourer.

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wife & one Child 8 years of age. has had no work since winter set in. in very hot weather not able to work. he is a respectable man. recommend Coal & Bread

30. Sophia Rockall: 381 Adelaide Street west. English. husband a labourer. 6 children 4 girls 11. 11. 5. 3. 2 Boys 6. 2. during summer can get on but he can earn little now & they have been put back by sickness. recommend Coal & Bread

31. Ann Quinn: Prices lane. husband in Hospital. has 6 Children. is evidently destitute & not very strong herself. I think she should have fuel & Bread. eldest child a girl of 13.

32. Martha Collins: 50 Emma Street. husband a Carpenter. says he had no work since the fall. was informed by the neighbours that both husband & wife are drunkards. 6 Children. These people might have temporary relief. I shall try & see them again

33. Sarah Wallace: 50 Emma Street Front of the house. an old Couple. respectable. the man is too old to do much work. he cuts wood when he gets the Chance. one Child living at home a daughter at service who gives them a dollar a month. they might have fuel & Bread if they ask for it

34. Catherine Little: 17 Agnes Street. widow. Irish Methodist. lost her husband 3 years ago. a month after husband's death fell & broke her thigh. Knits & sews but is not fit for active work. has no family. has been in Canada about 40 years. I would recommend Coal & Bread

35. Sarah Ann Collett: 50 Albert Street. English. husband 4 Children & husbands father aged 70. husband a Machinist out of work for some months. expects to be re-engaged at Hamiltons foundry in a short time. Ch of E. [Church of England] the woman seems respectable & only asks temporary relief. recommend her for Fuel & Bread until husband gets work. dont think they will except relief after her gets work

36. Margaret Walsh: 17 James Street Did not see this woman

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as she was out. lives with a Shoemaker who rents her a room. he said she was old & infirm. a widow. no family. has been assisted by the House before. refer the Committee to the books. she appears to be in no better Condition than the previous years

37. Emily Puttock: 32 Woolsley Street. husband a labourer out of work. English. in Toronto 2 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] 4 Girls 11. 9. 5. 2. 3 going to school. the house bare & poor. receiving no help from any source whatever. a very worthy & needy case

38. Catherine Abbot: 23 Hackney Street. Presbyterian. Canadian. husband railway man out of work. 1 girl 3 years old. rents house which was warm & comfortable. a rather doubtful case but may need temporary help. to get a note from Mr. Broughall

39. Mary Hailey: rear 32 Woolsley Street. a case in my opinion of out & out imposition. found in the house Bread & potatoes a bright fire & the woman frying a plentiful supply of meat. The woman is a widow. R.C. from Ireland. in Toronto about 27 years. with 2 boys 18. 10 & 2 Girls 15. 11. one of the girls is out at service. the boys are at home but have no work. The woman says she receives help from no one but the House does not look as though that were true. I could not recommend this case

40. Mary Howarth: rear 32 Monk Street. widow. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] in Toronto 5 years. 1 Boy aged 11. 1 Girl aged 9. both going to school. receiving no help. house clean. scantily furnished. A worthy Case.

41. Margaret Golooly: 1 Woolsley Street. husband labourer out of work. in Toronto 16 years. R.C. 2 Boys 8. 4. 3 Girls 11. 7 & baby 3 weeks. none go to school. a needy case and they are deserving of help

42. Catherine Maddigan: rear 363 King Street east. Irish. 30 years in Toronto. R.C. 49 years of age. 1 Boy 19. Girl 17. all in good health. boy working in my opinion they should

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be able to support themselves but plead hard for Coal

43. Isaac George: 13 Tate Street. English. 4 years in Canada. 2 weeks from Bracebridge. stopping with a friend as he has no house of his own. Ch of E. [Church of England] no family. no family in Toronto but himself & wife. told me he left 2 Children in the Country. Girl 15 Boy 10. husband 50. Wife 50 looks much younger

44. Joanna Murphy: 71 Parliament Street. Irish. 77 years old. 37 in Toronto. found her very sick & in great distress had no nourishment not ever [even] bread in the house when visited. she has one daughter aged 46 who was her whole support for years but out of work at present. she is a very

respectable old lady. never applied for relief before. have known her personally for several years.  
recommend her sick relief as well as wood & Coal

45. Sarah Reynolds: 369 Front Street East. Irish. in Toronto 14 years. 5 Children. 1 Boy 4 Girls. husband 42. Wife 32. Boy 12. Girls 10. 6. 4. 2 years. Own two houses & all in good health. asked for Coke & Bread. he said he got sick relief last winter & expected the same this. he would not have mentioned about the houses had I not known myself but acknowledged when questioned & said he owed money to the Building Socieity [society] & was trying to pay it Ch of E. [Church of England]

46. Catherine Smith: 15 Erin Street. 30. husband 40. R.C both healthy & should be able in my opinion to support themselves. she said she could get along if she got a little Coal

47. Elizabeth Hempstead: 2 Conway Street. Married. both English. Weslyans. engine driver. only 4 weeks in Toronto. 1 Boy 1 yr. old. 3 Girls 8. 6. 3. none at school. rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help received. recommend this case for both Bread & Fuel

48. Margaret McFarlane: rear 20 Claremont Street. Married to James. he sick. both Scotch. Presbyterians. wood turner by occupation. 10 years in Toronto. 3 Boys 7. 5 & one 3 weeks. 3 girls

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11. 8. 5. they go to school. very poor. no other help. rooms & habits indicate great poverty. recommend Bread & Fuel

49. Ann Suthers: rear 120 Claremont Street. married. both aged. he ill. Ch of E. [Church of England] he English. she Irish. labourer. 8 years in Toronto. no Children. decent rooms & orderly habits. recommend this case as needing Coal only

50. Eliza Hailey: rear 120 Bishop Street. married. husband. C of E [Church of England] labourer. 14 Months in Toronto. 2 Boys 5, 2. decent rooms & orderly habits. recommend this case for fuel only

51. Margaret Sullivan: 23 Melinda Street. Irish. R.C. was never married. an old feeble woman. not able to do much work. recommend Coal & Bread

52. {blank} Oliver: 102 Boulton Street English. Ch of Eng. husband aged 40. Wife 41. 5 Children. 3 Boys 13. 10. 8. 2 girls 8. 5. husband labourer out of work. wife not able to do much either. recommend Coal & Bread

53. Margaret Talbot: 91 Boulton Street. French Canadian. R.C. aged 60. 1 grand Child 5 years. her father & Mother are both dead. recommend Coal & Bread

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54. Margaret Bateman: London House. English. Ch of Eng. husband a Carpenter but has no employment for more than 5 weeks. 2 Children Girls 5. 2. years. they look as they wanted Coal & Bread very much
55. Mary Murphy: Renfrew lane near John Street. one Child about 1 year & 9 Months old. husband dead. she has no work or only a day now & then. very poor. recommend Bread & Coal
56. {blank} Batsby: Kingston Road. very hard up. she is a widow with 6 Children. one of her boys is working at [dollars] 2 a week. she wants fuel only
57. Elizabeth Kilburn: Eastern Avenue east Don. They

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have no Children but are very old & feeble so I cannot do otherwise than recommend them for relief

58. Emily Morris: 21 Scadding Street. they have 2 Children who have been sick & the husband cannot get anything to do. seem very low. recommend them for relief
59. Honora Kirwin: 8 Stafford Street. R.C. one child 7 years of age. recommend Coal & Bread
60. Rose Caffrey: 158 Strachan Avenue. she is Roman Catholic. recommend Coal
61. Martha Eldridge: 247 Little Richmond Street Eng. Ch. 5 Children. 6 to 11 years. recommend Coal & Bread
62. Bridget Fitzpatrick: 27 Garrison Street. Roman. C. [Church] recommend Coal
63. James Rose: 72 Stafford Street. Eng. Ch. 5 Children. ages 1 1/2 to 11. 9 weeks in Toronto. recommend Coal & Bread

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64. Sarah Canley: 12 Sullivan Street, husband labourer out of work for 8 weeks. 1 Child aged 4. Ch of E. [Church of England] & for want of Clothing he could hardly work if he had it. recommend Fuel & Bread
65. James Leary: rear 13 Soho Street. labourer. R.C. wife Ch of E. [Church of England] out of work 5 weeks. cannot work at present as he put his leg into the oven to dry & burnt it. has 4 Children. 3 girls 10. 7. 3. boy 5. poverty stricken looking lot produced by drink I fear tho' I cannot prove it. for the sake of the

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Children I recommend Bread. they had some wood in a back room. they ask for Coal which the Committee must use there [their] discretion about

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66. Winnifred Conners: rear 13 Soho Street. lives with Larys. has 2 Children. Boy 11. Girl 9. R.C. has no work. wants all she can get particularly Coal. if Comtee. will grant it will move her stove down from Bathurst St. & join it to Lary's stove by a T pipe. her room is very cold & a hole for the stove pipe can be made in the wall. I should say there is hardly room for a stove when the heap of straw she calls a bed is stretched over the floor. she has lived with the Lary's for 3 years in Bathurst St. probably she finds them excellent boom companions. For the sake of the Children I recommend Bread

67. Mary Moore: 65 Victoria Street. aged 45. English. Protestant. husband labourer. one daughter sickly cannot get employment. in Toronto for 10 years. house clean & very tidy. appears to be very much in need of help. See case 1178 [1879].

68. Bridget Hill: 67 Victoria lane. Catholic. Canadian. Charwoman. 1 Boy 6. one Girl 8. for the past 2 weeks has had employment

69. Elizabeth Constantine: 238 Church Street. Protestant. English. aged 75. Widow. seamstress. cannot do much work chiefly repairing of which she gets very little. Baptist Church allows her [dollars] 4 a Month. 1 daughter in England unable to assist. very clean

70. Charlotte Hall: 78 Claremont Street. married. both English. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. 3 years in Toronto. 2 Boys 9. 8. 2 Girls 11. 1 1/4. they have not clothes for school. 2 other girls are out at service. rooms decent. habits fair. no work. no earnings. no other aid received. recommend Bread & Coal

71. Emma Bond: 22 Conway St. married. both English. C of E. [Church of England] plasterer. 7 years in Toronto. 1 Boy 6. 2 girls 16. 9. no wages. rooms decent. habits orderly. 1 girl an invilad [invalid]. no other aid. recommend Bread & Fuel

72. Ann Donnally: 189 Claremont St. Aged widow. only Child is 18 years. R.C. Canadian. decent rooms & habits. no other help. recommend Fuel only

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73. Mary Ann Oswin: 47 Strachan Street. married. both English. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. 8 years in Toronto. 4 Boys 12. 10. 8. 1 1/4. 2 girls 5. 3. no clothes for school. 1 Boy earns [dollars] 1 a week. rooms fair. habits orderly. 1 Child sick of Typhoid. Mrs. O. invalid herself. recomd. Bread & Fuel
74. Margaret Irwin: 101 Claremont Street. 8 years a Widow. aged. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 30 years in Toronto. no children. lodges here. rooms decent. habits orderly. recommend Fuel only
75. Joanna Fraser: Clinton Street corner Henderson Avenue. Married. both Scotch. R.C. Carpenter. 7 years in Toronto. 4 Boys 12. 7. 2. 1. 4 Girls 13. 11. 9. 4. all go to school. 11 girl at Service. rooms decent. habits orderly. no other aid. recommend Bread & Coal
76. Catherine Cox: London House. Irish. R.C. aged 43. 1 daughter out at place. recommend Coal & Bread
77. Maria Falarida: 101 Adelaide Street west. Canadian. Protestant. aged 30. 1 Child 2 1/2 years. husband French. Canadian. R.C. a very bad man. she dont know where he is nor dont want to know. she is exceedingly hard of hearing & I think she is in much need of Coal & Bread
78. Jane Farmer: 93 Boulton Street. Canadian. Protestant. aged 26. husband French Canadian. R.C. aged 28. he is a Brass moulder but unable to work. in poor health. 4 Children 7. 4. 2. years Boys. 1 Girl 5. Think they need Coal & Bread
79. Emma Paine: 95 Boulton Street. English. Presbyterian. aged 44. husband 43. laborer. out of employment. 5 Children. all boys 15. 9. 5. 3 1/2 baby 8 months. recommend Coal & Bread
80. Margaret Gloyns: 23 Lombard Street. same as last year with an additional Child, the Children are bad with Whooping Cough & she in bad health in bed with inflamatory rheumatism. recommend the usual allowance of Coal & Bread & a little groceries
81. Mary McLinchy: 78 Lombard Street. not at home but at at work. will visit her again

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82. Mary Sullivan: rear 79 Lombard Street. the same as last year & recommend the usual allowance
83. Mary Carroll: rear 79 Lombard Street. same as last year but very sick at present. the usual allowance should be given
84. Margaret Sweeney: 62 Lombard. not at home. could not find her.

85. Bridget Burke: 62 Lombard Street. married. no Children. aged 40. husband a labourer. aged 60. 8 years in this Country. had relief from the House 2 years since. think they might get along without applying to the house I do not recommend

86. Julia Fraser: 85 Lombard Street. same as last year and recommend the same allowance

87. Eliza Shea: rear 85 Lombard Street. same as last year with 1 child less. recommend the usual allowance

88. Bridget Berrigan: rear 85 Lombard St. same as last report but very bad from dropsy. recommend the same as last year

89. Bridget Connolly: rear 82 Lombard Street. same as last report & recommend the usual allowance

90. Mary Cronin: 82 Lombard Street. Married. husband a rag gatherer. age 75. No Children. R.C. from Ireland. both old & infirm. recommend them for the assistance usually given

91. Bridget Hill: 67 Victoria Lane. not in. employed washing

92. Catherine Roach: 67 Victoria Lane. aged 60. Irish. R.C. about 12 Months ago her hand was burned since useless. 2 daughters. 1 sickly unable to work. the other out of employment. Cleanly. Wanted Fire & Food

93. Annie Graham: 119 Victoria Street. husband aged 24. labourer. out of work. 1 Child 13 months. cannot find employment. they want firing.

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94. Mary Ann Foster: 141 Victoria Street. spinster. aged 40. sickly. unable to do much work. Clean. Character good. Coal needed

95. Ruth Bloor: rear 36 James Street. husband a labourer in poor health. he was a Soldier in 60th Rifles. has a good discharge. 4 Children eldest 9. Ch of E. [Church of England] last year was the first for these people to apply. recommend Bread & Fuel

96. Jane Bell: 17 Agnes Street. widow. has a sister in house. bedridden. aged 69. has 4 Children at home. 3 Boys 1 Girl. 2 of the sons are grown. 1 has a difficulty in getting his wages. she is a deserving woman. recommend Fuel & Bread

97. Sarah Ann Golding: 75 Terauley Street. 5 Children. husband seems respectable. once a Conductor on Toronto Grey & Bruce Ry. [railway]. lost his place though [through] an accident on the line. gets 25 or 30 [cents] a day by driving a Voutes waggon. recommend Bread & Fuel

98. Susannah Beaker: 26 Agnes Street. English. husband & 3 Children. house clean & respectable. a Cabinet maker. lost his left hand in a Machine 15 Months ago. Wife gets washing in on Mondays. recommend for Fuel & Bread

99. Sarah Lockhart: 47 Edward Street. Drunken. she is not worthy of relief

100. Mary Magner: rear 19 Albert. the one who applied for relief is dead. her sister does not want relief. Applied since. Coal & bread

101. George Mayne: 29 Emma Street. Irish. Wife, no family. son of an Irish solicitor now dead. nephew of the late Sir Richard Mayne. Chief of the London Police. about 32 years of age. has been working as a wharehousing Clerk in town & has recommendations from respectable offices in the City. has had no regular work since the Exhibition. the man looks steady & respectable. if he comes to the House he might be given fuel & Bread

102. Lucy Conway: 37 Emma Street. Colored. lost her husband 4 months ago. has 7 Children. eldest Girl 15. has 2 young boys

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who earn what they can by little jobs. makes rag mats. seems hardly pressed just now. belongs to Elm St. Methodist Church. sends her Children to St. James & Grace Church Sunday Schools. recommend her for Fuel & Bread. says she had relief once before in the winter before last

103. Adelaide Newman: 44 1/2 Walton Street. deserted by her husband about a year ago. English. 4 Children. eldest a grown up young woman. 2nd a boy 14 who has lost one hand. the two others 4 years old. mother & daughter sew. they have a Sewing Machine. they seem in great distress at present. been in the Country 6 years. recommend Fuel & Bread. I have heard since that these people are drunkards & the young woman bears a very bad Character. They dont deserve help

104. Elizabeth Johnson: 31 Buchanan St. Canadian. husband Coachman & Gardener out of work for 2 months. Is comfortably lodged & keeps her rooms & herself clean. has 1 child. has had no fire for a week. husband hopes to get employment soon. if she applies again I think she might have some Fuel & Bread

105. Margaret Smallwood: 27 Centre Street. widow. out at work when visitor called. gets 2 days work in each week recomd. Coal once

106. Mary Stubbins: Prices lane. R.C. husband out of work. Boy 10. Girl 8. appear drinkers. Coal once is the most that they should be allowed

107. Emma Parker: 90 Elizabeth Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] widow with 2 grown up daughters. recently out from England. without means. will only need help for a short time

108. Jane Kerr: 72 Elizabeth Street. Methodist. husband in Prison. Children at Orphans home. strong healthy woman. 1 loaf for a month

109. Edward Gurry: rear 88 Elizabeth St. R.C. labourer. out of work. 3 girls 12. 7. 4. 1 Boy 18. ought to make out. Coal once

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110. Harriet Van Lent: 71 Elizabeth Street. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] Girl 8. boy 5. lives with her washes & may need Coal to assist her

111. Caroline Oakman: 30 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband out of work. no children at home & none able to help. husband will get work soon. recommend Coal once, will answer.

112. Margaret Hackett: 114 Centre Street. Methodist. about 60 years old. married son at work in R.R.C. yard. should be able to help her. Coal once only

113. Bridget Holmes: Prices lane 2nd house from Elm St. R.C. Single woman. no responsibility but herself. boards with another applicant. can see no reason why she cannot get along

114. Harriet Philips: 73 Edward Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] widow. no Children. maimed arm prevents her very much. recommend Coal & Bread

115. Jane Humphreys: 211 Elizabeth Street. husband Gardener. 4 Children. eldest 14 Girl earns [dollars] 1.25 a week at paper box making. This is the only money coming in. family all respectable looking & are in great need. would recommend them for Bread & Coal

116. Mary Sharp: 211 Elizabeth Street. Coloured. husband labourer. out of work. woman been very ill & is unfit for work. she called me in while visiting Humphreys & said that she was in need of actual necessities. has 6 Children. all young. recommend Bread & Coal

117. Joseph Thorogood: 94 Hayter Street. labourer. out of work. 3 Children at home. 14. 11. 8 eldest Boy out of work. seem respectable. house clean. recommend Bread

118. James Harper: 237 Elizabeth Street. a very old Colored man. has a bad abscess on his leg which makes it uncomfortable for him to work. lives quite alone & as far as can judge respectable. in great need. recommend Coal & Bread

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119. Margaret Parker: 174 Elizabeth Street. First time she has had assistance. husband labourer. out of work. 4 children 10. 8. 6. 2. woman sews & what she makes is all that family has to depend on at present. house clean & neat. appears respectable. only ask for Coal which I recommend as they need it

120. Adelaide Simpson: 480 Yonge St. Widow. 1 daughter married living in Country. two other Children adopted. Sews for a living. seems decent person. wants Coal & Bread which I recommend

121. Sarah Pickins: 20 Renfrew Street. 3 Children boys 11. 8. 4 husband sickly. not able to work. very poor. recommend Bread & Coal

122. Mary Jane Ferguson: 232 Queen St west. a widow. 1 Child 8 years old. sick. she keeps a little store & would recommend for a while Bread & Coal

123. Hannah Caughlan: 21 Renfrew Street. alone. very poor. recommend Bread & Coal

124. Elizabeth Guest: 82 William Street. 2 Children. Girls 6. 4 years. husband dead. recommend Bread & Coal

125. Margaret Wilson: rear 52 Muter Street. out at work when I called. husband said to be out of employment & in search of it. 4 small Children. a supply of Coal has recently been laid in

126. Mary Ann Shannon: 142 Markham Street. a deserving old woman known to the house. recommend Aid be given her

127. John McHugh: 77 Lippincott Street. aged 52. Wife 40. a labourer with a pension which he says goes for rent. he cannot get work at present. Wife keeps a Cow. 6 Children 1 in hospital & 5 at home Girls 14. 9. 7. 5. 3. boy 2. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] He might have Coal once & Bread for a Month

128. John Murley: 39 Clyde Street. labourer with only an occasional days work. 6 Children. 5 at home. eldest girl 13 in a place. next girl 11 & youngest a baby 5 Months. English. Help recommended for a Month

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129. Mary Connell: 25 1/2 Lippincott Street. a widow without incumbrances. aged 50. she lives with a Butchers family. when I visited her there were two young women in her room sewing. house not of most respectable character. The old woman is evenently [evidently] "one of the family"

130. Sarah Bryan: 320 Spadina Avenue. a widow aged 44. has 3 Children. all girls & at home. eldest 17. has been ill for 11 Months. the others are 14 & 13. Washes [etc.] for a living but just now the work is rather slack with her. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] I would recommend Coal & an allowance of Groceries

131. Margaret Long: 210 Lumley Street. she & her husband are a deserving old couple. aged about 70. unable to work & ought to have aid as before. recommend the coal to be sent altogether 1200 lbs.

132. David Turbet: Dundas Street. see report 20th Dec. 78 [1878]. he as [has] 8 Children now. out of work the last 5 weeks & would be glad to get some Bread. he has fuel on hand. I would recommend them for some Bread

133. Mary Jane Soper: 35 Little Richmond St. English. widow. Methodist. no family. not enjoying good health. respectable woman. needs help. recommend Coal & Bread

134. Thomas Cosgrove: Browns lane. Irish. R.C. Bricklayers labourer. out of work. 4 Children 1 Girl at service. 3 at home aged 11. 8. 7. recommend Coal & Bread

135. Mary Ann McKee: Browns lane. Canadian. Married. 2 Children. husband a labourer out of work at present. recommend Coal & Bread

136. Anne Spencer: rear 13 Camden Street. English. Married. Baptist. lately out from England. husband a printer but not able to get regular employment. 4 Children Girl 13. boys 12. 10. 4 years of age

137. Ann Simpson: 21 1/2 Camden Street. Irish. widow. 1 daughter at home. another able to earn a living for herself. Not enjoying

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good health Recommend Coal & Bread

138. Mary Ann Stockwell: 144 Front Street East. an old case reported on 12th Jany 76 [1876]. She was out at a days work when I called. 3 Children. eldest about 10 was left in Charge of a neighbour. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coal

139. Margaret White: 10 Church Street up Stairs. an old pensioner of House. 33 years here. never married. no friends. destitute. 70 years of age. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal

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140. Thomas Crosby: 216 King Street East up Stairs. 25 years old. Wife 25. Moulder by trade. can't get work. 2 Children young. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

141. Sarah Edwards: 116 Sherbourne St. 47 years old. husband 54. labourer cant get work. 3 Children. not able to work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

142. Margaret Hughes: 92 Jarvis Street. Not in

143. Jane Wallace: Rear 90 Duchess St. Aged 30. husband 31. labourer. cant get work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

144. Dan Jeffers: 33 Duchess Street Aged 40 bad with rheumatics not able to work Recommend 4 lbs. Bread Coal once

145. Sarah Laniel: 85 Duchess St. aged 22. husband 28. Shoemaker by trade. cant get work. 2 Young Children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coal

146. Elizabeth Stacey: 116 George Street. aged 26. husband left her. 3 Children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

147. Caroline Webb: 80 McGill Street. aged 39. husband 39. Plasterer. 9 years in Toronto. English Ch of E. 3 Boys 16, 9, 7. 2 Girls 5, 2. Going to school. house decent. habits good. husband has Cancer. Recommend Bread, Groceries once & Coal after two weeks

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148. Margaret OBrien: 431 Queen Street East. See old report. her husband out for days work. they are old and cant do much & might have Fuel. fear not very Steady. has had 1/4 Cord Wood from R.C. Socy. [Society]

149. Frances Hamilton: 289 Wilton Avenue. not at home. house shut up. neighbours says out for a days work

150. {blank} Hookaway: Corner Duchess & Parliament Streets. husband in Detroit. a plasterer. gets work in Summer here but not able to obtain employment during the winter. went to Detroit where he has a daughter who promised to support him for the winter. Mrs. H. being his second wife the daughter did not consider herself bound to support her Step Mother. Mrs. H. does a little scrubbing [etc.] when she can get it. I think she might have Coal once & a little Bread

151. Bridget Kenny):

152. Betsy Cummings): 140 Sackville Street Mrs. Kenny & her

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husband have been old pensioners each winter for many years. husband died three months ago. The old woman is now alone, though occupying a room in the Same house is a Betsy C. another widow & an old pensioner. Mrs. K. has had 1/4 Cord Wood from St. V.D.P. Socy. [St. Vincent de Paul Society] I recommend her for Coal in another week or 10 days but a Small allowance of Bread immediately & for the next 2 months Mrs. Cummins might have Bread for this & the next month Coal once

153. {blank} Pike: 192 Parliament Street. The family consists of husband Wife 3 Sons & 1 Daughter. The story is that misfortune & sickness have brought them down to there [their] present condition. Pike was in the Book Agency business but the house for which he was agent became bankrupt. his Wife & eldest son were both at the time at deaths door & the 2nd Son met with an accident losing the use of one hand. Seem very respectable people. I think it is a case in which it would be well to send a load of Coal & a bag of Flour to the house & hope that the Committee will consent to do so.

154. Mary Duffis: 17 Cornwall Street. her husband is at work in the Country. She has 4 Children who are strong and fat. the house

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fair only Mr. OBrien visited her before Xmas & she is in receipt of relief from the House since

156. Susan Kent: 32 Bell Street. husband born in U.S. wife & husband same age 23. 2 Children. Girl 4. Boy only 1 month. the man a labourer works for Corporation. Ch of E. The case not a bad one. man active & strong. Give 4 lbs. Bread no Coal

157. Joseph Hill: 4 Oak Street. Wife 38. Ch of E. [Church of England] house dirty. I do not think she drinks. 2 Children. made enquiries at her landlord's. Report so far good. give her 10 bushels Coke just now & Groceries once. she complains of Rheumatism. I'll go & see her again

158. Mary Black: 211 Oak Street. 24 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] Canadian. her husband a labourer. during Summer got [dollars] 6 p [per] week for last 3 weeks 3 days. 6 Children. 2 Boys 9, 4, belong to the wifes parents who are dead. 4 of her own. Girls 5, 4, 3, & 17 Months pays [dollars] 5 rent for the house. man sober & industrious looking. does not use Tobacco in any form. Give 12 lbs. Bread for 2 Months 20 bushels Coke 10 now. The other 10 in a Month. the man can take it home

159. Charlotte Wright Williams: 167 Oak Street. married. English Ch of E. [Church of England] husband a labourer. She a charwoman. husband sick in bed. they raised a family of 9 Girls. one unmarried. 5 at Service in the Country. they cant help her any. She has 3 girls at home 11, 9 & 7, go to School. house fairly clean. Give her 10 lbs. bread. Coal & Groceries once Bread for 3 months

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Present Revd. A.J. Broughall Messrs. W.J. MacDonnell & J. Gillespie

160. Belinda Marshall: an inmate in Case 842 in 1879. husband George came to take her out. says is able to take care of his wife without help from the house. the wife is willing to go. allowed to go with understanding not to get assisted by the house in future

161. Emily Roberts: 105 Ann Street. aged 42. husband dead

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no family. Is a midwife. nothing to do. Irish. 18 Months in Toronto. Ch of E. [Church of England] house rather bare of Furniture. Says she does not drink. Recommend Bread & Coal

162. Mary Hickey: 3 Wilton Street. Widow for 6 years. Irish. R.C. washerwoman. 15 years in Toronto. has 3 Boys 12, 9, 6, & 1 Girl 11 years. no wages earned by the Children. rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help being received. Recommend Bread & Fuels

163. Mary Ann Sinclair: 16 Conway Street. husband Irish. she English. labourer. 8 years in Toronto. 1 Boy 1 year. 2 Girls 5, 3. decent rooms & orderly habits. no other help. recomd. Bread & Coal

164. Maria Smith: Henderson Avenue. Married. both Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. 6 years in Toronto. 1 Boy 11, & 4 Girls 8, 5, 3, & 1/4 Years. decent rooms & orderly habits. no other help. Recomd. Fuel & Bread

165. Mary Slater: 332 Spadina Avenue. Widow. 37 with 5 Children. 4 at home. eldest a daughter 17 who at present happens to be out of place. She is now sick & confined to bed. Sews for a living. English. Recommend the usual aid also an allowance of Groceries

166. Martha Dyer: 24 High Street. husband a labourer out of work. English. in Toronto about 7 years. Eng. Ch. 2 Boys 8, 2, 1 Girl 12 all at home. Mother goes out to work but owing to the Children having recently had the Measles is unable to get any-thing to do. Receiving no outside help

167. Hannah Buckingham: 21 Hackney Street. Widow. occupying one room which is very destitute and bare. has been in Toronto about 12 years R.C. Irish. no Children. a poor old woman totally alone in the world. a very needy case

168. Ann Holt: rear 43 Esther Street. From England Ch of Eng. husband a labourer out of work. 4 Boys 13, 9, 4, 2. 3 Girls 8, 5 & Baby 3 Months. eldest Boy living with a relation. the Rest are all at home. the 3 Youngest Children are sick. very respectable people & worthy case

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169. Patience Savage: 590 Bathurst Street. aged 48. is now lying ill & her husband is out of work. She is obliged to maintain 2 grand Children belonging to a deceased daughter whose Father is living in the Country & also another grand child whose Father is dead. 1 Boy 3 1/2 years. 2 Girls 11, 8. Recommend Bread Fuel & Groceries

170. Charlotte Ewart: 157 York Street. Scotch. Presbyterian. aged 66. Husband 67. no Children. husband not able to stand on the corner now this winter weather to sell his wares. would Recommend Coal & Bread

171. Ann Tidyman: 170 Adelaide Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Aged 61. husband 65. one Son 17. husband a labourer afflicted very much with Rheumatism. this damp weather very unfavourable to his complaint. he was in bed to day. Recommend Coal & Bread

172. Annie Oaks: rear 36 Richmond Street west. Canadian. Methodist. aged 26. 4 Children. 3 Girls 7, 5, & 2 1/2 & Boy 7 weeks old. husband English. he is an incorrigible drunkard. he has sold everything they had in the world & drank it all so she had to bring her 4 helpless little Children to her Mothers a widow who herself has to work for her living. She cannot do much work on account of the Children as she has no one else to take care of them. they need Coal & Bread very much

173. Edward Tunks: 130 1/2 Chestnut Street Ch of E. [Church of England] unable to work with bad leg. young wife but cannot get any work. Recommend Coal & Bread

174. Ellen Mead: 95 Chestnut Street. Widow. R.C. 65 years. daughter in Convent. too old to work. Recommend a loaf only

175. William Williams: 64 Centre Street. Widower. lives alone. Ch of E. [Church of England] Strong man. Son married. doubtful object of Charity. Recommend Coal once at most

176. Lizzie McMullen: rear 26 Centre Street. Widow. Presbyterian. dressmaker. 1 Boy 8. no employment at present. can do with Coal once

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177. Mary Hawthorn: rear 26 Centre Street Ch of E. [Church of England] husband out of work. 2 Boys 10, 8. Seem very poor. Recommend Bread & Coal
178. Nettie Boyd: 33 Chestnut Street. no Such number not known
179. Wesley F. Eaton: 52 Elizabeth Street. Methodist. out of work. 3 Boys 9, 5, 3. Recommend Coal once only
180. Ann Crow: 22 Renfrew Street. 3 Children. Boy 8. 2 Girls 6, 4. husband away. She has one or two days wash in the week. would recommend Bread & Coal
181. Mary Broomer: 112 William Street. 5 Children. 2 Boys 10, 4. 3 Girls 8, 6 2. her husband has no work. Recommend Bread & Coal
182. Mary Ann Brennan: 28 Oxford Street. is very poor. has 6 Children. 3 Boys 11, 9, & 7 Months. 3 Girls 7, 4. & 2. husband a Carpenter but he cannot get work. they are very much in need
183. Ann Spencer: rear 13 Camden Street. reported 6th Jany. 1880 husband out of work. Recommend Coal
184. Eliza Sandford: 448 King Street West. English. husband a wood carver but not able to work. Suffers from Asthma. 5 Children. 3 Boys 5, 3, 1. 2 Girls 9, 7. Recommend Coal & Bread
185. Mary Jane Sloan: rear 39 Camden Street. Irish. husband a labourer. 1 Child 18 Months. in Toronto 9 weeks. out of work. have made no provision for winter. Seem respectable people. Recommend Coal & Bread
186. Sarah Wilson: 367 Adelaide Street west. Irish. husband in Hospital. has recently lost one Child. willing to work if she can get it. needs nourishment. Recommend Coal Bread & Sick allowance
187. Mary Ann Arnott: 16 Camden Street ^116 Peter Street^ English. husband a labourer but dissipated, makes no provision for his family. has 2 Boys 9 years & one 17 Months

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188. Walter Newton: 405 Adelaide Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband Sailor. has neither work nor means of supporting family. has 4 Children. 3 Boys 6, 2, & 2 days. 1 Girl 5 years. let her have a Sick allowance. wife has just been confined & they have not even the very necessities of life. If

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you can also send him some Coal without requiring him to wait the usual day of distribution it will be a kindness to the poor woman

189. Sarah Fisher: 230 Dundas Street. a most industrious widow with 4 Children. She supports them by sewing. I will recommend her Strongly for Bread & Coal

190. Catherine McDougall: 141 Victoria Street. Widow. Presbyterian. Servant. about 20 years a resident in Toronto. been relieved by the St. Andrews [Society]. unable to do more for her. She is injured in one arm. unable to do much work. Room scantily furnished but very clean & tidy

191. Annie Graham: 119 Victoria Street. husband labourer. 24. Canadian. Protestant. unable to find employment. 1 Child 13 months old

192. Thomas Jacobs: 83 Cherry Street. 61 years old. Wife 44 years. English. a Shoemaker. 4 Children. 2 Boys & 2 Girls. Henry 16 has been working up to Xmas at [dollars] 2 a week but is doing nothing now. other boy 10. 2 Girls 12, 7. husband was sick in bed when visited. could get along if he got fuel. would prefer Coke

193. Richard Boyd: 26 St. Lawrence St. 55 years of age. has been sick for 9 Months. Wife 48. 6 Children. 4 Boys. 2 Girls. James 16 working [dollars] 4 a week. Presbyterians. Recommend Bread & Sick Relief as he has been very industrious before he took sick. he says he has got as much wood as will do him for 2 Months

194. Joseph Spicer: King Street East near the Don. Cannot find him. as no one seems to know him

195. Margaret Shonton: 68 St. David Street. French. Canadian. R.C. Young & Strong. no Children living with another French

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family. say no work but expect some soon. has had work till 3 weeks ago. Seem to have plenty to eat & fuel

196. Eliza Ridler: 177 Sackville Street. See old report. English Ch of E. [Church of England] Seen [seem] in want. 5 Children. 1 Baby 3 weeks old. no work. think lazy. But at present should have some help

197. Eliza Brown: 59 Duchess Street. 32 years old. husband left her 2 Years ago. One Boy 3 years old. Cant get work. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals

198. Rachel Davis: 12 Duchess Street. 36 years old. husband 42. labourer. cant get work. 6 Children. eldest Boy 14 earning [dollars] 1 a week. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

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199. Mary Larkin: rear 114 George Street. 40 years old. husband 50. he is in the hospital. 2 Children. She cant get work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

200. Louisa Anderson: 120 Duke Street. 40 Years old. widow. cant get work. 1 Boy 16 years old. cant get work. Would Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

201. Mary Morris: rear 94 Ontario Street. 35 years old. husband 37. Painter by trade. cant get work. Recomd 6 lbs. Bread Coals once

202. Elizabeth Mackett: 33 Buchanan Street. Widow. English Ch of E. [Church of England] aged 73 years. she is helpless & wholly dependent. with no one to provide for her

203. William ^Henry^ Davis: aged 61 English Ch of E. [Church of England] 10 years in Toronto. no friends in this Country. Suffers with Chronic Rheumatism. a Painter by trade but not able to work. Recommended by Revd. A. Baldwin for admission. Doctor examined. considers Davis a case for admission. Admitted

204. Robert Burke: 70 Years of age. Irish. R.C. 27 years in Canada. 3 weeks in Toronto. from Hamilton last. has been 12 years in the Army

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205. Thomas Foster: rear 74 Lombard Street. Married man. Carpenter by trade. aged 48. English. 5 years in this Country. his wife is a Canadian. aged 27. Ch of E. [Church of England] 1 Child. Girl 5. He has been out of work but has at present work. they have not any fuel & if the Committee would think fit might grant them a few Coals although I cannot plead very much for them as I think they might get along

206. Mary McLinchy: 78 Lombard Street. Widow. aged 50. R.C. 3 Children who are at present in the Country. husband dead 4 years. Goes out to do general work & appears industrious & clean. was relieved by the House years since. Recommend the usual allowance

207. Mary Stone: 23 Richmond Street East. Same as for many years. very industrious & only requires the Coal which she has had for several years & if Mr. Duckett could send her quantity at one time it would be better

208. Ann McBride: rear 23 Queen Street East. married. aged 38. husband 63. Presbyterians. he is a Stone Cutter by trade but does not work. She says he is sick but on enquiry I find they both drink & do no work. She formerly was a rag picker. no children. I think they should get along without going to the House

209. Elizabeth Clone: 111 Richmond St East. aged 32 yrs. husband labourer aged 50. he is at present & for some time past been afflicted with a tumor in the breast & cannot do much work. Ch of E. [Church of England] 2 Children. 4, 1 years. I think they should be allowed some Bread & Coal

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210. Mary Moore: rear 78 Lombard St. an old maid of a very particular turn of mind which might be considered Insanity. She lives alone & does not wish to be seen by any person of the Masculine Gender. I could not see her but I believe her to be very destitute & has no fuel or Food. if the Committee would think it well to grant her any aid it should be sent to 76 Lombard Street where a friend lives & who assists her very much she should be considered

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Present Messrs. A.T. McCord S. Alcorn J. Jacques & W.J. MacDonell

211. Patrick OBrien: rear 11 Soho Street. Wife & one Boy aged 8 years. R.C. he is without work & his wife is very ill partly from want of Food. they are almost destitute. Recommend Sick allowance of Groceries Fuel & Bread. See Case 221 in 1879

212. James Hooper: 51 Bulwer Street. wife & 1 Boy aged 10 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] he is without work. odd jobs bringing in about 50 c [cents] per week. Recommend Fuel & Bread

213. Annie Wilson: 53 Bulwer Street. 2 Boys aged 10 & 8 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] a miserable hovel. he has no regular work but gets an odd job now & then. They are in great need. would Recommend Bread & Coal

214. Margaret Wilson: 29 Woolsley Street. a needy & worthy case. from Ireland. in Toronto 10 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband a labourer out of work. 2 Girls 7, 5, Years. recently had Whooping Cough. House poorly furnished but very clean & tidy

215. Jane Trahee: 29 Renfrew lane. 4 Children. 2 Boys 10, 9. 2 Girls 6 & one 6 Mo. husband dead. Recommend Bread & Coal

216. Mary Ann Oliver: 23 Renfrew Street. 5 Children. 1 Boy 6. Girls 13, 9, 3 & one 6 Months. husband sick. Recommend Bread & Coal

217. Ellen Healy: 28 William Street. 5 Children. 3 Boys 9, 13, 8. 2 Girls 17, 5. She has been sick for a long time. the husband has no work. the Son who was working during the Summer cannot get anything to do now. they are very poor. recommend Bread & Coal for awhile

218. Eliza Brown: rear 26 William Street. 3 Children. 1 Boy 7. 2 Girls 11, 8. husband has been sick during the summer & has no work now. Recommend Bread & Coal

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219. Eliza Urquhart: rear 76 William Street. 6 Children. 3 Boys 9, 7, 4. Girls 15, 13, 11. She has been sickly for a long time. the husband works once in awhile but does not support family. Recommend Bread & hard Coal if possible

220. Sophia Goose: 183 Centre Street. widow. Coloured. Very old. Methodist. no means of support except some assistance she gets from Elm St. Methodist Church. respectable recomd. Bread & Coal

221. Mary Carney: 43 Avenue lane. husband labourer. very old & almost past work. R.C. 2 Children. Girls 13, 11. decent people. house clean. Recommend Bread & Coal

222. Thomas Larkin: Prices lane. Have been very drunken but now trying to reform. Think case very hopeful. he & his wife are literally without anything. recommend Bread & Coal

223. Elizabeth Lever: rear 34 Centre Street. reported in Decr. of her husband. Wife & 1 Child live in a miserable room in both dirt & poverty. no doubt the man gets very little to do & they must suffer considerably. Should get some help

224. Mary Ann Kane: 40 Duchess Street. 40 years old. husband 44. gone to the Country. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread Coal once

225. Ann Tewhy: 31 Duchess Street. 55 years old. husband 72. labourer. cant get work. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coals once

226. Maria Saulter: 67 Princes Street. 47 years old. widow. living by washing. can't get work. 3 Boys. 15, 14, 12. cant get work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

227. Sarah West: 11 Walzs [Walz's] lane. 31 years old. husband 28. Baker by trade. cant get work. 4 Children. Would recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals

228. Eliza Jane Taylor: rear 17 Terauley Street. husband an Iron worker out of employ. She is a very decent woman. apparently subject to Epileptic fits. has 3 Children. one at work

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learning painting. belong Methodist Ch. her rent is over due & goods under Seizure. Recommend Bread & Fuel

229. Mary Lawrence: 20 James Street. aged 32. Canadian. Presbyterian. 9 years in Toronto. husband was a waiter on Oswego Belle. She is ill They seem very poor. think they only require temporary assistance. Recommend Bread & Fuel

230. Ellen Warwick: rear 35 Buchanan St. R.C. husband Ch of E. [Church of England] & has been blind for 3 years. 4 Children. eldest boy 19 the only dependence of the family. the woman says she is in poor health & cannot work. She does not look so. Recommend Fuel to be distributed sparingly

231. Mary Harris: 37 Emma Street. Coloured. aged 67. Widow. 1 Child & a grandchild both quite young. Says increasing age compels her to ask for help. works as much as she can. She has at present about 1/2 Ton Coal. Recommend Fuel & Bread. I don't think she will require much. her house is Comfortable & neat

232. Elizabeth Patten: 49 Walton Street. called twice to see her but she was not in. boards at a respectable looking house. landlady told me she was a quiet widow woman elderly apparently no Relations or friends. did not talk much about herself. went out working by the day 3 or 4 days in the week. If she calls again Mr. Duckett had better question her further

233. Robert Girwin: 9 Alice Street. This man had relief last winter when he was ill with inflammatory Rheumatism. has been ill again for about a month recently. is now getting about but has no work yet. Recommend him for temporary relief Fuel & Bread I think he will probably not be long out of work

234. Eliza Spring: rear 5 Emma Street. an old woman. husband aged. no family. does what work she can get. seems respectable but friendless. Irish. Presbyterian. Recommend Fuel & Bread

235. Alice Dean: rear 18 Muter Street. not at home when I called. One of the Children & next door Neighbours told me her husband was a labourer who has been out of work for 2 weeks There are

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5 Children the eldest being a boy aged 18, who is also out of work. Irish R.C. Suppose aid might be allowed for a Month

236. Jane Cullen: 39 Hope Street. Husband a blacksmith out of work. he earned something in the summer but says he cannot collect it. She is 24, husband 26. no Children. English. Eng. Ch. Recommend aid for a Month

237. Mrs. Wilson: 586 Queen Street west. tells me she did not apply & would rather not receive aid from the House

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238. Mrs. ^Ann^ Dunlop: 159 Hope Street. a case well known to the House. deserving family. recommend Bread & Coal

239. Mrs. Egles: Most Northerly house West Side of Lippincott St. Recommended 1/2 Ton Coal by Revd. Mr. Broughall

240. Mary Ann McCann: rear 18 Givens Street. husband labourer generally employed in getting out fieldstone for breaking but has been out of employment some time. Irish. out here since he was a child. Ch of E. [Church of England] 4 Children from 8 Years old down. Recommend them for some fuel at present

241. Jane Ward: 61 Cedar Street. husband a Machinist by trade. Was unfortunate in England & unable to get work for 15 weeks. Came out here with the idea he could get work at once. have only been here a few months & are destitute. they have applied to me for relief but it is impossible for me to do so they do not like the idea of getting relief from the H. of I. [House of Industry] would recommend them for Bread & Fuel for a little while till he get work

242. Annie Currie: 177 Spadina Avenue. 3 Children. boy 11, Girl 6. baby 2. has some work but not enough to support herself & family in winter. has seen nothing of her husband for 2 Years. Recommend Fuel & Bread

243. Margaret Jackson: 104 Herbert Street. widow. invalid. 1 Boy 9. An aged father living with her. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help. Recommend Bread Fuel & Groceries

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244. George Buffet: 197 Strachan Street. married. 1 Child. girl 8. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] wheelwright. 7 weeks in Toronto. has no work. Recommend Bread & Coal

245. Grace Jolly: Strachan Street. 5 Years a widow. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] Seamstress. 1 boy 5, 2 Girls 9, & 7. Children go to school. rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help. children ill. Recomd. Bread & Groceries

246. Mary Ann Oswin: 47 Strachan Street. who is not only ill herself but has a Child of 3 ill of Typhoid Fever. Recommend Groceries

247. Emily Moore: 23 Gerrard Street East. no such number the numbers goes from 5 to 61

248. Eliza Dent: 12 Lewis Street. Widow. boarding with a family that are in the house though not very well off & Cannot do anything for her. She is a decent hard working woman but cannot get anything to do. I think that you might grant her relief for a while

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249. James Laughlan: 198 Oak Street. aged 50. wife same age. they have been assisted by the House for fourteen Years. Canadians. 3 Boys. one 18, gets [dollars] 2 1/2 a week. One 14 gets [dollars] 2 a week & one 10 gets [dollars] 1 a week. Rent [dollars] 6 a month. The husband Consumptive. Asthma. go to St. Bartholomew. they have an income of [dollars] 5.50 a week. She is a Cousin of James Holden President of Whitby Port R.R. & many other friends in the Country. Give Coal once or nothing & Say that this is the last time

250. Jane Shera: 207 Sumach Street. 39 years of age. Married. Ch of E. [Church of England] Irish. 5 Children. 4 at home. 2 Boys. one 14 gets [dollars] 8 a month. one 13 gets [dollars] 6. 2 Girls 7, 6. husband a herdsman. works in Windsor for Mr. White M.P.P. has been there only 3 week. drinks. promises to assist her. she seems a Respectable woman. Give Coal once only

251. Caroline Hopper: 252 Sumach Street. A Widow. was out when I called. will visit her again & report. give her a loaf of Bread if she is there on Tuesday

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252. Annie Sherwin: 3 Symms lane. Married. 41. Ch of E. [Church of England] Irish. 2 Children. a boy 14 a Cripple. a girl a few months old. the husband works for gas Company in summer & will have work as soon as weather opens out. Wife said husband was ill part of last summer. House plants were in the house & the people keep a little dog. I am uncertain what to say in this case the Revd. Mr. Taylor sent them to the house. Say 10 bushels Coke & 4 lbs. bread for the month of Jany. Will report again

253. Elizabeth Jones: {blank} Howard Street. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 1 Boy 2 years. 2 girls 6, 4 .She is a hard working industrious woman with 3 very young children. A Supply of Coal will be of good Service

254. Mary Jane Harper: 85 Queen Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Widow aged 25. 2 Children. boys 2 & 1. eldest now sick with Measles. Recommend Coal & Bread

255. Joseph Wright: rear 285 Queen Street West. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband labourer out of employment. aged 50. Wife 49. 4 Children. Boy 8, Girls 15, 13, 10. Recommend Coal & Bread

256. Bridget OConnor: 62 Boulton Street. Irish. R.C. a widow. no Children but has a defective arm. not able to do much just now. Recommend Coal & Bread

257. Mary Chesman: 170 Adelaide Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 23 years of age. husband 24. One Child 9 Months. husband left the city 2 Months since She has not heard anything from him yet. She cant leave her baby to look for work but could do Sewing in the house if she had it to do. Recommend Coal & Bread

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258. Alice Turner: London House. her door locked & she could not be found

259. Ann Saunders: Rear 91 Ann Street. Aged 70. 1 Girl 32. 1 Adopted boy 15. boy & girl support themselves. From England 32 Years in Toronto 3 Years Ch of E. [Church of England] very respectable looking. decent clean rooms. Recommend Bread & Coal

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260. Margaret Kelly: 78 Centre Street. cannot find. must be error in the No. [number]

261. Margaret Mays: rear 90 Elizabeth Street. reported already & now receiving relief

262. Matthew Halliday: rear 34 Centre Street. Presbyterian. hus. [husband] & Wife. evidently very poor but ought to be able to make out Support. recommend Coal & Bread

263. Joanna Sweeney: rear 34 Centre Street. R C. 2 Boys 8, 4. Girl 1 year. Needs Coal & Bread

264. Sarah Aills: rear 18 Terauley Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband. very little work. Mother sick in the house with her. 2 Boys 9, 5. 1 Girl 2. Recommend Bread & Coal once

265. Hannah Raynor: 92 Elizabeth Street Ch of E. [Church of England] husband left 6 Months ago. 2 Girls 14, 11. 2 Boys 9, 7. only income [dollar] 1 a week from eldest Girl. Recommend Coal & Bread

266. Margaret Graham: 40 Centre Street. Methodist. 1 Boy 9. Recommend Coal once will answer

267. Elizabeth Welsh: rear 110 Chestnut Street. R. C. husband out of work. Boys 16, 12, 10. Girls 4. Recommend Coal once

268. Patrick Gurk: 69 Ontario Street. not in when I called or his wife either

269. Mary Chadwick: 134 Parliament Street Widow R.C. 5 Young Children 12, 10, 8, 6, 2. Boys. lost her husband 7 mos. ago leaving her with this large family to provide for. The St. V. d. P. Socy. [St. Vincent de Paul Society] have helped her so far with fuel & Bread but have told her that they could not continue to do so. If they cannot I think she ought to have assistance from the house. Say coal twice & Bread a Month or 6 weeks but I think the Society should be notified

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270. Mary Wardrobe: 15 Power Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] 4 Children. Boy 22, employed in the Safe factory but has been ill & is now out of employment. Girl 19. Was in place. at present at home ill. 2 Boys twins 17. husband was working during the Summer. none for the last 6 weeks. been badly in want of food & Fuel having to part with some of their things in order to procure food. Recommend Coal once Bread for one Month

271. John Sinclair: Lane rear 113 Berkely Street. Presbyterian. Wife & Child aged 9. husband Carpenter by trade & was doing well but met with an accident in September last which disabled him & has kept him idle ever since. Recommend Coal once & Bread if they ask for it for a Month but I think they will manage with the coal only.

272. Susannah Sanson: 44 St. David Street. Widow. 3 Children. Boys 13, 8, 6. She does washing & Scrubbing but cannot earn enough to keep her both in Fuel & Food though [through] the Winter. Recommend Coal once Bread for one Month only

273. Eliza Carrigan: 24 Frances Street. could not find her at home but on inquiry found that she & her husband had a stand in the market so I concluded that they were not very destitute

274. Dennis Murphy: 98 Jarvis Street. Same as last season & same house. See report.

275. Elizabeth Clone: 111 Richmond Street East. visited and reported on this case last week. see Report

276. John Fraser: 81 Church Street. could not find him must be a mistaken enquire

277. Sarah Kitts: rear 64 Lombard Street. Married woman who got relief from the house last Season. recommend assistance

278. Ann O'Mealey: rear 85 Lombard St. Married. aged 42. husband about 50. labourer drinks freely. got relief from House

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last year when living in Duchess Street & visited by Mr. Shea. They have 4 Children. one girl out at work & a boy out at work. Mrs. O'Mealey is considered at times to be of an unsound mind. would recommend same relief

279. Joseph Pointon: 54. England. Ch of E. [Church of England] an old case. Seeks shelter for the winter. allowed to stay till fine weather sets in

280. Maria Morse: aged 30. Says is from England about a month. had been living with a sister in Toronto with whom She could not agree & left her. has been looking for a place & had Shelter here since 1st

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January. Committee advised her to get a Situation as soon as possible as she is not a proper case for House of Industry Ch of E. [Church of England] Left 28th

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281. Thomas Travis: rear 285 Queen Street west. husband English. Ch of E. [Church of England] aged 31. labourer. wife Canadian. 1 Son aged 6. husband without work & they have no fire in the house. They require Coal & Bread

282. Bridget Muldoon: 63 1/2 Queen Street west. Irish. R. C. aged 59. husband 78. unable to work & very feeble. in much need. Recommend Coal & Bread

283. Mary Gormley: rear 21 William Street. She was out when I called & no one could tell me anything about her

284. Esther Sheppard: 5 Stafford St. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 2 girls 18, 16. out of work. Recommend Coal

285. Bridget Rogers: 126 Sackville Street. Widow. R.C. Irish. lives with daughter & son in law who have 4 children from 6 years old down to 6 weeks. 1 just died. 1 Sick. he has work at present. Recommend Coal

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286. William Richardson: 484 King Street East. Cannot be found

287. C.W. Pearse: 36 Sumach Street. cannot be found.

288. Selina Beach: 401 Queen Street East. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband away & says does not help them. Boy 13 earns [at] [dollars] 1 a week. was sick but better & 3 small children. woman seems respectable & works when possible. Recommend Coal & Bread

289. Mary Wilkinson: 117 Sumach Street. widow. R.C. 1 daughter at home says cant get work. Boy 16 who gets [dollars] 1.25 a week house duty. Think she is a professional Beggar but may be in want occasionally

290. Isabella Manuel: 76 Sumach Street. French Canadian. R.C. from Montreal 4 Months ago. clean & respectable. no work. no child. should be able to live without help, but may have temporary help.

291. Mrs. Campbell: 289 Wilton Avenue. See old report. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] daughter at home. very clean & respectable & hard working. Recommend Coal & Bread
292. Alice Connolly: in rear 289 Wilton Avenue. R.C. husband out of work. no Children. only pay [dollars] 1.50 for rooms. should be able to manage without help except occasional strait.
293. Sarah Jordan: 27 Bulwer Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband aged & out of work. 3 children. 2 Boys 18, 16, & girl 14. The boys have lately got work in a foundry. they are in distress for fuel. Recommend Coal
294. William Ashburn: 67 Lumley Street. a farm labourer who arrived 6 weeks ago from England. cannot get work. no children. his wife expects very shortly to be confined. Recommend temporary aid, say for a month & groceries when his wife is ill if he be not in work at that time Ch of Eng.

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295. Annie Fieldcamp: 15 Stafford Street. 6 Children 2 to 12 yrs. Recommend the above applicant to be supplied with Coal.
296. John F. Johnstone: 427 Adelaide St. West. English. Methodist. Married. 5 Children. 4 Boys aged 16, 12, 10, 8. One girl 5. he is a teacher of Music also school teacher but can get very little employment so that they are very destitute. need both fuel & food. I shall be glad if Coal & Bread can be granted to them & as they seem very respectable people it would be a kindness to make the full grant of Coal at once & send it in the Cart from the yard.
297. Ellen Holland: rear 454 Adelaide Street west. Irish. husband left her about 2 years ago. 2 children. girl 11. boy 8. is not very well. can get on pretty well during summer but in winter need assistance Recommend Coal & Bread
298. Mary McGrath: 323 Adelaide Street west. Irish. Widow or rather grass widow. husband away since May 1879. one Boy 18. one girl 8. boy not doing anything at present. I am informed that Mrs. McGrath is conducting herself much more satisfactorily than formerly living both industrious & sober. perhaps a little encouragement might do her good & strengthen her desires to keep right
299. Elizabeth Dorgan: 446 King Street west. a respectable English woman. widow. 1 Child. complains of the difficulty of meeting expences. has a son at work at the Reaper Mower Factory
300. Elizabeth Bridgeman: rear 19 Centre Street Ch of E. [Church of England] husband absent looking for work. Boys 12, 10. Girls 3, 1. Seem very poor & should have Coal & Bread
301. Betsy Beatty: 30 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] lives alone. absent when your visitor called. learned she has nobody to support but herself & should make out without any help

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302. Maggie Brown: rear 95 Elizabeth St. husband & herself. young & strong without Children and they should not need any help

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303. John Howie: 24 Terauley Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Sailor. not employed. wife in bed for some time. seem very destitute. they should get Groceries Coal & Bread

304. George Edwards: 72 Elizabeth Street. Colored. seems unable to work. suffering from debility. wife & one Girl 9. Should be helped to Coal & Bread

305. Elizabeth Elliott: 62 Louisa Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Widow. Boy 14. idle for some weeks but now employed at a small sum. 1 girl 13 at home. she gets a little sewing. Recommend Coal & Bread for a Month

306. William Sherwood: 13 Tate Street. aged 28. Wife 28. 3 Children 4, 3, & 6 Months. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. out of work for 6 weeks. Children have been sick. Recommend him for Coal & Bread

307. Mary Ann Hadley: 88 Eastern Avenue. Widow. 46. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 1 Boy 13. She works a little herself when she can get it. Recommend usual quantity Coal & Bread

308. Mary McDonald: 102 Eastern Avenue. Widow. aged 43. English. R.C. in Toronto 35 years. 2 Children 1 Boy 1 Girl. no income but what little she earns herself by washing & scrubbing. Recommend Coal & Wood

309. Robert Winton: 59 McCaul Street. he is a copyist & has been out of employ for some time. the family consists of wife & daughter. Seem worthy of some help

310. John Williams: 197 Strachan Street. Married. Irish. R.C. one child Boy Aged 8 years. Sickly. Recommend Coal & Bread

311. Sarah Lockhart: rear 47 Edward Street. have visited this woman again & investigated her case more full. I find that she seems to be a decent woman & requires assistance. She has a son aged 32, who should support her but does not. Recomd. Bread & Coal

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312. Mary Bradley: 33 Colbourne Street up stairs. See report 2nd Jany. 1879. 5 children. eldest girl at Service. Recommend Coal & 8 lbs. Bread

313. John Gardiner: 10 Sydenham lane. Methodist. widower. 3 Children. 2 Sons. 1 daughter. is a blacksmiths assistant. has been out of work seven weeks. eldest boy works in a biscuit factory gets a dollar sometimes a little more a week. daughter takes care of the house. appears very respectable man. only asks for a little Bread & some Soup occasionally. I would Recommend him for Bread for a Month

314. William Pellett: 10 Sydenham lane. Ch of E. [Church of England] 5 young Children. eldest 9 youngest 1 week. he has been out of work for some time. Recommend them for Bread for a Month & Mrs. Pellett who was only confined a week ago should be allowed a little Tea, Sugar & Oatmeal

315. Mary Ann Ryan: rear 23 Queen St. East. Aged 36 yrs. husband 48. labourer. 6 Children. eldest 14, Youngest 8 mos. came here from Kingston in June last. R.C. Irish. Husband got very little work since they came there. they appear deserving & might be allowed Coal & Bread

316. Mary Hedge: rear 23 Queen St. East. aged 47. husband 51. labourer & at times works at lasting boots. 6 Children. 1 Boy the eldest out at work for which he receives [dollars] 1.50 a week. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 15 Years in the Country. Some of the Children are Sickly. Recommend Coal & Bread

317. Joseph Kerr: 24 Frances Street. aged 57. husband is Paralysed & wife a sickly person. no Children & both unable to work. got some relief last year when they lived in South Park St. Scotch. Ch of E. [Church of England] think they require assistance & would recommend them to the favourable Consideration of the Committee

318. Eliza Carrigan: 24 Frances St. visited again & find that she has had an arm broken. aged 45. husband stands in the Market & sells a few things but cannot do much as he is blind of an eye. got relief once from the House in the shape of Coal

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Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] have one son who works for Mr. Taylor & gives them a little help. a little assistance might be given

319. Margaret Connor: 66 Conway St. widow of 14 years. 7 years in Toronto. R.C. Irish. 1 Son 19. out of work. 1 Girl at service. Rooms decent. habits orderly. Recommend Fuel & Bread

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320. Philip Bert: 104 Boulton Street English Ch of E. Wife presbyn. aged 29. husband 43. 3 Children 2 Girls 8, 5. 1 Boy 3 husband has a wooden leg & cant very well follow his trade of Cab driving Wife works but that is Scarce Recommend Coal & Bread

321. {blank} Ellis: 104 Boulton Street. was not at home. the Neighbours say she is a hard working woman when she can get it to do. husband left her above a year since & has never returned. 2 Children 4, 2 years. Recommend Coal & Bread

322. Alice McKenna: 66 Boulton Street. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 45. 2 Boys 15, 12. She says the eldest received injury at the Grand Opera House fire. he has recovered but not working yet. Recommend Coal & Bread.

323. Catherine Cowan: 73 Boulton Street Irish R.C. Widow. aged 53. She says she has poor health also. her family can provide for themselves Recommend Coal & Bread

324. Mary Ann Travis: Rear 285 Queen Street west. was recommended last week for Bread & Coal

325. Matilda Wright: 283 1/2 rear Queen Street west. she says she had Bread from the House & was expecting Coal. her husband is a Brick maker. English. 4 Children. 3 Girls 12, 10, 8. Boy 7. she expects not to be long troublesome if work springs up for him

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326. Mary Deane: 19 Simcoe Terrace. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. aged 29. Wife 26. one child 18 Months old. they had very little only a few small bits of wood. the remainder they received from the John Street lady who sent me the name. The wife said her husband was away at Yorkville looking for work & if he was successful she thought he would not trouble the House but if not they would only want some Coal

327. Catherine McConnell: 103 Strachan Avenue. Catholic. one Child at home. Recommend Coal

328. Catherine Moore: Walnut Avenue. Eng. Church. 2 Children. 4 & 2. years of age. Recommend Coal & Bread

329. Frederick Bell: 93 Claremont Street. widow. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] bricklayer. 9 years in Toronto. 3 Boys 16, 9, 7. eldest been out of work. 3 Girls 15, 13, 6. Want of work cause of this application. Rooms decent. habits orderly. Recommend Fuel to be given

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330. Mary Gormley: rear 21 William Street. an old woman not able to work. she says she has a son about 20 who is sickly & cannot work. Recommend Bread & Coal
331. Margaret Allan: rear 28 William Street. no one of that name living there
332. Mary McGuire: rear 24 Centre Street. R.C. husband labourer out of work. 1 Boy 4 years of age. in very poor circumstances. Recommend Bread & Coal
333. Mary Rowe: 93 Centre Street. Colored. works at Tobacco factory when sober. 2 Children 5 & 2. Recommend Coal once at most
334. Ellen Smith: 73 Centre Street. Two or Three families live together & it is reported drink when they get any money. 2 Children 10, 5 at home. dont deserve much
335. Ann Dunn: 19 Centre St. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband old & feeble. children married & no help. need Coal only

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336. Mrs. Murray: 25 Chestnut St. absent when your visitor called
337. George Ford: 19 Centre Street. widower. Ch of E. [Church of England] Children in England. out of work for two months. wants Coal only
338. Jane Todd: rear 135 Centre Street. widow. 7 Children all away from home except 3 aged 16, 12, 7. Girls. very good reason why children do not help her. Think worthy. wants Coal & a loaf & half of Bread to assist which I recommend
339. Mary Lacy: rear 56 Emma Street. man aged 38 & wife. no family. man suffering with cancer & week [weak] lungs. has recently come out of the hospital. been an invalid for 2 years. Canadian. Ch of E. [Church of England] woman gets a little by washing. work Slack. would Recommend for Fuel & Bread
340. Susanna Randolph: 33 Emma Street. Coloured. widow. 2 Children. eldest boy 14. complains that she does not get enough work to keep herself. Recommend Fuel
341. Jane Dance: 47 Emma Street. Man Wife & 3 Children. been 3 Month in the City. labourer no work. family seem respectable. have never had to make an appeal before for Charity. Recommend Fuel & Bread
342. Mary Ann Soper: 224 Terauley Street. man wife & 4 children. eldest Boy 10. English. only 7 weeks in the Country. printer & painter by trade. She has 2 children with whooping cough. he has been a Ships Steward. made a little money & went into business in Eng. [England] & failed. came out in consequence

having heard very favourable reports of Toronto from an Emmigration agent. These people are evidently in great distress. respectable. Recommend for Fuel & Bread

344. William Warren: 52 Agnes Street. no one of this name either in Front or Rear

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345. Catherine Brown: 13 Soho Street. 3 Children. 2 Girls 12, 8 & boy 5 yrs. her mother aged 70 lives with her. I consider them very respectable & worthy of the help they need. Recommend Fuel

346. James Robinson: 54 Hackney Street. aged 39. Painter. Ch of E. [Church of England] born in India. the Son of a British Soldier, came to Canada when a lad. Wife Annie native of the U. S. 1 Boy about 7. The family appears most respectable but very much reduced in Circumstances arriving principally from the husband suffering from diseased shin bones of many years standing. Strongly Recommend assistance for the present in the shape of Fuel. It may be that help in the way of Food will be required ere long

347. Alexander Hall: 98 Ann Street. aged 25. Wife & 2 Children. 1 girl 3, 1 Boy 1 year. English. a year in Toronto. he is a marble polisher by trade. had his arm broken. getting better. poor but decent looking people. is going to remove tomorrow to 42 Hayden Street. recommend Bread & Coal

348. Emma Todd: 147 Victoria Street. husband Joseph aged 30. English. Protestant. 19 years in Toronto. Painter. out of Employment. appear to be very respectable & very clean. from enquiry learn that she is steady. Was confined this morning 19th & in much need at present of Firing. 3 Girls & the baby. oldest 5 years

349. Mary Ann Murphy: 69 Victoria. have called twice. out at work. will report when I see her

350. Margaret Farrell: 116 George Street. Single. no relief recommended

351. Ann Salisbury: 89 Sumach Street. husband bricklayer. Ch of E. {Church of England} 5 Children. eldest 9. no work but he expects some soon. they have Coal enough for a week But want Food. none in the house when I got there. house clean & tidy. Recommend Bread & Coal if necessary. Think it possible the man drinks occasionally like most Englishmen of that Class. Refers for Character to Mr. Cole Yonge St. & Mr. Crookshank

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352. Thomas Herbert: 91 Sumach Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Recommended to visitor by Dr. De Grassi who is attending Mrs. H. for breaking of a blood vessel. She is a very respectable looking woman. looks ill. house clean. 3 children. eldest boy 17. no work. husband a bricklayer. has had trouble. lost 9 Children. about 9 years from England. has some Coal for the present. Recommended Bead occasionally.

353. Francis Allan: 116 Sydenham Street. See old report. widower. Several Small Children. Says is out of Fuel & no money to buy any. might have a trifle

354. Emily Moore: 23 Gerrard Street east Parliament St. she is a very doubtful character. her proper name is Kelly so I found from a neighbour. She stated to one that her husband was very bad with consumption but I found out from a neighbour that he is not ill at all. She is dirty. looks bad. the room very poor in appearance. She is only 24. married. Canadian. Ch of E. [Church of England] attends she says All Saints. her husband is only 27 & both born in Toronto. They have only 1 Child. I could not recommend anything

355. Mary Parks: 33 Gerrard Street east Parliament St. married. 40 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] Scotch. husband labourer. boys 15, 12, 7, 2 yrs. girls 10 & 5. her mother lives with them. She said that they received aid last year on Mr. O'Brien's recommend. the Children have had the measles but are all well now. the house looks well & they are all comfortable. if anything is done nothing more than 5 bushels Coke & only once. They are in no need as far as I could see. Mrs. Parks was proposing to make arrangements to take in Mrs. Potts if she (Mrs. Potts) were assisted by the house but not otherwise

356. Ann Potts: 33 Gerrard Street east Parliament Street. She was not in when I called. Mr. Duckett knows Mrs. Potts well. her husband is in the House now. could not recommend her case

357. William Shannon: 34 Bell Street .no such man to be found on Bell Street

358. John Todd: 3 Symms lane. I visited but will report when satisfied that is [his] Church will not undertake his case

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359. Annie Sherwin: 2 Symms lane. If anything has been given to her discontinue for he has work now & drinks. he is not in need of aid

360. Eliza Spencer: Symms lane. could not be found

361. Charlotte Wright: Kingston Road. her husband cannot get any work and is also very feeble. I shall have to recommend them for assistance again this year

362. Edward Farrell: 67. Ireland. Presbyterian. an old resident in Toronto. worked for some years for Corporation. his wife & family live away from him & he has no home. Recommended by Mr. Alderman Flemming for admission, Admitted but must strictly conform with the rules of the house and make himself useful

363. James Smith: aged 75. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 41 years in Toronto. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Williams for admission during winter months. Admitted with understanding that he make himself general useful

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364. Emma Johnson: rear 46 Edward Street. husband very ill with liver complaint, dying soon probably. one child. She has been helped a little by the Rine [temperance] Club. would recommend that she gets Bread and Fuel

365. Elizabeth Reed: rear 157 Centre Street. widow. 4 Children. eldest married. others working except girl 14. Boy 9 years. hard working respectable woman. needs assistance. would Recommend Bread & Coal

366. Annie Flinn: rear 204 Chestnut Street. husband labourer. emigrants just out without work helpless. seem respectable Recommend Bread & Coal

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367. Jane Willis: 11 Christopher Street. widow. 5 Children all in Homes except baby in arms. respectable hard working woman. Recommend Bread & Coal

368. Annie Flinn: 77 Gerrard Street west. husband & 3 infant Children. Irish. only 7 weeks in the Country. woman confined 4 days before leaving Liverpool has had a hard time of it. husband a British Pensioner gets his next pension in July. Seems respectable. Recommend for Fuel & Bread

369. Cornelia Garrison: rear 45 Emma Street. Coloured. husband & 3 Children. eldest about 4 years old. husband a whitewasher. has had a Severe Cold for last two weeks. Wife says he can get no work. Recommend them for Fuel Sparingly

370. Sarah Thompson: 43 Emma Street. Coloured. husband deserted her about 12 years ago. has no family. says she is not in strong health. seems respectable. Recommend Fuel

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371. Catherine Hardiman: rear 34 Centre Street. R.C. already reported. a hard case. She has an old husband & 1 Child 11 years old. no doubt she is very poor & brought much of the poverty upon herself but owing to the Recommendation from Mrs. Wm. Bedford would propose that she should get some Coal & Bread

372. Thomas Woods: 40 Centre Street. R.C. old man alone lives with a family receiving help from the House. he might be allowed a loaf

373. Jane Atkins: Prices lane 3rd house north of Edward St. absent at work. Separated from her husband. has a son able to keep her. cannot recommend her

374. Rachel May: 157 Adelaide St. west. Canadian. Methodist. aged 30. one son 10 years old. husband has forsaken her. she dont know where he is. has been intirely blind for 2 years. for the last year seeing a little glimmer of light She goes out trying to sell pins Needles [etc.] her little son leading her

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if you could send her the Coal without her having to go before the Committee you will confer a great favor on the poor blind woman as she is destitute. I neglected to ask her about bread but I should think wanted that also

375. Ellen Gallagher: 33 Garrison Street. 4 Children. 1 Boy 14 Girls 9, 5, 2. her husband has no work. the boy was working with the farmers during the summer but has nothing to do now. she is in great need & well deserving. Recommend Bread & Coal

376. Harriett Huff: Rear 88 William Street. 5 Children. 2 Boy 9, 3. 3 Girls 17, 14, 11. the Children are Sickly. the husband has no work. Recommend Bread & Coal

377. Caroline Walsh: rear 26 William Street. She seems to have no place of residence. I cannot recommend her

378. Ellen Ashton: 35 Bulwer Street. Reported this case last month with a view to her getting bread regularly. will you be good eno' to supply her & Child & as her daughter is now ill & has been Sick for two weeks. I recommend Sick allowance

379. Albert Grange: 4 Goulding Street. aged 42. Wife aged 37. he is very ill. unable to work. apparently falling into decline. 4 Children. 3 Boys 8, 7, 3. 1 Girl 1 2/3 yrs. The wife is delicate not able to support the family. occasional assistance is Received from Friends. seemingly respectable & deserving. They are English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Recommend Bread & Coal

380. Theresa Dundreary: rear 142 Portland St. Italian. Ch of Rome. Widow. in Toronto 12 years. 1 Girl 12 years. can get on very well in Summer but in winter not able to get Sufficient work. Recommend Coal & Bread

381. Emma Bond: 22 Conway Street. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Harrison for the usual Sick allowance of groceries to be given her during the illness of her daughter

382. Maria Bays: rear 62 Tecumseth Street Ch of E. [Church of England] has one

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girl 5 years old. recommend Coal & Bread.

383. Eliza Walker: 35 Garrison Street. 2 children. Boy & Girl 8 & 11 years old. Recommend Coal & Bread.

384. Sarah Sloper: lane in rear 33 Seaton Street. 40 years old. husband 52. Soldier. no family. cant get work. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once.

385. Margaret Hughes: rear 93 Jarvis Street. 26 years old. husband 38. labourer. cant get work. wife does washing and scrubbing when she can get it. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once.

386. John Murphy: 238 Sydenham lane. Husband. wife & 5 Children at home. husband a weakly man works at a boarding house for 2 hours in the morning for which he gets his breakfast & [dollars] 4 a month. Mrs. M. scrubs washes, [etc.] but with 5 children at home all young they cannot make enough to keep them in food & fuel for the winter. Recommend them for Coal once. Bread for a month.

387. Elizabeth Osburn: lane in rear 94 Ontario Street. I propose making further enquiries about this case but in the meantime I would recommend them to be allowed Bread & Soup for a week.

388. Martha Avann: Rear 14 St. Paul Street. Widow. 1 Son 22. 1 daughter married not living with her. 1 girl 10 years old. She scrubs, washes [etc.] & the Son attends Plasterers. [etc.] He has been out of work since the fall & she only gets an occasional days work. The son shovels snow or any other odd jobs he can get but they have no means of getting Fuel & I believe are really in want. Recommend Mrs. Avann for Coal once & Bread for a Month. Recomd. by Hon. G.W. Allan.

389. Martha Avann: rear 14 St. Paul St. Widow 4 years. Daughter married to man working at Copp Clark & Co. as a binder. says they do not help her. Son aged 22 at work gets [dollars] 2 a week. has also 1 little girl. Seems clean & respectable but ought not to be destitute under the circumstances. might have a supply of Coke. Recomd. By Mr. O'Brien.

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390. Mary Patterson: rear 65 Sackville Street. husband & 2 children. She says she takes in sewing & he works occasionally at Berkeley's feed store. Staying with an Aunt. Don't fancy in actual want. There is an hard crowd in this block. I will try and find out more.

391. John Todd: 3 Symms [Syme's] lane. 32. Married. both wife & he born in Quebec. Methodist. 1 Boy 5 Months. A Strong Young active man in summer works for gas Corp. Give 10 or 15 bushels Coke as he is out of work just now & a loaf with her home. They said that they will not trouble us again.

392. Ann Horan: 15 Eastern Avenue. Widow. 50 years old. 2 daughters. Annie 19. Bridget 17. None working. Irish. in Canada 25 years. R.C. Recommend Coal & Bread.

393. Mary Kelly: 16 Eastern Avenue. Aged 40. husband James 45. 3 Children. John 15. Jane 13. Ellen 11. 2 youngest going to school. none of them working. cannot get anything to do. Irish. R.C. in Toronto 22 years. Recommend them Coal & Bread.

394. Annie Arnold: rear 8 Sackville Street. aged 45. Jacob 70. 3 Children. 2 Boys & 1 girl 14. works when she can get it. Henry 11. Alfred 8. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] in Toronto 30 years. Recommend them for Bread & Coal.

395. Marian Smith: 22 Sackville Street. has moved months ago. to be found on Sumach St. St. Davids Ward.

396. John Joy: 36 Willow Street. 4 Young Children and some of them sick with measles & no doctor attending them. husband can't get anything to do from what I can see. I should advise you to give relief. She would prefer getting Bread as they have Coal.

397. James Wyatt: aged 49. Ch of E. [Church of England] English. has been living in the States & Canada 10 Years. last from Montreal. in Toronto 3 months. The man is blind. his wife is at present in Genl. Hospital with brain Fever. Mr. Pell applied for Wyatts Admission, being destitute & a stranger in Toronto. Admitted. Left Febr. 10th.

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Present Messrs. E. Hobson. J.W. Drummond & W.J. MacDonell

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398. Maria Burchett: 2 Downeys lane off Louisa St. husband a painter out of work. has hurt himself. Think they only require a little temporary relief. Would recommend that they get Bread & Fuel for a Month.

399. Margaret Manning: 84 Louisa Street. Absent, but learned she keeps the neighbours disturbed by drunken sprees. don't think her worthy of help.

400. Ann McFarlane: 73 Edward Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] 1 Child. 2 years. husband rather sickly & out of work & think deserving of some Coal & Bread.

401. Collin Crombie: 56 Elizabeth Street. Presbyterian. Barber earning about [dollars] 2 a week. only self & wife. cannot need much assistance. Coal once.

402. George White: 147 Centre Street. Gardiner [gardener]. Scotch. Presbyterian. 6 Children. eldest 7. Respectable appearance. Man been sick with ague & exhausted his means & can get no work at present. need assistance. Recommend Bread & Coal.

403. Harriett Van Lint: {blank} Centre Street. 2 Children. have got on without assistance so far but now needs Coal. Worthy case. Recommend Coal.

404. Ellen Cullerton: 48 Walton Street. Widow. R.C. 3 Children. dependent on her grown up Son & daughter aged 16. not living with her. the son pays her rent. The daughter apparently does not get on with her mother. will not go out to service. The house is dirty. the woman seems willing to work, she gets a days work occasionally. recommend them for Fuel & a little Bread.

405. James Andrews: 29 St. Charles Street. I cannot recommend any assistance to be given.

406. William Sample: 19 Simcoe Terrace. Irish. Wife English. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband aged 33. Wife 24 years. baby 2 Months. husband out of Employment. labour. Recommend Coal & Bread.

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407. Mary Ann Clark: 32 Richmond Street west. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband. Primitive Methodist. he is a painter out of employment a long time. willing to take any kind of work. came from England in June last. husband aged 31. Wife 32. 2 Children. Girls 6 1/2 & {1}. Recommend Coal & Bread.

408. Mary O'Leary: 30 Richmond St. west. Irish. R.C. Aged 32. husband 28. 3 Children. Girls 3 1/2. 2. Boy baby one week old. husband Porter out of Employment. Recommend Coal & Bread & sick allowance once.

409. Alice Turner: London House. Door locked. A neighbour said she had not been in her room since last week. I do not know the truth of that of course. she was not there.

410. {blank} Boyce: London House. out at work. Door locked.

411. Catherine Madden: Rear 256 Queen Street West. Ch of E. [Church of England] no family. husband has been out of work & cannot get any at present. She is disabled having a hand paralyzed. would Recommend Fuel & Bread.

412. Elizabeth Hart: Rear 256 Queen Street west. living with her Son. aged 10. Mrs. H. Is a most worthy, respectable person but in great need from want of work. She lately moved from Dundas St. to where she is now. I have given her some help but she needs fuel & regular supply of Bread. Recommend Bread & Fuel.

413. Andrew Steen: 7 Hackney Street. aged 28. Sailor. Presbyterian. Wife aged 41. Canadian. 4 Children by previous marriage. Boy 18. Girls 18. 9. 5. eldest girl lame. house warm & comfortable. Children well dressed & apparently well fed. There was little appearance of want. Came from Port Hope 3 Months ago. had little or no work since. Wife had been unable to work from a swollen leg. she is now getting better. Temporary relief in the shape of Fuel & Bread might not be ill bestowed.

414. Elizabeth King: 24 Conway St. married. R.C. both Irish. Waiter. 1 month in Toronto. 2 boys 7. 3. 3 Girls 11. 9 & baby. rooms decent but bare. habits orderly. no other help. children ill. Recommend Fuel & Bread.

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415. Richard Levell: Queen St. West. rear 1st house West Lisgar Street. I beg to report he has a wife & 3 daughters. eldest 12. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 20 years out. is a labourer & has worked on the sewers but is out of employment. looks a feeble & partially deaf old man. got some help from House last winter. he does not ask for fuel at present but would be thankful for Bread. I Recommend him for some bread.

416. Henry Elliott: Dundas Street. already reported. he finds it impossible to get work. he has had some fuel. I would recommend him now for some bread.

417. James Holt: 120 Duke Street. Can't find him.

418. Henry Moore: 115 Sumach Street. husband has no work. 1 young child. they are respectable people. She expects her confinement soon. appears to be without food. please do something for her. she might also have some Groceries. Recommended by Mr. O'Brien.



419. Mary Wilkinson: 117 Sumach Street. I have made further enquiries among the neighbours as to this woman & they give her a good character & deserving of help. She has no means of support except her boy whose wages are too small to do more than pay the rent. Think She ought to have Coal & Bread during winter.

420. Nancy Oster: 117 Sumach Street. Presbyterian. Canadian. labourer. 2 small children. both strong & well but complains of no work. house clean. both sober. If they say they are really in absolute need should recommend Coal & Bread or whichever most needed until he gets work.

421. Eliza Haines: 87 Sumach Street. widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] 7 Children. Boy 14 gets about [dollars] 4 a week. 1 Girl at Service. 5 small children. house clean & woman respectable. Recommend Coal & Bread during winter.

422. Eliza Spencer: Symes Lane. married. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband a mason. 5 Children. 3 Boys 10. 5. 3. 2 Girls 7. 1 1/2 yrs. husband out of work since Xmas. House clean. they seem respectable. Children go to school. the boy had a pair of skates. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread, Soup & 10 bushels Coke. the man can get it home. Bread for a Month.

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423. Hannah Badkins. Kingston Road. Very badly off with 5 small children. Recommend relief.

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424. James Ryan: 42 William Street. an old man. cannot work. Recommend Bread & Coal.

425. Margaret Allan. rear 26 William Street. 2 Children. boy 10. Girl 7. husband is an old man & has no work. Recommend Bread & Coal.

426. Annie Archer: 6 Renfrew lane. an old woman living with her daughter who already receives assistance from the House. Recommend Bread. And Coal if she was alone.

427. Phoebe Gibbons: 26 Bulwer St. Husband & 5 Children. Girl 24 imbecile & helpless. boy 17. boy 12. Girl 8. husband has been ill for 21 months & unable to work or earn money in that time. he has with his sons help earned perhaps [dollars] 5. The mother has continually to stay with & watch her eldest daughter. Owing to her husbands illness being in the lungs she cannot burn Coal at all as it aggravates the disease. She has been all along receiving help from the Church but it is far from sufficient. It is one of

those cases in which I think the House ought to arrange to send a little wood. If that is asking more than a deserving case should ask under the circumstances a larger allowance of bread might be afforded. I recommend both.

428. Julia Tye: 6 Conway Street. Married. English. Ch of Eng. husband bricklayer. 9 years in Toronto. 1 Boy 3. 3 Girls 12. 6. 1 1/2. 3 girls at Service. Rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help. Recommend Fuel & Bread.

429. Emma Hutchinson: 100 Oxford St. husband has been out of regular employment for a long time & can now get very little to do. has 3 Children. eldest Girls 5 years. Sick with

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Measles & Whooping Cough. a steady respectable woman. very poor. a Canadian. Recommend usual Aid.

430 Patrick McGahey: 23 Clyde Street. 21 years old. wife about the same age. no children. young hearty people only about 6 weeks out from Ireland. cannot get work. R.C. Recommend Aid for a few weeks.

431. Eliza Fitzgerald: 58 Muter Street. aged 26. was sick most of last Summer. husband R.C. Machinist out of work for nearly 3 months. there are 5 Children at home. 1 being with the Grandmother. Seemingly deserving of a little aid. born in States. husband R.C. Recommend Coal.

432. Margaret McBride: Lippincott St. 4th house South Bloor. Called about 10 A.M. but could not get in. neighbours said they were in bed but woman told me in the evening that she was out of work & her husband was also out in search of employment which he cannot procure. latter said to be indolent. 2 little Children. This case left to the Committee.

433. Elizabeth Adamson: 139 Hope Street. a widow. aged 42. has 6 Children of whom 5 are at home & 1 in Service, a Son aged 17 is learning a trade. She sews skirts & does a little nursing occasionally. not able for any hard work. respectable & deserving. Scotch. Presbyterian. Recommend Coal & Bread.

434. Mary Duggan: 104 George Street. 19 years old. husband died on 27th. 2 young Children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

435. Elizabeth Daubreville: 127 Queen Street east up Stairs. 64 years. Widow. one Son in consumption. labourer not able to work. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

436. Margaret Riley: Walzs [Walz's] lane. Can't find her.

437. Emma Trainor: Rear 157 Ontario Street. husband & Wife. 1 Boy 16. husband out of work. wife out of work. also she had a long illness in the Autumn which exhausted all their

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Savings & now with the difficulty in getting work they are unable to get on without some assistance in the shape of Fuel. the boy is employed as a messenger boy and is earning [dollars] 3 a week. The woman appeared to be a very respectable person. Recommend Coal once.

438. Mrs. Johnson: 24 Reids lane. Could not find any such person.

439. John L. Jones: 484 King Street East. Wife. no Children. Coloured. Baptist. aged 74 & 55. very respectable & clean. have been in better circumstances. have been selling a few goods on commission for Mrs. O'Mally, Queen St. but nothing to be sold. Jones is ill with heart disease & unfit to work. She is clean & smart. say they have neither food nor fuel. Recommend Coal & Bread at present. if further enquiries are satisfactory. Should have help during winter.

440. Mary Ann Hamblin: 287 Wilton Avenue. If she calls. let her have something for pressing necessities and I will report further.

441. Henry Moore: 115 Sumach Street & Wife already reported. seem very decent couple. She expects Confinement Shortly. in want of Coke & Bread. I hope to get him a job of work. presently recommend Coke & Bread for the present.

442. Mary Duggan: 72 Trinity Street. in much need of bread & fuel as they had neither in the house when visited. They have never applied for relief from any person before. They feel their position very keenly. he has not had any work for 2 Months & no prospect of getting any. She is 27 years old. husband 28. 2 Children. 5 & baby 7 months. Irish. R.C. in Toronto 4 years & seem to be very worthy of relief.

443. Hannah Barlow:) &

444. Louisa Hibbard:)

Both inmates of this house. quarrelled & finished with blows. after strict investigation it was found that one, was as much in fault as the other. Committee advised them to try & live in

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peace with one another. and if they have any complaints. to Report to Superintendant.

445. Elizabeth Copples: rear 7 Camden Street. is a respectable woman. Canadian. Married 4 Children. 3 boys under 10. 1 girl under 10. husband is an upholsterer but has not been able to get regular employment & so has fallen behind. Recommend Coal.

446. Marcella Ryan: a widow aged 63. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 23 years in Toronto. at present without a home. seeks shelter for a few days. ^Left March 1st.^

447. Clara Wyatt: wife to James Wyatt in case 397. came today. February 2nd to take her husband out. says he will be admitted into the Incurable Hospital.

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448. Eliza Thompson: aged 50. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] Known at the house for some years. a professional beggar. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Cayley for admission. allowed to remain in Casual for a time. ^Left April 18.^

449. Johanna O'Mealey: 70 Elizabeth Street. R.C. unable to work much on account of disabled knee. no Children. boards with a family. needs Bread only.

450. Maria Smith: Rear 110 Terauley Street. Wesleyan. Widow. Sick in bed. Girls 16. 12. 9. 8. Boys 15. 9. The two eldest earning about [dollars] 4 a week but the Mother being so poorly is not sufficient. Recommend Groceries once & Coal.

451. Sarah Rose. 58 Chestnut Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] Has a room with a family but unable to pay. rather weakly. not able for much work. Recommend Groceries once & Bread.

452. J. Pearin: 200 Sumach Street. no such person at the above address.

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453. Emma Benzinger: 203 Chestnut Street. German. Lutheran. husband Carpenter fell from scaffold & hurt himself seriously. only just out of Hospital but unfit for work. 2 children. eldest 4. Woman about to be confined. house perfectly clean but very scantily furnished. people in great need. are steady Respectable & worthy. Recommend Bread. Coal & Sick allowance.

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454. Harriett Beck: 46 Edward Street. man & wife. no family. young & active man. a Stove Moulder has not worked at his trade for some time. No work since fall. neighbours say man does not bear a very good Character. was told he way [was] lazy & sometimes drank. says they have a large quantity of old ties from the Street R'way [railway]. recommend them for Bread. I don't think they need Fuel.

455. Margaret Daly: rear 80 Claremont Street. Married. R.C. Irish. labourer. 7 years in Toronto. no Children. rooms decent. habits. orderly. no other help. Recommend Bread & fuel.

456. Mary Green: 78 Little Adelaide Street. Irish. R.C. 27 years in Toronto. lives by washing & Scrubbing. Children Married. room poor but clean. habits clean. Wants some Coal.

457. Elizabeth Watson: 584 King Street West. Methodist. Irish. 2 months in Toronto. from Wallon. 2 Boy. 2 yrs. & 1 9 days. 1 Girl 4 1/2 yrs. Clean if she had the means. her husband has left her. one child ill with measles. the youngest is dying. Wants Coal & Bread & nourishment for sick children which I recommend.

458. Alice Smith: rear 32 St. Albans Street. applied for relief some time back but did not require it as her husband had in the meantime obtained work. Would Recommend the usual help to her & family. 3 Small Children. one down with the measles. the others likely to follow. They are very deserving of help.

459. Eliza Irwin: 323 Adelaide Street West. widow. 2 Children 7. 2 1/2. R.C. Not able to get regular employment. would Recommend Coal & Bread.

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460. Lizzie Whitmore: 323 Adelaide Street West. Nova Scotian. Presbyn. husband a labourer. has not been able to get regular employment since he came here & so have fallen behind. Seem respectable people. one child 2 Years. Recommend Coal once 600 lbs.

461. Elizabeth Copples: rear of Camden St. Canadian. Ch of E. [Church of England] Married. 4 Children. 3 Boys under 10. 1 girl under 10. husband an upholsterer not able to get regular employment. Recommend Bread & Coal once.

462. Susan Highly: Dundas Street. 8 Children. 6 at home. Husband English. 8 years out. Ch of E. [Church of England] 1 year in Toronto. a Carpenter by trade but out of work & ill with dysentery. lived last year in Claremont St. and got help from House. Recommend Some Bread & Fuel. They are using their last wood now.

463. Mary Gormley: rear William Street. This case was visited by Revd. Mr. Laurent & recommended for fuel & Bread. I (Revd. McCayly) wish to add my recommendation to his & hope that the weekly Committee will grant the relief needed. The case has been know [known] to me for 5 years. formerly Mrs. G. drank. I cannot learn that during the past year & a half she has been otherwise than sober &

steady. She has a son who is in Consumption, has lost one eye. the other continually ailing. her mind is undoubtedly weak possibly from the excesses of past years but this fact renders her less capable than many even if she were able to work.

464. Mary Jordan: 24 Bulwer Street. husband left her in August last for the States after having sold everything [everything] in the house. She has one Child 2 years old. Not even a bed was left in the house. Since then Mrs. J. has supported herself by obtaining a days work here & there but she finds it impossible to pay rent & fuel as well as food & clothing. Recommend Fuel.

465. Ann McLean: rear 381 Adelaide Street west. Scotch. widow. Presbyterian. lives with her daughter whose husband is out of work. Suffers from paralysis of one side. seems a respectable woman. Recommend Coal.

466. Mary Funsten. Walzs [Walz's] lane 1st house west from Duchess St.

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36 years old. husband 37. Labourer. cant get work. one child living in a very cold house. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

467. James Hatt: rear 120 Duke Street. 47 years old. wife 42. labourer. cant get work. 3 children. a baby 2 weeks old. very poor. wants some Rice. Sugar & Tea. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread & Coals.

468. Angelina Boulia: 104 George Street. 50 years old. husband 60. labourer. cant get work. 4 Children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals.

469. Margaret Kelly: 78 Lombard Street. widow for 15 years. aged 58. no children. Got some Relief from house for 3 years past. She tries to get work & does it cheerfully. Recommend Coal & Bread.

470. William Pettigrew: rear 68 Lombard Street. a labourer works for City Commissioner at times. lame in one of his hands. aged 61. Methodist. Wife 37. a strong healthy looking woman. they had assistance from the house last year. I think the Committee would do well to assist them. they have been sold out for rent.

471. John Jerreat: 50 High Street. aged 36. Wife 33. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Carpenter by trade. 8 years in Toronto. 4 Children. 3 Boys 10. 7. 1 1/2. 1 Girl 4. House comfortable & clean. not much furniture. both man & woman appear most respectable & intelligent. anxious to work. but unable to get it. the little money earned in summer has been all expended & the credit at the Stores exhausted. Temporary aid would seem to be necessary. would recommend Relief in the shape of Fuel & Bread.

472. Harriett Gordon: 34 Gerrard Street west. & Sister. Spinsters. R.C. Canadians. are very poor. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Laurent for some Coal.

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473. Samuel Bowden: formerly an Inmate. See case 753 in 1879. Made application for readmission. Committee refused admittance on account of the mans immorality when last an Inmate in this house & moreover being a strong healthy man well able to earn his living.

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474. Catherine Fitzgerald: aged 26. native of Ireland. R.C. 7 years in Canada. partially paralyzed. seeks shelter for a few days. ^Left April 2nd^

475. Martha English: aged 49 years. died this day February 5th. She was admitted into the House of 11th March 1851. a resident in this Institution for twenty nine years.

476. Hellen Coxen: 371 Wellesley Street. aged 40. English. Baptist. 8 Children 5 Boys 10. 8. 3 & one 17 in a Store at [dollars] 2.50 a week. boards at home. Girls 19 (an invalid). 13. 6. all at home. husband a butcher out of employment. visitor found the family in great want of assistance & believes them deserving.

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Present. Messrs. E. Hobson. S. Rogers & J.W. Drummond

477. Mary Ann Robertson: 53 years of age. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Formerly an Inmate. seeks readmission. See case 779 in 1879. Admitted with understanding that she make herself general useful.

478. Thomas Quinn: See case 14. is now out of General Hospital & his drunken wife has left him. To have Coal & 12 lbs. Bread weekly.

479. Margaret Riley. Walzs [Walz's] lane West side 1st house from Queen St. 30 Years old. husband 30 Years old is in Gail [jail] 2 children. one 6 years. the other 13 months. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once.

480. Florence Campbell: 274 Church Street. widow. Canadian. Presbyterian. Charwoman. 3 Children. 2 Boys 10. 4. 1. Girl 8. lately took in a baby to nurse at [dollars] 5 a month. Work scarce. very clean & tidy woman. willing to work. appears to me worthy of help. would like Wood firing.

481. {blank} Pickard: I find out that they live in the county on the North Side of Kingston Road. I (Mr. Pape) understand the House don't go outside City limits.

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482. Charlotte Wright: in case 361 in 1880. I find out she is now living outside City limits.

483. Emma Smith: rear 25 Arthur Street. husband labourer out of work. has had very little to do since coming to Toronto from Guelph a few months ago. 4 Children. a girl 15 at School. boy 16 Shovels snow & is looking for work. 2 others 8. 6. English. Methodist. Aid for a Month.

484. Matilda Tandy: rear 25 Arthur Street. has half the house with Mrs. Smith & is similarly situated. recently from Guelph. her husband is a Mason but has lately worked as labourer & can get but scanty employment. 2 Children. Girl 10. Boy 15. who can get nothing to do. English. Methodist. temporary aid Recommended.

485. Annie Smith: 93 Lumley Street. Husband (Christian) is a Cabinet Maker & went last week to the States to seek employment as for sometime he had no work before leaving. She is badly off. 2 Children. Girl 16 by former marriage & a Boy 5. Seem very respectable German. Presbyterian. Seems to be near confinement. Aid Recommended.

486. Sarah Donaldson: 218 Bathurst Street. lives with a family named McCauley. using their stove. a Widow & Charwoman with 1 1/2 days work a week. 4 Children. Girl 5 & boys 14. 12. 8 at School. Apparently deserving. Is a Canadian Eng. Ch. Recommend Coal once & Bread.

487. Margaret Slattery: 10 William Street. one girl 12. her husband is dead. very poor. Recommend Bread & Coal.

488. Emily Day: rear 26 William Street. one infant. her husband is dead. very poor. Recommend Bread & Coal.

489. Louisa Rule: 110 William Street. husband has no work at present. Recommend them for relief in shape of Coal & Bread.

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490. George Hughes: 24 Centre Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] wife sickly. stranger from Ottawa. very little work. very poor & should get Coal & Bread for a Month.

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491. Caroline Todd: 102 Albert Street. Coloured. no husband. 1 boy 12 years. washes & Farms a baby for [dollars] 2.00 a week. bad reputation.

492. George Overend: 44 Givins Street. has a wife & 3 children from 8 to 3 years. English. 8 years out. 4 years in Toronto. labourer has worked at drains but is out of work for upwards of a month. lived on Muter Street last year. Primitive Methodist. he seems a respectable man & I would recommend him Bread & Fuel.

493. Elizabeth Skelly: rear 37 Camden Street. English. Married. 2 Children. boys 8 1/2. 3. joined Grace Church Fuel Club & saved enough to buy fuel for the winter but her husband is out of work. she is not able to get work or food. Recommend Bread.

494. Eliza McCauley: 35 Edward St. Widow. daughter out at service. Son aged 18 lives with her. Respectable looking woman. Says her Son is sickly & has had inflammation of the lungs lately. has no regular trade. woman says one of her lungs is gone. rents a room [dollars] 2 a month. he says he has never applied for relief before. has been 4 years in Toronto. Recommend Coal & Bread.

495. John Baker: 408 Yonge Street. English. Baptists. about 4 years in this Country. Wife & 6 Children. eldest 10. Keeps a clothes cleaning establishment. husband's occupation Grooming & Gardening. has fallen lame through Rheumatism & finds it difficult to work. This family seems respectable & in distress apparent. they say that this is the dull time in their trade, it revives in Spring & Summer. Recommend them for Fuel & Bread.

496. Susannah Sanson: 44 St. David St. Case reported before. She is very ill & I strongly recommend her for Coal to be sent at once. If her little girl goes up. I should like her to have in addition to the Soup. a small package of Tea. Sugar & Oatmeal.

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497. Bridget Stone: 53 Sackville Street R.C. Widow one Son who works at Scales Tobacco Factory but has only had occasional piece work for the last 2 Months. She scrubs & Washes when she can get it to do in the beginning of the winter she got a 1/4 Cord Wood from St. Vincent De P. Socy. [St. Vincent de Paul Society] but which was exhausted long ago I would allow her Coal once

498. Ann McGregor: 24 Reids lane. Presbyterian. husband & Wife. one Child. he was in 13th Hussars. was discharged from the Regiment in Scotland & came to Canada & he has been trying to earn a living by teaching Fencing Riding [etc.] This is a very precarious mode however of earning his bread & they were reduced to great distress for want of Fuel. Recommend them Coal once & Bread for 3 Weeks if they ask for it

499. Isabella Benwell: 76 Sumach Street. husband 50 years of age. labouring man. strong enough to work but cant get any. 5 Months in Toronto & has had no work since before Christmas. landlord says both steady & anxious to work. very badly off for Food also for Fuel. no Children. I recommend them for as much Relief as the House can afford

500. Matilda Williams: 20 Bright Street. husband & 5 Children. eldest girl 14 Works in a box factory for [dollars] 1 a week but the proprietor has not been able to pay any wages for some weeks. husband a labouring man employed by Mr. McBean builder but having become bankrupt does not require him. Seem decent respectable people & very badly off. The wife is not Strong enough to work & the man cant get any. I think they require help from the house

501. John Tyner: Blind. an Inmate aged 53 died this day 8th Feby. See case of admission 989 in 1871

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Present Messrs. W.H. Howland. E. Hobson for E.H. Rutherford & Revd. J.D. Cayley

502. Elizabeth Masters: 110 Chestnut Street. husband sickly out

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of work. 2 children with her father. very poor. occupies a room & boards herself. is about to get a stove. Recommend Bread & Coal when she gets a stove

503. Elizabeth McConvey: 77 University Street R.C. husband out of work. 2 girls 14. 5. 4 Boys 2. 6. 12. 15. Very poor. an extra allowance of Bread. no Coal wanted

504. Alfrietta Edwards: rear 77 Elizabeth Street. Coloured. husband barber out of work. Suffering from lung disease out of Stores & Coal. as the husband expects employment soon Recommend Groceries & Coal once also Bread

505. Joseph Pratt: 150 Ontario Street. 36 Years old. labourer. cant get work. wife does sewing cant get any to do. would Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once

506. Emma Arnold: rear 120 Duke Street. 19 years old. husband 22. labourer. cant get work. living in a very cold house. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once

507. Mary Ann Taylor. 45 Duchess Street. Left there

508. Mary Helbut: 38 Conway Street. Widow 6 Years. R.C Irish. washerwoman. 26 Years in Toronto. 4 Sons 26. 18. 14. 1 daughter 10. 3 Youngest at home. none earning wages. decent rooms. orderly habits. Recommend Coal & Bread

509. Mary Irwin rear 120 Claremont Street. Married. Ch of E. [Church of England] Irish. 7 Years in Toronto. 2 Boys 7. 1 1/2. 2 Girls 9. 3. Rooms decent. habits orderly. getting wood from the Irish Prot. Society [Irish Protestant Benevolent Society]. would Recommend Bread & Coals

510. John Brooks: 118 Strachan Avenue. Methodist. English. Plasterer. 9 Months in Toronto. 2 Boys 5 Years & one 8 Months. one girl 9 Years. Room Clean. I might say {no} furniture. habits clean if she had means. wants Bread & Coal which I Recommend

511. Hannah Lemm: 26 Garrison Street. R.C. English.

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husband labourer. 11 Years in Toronto. 1 Child Girl 3 1/2 Years. Room poor & Clean. Industrious people. the Child sick & wants a little nourishment. would recommend Coal & Bread

512. Mary McKewan: 71 High Street. aged 27. R.C. Irish. husband English. aged 30. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. 3 Children. Boys 6. 4. 2. house a very miserable one for which [dollars] 4 a Month is paid. little or no furniture. extreme poverty apparent. have received help from House for past 3 Years. Would recommend Continuation of Relief as it appears much needed

513. Sarah Hutchinson: rear 117 Queen Street west. She was not at home. I Suppose was out working. the door was locked on the outside with a string

514. Mary Horsnell: rear 79 Lombard Street. married. aged 19 Years. husband aged 26. 2 Children. Married when she was 16 Years old. R.C. both Canadians. labourer & would Recommend Coal & Bread

515. Agnes Davis: 214 Sackville Street. married. 53 years. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] her husband left her last summer. She has only one boy 14. She says she cant get work for the boy. Ill she says & unable to work. She seems honest & Respectable. Give 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once. Coke

516. Clara Wyatt: 235 Sackville Street. was not in. the people next door think that she is in a Situation

517. Susan Patterson: Lewis Street. husband Wife & 2 Children. the husband has been ill for 7 Weeks & they seem in very poor circumstances. think you had better grant them Relief

518. Catherine Moberley: 54 Muter Street. husband labourer out of work. have struggled along as best they could till present. Children down with measles. 4 Children. eldest boy 14 at School boy 11 & boy 7. Girl 4. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Recommend Aid for a Month as they are very badly off

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519. Frank Long: Bathurst Street 2nd. door north of Lenox St. aged 40. Wife 33. a labourer out of employ. he used to be a painter but was obliged to give it up on ground of health. nothing to do. 10 Children all with them. eldest a boy 12 3/4 years old. a couple pairs of twins swell the number. English. no work to do. would Recommend temporary Aid

520. Jasper Cook: aged 54. Native of Ireland. Presbyterian Church. 24 Years in Toronto. a case well known at the house. came for Shelter 10th January. has a bad leg. wishes to stay on until he is able to go to work. Left March 15th

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Present Messrs. W.H. Howland J. Gillespie & N.C. Love

521. Mary Ann Hickie: 77 Years of age. Irish. R.C. formerly an Inmate. See case 498 in 1876 Seeks admission again. Admitted

522. Eliza McGinnis: 6 Drummond Place. Scotch. Ch of E. [Church of England] 2 Sons 14. 12. eldest doing some work. he makes a little to assist in paying her rent. husband is an Irishman & a R.C. he has been a Lunatic & in the Asylum also, she thinks he is maturing for that place the second time. about 6 weeks since he gave her a terrible beating. he wanted his 2 Sons to go with him to Hamilton where he has gone to live but they would not leave their mother. I think she is now very poor. Recommend Bread & Fuel

523. Frances Percy: London House. Canadian. Widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] She goes out to work when she gets it to do. 1 Son aged 15 home with poor health. he dont look strong. I believe he is learning some business anyway. her place & herself has the appearance of wanting both Bread & Fuel. She thinks she is Fifty. She might be more

524. Clara Stains: 210 Center Street. husband left her. 4 Children. eldest Girl 14 is at present the sole means of support to the family, the mother being to all appearances ill. 3 Boys 12. 10. 6. I judge the necessities of the family are great. they have every appearance of worthy respectable people. Recommend in addition to Coke & Bread she be allowed Groceries

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525. Jane Barr: 98 Chestnut Street. Presbyterian. 1 Boy 7 & infant Girl 5. husband disabled with bad leg. out of funds. Recommend Coal & Bread

526. William Cline: 5 Emma Street. live in same house as Mr. & Mrs. Spring who have been getting assistance from the house. use same Stove. woman seems respectable. cannot work herself on account of an injured wrist. husband a blacksmith out of work for 4 Months. Recommend Fuel & Bread. it will not be necessary to give Mrs. Spring any more Fuel

527. Julia Daley: 40 Emma Street. Recommend them for a little more Fuel. woman now in work

528. Kate Girvin: 170 1/2 Centre Street. formerly of 9 Agnes St. husband still out of work. Recommend Fuel & Bread

529. Mary Plunkett: Gladstone Avenue. She & her husband have been about 2 years out from Ireland. he was a man of some means, lost it though [through] an agent & came out expecting to get employment. they lived last winter on the sale of her jewelry. he could get no employment. last Summer he was night watchman on Dundas St. drain. he has a wooden leg or foot. he appears to be a steady man but totally unfitted to battle with the world. She has an infant in arms & does what sewing she can get. Recommend Bread & Coal

530. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond Street East. I found her after calling several times. a widow nearly 70 years of age & who has received help from the House for some years past. Recommend Coal & Bread

531. Catherine Prowse: 78 Lombard Street. could not find at home, she being out as I was informed doing a little scrubbing

532. William Richardson: 484 King Street East Basement. There is no such person in the Neighbourhood. If there is he had better call at my office & show me the house (Mr. O'Brien)

533. Thomas Watt: 16 Bright Street. an old man who is partially paralyzed. very destitute. does not seem to drink

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at present. says he was in good business until his wife took to drink & ruined him. an Upholsterer by trade. gets an odd job occasionally. neighbours say very destitute & quiet & deserving of relief. Recommend Coal & Bread

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534. Caroline McGee: 57 Bleeker Street. husband Wife & 4 Children. 15. 11. 8. 6. husband a invalid not fit for work & the 2 eldest children unable to obtain any. they have 3 other Sons, grown ups not living with them & who just earn enough to support themselves. they seem to be in a very unhappy state. neither Parents or Children pulling very well together. they are no doubt very badly off. I would Recommend the usual grant of Bread & Coal both of which they are much in need off [of]

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Present Very Revd. J.M. Laurent & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. Warring Kennedy

535. Johanna Logie: rear 155 Centre Street. husband labourer out of work. 1 Child 17 Months adopted. husband Scotchman. Protestant. Wife R.C. in present need. Recommend Coal & allowance of Bread for a month

536. Sophia Billingham: 7 Little Adelaide Street. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. 4 years in Toronto. from Muskoka. 1 Boy 9. 1 Girl 2. house clean. habits very good. Would Recommend Coal & Bread & nourishment for man himself who is very delicate. I think he is in consumption

537. Sophia King: 7 Little Adelaide Street. English. Baptist. labourer. 9 Months in Toronto. from Muskoka. 2 Boys 10. 12 Years. 1 Girl 14. Room Clean but poor. wants Coal & Bread which I Recommend her

538. Hannah Boston: 35 Gerrard Street east Parliament St. These people are in from the Country a week or so. I did not find father or Mother in. They do not seem to be badly off [off]. And should the House assist people from Country like these?

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539. Martha Taylor: 90 Eastern Avenue. 47 Years. widow. Martha 18 very sick from Diptheria. Mary 16. John 13. Abraham 10. John working [dollars] 2 a week. 25 Years in Toronto. born in Canada. belong to the Methodist Ch. I have made strict enquiries from some of the neighbours also from the Landlord he lives next door he says they are very poor he does not think there is anything bad concerning them although he was told they had a light name. he says he has kept particular watch on the place for some time & has not found out anything wrong with the family. if he does he will let me know. on the information Received I would advise the Relief to be Continued. I will make further inquiries & let you know.

540. Martha Hill: rear 8 Sackville Street. 19 Years. James 20. has been out of work for 7 weeks. She has got a brother Albert 10 years & Sister 5 Yrs. living with her. They belong Congregational Church. born in

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Canada. She thinks she could get along if she got some Coal. I would also recommend Bread for the Children as she seems very anxious to keep them with her

541. Julia Murray: 68 Sherbourne Street. aged 32. husband 36. Farmer by trade. cant get work. 4 young children. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

542. Fanny Wilding: 119 Berkeley Street. English. Ch of Eng. here 9 Months. very respectable. House a marvel of cleanliness & neatness. husband a Carpenter but no work probably not much push. Wife out. have no fuel. rent in arrears. no Children. Wood Stove. Recommend fuel for 1 Month or till he gets work

543. Emily Cameron: 161 Sumach Street. People called Charlton live in this house. Mrs. Cameron not known in neighbourhood

544. Christina Smith: rear 96 Elizabeth Street. Found a person named Rosena Smith here, whose husband is at work and although she has hard work to make ends meet she has not applied for help

545. J. {blank} [Joseph] Spicer: Elliotts Row. The person who gave his name without giving the number in that block. I think he did not intend

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to be discovered. no one in the Row had any knowledge of that name. I tried a good many of the houses without the most distant trace of him

546. Mary North: 26 Arthur Street. husband has gone to the States. while here he did well for his family. he has not been heard from for 3 Months. She is left with 4 Children all at home. the eldest a girl 22 suffers from Epileptic fits. is quite foolish & requires constant attention. next girl is 14 who is a Cripple having been afflicted with white swelling since she was 5 years old. 2 boys aged 12 & 11. The elder blind. a pitiable case indeed. Scotch. Presbyterian. Recommend Coal Bread & Groceries

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Present Revd. Messrs. J.M. Laurent G. Cochrane & E. Hobson for W. Kennedy

547. Mary Leslie: rear 96 Duchess Street. 30 Years old. husband 31 years. labourer. cant get work. 2 Children both boys. came from Montreal 3 Years ago. very poor. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

548. Esther Dancy: rear 113 Jarvis Street. 23 Years old. Husband 30 years. labourer. can't get work. 1 boy 5 Years old. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

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549. Ellen Thompson: 2 Ramsays lane. Cant be found

550. Mrs. Creighton: 89 Sydenham Street. Something peculiar about this. Mrs. C. has gone to England for a trip. Her relatives in the house (a good brick one) were much astonished the other day at receiving a Supply of Coke. If sent from the House, it an unnecessary waste of fuel. The people are not destitute & do not want. & say no help was asked

551. Kate Parr: 83 Sumach Street. Methodist. Clean & respectable. husband a baker. wife works on Sewing Machine & makes about [dollars] 2 a week. boy getting [dollars] 1 a week. Girl looking for place. 3 Small children. Man makes eno' to keep them in Bread. he drinks occasionally. Might have fuel for once or so. have been helped by Mrs. McCallum. would not want if husband always steady. Wife nice & clean

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552. Susan Rennick: 84 Sumach Street. Seems destitute & suffers much from sore leg. She declares that her husband is steady. might be helped if she applies again

553. Josias Freeland: 114 Eastern Avenue. 55 Years old. Margaret 43. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 2 Months out of work. 5 Children. 2 Girls. 3 Boys. Carlyle 10. Emily 8. Josias 6. Fred 4. George 2. they are very poor. Scarcely any furniture in house. in Canada 45 Years. came from Orangeville to Toronto 1 Year ago. they are very much in need of Coal & Bread

554. Ann Salisbury: 89 Sumach Street. She is in great want of Fuel. She has a large family. 5 Children. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband a bricklayer. have been out of Wood for a week. They are a Clean Respectable family. I think they should have some Fuel

555. Maria Smith: 22 Sackville Street has left the house two or Three months ago

556. Dora Ross: 5 Renfrew lane. She seems to have been sick for some weeks. She is old. her husband is an old man. recommend for a short time Groceries & Coal

557. Mary Maddigan: 138 Richmond Street West. I found the Room that it is the intention of Mary to occupy some day shewn to me by an old woman who will be her next door neighbour when she comes to live there. There was nothing in the Room whatsoever only a Small Stove which I learned was Mrs. Crawfords property her neighbour. Supposed she was visiting some of her friends

558. Jane Colby: rear 283 Queen Street West. husband Moulder. Ch of E. [Church of England] 5 Children. 2 Boys 12. 10. 3 Girls 9. 4. 2. he is out of work having been shut down at Xmas. this is a case of great distress. they have been nearly starving. he is a steady respectable man as far as I can learn. Recommend Fuel & Bread

559. Elizabeth Anderson: rear 34 Darcy Street. Father Mother & 4 Children. eldest 12. 3 Months out from Ireland. has had no employment since they came. Recommend some Aide

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560. Sarah McCool: 10 Cedar Street. 7 Children from 9 to 1 year old. her husband is a Machinist out of work. a terrible drunkard & will not Support his family. She is a respectable decent woman trying her best to support her Children by needlework. I have known of her sad case for 2 Years. it is a case for special sympathy. recommend her strongly for Bread & Fuel. it is the saddest case in my district

561. Mary Pooler: 11 Agnes Street. Widow. 3 young Children. recommend that she gets Fuel

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Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. W.J. MacDonell, Mr. J.W. Drummond for Revd. D.J. MacDonnell & Mr. J. Paterson

562. Hannah Doggar: 29 Duchess Street. 31 Years old. Widow. 4 Children. 2 boys & 2 girls. living by washing & scrubbing. would recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

563. Mary Ann McAllaster: rear 12 Duchess Street. 40 Years old. Widow. 1 Boy 17 Years old. cant get work. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal

564. George Fee: 153 Centre Street. 72 Years old. Gardener. Ch of E. [Church of England] no family. Respectable & needy. very feeble. Recommend Coal & Bread

565. Elizabeth Ellis: 154 Centre Street. old woman. was sick in bed when I called. washes when can get it to do. evidently hard put to make a living between infirmity & difficulty in getting work. Recommend Coal & Bread

566. Christina Smith: rear 96 Elizabeth Street. Coloured. husband left. 1 Child. a girl 3 Years. lives with a woman already receiving Coa.l She needs bread

567. {blank} Burns 14 Terauley Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband deserted, 1 Child 1 Year old, wants Coal & Bread

568. Elizabeth Hodgin: 9 Hackney Street, widow. husband was a soldier & died in India. born in Canada & been in Toronto

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since last June. R.C. 3 Children. 2 Boys 10. 9. 1 girl 2. has 2 rooms in this house. has no means save what she may get by going out charing

569. Thomas Carroll: lane in rear 67 Victoria Street. Irish. R.C. 1 daughter residing in Massts. [Massachusetts] he & his wife are old say aged 80. I have observed the old man for some time past & have noticed his industry in cleaning the snow of [off] the side walks. his Character good & steady. well Known to S. Platt Esq. & other parties for a quiet & industrious old man willing to work but owing to lameness [etc.] can only do light jobs. Room rather untidy. would like food & Wood for firing

570. Daniel Bremner: Lippincott lane. aged 40. Wife 30. 2 Children living. Boy 5 & baby 4 Weeks Respectable deserving people but very poor. husband has been out of work for a long time but just now has a few days breaking of stones for which he must wait for his money. Scotch. Presbyterian. only wants Coal which I recommend

571. James Tremain: 613 King Street West. English. Methodist. Mason by trade. 9 Months in Toronto. 3 Boys 7. 5. 3. 1 Girl 3 Months. all at home. habits good. Room poor but clean. Recommend Coal & Bread

572. Mary Ellen Smith: 613 King Street West. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband labourer. 4 Months in Toronto. 3 Boys 6. 5. 2. 1 girl 6 Months. all at home. habits seem pretty good. Room poor but clean. They require Coal & Bread

573. Julia Check: 340 Sumach Street. Mother of 6 Children. eldest but 12. is in want of Coal & Bread to tide over present term of slack work. I believe the Charity given in this case will be well & deservedly bestowed

574. Mary Clark: 27 Simcoe Terrace. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] aged 37. husband 35. he is a teamster but has been out of employment except a few days work he had at the Grand Opera House but has got a job to go to tomorrow if he is able to please his employer. I think Bread & Fuel for the present

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575. Caroline Webb: 80 McGill Street. Recommended by Mr. McCord for a second supply of Coal on account of sickness

576. {blank} Swan: 43 Woolsley Street. husband a baker by trade. from Ireland. 5 years in Toronto. Wesleyans. no children. The husband out of employment & has been all the winter. They have received some help from their Church. and occupy two rooms at 43 Woolsley St.

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Present Mr. J. Paterson Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. W.J. MacDonell & Revd. D.J. MacDonnell

577. John Laihey: 658 Queen Street West. Married. wife alive. R.C. Irish. invalid (farmer once) aged 62. 5 Months in Toronto. no boys. 8 girls from 20 Years to 2 1/2. one earning [dollars] 7.00 per Month out. one going to school. the rest sick. no other help. Recommend full allowance of Bread Fuel & Groceries.

578. Amelia Constantine: rear 164 Huron Street. Father Mother & 4 Children. the father is paralyzed not able to work. the oldest boy earns [dollars] 2.00 a week. Recommend some assistance in Food

579. Elizabeth McCallum: rear 65 University Street. Congregational. husband out of work. 2 Boys 7. 11. may get work soon. Recommend Coal once & Bread

580. Ellen Mitchell 19 Elizabeth Street. Methodist. husband left her 6 months ago. 1 Child. no work. Seems to have a stack of wood. should be at Service. Recommend Bread only

581. Jane Richards: 28 Albert Street. Her husband is a Cornish miner. has been out about 5 Months. they seem in destitute circumstance & I think only want temporary relief. Recommend that they get Bread & Fuel. They have no Stove but I am going to see if I can get them one. they have only one Child an Infant

582. Ann Bowles: 183 Centre Street. Coloured. aged 63. husband 78. Methodist. think needy & seem respectable. Recommend Bread & Coal

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583. Mary Ann Carter: 563 Queen Street West. English. Methodist. 2 Years in Toronto. from Newfoundland. 1 Boy aged 1 year. 2 girls 6. 4. Years. habits good. her husband is dead. She wishes some Coal which I recommend

584. Emily Roberts: 105 Ann Street. Recommended by Mr. McCord for a second supply of Coal & the last

585. Catherine Prowse: 78 Lombard Street. Widow aged about 70. She says a rag gatherer. R.C. Irish. no Children. She got assistance from the House 3 years ago. when living at 98 Jarvis St. She wants some Fuel & Bread which I recommend

586. George Forster: 62 Richmond Street east. Married. aged 46 years. a Carpenter by trade. English. has been 20 Years in this Country. he says he cannot get any work. his wife aged 34. Scotch & appears to be a clean neat person & their rooms are comfortable. no Children. I am afraid there is something wrong else they might be differently situated. I cannot make any recommendations. the Committee may do what they think best

587. Ellen Grady: 41 Sydenham lane. Widow. no family. lives with another woman. She was not at home But I fancy she is destitute & probably begs for her living. might have Coal if weather severe. Committee think she ought to provide for herself

588. John Sinclair: 8 Sydenham lane. Scotch. 3 Small Children. house Clean & people respectable. do not look as though they drank. Wife had a job of washing. husband out of work. he is a Carpenter. was with Jacques & Hay. expects work in a week or so. Think he looks rather lazy from look of house. Think wife must be hardworking. Recommend Coal & Bread if they are out of work

589. Mary Birtles: 34 Bell Street. married. 49. Canadian. Ch of E. [Church of England] Sons 26. 23. 20. 15. all away. 2 in States & 2 in Canada. cant give her any thing enough to do to keep themselves. gets a little from one 23. Girls 14. 5. & Granddaughter 2 .Mother dead & father ran away. all these at home. husband at home not well he says doctors have given him up. The house poor Cold nothing of any consequence in it. This case is a

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puzzle to me, clearly the husband must have drank but he says not now. give Coal once 10 lbs. Bread to the 1st. April & 10 bushels Coke. She received some aid from the house a year ago. turn up case

590. Thomas Lidbetter: an Inmate in case 898 in 1871 died this day 28th. February aged 69 years

591. Marshal Berryman: Coloured. in [an] Inmate. See case 823 in 1877. died this day March 1st aged 68 Years

Tuesday 2nd. March 1880

Present Mr. J. Fleming & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. N.C. Love

592. Mary Parrett: 157 Oak Street. married. 43. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] washes sometimes. had aid from the House 3 or 4 Years ago. has not been very well for a few weeks back. husband at home. worked with Messrs. Brown & Love till 7 weeks ago when he was taken ill. a labourer. makes on an

average [dollars] 4 1/2 per Week. he expects to get employment when able to work. he is getting better & is a Strong well made man. Children Girls 14. 12. 10. 7. Boys 5. 3. 1/2 Years. (the mother was ill a long time before baby was born she says) I find here, what has met me more than once, viz, the idea prevailing that the City is bound to find the poor that they have a right to be supported by the "House of Industry" That in fact the same state of things exists here as in England, poor rates Poor house [etc.] How is the Board to meet this difficulty? The eldest girl of 14 is ill. she seems to be so from appearance. For one Month only 10 lbs. Bread Soup & Coals (Mrs. Par. [Parrett] told me she got coal from the house last week, if she has got her full allowance of course that dispences of the Coals)

593. Ellen Thompson: 5 Ramsays lane. respectable old woman living with a decent family who are kind to her. but she is destitute & helpless. I suppose should have Coal & Bread for rest of winter

594. Ann Wharton: 64 Sherbourne Street. 34 Years old. husband 31. Blacksmith by trade. can't get work. 5 Children under 9 Years. Recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Coals

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595. Mary King: rear 34 William Street. Widow. Says she has 2 children. Girls 11 & 9 Years old. when I called they were out. would recommend Bread & she might also receive Coal for awhile

596. John Bradley: 61 Tate Street. aged 32. has been out of work for 2 Months. Mrs. B. aged 28. 2 Children 5. 2. 6 Years in Toronto. came from St. Catharines. natives of Canada. Ch of England Seemingly in great want.

597. Jane Sellers: in case 1006 in 1878 had to be brought before weekly Committee on account of misconduct. when questioned about her behaviour she cut it short by informing the Committee that she intended to leave the House & get a place. allowed to do so

598. John Blyth: in case 958 in 1878 left the House on his own account against the wish of the Committee. Not to be admitted again

Friday 5th. March 1880

Present Revd. G. Cochran Messrs. N.C. Love & J. Fleming

599. Maria Gillespie: rear 95 Elizabeth Street. Widow without Children. lives with a coloured family receiving relief. She was absent when called upon. Recommend if anything Bread only



600. Mary Elliget: 33 Duchess Street. 40 Years old. husband in the Hospital with bronchitis on the lungs. Wife bad with Neuralgia. Recommend 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once

601. Ann Darra: a widow aged 65 Years. Native of Ireland. Ch of E. [Church of England] 3 years in Toronto. no relatives & not able to earn her living. Seeks admission. admitted with the understanding that she make herself agreeable & useful

602. John Ruthven: aged 69. Native of Quebec Ch of E. [Church of England] 40 Years in Toronto. has been for last 3 Months in General Hospital but now discharged from there. Says has no friends & is not able to earn his living. Seeks admission. Admitted with the understanding that he must

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Tuesday 9th March 1880

strictly conform to the rules of the House

603. Julia Brierton: in case 1031 in 1878. accidentally broke her leg above the knee & was sent to General hospital March 6th

604. John Thomas: an Inmate in case 874 in 1874. died this day March 6th aged 88 years

605. Edward Farrell: in case 362. left the House. is not in very good health. thinks it best to live with his son in law who is willing & able to keep the old man. March 8th

606. James Fitzpatrick: an Inmate in case 1060 in 1878 died. 24th February aged 72 Years.

Tuesday 9th March 1880

Present Revd. Alex Williams & E. Hobson Esq.

607. Eunice Picket: West Street. English. Methodist. 3 months in Toronto. 6 Children. 3 Boys 9. 4. 2. 3 Girls 8. 6. 4. all at home. room & furniture clean & good. her husband is a blacksmith but he is in Hospital at present. wants Coal & Bread or any thing you can give which I recommend.

608. Elizabeth Pearson: 195 Oak Street. aged 31. Married. husband 47. both born in England. in this country for 30 years. moved in from the County of York 5 Weeks. rent [dollars] 5 per Month which they have not paid. She is willing to work or nurse. he has a weak back caused by heavy lifting. cant get anything to do. Girls at home 14. 6. 3 1/2 years. boy 9. house tidy. children clean. would recommend, 10 bushels Coke 10 lbs. Bread for 4 Weeks and Stop at that time

609. Mary Hooper: rear 85 Lombard Street. a widow living with Mrs. Shea. husband was killed with railway train 5 years ago. she cannot tell her age. R.C. Irish. has 2 boys aged 5. 8 years. living with a friend of her late husband. she is at present suffering from bronchitis & getting Medicine from the Hospital. has

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been living at service. Would recommend a small supply of Coal and Bread.

610. Caroline Wilkinson: 111 Richmond Street East. no such person can be found there. must have given the wrong number

611. Mary Boulton: 68 Lombard Street. Widow. husband was killed 3 years since at the Welland Canal. has been the mother of 14 boys 6 of whom are dead & 8 living. She is now 39 years of age & was married at the age of 15. she is R. C. & from Ireland. 2 of her boys are in the House of Providence one in St. Nicholas Home. some in Quebec & only two living with her. She appears to be very destitute & would recommend Coal once & the usual allowance of Bread

612. Emily Hardwick: {blank} Richmond Street East. respectable woman & quite destitute as she & her husband are out of work. 2 Children in Girls home. Irish. Chof Eng. recommended for relief by Mr. O'Brien

Friday 12th March 1880

Present Revd. A. Williams & Mr. E. Hobson

613. Jane Hiles: 48 Albert Street. Methodist. recently from England. husband Printer out of work. may be employed soon. 1 Girl aged 4. 1 Boy 2 1/2 & Infant. all sick at present. recommend Coal once & Bread

614. Mary Ann Lawford: 77 1/2 Chestnut Street. 3 Girls 15. 10. 6 years. 2 Boys 12. 7. Years. Working at Restaurant for [dollars] 8 p [per] Month. Boy earns [dollars] 4 per Week. husband employed by Government at Manitoba gets [dollars] 20 per Month but it appears he does not regularly remit but sent [dollars] 20 a month or so ago. English. Methodist. recommend Coal once if anything

615. Maria Knight: 12 Foxley Street. her husband has been out of work nearly all the winter. lately laid with Scalded foot. they are respectable hard working people. English. 7 years in this

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Country. 5 young Children. he is a packer of China but works at anything he can get. would Strongly recommend them for some Coal

616. Mary Dean: 19 Simcoe Terrace. When I visited her before on 21st Jany. she then thought they might manage without Bread but since then her husband cannot get employment. if you can let them now have the Bread to the end of the season you will be doing a great Kindness

617. Clement Reid: 24 Bulwer Street. recommended by the Revd. Mr. Cayley for another supply of Coal as they are old people & have been sick for some weeks

Tuesday 16th March 1880

Present Revd. Dr. Potts & Revd. Dr. Rose

618. Alfred Burchell: 26 Robert Street. a Carpenter & Joiner by trade who cannot possibly (he says) get work. His Wife tries to get a little sewing now & then. 4 Children. 3 at home. a Girl 16, who is looking for a place, & 2 boys 12. 7. the other Girl in place. Seemingly a very respectable Man. house neat & tidy. English. Recommend a little Coal & Bread

619. Dora Martin: rear 95 Elizabeth Street. Widow. Ch of Eng. blind, living with a family now receiving relief, believe her Son-in-law. Recommend Bread only

620. Hugh McGee: Browns lane. recommended by Revd. Mr. Williams for a Second supply of 600 lbs. Coals. as he is a respectable old man and quite unable to work so that he is dependent upon Charity for the means of living

Friday 19th March 1880

Present Revd. Dr. Potts & Revd. Dr. Rose

621. Isabella Mann: 72 Edward St. husband Salesman but intemperate. No help to his family. supports herself by sewing. 2 Boys. 6. 4. Wants Coal only

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622. John Carr: 36 Woolsley Street. An old couple occupying a room in house rented by a Married daughter. from Ireland. in Toronto about 18 Months. Eng Ch. the man is a labourer but out of work. They say they have 2 Grandchildren boy 3. Girl 2. whose mother is dead dependent on them. a somewhat peculiar case owing to their living with the daughter (she Keeping a small store with very little business) but I should judge them worthy of assistance

623. Sarah Ann Kilby: rear 65 Queen Street West. English. Methodist. she has not heard from her husband since the 16th August last. she is in poor health herself. 3 sons. 22. 12. 10. years. the eldest is very willing to work but cant get it to do. I think the Committee might allow her some Bread & fuel. she is very needy

624. Gertrude Knatz: rear 119 Queen Street East. 40 years old. husband 43 in the hospital. 2 Children. 10. 3 years. from Germany 11 Months. recommend 6 lbs. bread Coal once

625. Cecelia Cousins: 226 King Street East. not to be seen

626. William St Louis: 123 Queen Street East. 33 years old. Wife 21. bricklayer. 1 child one year old. cannot get work. Methodist. recommend 6 lbs. Bread. Coals once

627. Kate Tucker: 39 Lombard Street. Married. aged 23 years. an American. husband an English Man. a Car. [Carriage] builder by trade but cannot get any work. has been breaking stones but got very sick, not being used to such work, got cold & is now very unwell. Eng. Ch. have one boy aged 7. have been 5 Months in the City and are respectable from all I can see & learn. the husband is 30 years of age. recommend assistance what the Committee thinks right.

628. Thomas Brambles: 240 Sackville Street. Married. Wife aged 47. Husband 32. English. out from England 18 months. a boy 19. Worked in Hamilton's foundary last summer & Winter till 5 weeks ago. Another boy 14, has been going to day school for 2 Months. The husband expects to get into the Police. they seem to be respectable people. the house is fairly comfortable. they have received 5 bushels Coke & Bread twice. The Woman

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Tuesday 23rd March 1880

says that they do not waste & that they are in want. I am puzzled what to recommend. If any; Bread for two weeks only

629. Isabella Butterick: 213 Sumach Street. I could not find. I'll try again

630. James McKay: rear 78 Lombard Street. recommended by Mr. N.C. Love for a second supply of Coal on account of his wife being sick. having been sent out of the Hospital where she was under treatment

Tuesday 23rd March 1880

Present Messrs. J.W. Drummond. E. Hobson. & S. Alcorn

631. Alice Jones: 2 Goulding Street. married. husband a Carpenter. English. Methodist. 2 Children. 8. 4. She is very ill after Confinement & in want of necessities. Husband out of employment a long time. very respectable people. recommend Groceries & 600 lbs. Coal as soon as possible

632. John Irwin: 98 Chestnut Street. very sick & poor. 3 children. Girls 16. 13. 4. the oldest only support of the family for months. recommend Coal. Bread & Groceries

633. Julia Sheridan: London House. Irish. R.C. aged 55 years. husband French Canadian. R.C. aged 56. Shoe maker has had his shoulder dislocated and is unable to work .they look poor enough. they had no fire. no children Recommend Bread & Fuel

634. Cecelia Cousins: 236 King Street East. aged 24. husband left her. tailor by trade. one Child. very poor. recommend 6 lbs. Bread and Coals

635. Isabella Butterick: 213 Sumach Street. aged 44. Married. English. Congregational. husband an Artist. has been ill for a few weeks but well now. aged 39. The people sober & intelligent. Came from England to this City last November. The house & things poor and not clean. Boys 15. 13. 10. Girl 8. the eldest

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boy in a bowling Alley. nothing better could be got. Give Coal and 10 lbs. Bread

636. Charles Pearce: 23 Cornwall Street. he was not in. there was quite a No. of persons in this house. his brother & family & some others. did not like the look of matters. will call again

637. Jane Shera: 207 Sumach Street. got 600 lbs. of Coal at one time & the 300 lbs. she says of the 300 lbs. she only got 150 lbs. the driver keeping the other 150 lbs. she is also getting bread. her 2 boys are now at work & her husband clears [dollars] 12 a month so give her, her bread for the week and tell her she will get no more. she is thankful for the assistance she got from the House

638. John Ingleson: 57 Kingston Road. The name was sent here by Mr. Alderman Hallam as one in extreme need of the necessities of life. Visitor called upon them and was told they did not apply for relief

Friday 26th March 1880

Present Mr. S. Alcorn & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. H. Rowsell

639. Mary Ann Cliff: a widow about 68 years of age. Irish. Ch of Eng. 20 years in Canada. 2 years in Toronto off & on. no relations in Toronto, no means. recommended by the Revd. Arthur Baldwin for admission. Admitted.

640. Matilda Eversfield: rear 133 Berkeley Street. Ch of Eng. husband out of town looking for work. 2 small children. seems clean & respectable. comes from Barrie. If they are still out of work might have Bread & Coal once

641. John Theissee: 178 Dundas Street. he is a German about 10 Months out. has wife & 3 Children. eldest girl about 13 years old. is a Basket Maker. Owing to his imperfect English I could make out that he has been ill lately & that he cannot get a cash sale for his Chairs & baskets. he does not want fuel but would be thankful for Bread which I recommend for a short time

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Tuesday 30th March 1880

Present E. Hobson Esq.

642. Thomas Rennick: 38. Church of Eng. Irish. 9 years in Toronto. in bad health, no means of supporting himself, seeks admission admitted with understanding to make himself useful. ^left May 24th^

643. Mabel Graham: 116 Elizabeth Street. Wesleyan. Widow. living with a family receiving relief already. no children. would recommend Bread only

644. Jane McQuinn: 9 Hagerman Street. Ch of E. [Church of England] husband disabled by the falling of Hotel on the Island. out of funds. Needs Bread & Coal

Friday 2nd April 1880

Present Messrs. R. Wilkes & E. Hobson

645. Clarissa Brown: 77 Sydenham Street. recommended by Mr. O'Brien for a second supply of Coal as she seems destitute & her son is out of work

Tuesday 6th April 1880

Present J. Gillespie Esq. & E Hobson Esq.

646. Thomas Wilson: 72 Garrison Street. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] labourer. 6 years in Toronto. 2 Girls. 5. 3. 1 Boy 5 Months. room clean. furniture poor. Industrious if he could get work but he has a very sore limb & not able to do hard work. They want all you can give Coals & Bread

Friday 9th April 1880

Present E. Hobson Esq.

647. Sidney Galbreath: in case 871 in 1879 left the house on her own accord

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Tuesday 13th April 1880

648. Norman Matheson: say 70 years of age. about 30 years in Canada. from Parry Sound last fall. no friends or means of support. last four Months in Jail, for no Crime, but because he was without a home, application was made for his admission by Mr. McPherson Deputy Chief of Police. Scotch. Presbyterian. Admitted

649. Charles Anglesea: in 849 in 1879 found his way of [off] the premisses without asking leave & has not returned

650. Mary A. Robertson: in case 477. asked leave to see friends. did not return. April 11th

651. John Gray: in case 1671 in 1878. left the House on his own account.

Tuesday 13th April 1880

Present Mr. Alderman McMurrick & Revd. Mr. Baldwin



652. Mary Hunter: 107 Agnes Street. 31 years of age. 2 Children. Boy 12. & Girl 10 years of age. English. Ch of Eng. husband a baker left her two weeks ago

653. Isabella Ozanne: 23 Walton Street from Guernsey Ch of Eng 6 Children 4 boys 10. 4. 2. & one 5 weeks old 2 Girls 9. 6. years of age husband left them. Revd. Mr. Lewis knows the case and recommends. Groceries, 600 lbs. Coal & Bread

Friday 16th April 1880

Present R. Gilmor Esqr. & Revd. A. Baldwin

654. Mary A. Robertson: in case 650. applied for readmission. promised not to break the rules again. Admitted

655. Joseph Pointon: in case 279. left the House on his own account

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656. Samuel Caswell: aged 75 years. 40 years in Canada. Irish. Ch of Eng. formally [formerly] a resident of King where he lived 20 years & from Wennipeg [Winnipeg] last July. no settled place of residence, no friends. Seeks admission. Admitted

Tuesday 20th April 1880

Present J. Jacques Esq.

657. Janett Sawden: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued

658. Mary Jane Hughes: to have 4 lbs. Bread for a month

659. Mary Carroll: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer

660. Mary Purvis: to have 4 lbs. Bread for a month

661. Honora Boyle: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer

662. Bridget Efferson: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer

663. Julia McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer

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- 664. Bridget Ketts: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 665. Ellen Rutherford: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 666. Catherine Cullerton: to have 8 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 667. Rose McKenna: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 668. Bridget McCan: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 669. Mary Cook: to have 6 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 670. Ellen Thompson: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 671. Jane Eaton: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 672. Catherine Stuart: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 673. Elizabeth Fisher: to have 8 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 674. Mary Gillam: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 675. Isabella McAdam: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 676. Eliza McKewan: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 677. Mary Watts: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 678. Ann Callowood: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 679. Ann Bowles: to have 8 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 680. Sophia Goose: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 681. Ann Duffy: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 682. Mary McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 683. James Hall: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 684. Harriett Batty: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 685. Sarah Ogden: to have 4 lbs. Bread during the summer
- 686. Sara Ann Kilby: recomd. by Mr. Gilmor for sick allowance

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687. Morris Cosmar: an Inmate in case 878 in 1879 left the House on his own account 20th April.

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Present A.T. McCord Esq.

688. Catherine Longworth: 77 years of age. a widow. 15 year. Methodist. Native of Ireland. 40 years in Canada, no friends, & no means, seeks admission into the House. lives at present in Whitby, but has been a resident in Toronto for many years. Admitted. Left May 15.

689. Emma Cuff: 172 Claremont Street. widow. Ch of E. [Church of England] English. Seamstress. 7 years in Toronto. 2 boys 13 & 14. 1 girl 24. all 3 at home. eldest boy too sick for school. Girl earns a days wages occasionally, rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help at present. I recommend Bread

690. Mary Rice: 654 Queen Street West. A deserted wife. Irish. Charwoman. 28 years in Toronto. 2 Boys 4. 2 3/4 years. no girls, both children at home. rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help. I recommend Bread

691. John Leahey: 658 Queen Street West. He has severe sickness in the house & needs provisions. such as Groceries, as well as Bread. This man seems to be as worthy as he has been lately unfortunate. this case I recommend strongly

692. Susan O'Brien: rear 119 Jarvis Street. 34 years old. husband 37. labourer. cant get work. 4 Children. 2 Boys. and 2 Girls. recommend 6 lbs. Bread

693. John Ingleson: Kingston Road. has been to see (Mr. Pape) me & wants to get some Coal or Groceries. they have been trying to get along without asking relief. I visited them some time ago. The family consist of only Husband & Wife. the old man has been afflicted with Paralises over 12 Months. Please do the best you can for them. they are very deserving.

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694. Clement Reid: Bulwer Street. recommended by Revd. Mr. Cayley for a weekly supply of Bread. He is not considered sufficiently able bodied for work of the Corporation & even with Bread supplied will have to depend largely on Charity for his support. to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer

695. Sarah Moore: Soho Street. recommend by Revd. Mr. Cayley for the usual amount of Bread for the comming season. to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer

696. Hugh McGee: Browns lane. recommended by Revd. Mr. Williams for an allowance of Bread during the summer. he is a respectable old man but unable to work. to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

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697. William Booth: Lombard Street. recommended by Mr. R. Gilmor for the usual allowance of Bread, as he is past work & needs to eat summer as well as winter. to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued

698. Mary Walker: 1 Downeys lane. recommended by Revd. Mr. Lewis as a very poor woman with a family of 6 children. she is quite unable to provide for them without help. I hope you will be able to help her through the summer as usual for I think her a Worthy woman. to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer.

699. Mary Maddigan: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during summer

700. Catherine Halloran: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

701. Mary Pollard: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

702. Ann Wallace: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

703. Catherine Keating: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

704. Hannah Humphreys: to have 8 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

705. Bridget Walsh: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

706. Eliza McCauley: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

707. Margaret Martin: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during the summer

708. John Leahey: to have 8 lbs. Bread] continued for 2 Months

709. Mary Ruglan: to have 4 lbs. Bread] continued during summer

710. Susan Chessal: to have 8 lbs. Bread continued during summer

711. Mary Downey: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during summer

712. Ann Fox: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during summer

713. Bridget Cavanagh: to have 6 lbs. Bread continued during summer

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714. Elizabeth Jury: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer

715. Isabella Rogers: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer

716. Mary Millar: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer

717. Susan O'Brien: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued for one Month

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718. Emma Cuff: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued for one Month  
719. Margaret McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
720. Sarah Fleming: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
721. Sarah Wilson: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued for one month  
722. Susan Pooler: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
723. Catherine Mulheron: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued for one Month  
724. Catherine Wilson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
725. Mary Rice: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued for one month  
726. Mary Sullivan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
727. Hannah Badkins: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
728. Elizabeth Gothard: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
729. Margaret Lennon: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
730. Sarah Fruman: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
731. Hannah Ashaw: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
732. Mary Rutherford: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
733. Mary Wiley: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer  
734. William Rooney: an Inmate in case 523 in 1877 died this day 26th April. aged 83 years  
735. William Page: an Inmate in case 805 in 1879 left the House on his own account  
736. Eliza Thompson: an Inmate in case 448 left the House on her own account

Tuesday 27th April 1880

Present J. Scott Esq. & R. Walker Esq.

737. Elizabeth Carter: 85 Ann Street. Widow. Ch of Eng. 13 years in Toronto. 4 Boys & 4 Girls. 24. 19. 17. 14. 12. 10. 8. 6 years. 7 at home. Wife is sickly. oldest daughter an invalid. family decent & respectable. recommend 8 lbs. Bread weekly & some Oatmeal occasionally

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738. Margaret McKay: 502 King Street East. This seems a deserving case. Husband was in Asylum, now in Jail as a lunatic, she has 6 little Children & 2 Boys earning [dollars] 1 50 & [dollars] 1 per Week. no means of support except she tries to sell a few Groceries [etc.] & has a sewing Machine. says neighbours have been kind to her. seems sober & clean. Must be helped. says wants food most for children. recommend Coal & Bread

739. Ellen Ashton: Bulwer Street. recommended by Revd. Mr. Cayley for the usual supply of Bread for the season as she is weak in health & unable to labour for her living. to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly continued during summer

740. Bridget Burns: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

741. Catherine McNamara: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

742. Jane Dundas: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

743. Margaret Tansey: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

744. Maria Chapman: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

745. Harriet Beck: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

746. Bridget Hughes: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

747. Mary Ann Andrews: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

748. Margaret McKay: to have 12 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

749. Bridget Muldoon: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

750. Jane Fraser: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

751. Johanna McDonald: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

752. Elizabeth Carter: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

753. Mary Livingston: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

754. Ann Swanton: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

755. Jane Curran: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

756. Mary Carney: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

757. Margaret Elwood: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

758. Elizabeth Burns: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

759. Frances Helm: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

760. Dummy Jones: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

- 761. Ann Dunleavy: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 762. Ada Stephens: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 763. Bridget McCabe: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 764. Margaret Lawrie: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 765. Mary Patterson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

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- 766. Sarah Ann Kilby: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly continued for one month
- 767. John Blyth: formerly an Inmate in case 598 applied for readmission & recommended by Mr. R. Walker. Admitted
- 768. Thomas Rowe: formerly an Inmate in case 722 in 1879. applied for readmission. Admitted
- 769. Robert Burke: an Inmate in case 787 in 1879 applied to the Board to be sent to his friends at Cobourg who are willing to keep him. passage to be paid by the House. left 30th April

Friday 30th April 1880

Present J. Scott Esq. & Revd. J.P. Lewis

- 770. Charlotte Hall: 78 Claremont Street. particulars reported 3rd Jany. now suffering severely from Erycipelas [Erysipelas] & inflammation. recommend Groceries in full sick Allowance
- 771. Catherine Prince: 69 Lumley Street. elderly widow. Ch of Eng. Canadian, 30 years in Toronto, 3 Boys of 9. 11. 14 years. no girls but one married & away. eldest boy earns [dollars] 5 per Month. rooms decent. habits orderly. suffering from inflammation. no other help. I would recommend Groceries in full sick allowance.
- 772. Jane O'Connell: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 773. Hannah Birmingham: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 774. Mary Anderson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 775. Eliza Holland: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
- 776. Margaret Vergeon: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

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777. James McIntosh: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
778. Jane Gray: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
779. Emma Webb: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
780. Ellen Patton: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
781. Julia Kane: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
782. Charles Anglesea: formerly an Inmate in case 649. recommended by Mr. S. Alcorn for readmission. Admitted

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Tuesday 4th May 1880

Present Messrs. E. Hobson. S. Rogers & Revd. Mr. King

783. Matthew Curran: to have 6 lbs. Bread Weekly during summer
784. Susan Walsh: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
785. Catherine McDougall: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
786. Rachel Boyd: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
787. Bridget Pickering: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during summer
788. Isabella Ozanne: to have 12 lbs. Bread weekly during summer

Friday 7th May 1880

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers

789. Samuel Caswell: in case 656. applied to Committee to be sent to King where he has friends to support him. his application was granted & the fare to be paid
790. Catherine Brown: 41 Edward Street. This woman & her sister live together. They are both Widows. The sister has 3 children under 5 years. she works out as Cook at a Restaurant. gets [dollars] 3 a week. I would recommend that she gets bread for the balance of this month. Weekly committee recommend her to have 8 lbs. Bread during summer months.
791. Eliza Thompson: to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer weekly

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792. Mary Jane Brophy: to have 6 lbs. Bread during summer weekly

793. Rosanna Lee: to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer weekly

Tuesday. 11th May 1880.

Present, Revd. J.D. Cayley, & Mr. E. Hobson for Messrs. W.H. Howland & E.H. Rutherford.

794. Cathr. O'Connell: husband and four Children, from Welland 10 days. came to Toronto on account of husbands bad Eyesight. Natives of Ireland. R.C. Church. to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly for one Month.

795. Mary A. Cliff: in Case 639, left the House on her own account.

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Tuesday. May 11/80

796. Sarah Freeman: in Case 1217 in 1879. left the House on her own account, says will try to get into General Hospital.

Friday. May 14 1880.

Present. Revd. J.D. Cayley, & Mr. E. Hobson for Messrs. W.H. Howland and E.H. Rutherford

797. James McKay: rear of 78 Lombard St. on account of sickness of himself and Wife, to have full allowance of Groceries. 6 hundred Coal. and Weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread.

798. Emily Robinson: 49 Lumley St. weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued.

Tuesday. May 18th 1880.

Present. Very Revd. J.M. Laurent & R. Gilmor Esq.

799. Ann Gorman: to have her weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread continued during summer Months.

800. Thomas Rowe: in Case 768, desires to leave the House and live with a Grand daughter who will keep him.

801. John Ruthven: in Case 602. Applied to Committee for permission to go out when ever his business required him to do so, that is, to see his Lawyer, and to go to Hamilton when required. was informed, the rules of the House do not allow Inmates to absent themselves when they feel inclined to do so.

802. Mary Hannan: 18 West St. A Widow. Irish. R.C. Charwoman. 5 Children. 2 boys, 16 & 14. 3 girls, 10. 8. & 5. eldest girl a cripple. had relief last winter and some years before. Recommended by Visitor that relief be continued during summer Months

803. Ann Flood: Weekly allowance of 4 lbs. Bread continued.

804. Margt. Hill: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued.

805. Wesly [Wesley] Collins: 6 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months

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Friday, May 21st 1880.

Present, E. Hobson Esq.

806. Mary Ann Whalan: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

807. Susan Charbotte: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

808. Cathr. Eagan: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

809. Edward Smith: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

810. Ellen Casey: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

811. Elisa O'Neill: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

812. Mary Wymes: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

813. John Mullins: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

814. Mary Keanan: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

815. Margt. Ketts: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months]

816. Cathr. Whittaker: 4 lbs. bread weekly during Summer Months

Tuesday May 25th 1880

Present, W.J. MacDonell Esq.

817. Thomas Rennick: in Case 642, had leave to go out, has not returned.

818. Jane Kellett: an old Out door Pensioner, to have her weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued.

819. Samuel Caswell: in Case 789. left to day for King. his fare [cents] 75 was paid by the House.

Friday, May 28th 1880.

Present, W.J. MacDonell Esq.

820. Ann Darra: in Case 601. Left the House on her own account.

821. Cathr. Flood: in Case 952 in 1879. left the House on her own account, will keep house for a Son of hers'.

Tuesday 1st June, 1880

Present, Revd. G. Cochrane, & N.C. Love Esqr.

No Applicants.

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Friday. June 4th 1880.

Revd. G. Cochrane, & Mr. Alderman N.C. Love.

822. Ann Simmonds: in Case 857 in 1879. applied for permission to leave the House, thinks she is losing her health, wants to recruit herself by living with friends who will keep her allowed to do so, but not to come back to House of Industry

823. Julia Brierton: in Case 603. was sent from General Hospital back to House of Industry, as nothing more can be done for her there.

Tuesday, June 8th 1880.

Present, E. Hobson Esq.

824. John Timson: in Case 694 in 1876. Left the House without asking leave and has not returned.

Friday, June 11th 1880.

825. Henry Foley: aged 40. Irish. ChofEngland. 18 years in Canada. 10 years in Toronto. a Stone Mason. Blind for last 12 Months. lived lately with a sister at Sunnydale, who is poor and cannot support him. Made application for his admission. Doctor examined, and certify's that Foley is a fit case for the charity of the House of Industry.

826. Mary Delacourt: aged 40. Irish. R.C. Married. lately from Ottawa, where she has two Children provided for. Came to Toronto two weeks ago to look after her husband, who is in the Central Prison till next May. has no means or friends, came here for shelter, would make herself useful if allowed to remain until she can better herself.

Tuesday, June 15th 1880

No Committee present.

827. William Stephens: in Case 1033 in 1878. left on his own account, expects some Employment

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Tuesday. June 15/80

828. Elisa McCauley: aged 62. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. A Widow, with one Son & daughter away from her. Recommended by Mrs. Dr. Bull for admission. had shelter in Casual, turned out a drunken, worthless woman, and left 23rd.

Friday 18th June. 1880.

No Committee present

829. John Black: aged 62. wife 70. 135 Berkely St. had relief last winter, and for some years past. Applied for bread during the summer Months.

Tuesday, 22nd June 1880.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. Henry Rowsell.

830. John Black: in Case 829. to have 6 lbs. bread weekly.

Friday, 25th June 1880

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. Henry Rowsell.

831. Margaret Eaton: in Case, 869 in 1879. had leave to go out, has not returned. Readmitted July 5th

Tuesday, 29th June, 1880.

Present, R. Elmsley Esq.

No Applicants.

Friday, July 2nd 1880.

Present, Very Revd. Dean Grasett.

No Applicants

832. Neal Galbright: and [an] Inmate. strayed off the premises on 5th July. See case 484 in 1874.

833. John Timson: in Case 824. found his way back to the House, and seeks readmission. Admitted. Timson is hardly responsible for what he does.

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Friday, 9th July 1880.

No Committee present.

834. Charlotte Norberry: aged 48. Irish. ChofEngland. an old resident of Toronto, but for last 8 years in Buffalo, came back to Toronto, afflicted. not able to earn her living and no friends. seeks admission into the House. Recommended by the Very Revd. Dean Grasett. Left Septbr. 30th

835. Thomas Bryerson: aged 55. Irish. ChofEngland. lost his left leg 3 years ago, by accident, on the G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railway] Track, on the bottom of Church St. says he cannot make a living. seeks admission. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Sanson.

836. Michael Furlong: aged 78 years, Irish. R.C. formerly an Inmate, see Case 704 in 1876. has been living with a son in the Country who is now dead, and Furlong seeks readmission into the House again. Recommended by Very Revd. J.M. Laurent.

Tuesday, 13th July, 1880.

Present, R. Gilmor Esq. & Revd. A. Baldwin

837. Charlotte Norberry: in Case 834. to be admitted.

838. Thomas Bryerson: in Case ^835^ to be admitted.

839. Michael Furlong: in Case 836. to be admitted with understanding, that he make himself general useful. and the first time he misconduct's himself to be dismissed from the House.

Friday, 16th July. 1880.

Present, R. Gilmor Esq. & Revd. A. Baldwin.

840. John McGan: say 75 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. An old resident. at one time an Inmate, and since then an out door pensioner for many years. lately in General Hospital with a broken hip, discharged from there. recommended as a fit case for House of Industry. Admitted.

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Friday, 16th July 1880.

841. Sarah Bright: an Inmate, left the House, she will live with a daughter of hers. came July 1st & left 16th



Tuesday, 20th July, 1880.

Present. J. Jacques Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday 23d July, 1880.

No Committee present.

842. Andrew Plummer: aged 78. English. ChofEngland. 24 years in Canada. last 10 Months in Toronto General Hospital, says has no friends, and no means of support, seeks admission.

Tuesday, 27th July, 1880.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. J. Scott.

843. Andrew Plummer: in Case 842. to be admitted.

Friday, 30th July, 1880.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. J. Scott.

844. George Mochrie: 72 years of age. 38 years in Canada, principally in the Lower province. four years in Toronto. a Baker by trade, peddles bread. is now in bad health & seeks admission. to call again next Tuesday.

Tuesday, 3d August, 1880.

Present, Messrs. S. Rogers, & E. Hobson.

845. George Mochrie: in Case 844, called again and was admitted. Left 12th August, for General Hospital.

846. Mary Ann Hickie: in Case 521. applied to Committee to be allowed to go out once a week to see her daughter. Committee refused, Mrs. Hickie being well known at the House on account of her drunken habits when out. and her daughter coming here frequently to see her Mother. In the afternoon she found the Gate open & ran away without leave.

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Friday, 6th August 1880.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers.

847. Neal Galbright: in Case 832, who strayed away from the House, was picked up by the Police as a Vagrant, & sent to Gael for a Month. came back to the House in a very feeble state of health.

848. James Hamilton: in Case 766 in 1879, left the House on his own account.

Tuesday, 10th August. 1880.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Messrs. W.H. Howland & E.H. Rutherford

No Applicants

Friday 13th August, 1880.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Messrs. W.H. Howland & E.H. Rutherford

849. William West: aged 61. Irish. ChofEngland. 8 years in Canada, chiefly employed on the Railroad. for the last year in Toronto General Hospital, having been discharged from there as an incurable. having no friends or means he seeks admission into the House of Industry, until the "Home" for incurables can receive him. Admitted.

Tuesday, 17th August, 1880.

Present, Very Revd. J.M. Laurent.

850. William Belmer: 148 York St. application was made for his admission into House of Industry. sent the Name and address to Visitor, who reports, that Belmer is 70 years of age, Native of Ireland & belonging to Church of England. was never married. has been living in, and round the City for twenty years. looks very sick, and Visitor found him in bed, he was turned out of the Hospital because he could not be cured. Mrs. Wright (in whose House he lives) says, they can get him into the House for incurables, but the new building will not be ready for eight weeks yet, so he can not be admitted before that time. He had been working round Wrights Tavern 148 York St.

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Tuesday, 17th August. 1880.

850. when he took sick, they sent him to the Hospital from which he is now discharged as an incurable. Belmer will call at the House to morrow if possible to meet the Committee, Visitor does not know what to recommend, but will leave the Case in the hands of the Committee.

Doctor visited the Case, and thinks the Man might be admitted as he is helpless, and suffering from attacks of Asthma. Belmer is not a stranger to House of Industry, he has been an Inmate twice before. See Case 615, in 1876.

Friday, 20th August, 1880.

Present, Very Revd. J.M. Laurent

No Applicants.

Tuesday, 24th August, 1880

Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & E. Hobson.

No Applicants.

Wednesday 25th August, 1880.

The Coal Committee, to open and examine Tenders met to day, at 9 O'Clock, A.M.

Present, Mr. Alderman N.C. Love, and E. Hobson Esqr.

851. The following Tenders were opened.

P.D. Conger:

Pittston Coal [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

Brier Hill [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

Soft Coal [dollars] 5.25 per Ton

Elias Rogers:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

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[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

[Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.50 per Ton

A.S. Nairn:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

[Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.50 per Ton

P. Burns:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

[Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.50 per Ton

G.J. Keith:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

[Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.50 per Ton

C.J. Smith:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

[Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.50 per Ton

Saml. Crane:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.50 per Ton

Guest & McNulty:

[Pittston coal] [dollars] 6.00 per Ton

[Brier Hill] [dollars] 6.50 per Ton

[Soft Coal] [dollars] 5.75 per Ton

Conger, Nairn, and Smith:

will deliver Massilon [Massillon] Coal at [dollars] 6.00 per Ton.

P.D. Congers Tender was accepted.

852. David Cox: in Case 843, ^in 1879^ had shelter in Casual. on account of being abusive, and not willing to put his hand out to help what work is to be done about the premisses, although well able to do so, and for badly illusing an old Man without any provocation.

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852. The Committee consider Cox, not a proper Case for this House, and ordered that he leave to day without fail.

Friday, 27th August. 1880.

Present, W.J. MacDonell Esqr. & Mr. {blank}

853. Charlotte Norberry: in Case 837, left the House on her own account, says' she has been offered a House Keepers place at the Humber. August 30th.

Tuesday, 31st August 1880.

Present, Mr. Alderman Love. Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. Alderman Fleming, and Revd. G. Cochrane [Cochran].

No Applicants.

Friday, 3d Septbr. 1880.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Messrs. N.C. Love and J. Fleming

854. Harriett White: aged 26. Canadian. Methodist. from Suspension Bridge [bridge at Niagara Falls]. 5 Weeks in Toronto. 2 Children, boy 4 years & boy 14 months. says her husband deserted her. seeks shelter until Tuesday, when she will try to get the Children into the Boys Home, and go herself to Service. Septbr. 4

Tuesday 7th Septbr. 1880.

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Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. J. Shea & Revd. A. Williams

855. Neil Galbright: in Case 484, in 1874. died this Morning, Septbr. 8th aged 80 years.

Friday 10th Septbr. 1880

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. J. Shea & Revd. Mr. Williams

No Applicants

Tuesday 14th Septbr. 1880

Present, Revd. Dr. Potts, & Revd. Dr. Rose

856. Charles Anglesea: died Septbr. 16th aged 79 years.

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Friday 17th Septbr. 1880.

No Committee present.

857. James McCartney: in Case 802 in 1879, left the House on his own account.

858. Mary Jane Gray: say 33 years of age. Canadian. Methodist. not strong. therefore not able to earn her living. Lived with her Mother, Pheobe [Phoebe] Gray, who died 4 Months ago, and who had relief from this House over twenty years. The Girl came here for shelter Septbr 18th, and seeks admission into the House. has two married Sisters in Toronto, who have families, and are very poor, and not able to assist Mary Jane.

Tuesday 21st September 1880

Present. Mr. S. Alcorn, and Mr. E. Hobson for Messrs. J.W. Drummond & Henry Rowsell.

859. Mary Jane Gray: in Case 858, to be admitted, with the understanding that she make herself general useful.

Friday 24th September 1880,

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Messrs. J.W. Drummond and Henry Rowsell.

860. Thomas Henderson: 80 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. has been for many years a resident in Toronto. is brother to Mr. Henderson the Auctioneer. no means, no one to help him. seeks admission. admitted.

Tuesday 28th Septbr. 1880.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday, October 1st 1880.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

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Tuesday, October 5th 1880

Present, Revd. A.J. Broughall & J. Gillespie Esqr.

861. Edmond Walsh: at present an Inmate of House of Providence where he has been for some years, Revd. Mr. Bethune of Port Hope made application to Revd. Mr. Broughall for his admission into House of Industry. sent the Case to Hon. G.W. Allan (Visitor) to investigate.

862. Alexd. Macdonald: in Case 887 in 1879. left this Institution for Incurable Home. Octbr 7th.

Friday, 8th October 1880.

Present, Messrs. J. Gillespie & E. Hobson.

863. Solomon Schoenlank: aged 68. Native of Prussia. a Jew. 37 years in Toronto. lately from General Hospital. bad Eye sight. says has no friends or means of support. seeks admission until the Home for Incurables is ready to receive him, says he has the promise of being admitted there. Admitted.

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864. William Belmer: in Case 850. applied to day for admission. Admitted.

Tuesday 11th October 1880

Present, Revd. A.H. Baldwin, & W.J. MacDonnell Esqr.

The above two Cases 863 & 864, should have been entered under date October 11th.

Friday 15th October, 1880

Present, Revd. A.H. Baldwin & Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson

No Applicants.

Tuesday 19th October 1880.

Present, Messrs. J. Jacques, A.T. McCord & E. Hobson.

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Friday, Octbr. 22/80.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

865. Elisa Sandford: 438 King St. west. aged 31. ChofEngl. English. 6 Children. Revd. Mr. Williams, (Visitor) recommends a large allowance of Groceries, as she has just been confined and is destitute of everything. her Husband is in the North West, and has sent her no money since he went away, so that she has not the means of purchasing anything for herself or the Children.

Tuesday, Octbr. 26th 1880

Present, Messrs. R. Walker & J. Scott.

866. Mary Ann Hickie: aged 77. Irish. R.C. see Case 846, made application for readmission. admitted on condition that she make herself useful as far as able, and not allowed to go out of the House, unless she feels inclined to leave for good.

867. James Fishburn: aged 50. and his Sister Jane, aged 47 years, called here last Sunday for shelter, and have been staying here until to day. say they are Emigrants, and arrived in Canada, from Yorkshire, England, last May twelve Months. had nearly four hundred pounds sterling between them, went up North near Shelbourne, and were persuaded to join in partnership with a Man who lived on a wild Bush farm, this Man borrowed their Money from time to time until he had the last Dollar, pretending he was buing [buying] seeds and implements for use of the farm. Finally he disposed of all he was possed [possessed] of, and told these people to go to the States with him, that there they would live together again, and every thing would be all right. Arrived in Toronto last Friday, when the Man deserted the Fishburns, and left them with only 10 [cents] and quite destitute. Committee will allow them shelter for a few days, to give them an opportunity to look for Employment

Friday, 29th October 1880

Prent [present], James Scott Esqr.

No Applicants.

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Tuesday. 2nd November 1880.

Present, Revd. J.M. King, & Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers.

868. Jonathan Rowlin: aged 53 years. Native of Yorkshire, England, many years in Toronto. a Cripple, not able to earn his living, and his Brother who is in good circumstances is unwilling to assist. seeks admission. admitted.

869. Thomas Ferris: aged 65. Native of Ireland. R. Catholic, many years in Canada. Blind for 13 years. has been travelling from place to place begging his living. arrived in Toronto from Hamilton 3 weeks ago. says 'has no friends & no settled Home. seems admission. Admitted. 870. William Belmer: in Case 864. died this day at 2 OClock P.M. aged 70 years. March 2nd.

871. James Fishburn: and his Sister Jane, in Case 867. to be admitted for a time.

Friday, 5th November 1880.

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson & S. Rogers.

872. Julia Tye: 120 Clairmont [Claremont] St. had relief last Winter. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Harrison for the usual sick allowance, having just been confined & being destitute.

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Tuesday 9th November 1880.

Present, Revd. J.D. Cayley & Messrs. E. Hobson & E.H. Rutherford

Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. W.H. Howland

873. James J. Thompson: aged 57. English. ChofEngl. 8 years in Toronto, discharged from General Hospital 3 Weeks ago. suffers from Bright disease. says has no means of support, and is not able to do hard work. seeks admission. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Sanson. admitted.

874. Mary Ross or Ruglan: aged 67. A Widow. English. ChofEngl well Known at the House for some years. at one time an Inmate but dismissed on account insubordination. came here for shelter.

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Friday Novbr.12th 1880.

Present, Revd. J.D. Cayley, & E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

875. Margaret Keeley: 42 Elizabeth St. aged 24 years. some 8 years from U. States. Methodist. 2 Children, Girls, one two years, the other five Months old. Says husband left some five Months ago, has heard from him once, but sent her no Money. has been sick herself, which made her apply for relief, never had assistance before. seems very respectable, and every thing clean and neat about her room. to have 6 lbs. bread weekly for the present. [in margin: Chs. L.]

Tuesday. 16th November 1880

Present, Very Revd. J.M. Laurent.

876. Ida Stephens: 41 Buchannan St. 600 lbs. Coal.

877. Mary Organ: 75 Edward St. aged 46. Husband John 43. Irish. R.C. 7 Children. boy 16, earns [dollars] 3, a week. boys, 15. 13. 11. 7. 2 1/2 and a girl 5 years of age. Husband apparently in a bad state of health, has not been able to provide for his family for some time past. seem very poor. seek relief. [in margin: Chs. L.]

Friday, Novbr. 19/80

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No Committee present.

878. Elizabeth Jury: 34 Alice St. has relief from the House. sick in bed. sent a barrow load of coke.

879. Mrs. Davey: 3 Mechanics block, King St. west. full sick allowance, recommended by Revd. A. Williams. (Visitor)

880. Amelia Spinks: 10 Conway St. Revd. Mr. Harrison visited and found her suffering from severe sickness. so that she requires being in poor circumstances whatever assistance can be given in such cases. full allowance of Groceries, and a weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread.

881. Mary Brown: says is a stranger in Toronto. seeks shelter for a day or two, to rest. will go back to Weston where she came from.

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Tuesday, Novbr. 23d 1880.

Present, Revd. D.J. Macdonnell & W.J. MacDonell

882. Ann Gillis: of 29 Camden St. 30 years of age. a very respectable woman, whose husband is lying ill of a low fever and so not able to earn anything for his family. Emigrants from Ireland last May. ChofEngland. 3 Children, boys, 7, 4, and 2 years of age. Recommended by Revd. Mr. Williams (Visitor) for any help that can be given. 8 lbs. bread weekly and a full allowance of groceries.

Friday 26th Novbr. 1880.

Present, W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

883. George Bartrip: aged 39. Native of England. ChofEngland, 11 years in Canada. says' lived chiefly in Toronto, fell off a Waggen a twelve Months ago and broke his legs. has been in Hospital, now discharged from there, walks on two crutches. Not able to earn his living, and no friends to assist him. seeks admission. referred to Doctor.

884. Mary Carpenter: 70 Richmond St. west. English. ChofEngl. a Widow. no Children. 10 years in this Country. She is in very poor health, the Doctor says she has a diseased liver. She tried at one time to Keep boarders but they left without paying her. she has also been washing [etc.] until she lost her health and is now unable to do any work. She requires fire, bread, and Visitor thinks sick allowance. she will not be able to wait upon the Committee. She also says she has received relief from the House the past three

Winters through the Revd. Mr. Williams. Groceries, & 600 lbs. Coal, 4 lbs. bread weekly if she can send for it.

885. Mary Dyer: 12 Richmond St. west. A Widow, aged 40. Scotch, R.C. 8 Children, all girls, 18. 16. 15. 13. 11. 9. 7. 6 years respectively, the youngest is very sick. She was out working but can't get much to do. will likely wait upon the Committee to morrow. They seem to be in want of everything. To have 12 lbs. bread weekly, and coal when given out.

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886. Samuel Casswell: 12 Richmond St. west. has made up his mind to go to the Hospital, and get his Children into the Home. his wife is in the Hospital.

887. Margaret Kinsella: 203 St. George St. A Widow, with two daughters, 15, and 19 years of age. Irish. R.C. respectable. Recommended by Mr. Alderman McMurrich for a little firing, 1/4 Cord hard wood and some bread.

Tuesday, 30th Novbr. 1880.

Present, Revd. G. Cochran [Cochrane], & Messrs. Alderman J. Fleming & N.C. Love.

888. William Stephens: in Case 827. Made application for readmission during the winter. Not to be admitted at present for reasons known to Committee, but allowed to remain in Casual ward for a time, and there to make himself useful.

889. Bridget Murphy: 19 Caer Howell [Caer-Howell] St. her husband died three weeks ago, and she is left with four small Children, two boys, 11 and 5 years, two girls 9 years, and 5 Months. very poor. Revd. Mr. Laurent, recommends bread now, and Coal as soon as given out. Irish. R.C.

890. Caroline Webb: 80 Magill [McGill] St. very badly off for fuel, and as she is near her confinement, to send Coal as soon as possible.

Friday, 3d December 1880

Present, Revd. G. Cochran [Cochrane], & Messrs. J. Fleming & N.C. Love.

No Applicants

Tuesday, 7th Decbr. 1880.

No Committee.

891. Rebecca Greentree: See Case 1156 in 1879. Now living at 114 River St. she is near her confinement, and husband not able to do much. Hon. Mr. Allan would recommend some bread and firing. 8 lbs. bread weekly, & 5 Bushel Coke for the present.

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Tuesday, Decbr. 7th 1880

892. Thomas Bramble: 13 Reed St. had relief last year, says his wife is just confined, and has nothing in the House to nourish her,. expects work in a few days. Groceries and 6 lbs. bread for the present, also a few Bushel Coke if he comes for it.

893. Thomas Henderson: in Case 860, left the House this day Dcbr. 8th will live with his Brother.

Friday, 10th Decbr. 1880.

Present, Revd. A.J. Broughall, for Revd. A. Williams.

894. Jane Jarrett: 263 Gerard St. East of Parliment St. in great need, Her husband is in the Hospital. She is hourly expecting her confinement. very clean and respectable. Mr. O'Brien, (Visitor) recommends Coal, bread and Groceries. English. ChofEngl.

895. Caroline Webb: 80 Magill [McGill] St. English. ChofEngl. 5 Children, 3 boys and 2 girls. Husband afflicted with cancer, wife expects every day to be confined. had relief last winter. Recommended to have Coal, bread and groceries.

896. Emma Smith: 120 Clairmont [Claremont] St. aged 44. husband a labourer aged 43. 4 Children, 3 at home, girls, 19. 14 and 10, the youngest sick with taiphoyd [typhoid] fever. English. ChofEngl. Revd. Mr. Harrison recommends sick allowance.

897. Julia Enright: of Clairmont [Claremont] St. has been confined. Revd. Mr. Harrison recommends the usual sick allowance.

898. John C. Price: 68 years of age. English. Methodist Church. Resident in Toronto for many years. in bad health. was recommended on 9th Novbr. by Revd. Dr. Potts for admission into House of Industry

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until the Home for Incurables will be opened, when Price will be admitted there as an Inmate. Died this day Decbr. 11th at 10.30. A.M.

899. John Ruthven: in Case 801 [see Case 602], left this Institution (Decbr. 11th) for Incurable Home.

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900. Emma Webb: 152 Huron St. Widow. English. ChofEngland. for some years afflicted with Rheumatism. 6 Children, boy 13, earning [dollars] 1.50 a week at Hays & Cos. three other boys, 11, 8 & 5 years, 2 girls, one 16, looks after the Mother and after the rest of the family. and one 10 years old. very respectable, had relief for some years. Recommended by the Revd. Mr. Broughall to have the same continued.

Tuesday, December 14/80

Present, Revd. Dr. Potts.

No Applicants

Friday, Decbr. 17/80.

Present, Revd. Dr. Rose, and Mr. E. Hobson.

901. William Myles: aged 58. English, ChofEngland. had a few nights in Casual ward. say's has been living at Thornhill, but not able to work was told to go to Toronto and get into the Poor House. The Man is very ill and not a fit case for this place. Revd. Dr. Rose called on the Mayor and got an order for Myles' admission into General Hospital.

902. Jasper Cook: aged 55. Native of Ireland. Presbyterian. 25 years in Toronto, a man well known at the House. came for shelter in casual, if allowed to stay for a time will make himself general useful.

Tuesday 21st decr 1880

Present Messrs. E. Hobson, S. Alcorn & S. Rogers



903. Chs. [Charles] A. Peck: 68 English, Ch of England, resident in Toronto for many years, a Gardner [gardener] formerly an Inmate see Case {blank}, seeks admission for the Winter, allowed Shelter in the Casual Ward for a week, and if he conducts himself in a proper manner to be admitted into the House

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904. Elizabeth Alexander: rear 363 King St. East 30 years of age English, Ch of England, {Cumberland}, ^Husband^ a Labourer, not able to work on account of bad Leg, 2 Children Boy 4 years, Girl 14 Months old

905. Thomas Carroll: 297 Jarvis St. in want of coal & Bread. 65 years & unable to work at present, he get a little grass cutting in the summer, but has nothing now, he is lame & has Wife & children, Is a R. Catholic and attends church, recommended

Friday 24th decr. 1880

Present Messrs. S. Alcord [Alcorn] & S. Rogers

906. Emma Starkey: 1 Britton [Britain] St, Emigrants from England 2 years ago, went to Collingwood & Barrie, came back to Toronto last April, England, Ch of England one Child Girl 16 months old, Husband a Book Keeper out of Employ, recommended

907. Catharine Gifford: in rear 198 1/2 Chesnut St. English. Roman Catholic, Husband a Labourer away in the States, 4 Children, Boy 7 years & 3 Girls & Baby 3 Months old, recommended

908. Ellen Williamson: 25 years, old, in rear 64 Muter St. Husband out of work for some time, 4 Children, eldest 8 years old, recommended by Revd. Broughall, (English, Ch of England)

909. {blank} Ryan: 33 Bellevue Avenue, has 2 sick Daughters Bread ^&^ Groceries for self & 4 Children, recommended by the Revd. A.J. Broughall

910. Wm. Henry Fulton: 108 Markham St. Aged 42 years, has Wife & 2 Children, Boy 2 years & Girl 8 years old, born in Ireland has been out of work for a long time, also in bad health, recommended by Revd. A.J. Broughall

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911. Sarah Trisseder: 75 Brunswick Avenue, Bread for a short time, as her Husband is ill & they are very badly off, recommended by the Revd. A.J. Broughall

Tuesday 28th Decr. 1880

Present Messrs. A. McMurchy & R. Hemsley [Elmsley]

912. Kate Carr: 125 George St. Husband a Barber. not a sober steady man, is away at Chatham but has sent nothing to his family for several weeks, there are six Children, 5 Boys. 12. 10. 8. 6. 4 & Girl 14 years old, recommended by Honl. Allen [Allan]

913. Robt Josling: rear 75 Carlton St., Aged 41. Wife Sophia, aged 25 years, Church of England, Cabman 3 Children, Girls 6 years & 18 months Boy 3 years old Habits good, recommended by Mr. A T. McCord

914. Charles Wakefeild [Wakefield]: (aged 77 years & Elizth. Jenkins aged 76. years) 146 Centre St. found these old people in a small Room with only a small Stove & Table in it the old woman was lying on ^on some rags on^ the floor which was the only Bed, and fear they will be found frozen saw no sign of food, though the old man said he had something for breakfast, they are decent hard working people, I should recommend that they be taken into the House at once

Wm. H. Howland

Thursday 30th Decr. 1880

915. Committee appointed to advertise for Tenders met to day. Present Revd. H J Broughall & Messrs. N.C. Love & Gilmour [Gilmor], The following Tenders were & Examined

#### Meat

Frankland

[dollars] 2.00 per 100 lbs.

Robinson

[dollars] 1.50 [per 100 lbs.]

(carried ford. [forward])

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Meat

Pitts

[dollars] 1.70 per 100 lbs.

Wickson

[dollars] 1.85 [per 100 lbs.]

Milk

Harper

20 [cents] per Gallon

White

18 [cents] [per Gallon] See Tender

Bread

Beaty

10 [cents] per 4 lb. Loaf

C. Carter

9 7/8 [cents] [per 4 lb. Loaf]

McQuinn [McQueen]

10 [cents] [per 4 lb. Loaf]

Groceries

James Shields & Co. &

Shields Brothers

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after careful consideration the follow in [following] Tenders were accepted,

Robinson for Meat

White for Milk,

Beaty for Bread

& Shields Brothers for Groceries

Friday 31st Decr. 1880.

Present Messrs. A. McMurchy & R. Elmsley

916. Robt. Higginbotham: an old Gentleman Aged 85 years, applied to committee for help ^1/2^ Ton Coals at cost price for a Family named Noaks living at 215 Centre St. for whom he had made some small collection in Money and which he would like to lay out to their advantage. the request was granted 1/2 Ton Coal [dollars] 3.00

917. William Wilson: 42. Irish. ChofEngl. 33 years in this Country. A Cabinet maker. very sore Eyes. under treatment of of Dr. Roseburgh [Rosebrugh]. seeks shelter until better.

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Present Messrs. J. Gillispee R. Gilmore, A.McMurchy & W.D. Matthews

1. Henry Butcher: 52 St Davids St. Sailor. lives with Mrs. Haynes, has Doctors Certif. that unable to work, Mrs. Haynes has 6 children, Girl 14 wants place, Boy has [dollars] 4 Pr. Week, children wants clothing, House very dirty, don't understand relationship between these people, Butcher was in Hospital & there knew Hayes [Haynes?] who died there & now lives with Widow, Lady, Visitor should see Mrs. Hayes [Haynes?] & look to children, recommend coal & Bread for children, don't fancy Mr. Butcher much

2. Martha Avann: 14 St. Paul St. Widow C of E [Church of England] All Saints. Clean. Girl at School, Son in Hamilton. Daughter Married on Oak St. Husband works with Copp & Clark, has a little Work, recommend Coal

3. Mrs. Kerr: rear 14 St. Pauls St. Husband in jail for drink. 2 Small Boys. clean & respectable and has a little Tailoring to do sometimes. Presbyterian. recommend Wood. (coal no use)

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4. Jane Little: 424 Queen St. CofE. [Church of England] Husband away. 6 small children, Boy 14. gets [dollars] 2.00 Pr. W. [per week]. She does Sowing [sewing] & Makes about [dollars] 1.50 Pr. Week. Mother lives with her. House & children clean. recmd Coal
5. Mary Thomas: 57 Sumach, see old Report. recommend coal & Bread
6. Margaret O'Brien: 431 Queen St. see old report. same old story.

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7. William Baldwin: 398 Queen St. E. Wife. no Children, 65 years old, Peddler. sober & respb. [respectable].
8. Mrs. Noyes: Ch of E. [Church of England] Widow. several children married. 1 Son at {Home}, part Blind & Lame.
9. Sarah Cox: Widow. no children. works with machine, the above live together in Same House, very clean. seem respectable. Recommend Coal & Wood, not in want of Food at present
10. (Lizzie) Simpkins: & Wife, 2 little children. House very dirty, think Simpkins Drinks occasionally & probably lazy. Lady Visitor should see about children, recommends Coal & something for Child
11. James Clark: rear 8 Sackville St. very Sick. in need of coal & Bread, but not able to go for it
12. John Glass: 13 Water St. 84 years of age, native Ireland. R.C. not able to work. recommend Bread & Coal
13. Wm. Richardson: rear 102 Eastern Avenue, Ireland. 75 years old, 35 years in Canada, unable to work M.C. [Methodist Church] recommend Coal & Bread
14. Caroline Spinks: 96 Eastern Avenue. Aged 64. England C.E. [Church of England] in Canada 25 Years, unable to Work, recommend coal & Bread
15. Margt. Fahey: 21 Water St. Age 61. Ireland, R.C. not able to work, could live very comfortable with Son in Law if she would Keep from liquor and insulting her Neighbours, could not recommend her for relief

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16. Jane Hill: rear 363 King East, 62 years, John Hill 63 years. Mrs. Hill not able to Work. sore Eye. 4 Children Girl 13. 11. 9. (17 Boy) all go to school England C of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal & Bread
17. Mary Moore: rear 8 Sackville St. 46 years, John Moore 45 years, Ireland C of E. [Church of England] works steady driving Coal Cart. no Family, Mrs. Moore when visited, very much under influence of liquor, Ireland, Ch. E. [Church of England], this is the Woman that represented herself as having 5 Children last Winter which is not the case, cannot recommend her
18. Rachael Boyd: ~~120~~<sup>130</sup> Eastern Avenue, 45 years in Canada 7 years, Ireland Ch E. [Church of England] Widow. Boy aged 17 working [dollars] 3.00 pr. week & Boy [dollars] 1.25 pr. Wk. Boy 8 years School, Boy 6. School, girl 3 School & girl 11 years going to School, very Sick. Dr. visits 3 times a Week, & fears Leg will be amputated, recommends Bread & Sick relief, sufficient Fuel
19. George Phillips: 25 years. Grace Phillips 23 years has steady Work in Globe office. Messenger. only Self & Wife, cannot recommend
20. Annie Arnold: 69 Parliament St. Aged 57 years. Jacob, 101 years, (should consider only 70 years) Ch E. [Church of England] 3 Children, one girl Working [dollars] 2.50 pr. Week, Boy 12. 8. recommend Coal & Bread
21. Ann Crosby: rear 363 King. E. 40 years. James Crosby, 43 years, Ireland R.C. 5 children 13. 10. 7. 4 & 19 Months, James Crosby Sick, not able to Work for years, depending on charity entirely for support, recd. [recommend] coal & Bread

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22. Jane Cross: 19 Erin St. 39 years. one child 3 years. in Canada 12 years. Husband left Her last summer. has not heard from him since, willing to work if she could get it, Neighbors speak highly of her, Recommend coal & Bread
23. Joanna Sweeney: rear 34 Centre St. R.C. Husband Worthless fellow out of work. 3 Small children. Boy 5 & 8. Girl 6 mos. perhaps coal once
24. Mary Quick: rear 34 Centre St. Ch.E. [Church of England] both absent at Work Boys 1 [age] 3 mos., 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 16. Girls 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 12 years, cannot be very hard up
25. Margt. Durant: rear 34 Centre St. Ch of E. [Church of England] appears a wretched drunken Woman, unworthy of any help. her children utterly neglected & filthy, Boys 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 5. Girls 1 [age] 15, 1 [age] 3 years, cannot recommend

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26. Cathn. Ryan: rear 34 Centre R.C. Old Man & Woman. Man not fit for much work, Woman strong, no children. recommend Coal once

27. Ann Jackson: 38 Centre St. Ch of E. [Church of England] both self & Husband drink & not deserving much sympathy, perhaps coal once Husband unfit for work but evidently both ^drink^ what the Woman earns.

28. Susan Woods: 44 Centre St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Old Widow. 82. Grandson Keeps a Store on Young [Yonge] St. but does not assist her. Boards with a family. Groceries once.

29. Jane Gray: 32 Centre St. Widow. lives with her Mother. has 7 children. Boys 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 13 Girls 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 12 & Infant wants Coal & Bread

30. Alex. Tennant: rear 93 Centre St. Takes fits. Self & Wife quarrel occasionally. Wife works. Coal once.

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31. Margaret Hackett: 114 Centre St. Methodist. Widow. receives help from the Church. Owns the house where she lives & lately received coal. Cannot need much help.

32. Agnes Jackson: 114 Centre St. Ch. of England. Widow. Girls 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 5 Boy 1 [age] 7 needs Coal & Bread.

33. Annie Frost: 120 Centre St. Methodist. Widow. & sickly. receives help from Church, but needs Coal & Bread which she deserves.

34. Hannah Raynor: 155 Centre St. Ch of England husband left her Girls 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 14 Boys 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 16 wants Coal & Bread. Keeps an untidy house.

35. Eliza Ludlow. rear 155 Centre St. Ch. of England husband Coachman out of work. Boys 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 8 Girls 1 [age] 3 & Baby. Requires Coal & Bread.

36. Sarah ^Jane^ Murray: rear 191 Centre St. Ch. of England. husband laborer. Idle. no children. Coal only

37. Thomas Smallwood: 18 Elizabeth St. Colored. no wife. One boy 12 yrs. sickly old man. Coal & Bread

38. Elizabeth Robinson: 24 Elizabeth St. Ch. of England husband left her. suffering in Consumption. 1 Boy 6 yrs. not able to go out. requires Groceries Coal & Bread

39. Frances Hilborn: 86 Elizabeth St. Methodist Widow Boys 1 [age] 1, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 15 Children & Self earn. not badly off Coal once

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40. Sarah Johnson: rear 88 Elizabeth St. Methodist. Shirt Maker. Boys 1 [age] 1, 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 7. Earns 5 [dollars] per week. Coal only

41. Sarah Lockhart: 93 Elizabeth St. Sickly old Widow. A grown up worthless Son out of work. wants Coal & Bread

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42. Anne Perry: 100 Elizabeth St. Ch. of England. husband Stone Cutter. lately arrived. no funds & out of work. Girls 3 & Infant. requires coal & bread

43. Charles Stanley: 147 Elizabeth St. left his Wife. Girls 1 [age] 15, 1 [age] 11. 2.00 per week. Coal only.

44. Elizabeth Neill: 17 Agnes St. Old Widow. alone. too old to work. Coal & Bread

45. Catharine Little: 17 Agnes St. Methodist. Old Widow. Church pays rent. wants Coal & Bread

46. Eliza Ellis: 17 Agnes St. Widow. alone. wants Coal

47. Mary Hudson: rear 32 Agnes St. Ch. of England. husband laborer out of work. Girl 3. Boy 1. no money or income. requires Coal & Bread

48. Mrs. Walford: 69 Agnes St Old Widow. Son in Fire Hall & daughter married. no help. Coal only

49. Anne Saunders: rear 81 Agnes St. Widow, grown up daughter in Consumption. Coal & Bread

50. Martha Fluker: 123 Agnes St. Husband in Hospital Boys 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 14 at work. Coal only

51. Margaret McEwan: 33 Edward St. Presbyn. Widow alone. Coal

52. Eliza Mooney: rear 82 Edward St. cannot find her no habitation at the rear of this No. [number] Cor. [Corner] Prices Lane

53. Mary Nolan: rear 28 University St. no house at this No. [number] Osgoode Hall

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54. Nancy Leary: Prices Lane. Girls 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 10 Boys 1 [age] 4 & Infant: a wretched drunken den of infamy & should be reported to the Police.
55. Anne Akin: an inmate of the above den
56. Mrs. Magrath: an inmate of the same den.
57. John Mills: Prices Lane. Grace Church, late arrivals. Boys 1 [age] 1 ^14 mos^, 1 [age] 6 ^6^, 1 [age] 9 ^11^ lives with Sister who is poor, wants Coal & Bread
58. Elizabeth Watson. 74 Little Adelaide St. Ch. of England. 14 years in Toronto. from Ottawa. Boy 3 yrs. Girl 6 yrs. Washes & scrubs. Poor & Steady. wants fuel & bread.
59. Mary Warrick: 39 Little Adelaide St. R.C. Ireland. Laborer. 4 years in Toronto. from New London. Boys 1 [age] 1, 1 [age] 13 Girls 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 14. Children earning nothing. Tidy & Steady. wants fuel & bread.
60. Mary Evans: rear 24 Garrison St. Ch. of England. Irish. 13 years in Toronto. Occupation Washing. but too old to work. poor & steady
61. John Mullins: Asylum Lane. R.C. Irish. Laborer. 8 Years in Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] [erased?] & Infant. Girls 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 16. Children earning nothing, poor & Steady. require fuel.
62. Jane Smith: next 35 Garrison St. Ch. of England. English. 34 years in Toronto. Boy 4 yrs. Girl 14 yrs. Destitute. fair habits. requires fuel & Bread.
63. Eliza Cole: ~~435 Adelaide St.~~ ^589 King St West^. Methodist. English. husband Trunk Maker out of work. 21 years in Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 16. Children earning [dollars] 1.00 per Week. Steady. poor. in One room. Wants fuel.

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64. John Leahy: 211 Niagara Street. R.C. Irish. Laborer 1 1/2 yrs. in Toronto. 8 Girls. 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 16, 1 [age] 19, 1 [age] 21. Six of them at home. Children earning 5.00 to 7.00 [dollars] per Month. too old to work. a real case of distress. require fuel & bread.
65. Mary Coleman: 435 Adelaide St. West. R.C. Irish. 25 years in Toronto. Occupation Scrubbing & Washing. One Boy who has been laid up for four Months. Steady. wants Coal and nourishment for sick boy.
66. Sarah Roochwood: West St. R.C. Irish. 10 years in Toronto. Occupation Scrubbing & Washing. very poor. Steady. Never Married. Needs fuel.

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67. Mary Harrison: 72 Little Adelaide St. Ch. of England. Canadian. 34 years in Toronto. No children at home. poor. needs fuel.

68. Maria Day: 61 Ann St. Widow. 62. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 11 years in Toronto. Seamstress. has nothing to do. Appears a decent, quiet woman. Has been charged with selling bread. admits changing it once for Tea. needs Bread & Coal.

69. Isabella Mann: 338 Church St. 29 Presbyn. Scotch. Boys 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 7. 8 years in Country. husband a Clerk. drunken and left her. has employment at present [dollars] 4. per week. goes early and late to work. appears decent & respectable. recommend Bread & Coal for a Month

70. Sarah West: 338 Church St. 32 Ch. of E. English. Boy 7, Girls 1 [age] 1, 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 5. husband a Baker. drunken and left his family. gets a day's work occasionally. appears honest & decent. recommend Bread & Coal.

71. Isabella Beatty: 95 Ann St. 50. Single. Irish. Presbyn. poor & miserable. Habits not very good. recommend Bread & Coal

72. Mary Purm: 95 Ann St. 55. Widow. Sister to above. Recommend Bread & Coal.

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73. Mary Hunter: 81 Maitland St. Age 31. Presbyn. Canadian. Girl 11. Boy 13 yrs. live by sewing. husband left her. decent & respectable. Recommend Coal & Bread.

74. Edith Graham: 33 Cedar St. formerly lived at 33 Givens St. husband has not steady work. they have 7 Children under 12 years of age. Trying to get on & think somewhat better off than last year. Recommend Coal & Bread.

75. Joseph Rickings: 20 Renfrew St. 3 Boys. 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 13. R.C. Sickly Wife. Bread & Coal.

76. Elle^a^nor Teague: rear 21 Renfrew St. Boy 10. Girl 6 yrs. Widow. Ch. of Eng. very poor. Bread & Coal.

77. Ellen Sweeney: 12 William St. R.C. Boys 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 9. Girls 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 8. very poor. husband sickly and has no work. Bread & Coal.

78. Elizabeth Brown: rear of 26 William St. Boy 8. Girls 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 13. R.C. Sick. Husband an old man out of work. Bread & Coal

79. Ann McCarthy: rear of 12 William St. R.C. Boy 4. Girl 10. Husband a long time in Hospital. she gets a day or two's work a week. Bread & Coal.

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80. William Pettigrew: rear of 82 William St. Ch. of Eng. He was out. Old Man. no children. Wife said he cannot get work. nor could she. recommend Bread & Coal for a while.

81. Hannah Humphreys: rear of 84 William St. Ch. of Eng. 5 Children. Boy 8. Girls 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 13. husband sick. Wife working out. Bread & Coal.

82. Mary Jane Brophy. 84 William St. 1 Girl 7 yrs. Ch. of Eng. husband away. works out. Bread & Coal.

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83. Robert Adams: ^Aged 53^ rear of 104 William St. ~~Ch. of Eng.~~ ^Presbyterian^ Boys. 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 10. Girls 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 12. Wife away. very poor. Bread & Coal

84. Margaret McCabe: 19 St. David's St. used to live at 502 King St. & is receiving help from the house. Husband in Asylum still. 8 Children at home. One Boy a Messenger at Tellegraph Office. The House has particulars of family. Home neat. Religion "The Brethren" it was stated before under the husbands, but relief was not given to him. needs coal & bread.

85. Jane Elliott: 81 Sydenham St. Ch. of Eng. husband killed June last. One boy (lame). Not over strong, but works when she can. shall look after her, but believe hers is a needy case.

86. Margaret Hughes: self & husband. Regulars as regards charity as far as I can discover. Husband says he gets work occasionally at Smith's wood yard (Queen & Jarvis). Wife able to work. House desolate, but a Screw loose somewhere. Nominally Ch. of Eng. Enquired of Rev. R. Greene. said the woman worked, but thought drank occasionally. yet was needy. Asked for a St. George's ticket at Xmas.

87. Ellen Gordon: 22 St David's St. Husband disabled. one daughter in Service at small wages. Eldest Son laborer 17 at home. also at home Girl 14. Boy 10. Girl 7. Boy 4. Boy 3. Helped last year. Father Presbyn. Children go partly to Baptist & partly to Westleyans. might call Religion. Chamelion

88. {blank} Armstrong: 36 St. David's St. Widow. Wesleyan. 4 Children at home. Ages 9. 7. 5 & 16 Mo. Has an able bodied Son-in-law in the house. but does not count him. Receives something from Berkley St. Church. Asks for Coal & Bread.

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89. Sarah O'hearne):

Mary Cavanagh): 4 Sydenham Lane. R.C. Say they have never asked before. Cavanagh widow with 3 Children. O'hearne's husband sick. out door patient of the Hospital. 5 Children. Both able bodied women. shall enquire further. Need Coal.

90. Frances Hamilton. 95 Ontario St. Methodist. Aged. One daughter, not well, who I did not see. Seemed helpless enough. and not able for any remunerative work. would be better as an inmate of the house. Needs help.

91. Maria Ingleson: Kingston Road. Ch. of E. [Church of England]. English husband sick. recommended by James Pape for coal.

92. William Whinton: 14 Claremont St. English Ch. of E. [Church of England] Laborer. Boy 5. Girl 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 2 1/2, 1 [age] 1 1/2 yrs. Bread & Coal

93. Margaret Coady: Brown's lane. north side. Widow R.C. Irish. no family. Coal & Bread.

94. William Hacker. 163 Little Richmond St. English. Married. 7 Children. One able to work a little. Met with an accident which prevented him from making provision for the winter. Coal & Bread.

95. Sarah Bryan: rear of 33 Bellevue Avenue. Widow Irish. Ch. of Eng. Boy 12. Girls 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 17, 1 [age] 18. Eldest daughter very sick. and the Mother has been ill lately. the second daughter at home partly to nurse & partly to assist in washing. recommend hard coal. bread. & Groceries.

96. Elizabeth Gray: 325 Young St. 75 Ch. of Eng. Husband Shoemaker 70 years old. English. One Married daughter. Married to a barber. unable to assist. Steady & good character Need of fuel.

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97. Hannah Boyd: 23 Queen St East. Age 48. Scotch. Presbyn. Husband laborer. Boy 14. Girls 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 14. husband unable to find work. Boy lately discharged having nothing to do. Oldest Girl out of place. The Mother two weeks ago fell & broke two ribs & is confined to bed. previous to the accident the chief support of the family. Need food & firing.

98. Margaret Hall: rear of 6 Bond St. Age 70 Widow. Irish. Protestant. obtains a living peddling small wares the room she inhabits is destitute of furniture

99. Jane Bergoyne: Muns [Munn's] Lane. R.C. 67. Widow. Irish. only daughter in the Asylum. requires Coal & Bread.

100. Emily Hardingwick: 21 Melinda St. 35. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband a laborer out of employment. Girl 8. Boy 4 yrs. wife works when possible. Coal & Bread

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101. Mary Curley: {blank} Irish. 58. R.C. Widow. One daughter 21 in bad health. Not able to work much on account of a tumor in her shoulder. Coal & Bread.
102. Charles Cook: 172 York St. 57. English. Ch. of Eng. one Girl 13. Out of employment & in much need. Coal & Bread
103. Arthur Muldoon: rear of 56 Richmond St. West. Irish. R.C. no family. Wife died last Friday. Sick in bed with cold & rheumatism. Needs Sick allowance. Coal & Bread.
104. Bridget Porter: 45 Hackney St. Irish. R.C. Boys 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 4 yrs. & Infant. Girls 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 1 1/2 yrs. an elder daughter at service earning [dollars] 3.00 per Mo. which the Mother receives. The Mother works out. every Monday. The husband is a Plasterer by trade, but left his family last July for parts unknown & has not since been heard of. A worthy but not extremely needy case.
105. Hannah Buckingham: 21 Hackney St. Irish. R.C. Widow. No childn. [children]. occupies a single Room, wretchedly furnished. a Needy case.

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106. Ellen McCrimen: 21 Hackney St. Canadian. Methodist. Widow. Boy 10. Girl 5 yrs. has half a day's work every Monday, but no other assistance. Could not get into her room as she was out & ascertained these particulars from neighbours. Visited & received aid last year.
107. Elizabeth Morrow: 30 Eleanor St. Scotch. Presbyn. 10 years in Toronto. Husband worthless, has been away two years. 2 Married Children not able to help her. 1 Boy out at service, but sleeps home at night. occupies Small Cottage. Neat & comfortable. She fell on ice four weeks ago & broke small bone of right arm & so not able to do much. receives no outside assistance. A Needy and worthy case.
108. Mary Walker: No. 1 Downey's Lane. 5 Children. two eldest aged 14 twins. Husband away. Mr. Lewis of Grace Church recommended her last year. The house looks neat. She says she works at sewing and has a sewing machine. I suppose we should help her on the principle of helping those who help themselves. I would recommend somewhat same as she had last year. though the twins being at work, some reduction might be made on that account.
109. Florence Hawie: Rear 54 Alice St. Sailor's Wife. out of employment. Is young herself. about 21 & has a young baby. would recommend that they get bread & coal for the present.
110. Mary Rice. Rear 52 Muter St. R.C. Husband has been away in States for 3 Years. Has 2 Children 5. 3 1/2 yrs. washes for a living. is very poor & lives in very cold house. Has not heard from husband upwards of a year. Irish. I recommend relief.

111. Emily Robinson: 49 Lumley St. Widow. Canadian. Ch. of Engd. has 4 Children. Girl 18 at home 5 or 6 Mos. with bad lungs & looks very ill. others 13. 6. 3 yrs. Is a Charwoman. Seemingly respectable. recd. [recommend] usual help.

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112. Sarah Whittard: East Side Borden St. near Bloor. rents a room from a Mrs. Terry. Her husband is in the Old Country. No children. Sews a little for a living. Work hard to get. English. a deserving case. Coal & Bread recommended.

113. Margaret Klene: 27 Hope St. R.C. German. Husband out of work for 3 Mos. 3 Children. Eldest 6 yrs. aid recommended

114. William Henry Fulton: 108 Markham St. Case reported previously. Coal recommended.

115. Mary Addison: 116 Major St. Lives with an elderly couple apparently as one of the family, as she uses their kitchen & stove & her bed occupies a part of their bedroom. Says she has the charge of a "foundling" aged about Seven. Removed into the City a few months ago from Seaton Village. I think she ought to come into the House & give the boy to a public institution. She raises poultry. I recommend Bread. "a hard old case".

116. William Robinson: 6 Brunswick Avenue. Canadian. Ch. of E. [Church of England] a cripple & unable to work. Has a wife & 7 Children, 5 of whom are at home. Eldest a Girl 15. Youngest 7. Wife washes [etc.] for a living. Is now sick & I recommend some Groceries, also Coal & Bread.

117. Ellen Berry: 10 Goulding St. Not at home when I called. Is I believe an old case. A Man in the house told me that her husband has been in the States for a year. She receives no help from him. Has 4 Children. the eldest Boy 14. Washes & Scrubs. The Man told me she had been ill lately. Perhaps it would be well to send the case to Mr. Harrison as she seems to belong to St. Matthew's Church.

118. Mrs. Hagerty: rear 25 Arthur St. R.C. Irish. A very Sad case. Is a Widow in delicate health with 3 Children. A Girl 16 is far gone in Consumption. & a boy 14 in much the same State. requiring a Sister 25 to remain at home & assist in nursing. I recommend Coal, Bread & Groceries.

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119. Ann Tyner: Rear 18 Albert St. Widow. 3 Children. Eldest 5 yrs. Youngest an Infant. makes [dollars] 3 per week. Knitting [etc.] rent of house [dollars] 4 a Mo. Recommend Small amount of fuel.
120. Mary Hussey: 34 Alice St. Widow. 2 Children. eldest 6 yrs. Seems respectable. takes in Washing & Ironing. Mrs. Durie who lives with her, used to get relief from the house. Mrs. Hussey might get relief which used to be given Mrs. Durie. Mrs. Hussey is going to move from above address.
121. Mary Surgeon: 21 Avenue Lane. deserves assistance. reported fully previous years. Recommend Bag of flour & Coals. She wants Coals at once as she is quite without.
122. Margaret McBride: 45 Avenue Lane. Husband left her. 2 little children. Respectable. Hard Working. Worthy. recomd. Coal & Bread. & if possible Groceries. She looks run down with overwork.
123. Catharine Gifford: rear 198 1/2 Chesnut St. R.C. husband laborer. The man has occupied a respectable position, but has fallen through drink. He has been in Buffalo trying to get work, and she is unable to assist, having child in arms. 4 Children. Eldest 9. Needy. recommend Coal & Bread.
124. Sophia Goose: 183 Centre St. Colored. reported previously. requires Coal & Bread.
125. Lydia Bartholmew: 144 Centre St. Husband partially paralyzed. Hard Working Woman.
126. David Buckingham: rear 144 Centre St. Colored. Whitewasher. 4 Young Children. unable to get anything but odd jobs. recommend Coal & Bread. Needs assistance
127. Lucy Brown: rear 202 Chesnut St. reported on previous years. Coal & Bread.

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128. Mary Harrison: rear 202 Chesnut St. It rejoices my heart to be able to report to the Board. that this respectable Widow with two young children, has by hard work got somewhat ahead, and seemed delighted to be able to tell me that she could manage this year.
129. Elizabeth Inner: 226 Elizabeth St. Hard place. Hard Case. But evidently in need. Recommend very occasional assistance not any quantity at a time.
130. Mary Wenmann: 48 Emma St. 4 Children 16. 13. 11. 10. hard working. Seems to require assistance this year, but warned her that could not recommend it another year.
131. George Broomfield: 96 Hayter St. Moved last week.

132. Ruth Bloor: rear 52 Alice St. 4 Children. Husband has sprained wrist and ankle [ankle] & bad knee. seem respectable but unfortunate. They got one ton of Coal from Holy Trinity Fuel Club. it is now finished. Recommend fuel & bread.

133. Mary Pooler: 32 Agnes St. Widow. 3 Children. {blank} in the summer. not strong. respectable. Fuel & Bread.

134. Charlotte Thornhill: 19 Agnes St. lives with her Sister. are midwives. say they cannot get work through the hostility of the doctors. Irish. have been out 4 years. Mrs. Roberts has a diploma. Recommend Fuel.

135. Charles Mills: has no place of abode. English. Will get a job on 14th January. till then is quite destitute. Recommend for such assistance as the House can give to a person in his condition.

136. Amelia Spinks: 10 Conway St. Widow. Ch. of England. 7 years in Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 12 Girls 1 [age] 17. 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 5 a great girl at home ill in bed. Mrs. Spinks ailing also. Decent rooms. Washed clothing for Ladies Aid Socy. [society] recommended for full supply Coal & Bread & Groceries.

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137. Mary Wiley: 90 Claremont St. Widow Ch. of E. [Church of England] washerwoman. 30 yrs. in Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 6 Girls 1 [age] 11- 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 3. One Boy earning [dollars] 1.50 per week. Recomd. Soft Coal.

138. Catherine Cullerton: 654 Queen St. Irish. R.C. Widow. washerwoman. 6 yrs. here. Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 5 Girls 1 [age] 19. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 3. eldest girl sick at home. has received Stove & Bedding from Ladies aid Socy. [society] & gets 1/4 Cord wood per month & 2 loaves per week from St. V. de Paul Socy. [St. Vincent de Paul Society] requires Bread, Coal & Groceries.

139. Emma Cuff: 172 Claremont St. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Seamstress. 8 yrs. here. Boys 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 5 1 Girl 25. room decent. no other help. requires Bread & Coal.

140. Charlotte Williams: 39 Claremont St. married. Ch. of E. [Church of England] English. husband laborer. 1 year here. 1 Boy 9 yrs. decent room. no other help. requires Bread & fuel & Groceries

141. Elizabeth Clark: 39 Claremont St. Married. English Ch. of E. [Church of England] 18 mos. here. 1 Girl 2 yrs. room neat. Bread & Coal.

142. Mary Davy: 195 Claremont St. Married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 4 yrs. here. Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 3 Girls 1 [age] 17. 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 11. none working. go to Church. require Bread.

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143. Charlotte Kirby: 189 Strachan St. Married Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 9 yrs. here. Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. Girl 1 [age] 6. decent rooms. Bread & Wood
144. Catharine Gordon: 121 Claremont St. Irish. Widow. R.C. 1 Child. Keeps little Shop. fresh from home. requires Coal & Bread.
145. Mary Marlborough: 13 Claremont St. not known there. ^Adelaide St W. 339^
146. Ellen Blyth: 172 Claremont St. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Husband laborer (R.C.) 6 yrs. [in] Toronto. Boy 7 yrs. Girl 6 mos. decent room. Bread & Coal
147. Ann Donelly: {blank} Widow. R.C. Aged. Canadian. Daughter 18 yrs. decent room. requires fuel.

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148. Michael Jones: 26 Hope St. Married. R.C. Irish. Laborer. 10 mo. here. Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 6 1 [age] 3. no Girls. rooms decent. Gets 3 Small loaves from St. V. de Paul's Socy. [St. Vincent de Paul's Society] requires Bread.
149. Catharine O'Donelly: {blank} Widow. R.C. Irish. Boys 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 Girl 12. decent room. {blank} flour per week & 1/4 Cord wood per mo. from St. V. de Paul's Socy. [St. Vincent de Paul's Society] require Bread & Wood.
150. Jane O'Neill: 138 Claremont St. Married. R.C. Husband Baker. 11 yrs. here. 2 Girls, 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 2. one goes to School. decent room. no other help. requires Coal.
151. Sarah Wrennesley: {blank} married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 7 yrs. here. Boy 1 yr. Girl 5 yrs. room decent. no other help. requires Bread & Wood.
152. Margaret Dingley: {blank} Aged. Widow. Irish. R.C. Washerwoman.
153. Mary Ann Osan: 47 Strachan St. Married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 9 years [in] Toronto. Boys. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7 Girls 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. one boys earns [dollars] 1.50 per week. requires Bread & Wood.
154. Bridget Kane: 96 Claremont St. R.C. Irish. married. Cabman. 20 yrs. here. no children at home. no other help. requires Bread & Coal
155. Mary Gilbert: ^Age 32^ 96 Claremont St. Married. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 10 yrs. here. No Boys. 2 Girls 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 2. decent room. no other help. requires Bread & Coal.
156. Jane Walker: 120 Claremont St. Married. Presbyn. Irish. husband laborer. 2 yrs. here. 2 Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 8 & 3 Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 4 at School. decent rooms. no other help. require Bread & Coal.

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157. Kate M. Allen: 120 Claremont St. Married. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 10 years here. 4 Boys. 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 3 1 [age] 1. 2 Girls 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 5 at school. rooms decent. no other help. require Bread & Coal.

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158. Catharine Moberley: 120 Claremont St. English. Married Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband laborer. 17 yrs. here. 3 Boys 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 7. 2 Girls 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 1 at school. decent rooms. help from Ladies Aid Socy. [society] (Clothing & Wood) {blank} requires Bread & Coal.

159. Mary Bradley: 33 Colborne St. 3rd. story. Widow. Boy 8, Girl 6 living with her. other children working for themselves but give her no assistance. {blank} Bread & Coal.

160. Ann Begley: 134 Front St. 8 Children in all. Did not see husband, but understand from results that his principal occupation is raising children for other people to maintain. A questionable case which I leave to the decision of the board. The wife may not be in fault however.

161. Mary Rogers: rear of 58 Sherbourne St. An old Widow. 70. old pensioner. R.C. {blank} Coal & Bread

162. Catharine Hardiman: 68 Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. (Up Stairs) R.C. 1 Girl 12. Husband disabled by accident. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

163. Jane Moffatt: 1st house Walkers Lane. Widow. 2 Boys 1 [age] 25. 1 [age] 17. 1 Girl 13. no work for them. She is lame. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

164. Eliza Cook: {blank} same address as last.

165. Catharine Graham: {blank} same address as last

166. Mary Lawler: rear 116 George St. R.C. Husband broken down by age and accident. Old Pensioner of the House. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

167. James Manay: 114 George St. English. Ch. of E. Laborer- Boys 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 6. Girls 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 12. Miserable enough. But seems ambitious of a large family, numerically & from appearances is likely to succeed. {blank} Coal & 8 lbs. Bread.

168. Eliza Cahill: rear 23 Brittain St. Widow. R.C. 3 Girls 1 [age] 22 1 [age] 19 1 [age] 12. & 3 Boys. no work. 28 yrs. [in] Toronto. {blank} Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

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169. ~~William Hasland~~ Mary E. Kelly: rear 23 Britain St. Ch. of Eng. English. 9 years from Engd. Boys 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 8. Girls 2 yrs. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread
170. Margaret Hay: 33 Duchess St. not known there
171. Mary White: 5 Duchess St. not in.

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172. Margaret Long: 210 Lumley St. An old case. husband & herself both aged. & infirm. recommend Bread & Coal.
173. Mary Snider: 86 Lumley St. Husband out of work except occasional. 4 Children of whom the eldest is a boy 9 yrs. old Scotch. Presbyn. {blank} requires Bread only. Recommended
174. Eliza Bush: 86 Lumley St. Lives in same Cottage as above. Husband no work. 5 Children. Irish. Wants only Bread. recommended till work is obtained
175. William J. Archer: 21 Borden St. Age 64 Wife 60. Supports a Grandchild. Girl aged 14 who is invalided. Wife has just got a baby to nurse. receives [dollars] 1. per week. English. Christadelphian. {blank} recommend Bread & Coal.
176. Janet Smith: rear 20 Markham St. {blank} Husband has no work & cannot get any. She has a Baby 6 Weeks old & so is unable to go out to work. 6 Children. eldest 10 yrs. very poor. recommend usual aid till husband gets employment.
177. James Darby: 83 Hope St. {blank} An infirm old "Corporation" man. an aged Wife. no children case known to House. recommend aid.
178. Ann Tarlton: 46 Markham St. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 2 Children 8. 9. husband laborer. hurt on G. T. R'way [Grand Trunk Railway] only 4 mos. work out of 13. Bread & hard Coal, as husband has Asthma

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179. Elizabeth Hart: rear 256 Queen St W. Widow. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Girls 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 15. Boy 13. all at work as I was told. Mrs. H. nursing a sick person.

180. John Andrews: rear 256 Queen St W. Methodist. has Wife, his children being in Montreal. very destitute. recommend a supply of fuel for present need & bread.

181. Mary Ellen McNamara: 39 Dalhousie St. 65. R.C. Irish. A servant. owing to a strained wrist unable to work. Clean & tidy in her person. Wishes Bread. Tea & Sugar.

182. Joanna Henry: 258 Elizabeth St. Irish. Married Ch. of E. [Church of England] 6 Children. eldest Girl 13. husband out of work. Recommend Bread & Coal.

183. Mary Ryan: 4 Bond St. Widow. 38. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 2 Boys 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 4. Charwoman. Unable to obtain sufficient employment. very clean & tidy. {blank} Bread & Coal.

184. Mary Lovel: rear of 23 Queen St East. 40. Widow. R.C. One son not with her. broken wrist and not able to earn a living.

185. Harriet McCarthy: 122 Bond St. 21. husband Painter. Irish. R.C. Boy 2. Girls 4, 6 yrs. husband unable to find employment.

186. Hannah Birmingham: Reid's Lane. 80. R.C. Husband also 80 years old. Unable to work through infirmity. 4 daughters. 3 Married. 1 at service. Can do nothing towards their parents support.

187. Ann Burrows: 49 Ontario St. 60. Irish. very deaf. the room where she resides paid for by some Ladies of St. James Cathedral. unable to work owing to her deafness. good character. most in need of firing.

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188. Mary Allcock: 602 Young [Yonge] St. 1 Child 8 yrs. would prefer some coal.

189. James Andrews: St. Charles St. cannot advise any assistance to be given. Last year reported same case as above, but the House gave assistance contrary to my advice. my usefulness is gone. the House had better get another visitor instead

190. Margaret Newton: 7 Breadalbane St. Strong Woman with 3 Children. 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8 years. 2 days work a week regularly. Bread & Coal to tide over a Month or 6 weeks might be granted

191. Elizabeth Davis: 590 Yonge St. a most deserving case. Husband dying of consumption. Daughter getting small wages at Straw Factory. Poor people left almost destitute by an ungrateful Son. would advise Bread now, & Coal in about a fortnight, and a little Tea & Sugar for the husband.

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192. Bridget Kenny: {blank} age 60. Widow. Irish R.C. Pant Maker. {blank} I do not think needs relief at present.

193. Eliza Cummings: {blank} (same house) not at home

194. Mary McEwan: cor. [corner] Power & Queen St. 70. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] no family. ~~Wife~~ husband an old Corporation laborer. no work. clean & tidy. {blank} Want firing.

195. Ann Groves: 135 Parliament St. Married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 1 Boy 4. Girls 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 12. husband sick. a case of real need. house cold and no firing. speedy help required-

196. Eliza Marriot: 82 Sydenham Lane. away from her boarding place for 3 days.

197. Catharine Brown: 41 Edward St. Widow. 3 young children. she has a Sister living with her who is at work. Gets [dollars] 9. per mo. & Board. This woman is in ill health. recommend Bread & Coal.

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198. Jane Moffatt: rear 10 Edward St. has 6 little children eldest about 14. seems very respectable & desires to get on. Husband away. Some of the Ladies from Holy Trinity have been helping her a little. recommend Bread & Coal.

199. Martha Groom: rear 68 Edward St. Widow. Has two grown children. The eldest daughter ill. The Son a Shoemaker by trade. He should get on. Three young children. recommend temporary relief of Coal & Bread.

200. Hannah Badkins: Kingston Road. Widow with a large family of Children. deserving of relief.

201. Elizabeth Kilburn: Eastern Avenue. east of Don. has only herself to support. deserving.

202. Eliza Dent: 52 Saulter St. has only herself to support. deserving of relief.

203. N.A. Wilson: 17 Sackville St. not in my limit. find I have barely time to visit those in my own district.

204. Mrs. Hughes: 24 St. Pauls St. R.C. Widow. 67. Feeble & Sickly. gets a little bread from her Church. Should have some Coal & little groceries.

205. Mrs.^ Mary^ McCarthy: 353 Queen St. E. Takes in ~~bad~~ Babies has one for [dollars] 6. per mo. Boy earns [dollars] 3. per Week. Has a Cow. Think she could do well without help. But might have Coal once only, as she has hurt her hand, and has got her daughter back from service to help her. She has had wood from the Church.

206. Fuller Hopkins: 126 Sumach St. English Ch. of E. [Church of England] Wife & 2 little children. He has been out of work but has some now. House clean and respectable. Steady people. send coal once.

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207. Wesley Roads: 88 Sumach St. no children. Wife at home. very respectable looking & clean. But no furniture except Stove. Out of work. Plasterer. Has been unfortunate. She is in want of clothes. Lady should visit. Ch. of E. [Church of England] send Coal once. and Bread if required.

208. J.W. Lawlor: 126 River St. Can't find. Better description wanted.

209. Mary Wilkinson: rear 91 Sumach St. R.C. Old Story. Send a little coal during winter.

210. Clarissa Brown: 77 Sydenham St. Old Story. Think she is a bit of a humbug. But should perhaps have help, being old & feeble. She asks for Wood as she can't burn coal.

211. Mrs. Simpkins: 57 Sumach St. See last report when speaking of Mrs. McGill

212. Mrs. Jago: rear 141 Sydenham St. English. Husband & 4 small children. She says he is sick and has no work- Send Coal once, & Bread if required.

213. Mrs. ^Eliza^ Haynes ^Haines^: ^widow^ 52 St David St. see Report on Henry Butcher. should have coal & bread for the present. ^5 children^

214. Ann Curree: 177 Spadina Avenue. R.C. Husband a drunkard. not living with his family. 3 Children. Boy 12. Girl 9 & Babe. Has two days work in the week. evidently in great need. Fuel & Bread recommended.

215. Mary Rennie: rear of 10 Sullivan St. Methodist. Left by her husband. Has 5 Children. Girl 20 delicate & at present not able to work. 3 Boys 1 [age] 17 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 6. Girl 4. The boy lost his work from illness & has not been able to get work since. The Mother is not strong, though she has some little work. ~~Have~~ Visitor has aided her with fuel & now recommend fuel & Bread.

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216. Mary Murphy: rear of 9 Soho St. Widow. R.C. One child. rents a room with Mrs. Langley also a widow with One child (children under 10). There is but one Stove. Mary Murphy gets a little work from

Kassell, the Landlord, but both find work hard to get. Recommend Bread & one allowance of Coal for joint use in the house. <sup>^(give coal)^</sup>

217. Sarah Moore: 15 Soho St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Widow. Helpless & Sick from a severe fall, which has laid her up for weeks. Entirely dependant on Charity. recommend fuel, bread & Sick allowance of Groceries.

218. Clement Reid: 24 Bulwer St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Wife & Grandchild. Aged 9. Reid & his Wife are old & helpless, and dependant on Charity. Fuel & Bread recommended.

219. Maggie Gillooly: 138 Brock St. R.C. Irish. Husband Painter out of employment. Wife was out working. daughter did not know the ages of her Father & Mother. 5 Children Girls 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 1 Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 5 {blank} Coal & Bread.

220. Julia Bonner: rear of 291 King St. W. No such Person in rear of that No. [number] nor any such dwelling. It is one of Hughes Terrace.

221. Phillip Burt: <sup>^</sup>104 Boulton St. <sup>^</sup> English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 43. Wife & 2 Children. Girl 8. Boy 3. Can't work having lost his leg a few years ago. Mrs. B. washes, but has poor health. Coal & Bread.

222. James Bellingham: 65 Boulton St. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 65. Wife 43. no family. Laboring man. not able to work much at present on account of Rhumatism. Coal & Bread

223. Maria Goodwin: 21 Malinda [Melinda] St. Irish. Presbyn. 26. Husband English. 30. Ch. of E. [Church of England] laborer not working. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 1 yr. They say they would not look for help if the husband was working. Coal & Bread

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224. Ann Fox: 138 Richmond St. W. R.C. Irish. 58. lived in same house & room for some years. {blank} Coal & Bread

225. Annie Lennox: 109 Adelaide St. {blank} English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 33. 1 Child 12 mos. husband worthless. He remains in England. She has poor health. Tries to make a little by giving music lessons, but is too poor to get many Pupils. Seems in much need. {blank} Coal & Bread.

226. Julia Sheridan: Dorset House. R.C. Canadian. 56. no family. Husband unable to work much. {blank} Coal & Bread

227. Alice Turner {blank} Dorset House. R.C. Irish. 50. Widow. one daughter 16. {blank} Coal & Bread.

228. Susan Chesesul: 144 Richmond St. W. no such person lives there. no appearance of help being required there.

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229. Mary Maroney: 59 Boulton St. R.C. Irish. Widow. 60. no children. She will do with Bread for the present.
230. Mary Ryan: rear of Munn's Lane. R.C. Irish. 45. one daughter 10. does not live with her husband. Coal & Bread.
231. Mary Sullivan: 23 Melinda St. (rear) Irish. R.C. 60. Single. Coal & Bread
232. Sarah Rose: 10 Sheppard St. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 52. Single. Tailoress. can't get employment. Poor health. Coal & Bread
233. Jane Crookshanks: rear of 67 Queen St. W. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 50. formerly in Service. but disabled now on account of Rhumatism. Coal & Bread
234. Mary Schwab: rear of 123 Adelaide St. W. German. Widow. 63. Prebyn. One Grandchild 7 years. Coal & Bread.
235. Mary Todd: 141 Adelaide St. W. Canadian. 25. two children. Husband Painter, out of employment. seem needy. {blank} Coal & Bread.

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236. Ann Oaks: 36 Richmond St. W. Canadian. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband drunken. not seen him for more than a year. 3 children. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 3 years. {blank} Coal & Bread.
237. Catharine Rourk: {blank} Dorset house. Irish. R.C. 50. no family. Coal & Bread
238. Margaret Densmore: rear 151 Queen St. W. Irish. R.C. 47. one daughter 14 {blank} Coal & Bread
239. Mary Slottery: rear 34 William St. R.C. Girl 13. Boy 2 & Infant. all Grandchildren-.the Mother is dead. very poor. cannot work. recommend Bread & Coal
240. Alice Dean: rear of 19 William St. 4 Children. Boy 5. Girls 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 4. husband out of work for a while. R.C. Bread only.
241. Ann Donnell: ^R. Cath. [Roman Catholic]^ 5 Renfrew Lane. 6 Children. Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] {blank}. Girl 6. R.C. Husband out of work. Coal & Bread
242. Emma Trainer: 4 William St. Presbyn. Alone. husband away. {blank} Coal & Bread
243. Caroline Oakman: rear 58 William St. Ch. of E. Alone with her husband. {blank} recommend Coal
244. Richard Berry: rear of 58 William St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Old man. has no work. {blank} Coal.

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245. Mary Denother: rear of 32 William St. two children. Boy 8. Girl 11. husband away. {blank} Bread & Coal

246. Jane Ward: rear of 84 William St. 4 Children. Boy 9. Girls 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 7. very respectable family. husband has very little work. Wife sick. very poor. R.C. {blank} Bread & Coal.

247. Margaret Horsnell: 5 Renfrew St. one Girl 16. Sickly. husband dead. {blank} Coal.

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248. Sophia Shefflen: rear 26 William St. was out. She is the Woman who foolishly said she had two children, last year. She is alone with her husband. & both drink very hard.

249. Eliza Casey: 37 Oxford St. England. Ch of E. [Church of England] 10 years in Toronto. 3 Children. eldest Boy 15 earns [dollars] 2. per week. Youngest 5 years. Husband sick & out of work. very much in need. Coal & Bread.

250. Ann Simpson: 7 Wilton St. lives with Son & daughter who does not wish her to receive other assistance, as they have abundance for her.

251. Sarah Skead: {blank} Henderson Avenue. Widow. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Canadian. Pedlar. 3 yrs. in Toronto. No children. Decent & orderly. very infirm. requires Bread Coal & Groceries.

252. James McConnell: 40 Conway St. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Laborer. Wife in Asylum. Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 6. Girl 8. decent & orderly. Suffering from drain accident lately. requires Bread & Wood.

253. Breffitt George [George Breffitt]: 197 Strachan St. Married Ch. of E. [Church of England] Wheelwright. 1 Girl 9. 1 yr. in Toronto. decent & orderly. He has been ill. requires Bread, Coal & Groceries

254. Eliza Fitzpatrick: 185 Strachan St. Widow. English. Methodist. 4 mo. in Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 22. 1 [age] 14. Girls 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 16. Eldest Boy & Girl earning a little. {blank} require Bread.

255. Mary Ann McCann: 88 Claremont St. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 23 years in Toronto. Boy 2. Girl 4 yrs. decent rooms. requires fuel & bread

256. Hugh McGee: 6 Wilton St. Married. Irish. R.C. laborer. Aged Couple. both invalided. 22 yrs. in Toronto. decent. no other help. not earning at present. {blank} require Coal

257. John McKee: {blank} married. Ch of E. [Church of England] Canadian. laborer. 2 yrs. in Toronto. 2 Children of 1 & 2 yrs. decent rooms. no other help. {blank} Bread & Coal

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258. Ann Nelson: {blank} 24 Conway St. not in.

259. Mary Curry: 161 Hope St. Canadian. Ch. of E. {Church of England} Seamstress. Widow. Invalid. no children except Baby in charge. decent room. No other help. {blank} needs Bread- fuel & Groceries.

260. Maria Johnson: 127 Claremont St. Irish. R.C. 1 Child a Girl of 18 an invalid. requires Bread & fuel.

261. Thomas Moberley: 10 Stibbs Row. 120 Claremont St. married. Ch. of E. [Church of England] laborer. 17 years in Toronto. 3 Boys 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 7 & 2 Girl 1 [age] 5 & 1 [age] 1. rooms decent. habits at present orderly. help from Ladies Relief Com. (Clothing & Wood) needs Bread & Coal.

262. M.A. Harrison: 43 Claremont St. Widow. Ch. of E. [Church of England] American. Washerwoman. 9 yrs. in Toronto. 2 Girl 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9. Boy 14, sick. room decent. {blank} needs Bread, Coal & Groceries.

263. Mary Hickey: 3 Wilton St. Widow. Irish. R.C. Washerwoman. 16 years in Toronto. 3 Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 7 & Girl 12. at school. rooms decent. no other help. {blank} needs Bread & Coal.

264. Anthony Marlboro: 196 Claremont St. R.C. Irish. Married. laborer. 6 yrs. in Toronto. 4 Boys 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 8 & 2 Girls 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 9. no other help. needs Bread & fuel.

265. Mrs. Grimason: 40 Conway St. Widow. Keeps little Shop. aged & Invalid. {blank} needs Coal.

266. Charlotte Williams: 39 Claremont St. Said to be disorderly & wasteful. Visitor has heard this since last report.

267. Mary Harris: 35 Emma St. (formerly No. 37) Colored. Widow. One child. met with an accident two weeks ago which has temporarily disabled her. has not been able to put any money in fuel Club this year. Respectable. gets help from people for when she works. Cannot apply personally to Board on account of illness. {blank} recommend fuel sparingly & Bread.

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268. Ellen Cullerton: 48 Walton St. A fraud. Is comfortably supported by a Son who is in Steady work. was told by a grown up daughter that they did not need charity, and that the Son was very much annoyed by his Mother applying for help.

269. Elizabeth Spencer: 36 Emma St. Colored. has husband & two boys. eldest 15 Strong & healthy. Both husband & Boy can work well. They cut wood. Say that they have little work this year on account of the little wood that is burnt. The people are respectable. {blank} Recommended for Coal & Bread while husband is out of work.

270. Mary Graham: 25 Hackney St. Irish. Presbyn. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9 husband laborer. worthless, drunken fellow. out of employment. the Wife a hard working woman. # Visitor thinks help in this case, however much needed by the family, would only tend to encourage the man in his evil habits.

271. Catharine Abbott: ^C. Eng.^ 69 Hackney St. Occupies two rooms Scantily furnished, but clean and neat. Husband (laborer) has been for some time out of employment, but has just obtained a little temporary work on the Railway. Canadian. 7 years in Toronto. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 5 Boy 1 yr. Eldest Girl goes to school. Very anxious to recover lost ground, and doubtless a worthy, though not extremely needy case. recommend a little help.

272. Martha Dyer: 24 High St. English. 9 years in Toronto. 1 Girl 13. 2 Boys 1 [age] 9-1 [age] 3. Father laborer, out of work. Mother has occasional employment. both are commonly reported as intemperate. Visitor recommended this case last year, but would not do so again.

Jane Cook: 68 High St. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] 14 years in Toronto. husband, Carpenter, having occasional work. 4 Girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9- 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 2 Boys 1 [age] 3 1 [age] 2. all at home. Two go to School. no outside help. House clean though almost unfurnished. a worthy & needy case

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274. Sarah McCauley: ^Ch. of E. [Church of England] ^ 64 Vanauley St. occupies two rooms. Canadian. Widow. born in Toronto. 3 Boys. 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 9 & 1 Girl 7. the eldest boy has work sometimes & the others all go to school. Want of employment cause of need, though she has now occasional work. {blank} A worthy & needy case.

275. Ellen Cosgrave: 31 High St. Irish. R.C. 7 years in Toronto. Husband, Shoemaker, Sick & out of employment. 6 Girls. 1 [age] 17 1 [age] 15 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 3 1 [age] 1. & 3 Boys. 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 5. The eldest Girl works in a factory & earns [dollars] 2.50 per week; the others who are old enough go to school. Occupy the house, which is fairly furnished, though dirty & untidy. A very needy case.

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276. Mary Ann McKenzie: 71 High St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] born in Toronto. husband, laborer, now in Kingston Penitentiary for two years. One Boy 20 years old away from home, does not know where. 3 Girls 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 7 & twins 3 Weeks old. Sickness cause of need. The Ladies aid Socy. [society] has given some little help. Worthy and deserving of some temporary assistance from the House. N.B. [nota bene] This case not sent to Visitor in the list, but application made direct to him & visited.

277. Mary Maney: rear 91 Jarvis St. R.C. Husband was hurt by fall of Steeple & unable to work. 7 years in Toronto. One Girl 16 stopping with them, other children doing for themselves. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

278. Margaret Comgan: rear 91 Jarvis St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Irish. 18 years in Toronto. Husband, Turner, Sick. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

279. Mary Innis: rear 91 Jarvis St. Prebyn. Irish. 2 Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 8. Husband sick. {blank} Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

280. Margaret White: 10 Church St. (up stairs) Old woman sells Apples. {blank} Coal & 4 lbs. Bread.

281. Jane McIntosh: 134 Front St. (up stairs) and old case, frequently reported. husband out of work. 6 Children & Grandmother (sick). Coal & Bread

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282. Mary A. Stockwell: rear of 144 Front St. Another old case; rather in the descendant than the ascendant: 6 Children. Coal & 8 lbs. Bread.

283. Ann Horan: 242 King St. E. (upstairs), frequently reported on; has a daughter and an adopted orphan child staying with her. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

284. Mary Haughton: 79 Louisa St. Ch of E. [Church of England], husband laborer out of work. Girls 1 [age] 1, 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 6. Boys 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 12. very poor. Need Coal & Bread.

285. Catharine Henry: 17 Osgood [Osgoode] Lane: Ch of E. [Church of England], husband left her. Boys 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 3. Girls 4 & Infant. hard work to make out. need Coal & Bread.

286. Mary Patterson: 2 Hagerman St. Methodist. Widow. 1 Boy 10. Keeps a Boarder paying [dollars] 3 per week. coal once.

287. Harriet Bick: 60 Chestnut St. Ch of E. [Church of England], husband sickly & unfit for work. Grown up Son out of work, need Coal & Bread.

288. Maggie Darke ^Durke^: rear 18 Terauley St. Ch of E., husband Laborer, out of work. 2 young Children. Coal & Bread.

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289. ~~Mary Ann~~ ^Marian^ Hunter: ^Canadian^ rear 22 Terauley St. Methodist, husband sick since November. Wife expects to be sick soon. No children. {blank} Bread & Groceries.

290. Margaret Robertson: rear 45 1/2 Terauley St. Presbyn. husband out of work, 5 Children under 10 years. Respectable. Coal & Bread.

291. Mary Summerville: rear 110 Terauley St. Ch of E. [Church of England], husband out of work. Boys 1 [age] 1, 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 9. Girls 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 5, eldest boy at work. Coal & Bread.

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292. Annie Byron: 49 Elizabeth St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Widow. old. lives with sister who applies for help. Coal only.

293. W.F. Eaton: 50 Elizabeth St. Methodist. Carpenter, out of work, 3 young children. wants coal only.

294. Charles A. Boomer: 86 Elizabeth St. since application left for the country.

295. Mary Anderson: 86 Elizabeth St. Husband out of work. {blank} wants Coal only.

296. Anne Dunn: 91 Elizabeth St. Ch. Of Eng. Husband worthless. Old Couple. alone. miserable creatures. undeserving but helpless. Coal & Bread & Groceries.

297. Louisa Murray: 100 Elizabeth St. R.C. Widow. Has Sister & Child living with her. no income. Coal & Bread.

298. Lucy Curry: rear 141 Elizabeth St. Ch. Of E. [Church of England] Widow. Girl 15. Both idle. want Coal & bread.

299. Elizabeth Bridgman: rear 19 Centre St. Ch. Of E. [Church of England] Husband laid up with a sprain: 4 young Children. Eldest 12. {blank} Coal & Bread.

300. Elizabeth Lever: rear 34 Centre St. Ch. Of E. {Church of England] miserable creatures. Bread only recommended, as a little money is wasted on Whiskey.

301. Martha Young: 36 Centre St. Methodist. Widow, 1 sickly daughter. Coal only wanted.

302. Mary Foster: Between 44 & 45 Centre St. cannot be found. As these Nos. [numbers] are on opposite sides of the street, perhaps she is in the centre.

303. Barbara Andrews: 85 Centre St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Widow, 2 young children, owns the house she lives in, but has no income. Wants Coal.

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304. Mary Daly: 63 Albert St. R.C. Widow. old. has received Coal for years.

305. Catharine Wardrobe: 67 Albert St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Widow. Grown up son idle. no means. Coal & Bread.

306. Mary J. Storry: Rear 55 Edward St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Husband left. Girl 12 sick. Boy 14 lately got employment. Coal & Bread.

307. Mary Magrath: Prices Lane. Widow. lives in that disreputable den off Prices Lane & cannot recommend her having no place of abode of her own.

308. Eliza Spurry: 4 Dale St. ^Removed to Arthur St.^ Husband absent. wants coal & bread, but should be able to make out herself.

309. Sarah Warner: rear 145 University St. Old Widow living with her Son who keeps her comfortable, and should not receive any help from the House.

310. Annie Farron: 11 Chestnut St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband out of work. 1 Child. wants Coal only.

311. Marion Ford: 10 1/2 Osgoode Lane. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband in England but no help. 4 children 4 to 12 years. wants Coal & Bread.

312. Alice Sheen: rear 74 Lombard St. R.C. Irish. Married. Age 24. Husband laborer, Age 44. 4 Mos. In Canada. Out of work. 4 Children. Very poor. in Want of coal & Bread which ought to be given.

313. Margaret Kelly: rear of 78 Lombard St. An old case which Visitor reported on years ago. find no change.

314. Bridget Cunnolly: rear of 82 Lombard St. well known to Mr. Duckett & the visitor. No alteration in her circumstances.

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315. Mary Craney: rear of 82 Lombard St. who claims as an old applicant, her usual rights, which I think may be given.

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316. Mary Ann Price: rear of 16 (not 18) Lombard St. was visited by Mr. Howland last year when residing on Agnes St. Husband, Laborer, and not much at that as visitor thinks he is a useless fellow. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 4 children. See Mr. Howland's report. Visitor does not think much of the case & leaves it to the Committee.

317. Mary Stone: 23 Richmond St. E. Would recommend her Coal to be sent. The usual quantity.

318. Margaret Gantlin: 87 Richmond St. E. was visited last year by Mr. F. Rush. Age 63. Husband left her, has two daughters who pay her rent. R.C. cannot get work & does not appear able to do much. Coal & Bread.

319. Dennis Murphy: 78 Richmond St. E. The same old miserable creature & wants Coal & Bread which he should get.

320. Thomas Hall: rear of 101 Richmond St. E. Another old defendant on the charity of the House. Lost his little blind Wife last July. Please give Coal & loaf of bread.

321. Dora A. Cannell: 70 Lombard St. same as before and requires the usual help.

322. Bridget Berrigan: rear of 85 Lombard St. as usual, only her husband has been laid up with a broken leg for four months. Coal & Bread.

323. Mary Carroll: rear of 79 Lombard St. another of the same sort. See former reports.

324. Eliza Shea: rear of 85 Lombard St. for many years has received the bounty of the House, and feels her want as great as ever.

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325. Mary Ann Andrews: 5 Lombard St. an old recipient of the favors of the House. Recommend usual allowance.

326. Mary Sullivan: rear of 62 Lombard St. same as last year. See report. Coal & Bread.

327. James McKay: (not McCabe) rear 66 Lombard St. was visited by Mr. Shea last year at 91 Jarvis St. a very sickly old man, and his wife 60 years of age, nearly blind. Coal & Bread.

328. Ann Gorman: rear of 78 Lombard St. Widow. Same as last year. see Report.

329. Harriet Batty: Rear of 82 Lombard St. as usual, and requires the same allowance.

330. Ann Fogarty: Rear of 16 Lombard St. An old Pensioner of the House. requires her usual allowance.

331. Ann Wilson: 98 Jarvis St. visited last year by Mr. Shea at 31 Duchess St. Widow. 2 Children 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 8. R.C. goes out working. appears industrious. needs Coal very much & Bread which she should have.

332. Mary Dunlop: rear of 16 Lombard St. not at home, will call & see her again.

333. Meta Klose: 542 King St. W. German. husband Carpenter, fell from a building in Autumn & broke his leg, so that he was not able to make provision for winter. One Child. House neat & tidy. Recommend Coal & Bread.

334. Sarah Jane Soper: 35 Little Richmond St. English. Methodist. Widow. no family. unable to earn her living. recommend Coal & Bread.

335. Mary Ann Pases: rear 25 Little Richmond St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] English. Married. no family. husband Blacksmith, old & out of work. Coal & Bread.

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336. Caroline Gilmour: rear of 393 Queen St. W. Canadian. Widow. 4 Children, Girls 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 6. Boy 9. Methodist. Industrious woman, but not able to get work enough to support family. Coal & Bread.

337. Margaret Gillooly: 138 Brock St. Irish. R.C. Husband does not help to support the family and she cannot earn enough in Winter having only two days work in the week. 3 Girls 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 1. 2 Boys 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 6. Coal & Bread.

338. Ann Hooper: rear of 39 Camden St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] English. Widow. husband died last summer. 1 Boy 12 employed at Butcher's. very little work. only one day this week. recommend Coal & Bread.

339. Maria Bay: rear of 327 Adelaide St. W. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Canadian. Married. husband cut away about four months ago and has not heard from him since. Two Children, Girls 5 yrs. & infant. Recommend Coal.

340. William Hacker: 193 Little Richmond. reported last day.

341. Eliza Scambeler: rear of 9 Camden St. English. Baptist. 7 Children. 3 Boys 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 4 & 4 Girls 1 [age] 15, 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 2. lately from Scarboro where her husband was employed as farm laborer. when winter set in they came to Toronto. Scambeler is not at work digging a well. The eldest girl might very well be at service.

342. Eliza Sandford: 438 King St. W. English. Married. 6 Children. all young. A respectable & industrious woman whose husband is in the North West, where he is kept from work by the cold weather. {blank} Coal & Bread.

343. Margaret Coady: Brown's Lane. Last house. north side. Widow. Husband Killed last year. no family. Irish. R.C. unable to get work. respectable woman. Coal & Bread.

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344. Catharine White: Brown's Lane. Married. husband Laborer (so called) but rather idle. wanting in energy so that his wife is left to provide for the family. 4 Children, 3 Boys 1 Girl. home very comfortless. Children almost perishing with cold. recommend Coal & Bread (for Children's' sake).

345. Alice Follen: Brown's Lane. Last house, South side in rear. Married. husband Mason's helper, not at work since the cold weather set in. 3 Children. One Son working on Railway & one Girl 14 Boy 12 at home. Irish. R.C.

346. Jane Burns: Brown's Lane, 1st door. Widow. Irish. R.C. 1 Boy 14. seems very poor. If she would take the Temperance pledge & keep it, she would not be destitute.

347. Eliza Cook: 413 Adelaide St. W. Irish. R.C. Married, 6 Children Boys 1 [age] 22, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 8, Girls 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 6. husband not living with his wife. Eldest Son helps his Mother.

348. Eliza Irving: 427 Adelaide St. W. Widow, Irish. Presbyn. Two children, Girls 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 3. not able to get sufficient work for the support of her children. only employed 1 day & a half in the week. {blank} Coal & Bread.

349. Eliza Roberts: 433 Adelaide St. W. Colored. Widow. No family, from Maryland. not in good health & so not able to earn her living.

350. Margaret Chapman: 431 Adelaide St. W. English. Married. No family. Husband Barber but not able to get work at his trade. has been in the sewers. no work since before Christmas. Mrs. C. has been in ill health, and all they could earn has been spent in obtaining advice & medicine, so that they have saved nothing for winter when work is scarce. recommend Coal.

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Present Revd. A.U. [A.H.] Baldwin & R. Gilmor, Esq.

351. Margaret Quigley: 90 Claremont St. R.C. Widow. Aged. No children at home. Requires Coal & Bread.

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352. Maria Bond: 22 Conway St. Married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband Plasterer, 8 years in Toronto. Boy 7, Girls 17, 10 go to school. Eldest Girl confirmed invalid. room decent. tidy. no other help. Coal & Bread.

353. James Gerright: 93 Claremont St. Married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Laborer, 10 years in Toronto. Boy 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 5 & Baby. Girls 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 2. Go to school. room decent. orderly. no other help. Coal & Bread.

354. Annie Nealson: 24 Conway St. Married. husband laborer. 5 years in Toronto. 1 Boy 1 yr. room decent. orderly habits. Lutheran. {blank} Coal & Bread.

355. Kate Kennedy: 11 Cedar St. Her husband was a Cooper doing well up to last month when he suddenly left her, and she has not heard of him since. She has 3 Children from 11 to 4 & a stepdaughter 18 who works out. Irish. R.C. Seven years in this country. Recommend Coal & Bread.

356. Harriet Nicholas: rear 57 Givins St. This woman reported on the last two years. Her husband deserted her. She maintains her children by taking in what washing she can get. Recommend Coal.

357. Bridget Newman: rear of 21 William St. 5 Children, Boy 5, Girls 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 7. The husband has very small wages. R.C. {blank} Coal & Bread.

358. James Regan: rear 42 William St. Very Old Man. R.C. cannot work. Coal & Bread.

359. Susan Malley: 80 William St. could not find her. No. 80 is empty.

360. Mary Hannen: 6 West St. R.C. Irish. 20 years in Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 16. Girls 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 11. Children not earning anything. Occupation washing & scrubbing. very poor. fair habits. Coal & Bread.

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361. Ann Bone: 74 Little Adelaide St. Scotch. Presbyn. husband laborer out of work at present. 21 years in Toronto. no family at home. Steady. wants Coal.

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362. Eliza Walker: 35 Garrison St. Irish. R.C. 2 Children. Boys 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 12. Works scrubbing & washing. Steady. Tidy. Coal & Bread.

363. Esther Sheppard: 40 Garrison St. Scotch. Presbyn. husband Shoemaker, but has lost the use of his arm. 40 years in Toronto. no children. Steady. Tidy. Coal & Bread.

364. Mary Warrick: 59 Little Adelaide St. recommended last week. are badly off for Coal & Bread and should have prompt attention.

365. Winifred Connors: Brown's Lane: Irish. R.C. unmarried. Lives in the same house with White, a Pensioner of the House. Recommend Bread.

366. Ann Jane McLean: 125 Portland St. Scotch. Presbyn. Widow. no family at home. partially paralysed so that she cannot use her left arm. Would be a fit subject for the Home for Incurables. Coal & Bread.

367. George Tremble: 72 Bathurst St. Irish. Married. 18 years in Canada. no family. Cuts wood & puts in Coal occasionally, not able to do much heavy work on account of bad leg. recommend Coal & Bread.

368. Margaret Spencer: 122 Lumley St. 50. Husband is said to have a sore leg & cannot work. Her daughter 19 has a baby 15 mos. old. Untidy house. Doubtful if aid should be given. Case left to Committee.

369. Margaret Wilson: rear 52 Muter St. 40. Husband Laborer, out of work. very poor. Five children from 12 years to 10 Months. Welch [Welsh]. aid recommended.

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370. Sarah Trissider: 75 Brunswick Avenue: 37. Husband has been sick & suffers from a very bad leg. Carpenter. Large family. very respectable & deserving. youngest child 2 mo. old. Temporary aid recommended.

371. Margaret Virgin: 75 Grosvenor Avenue. Widow. 46. 3 Children at home: Boy 10, Girls 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 13. Charwoman. very little work. English. aid recommended.

372. Annie Butcher: 83 ^rear 51^ Sumach St. R.C. Husband away seeking work. 2 Small children. Has a little Washing occasionally. clean & respectable. Coal.

373. Mrs. [Charlotte] Little: rear 51 Sumach St. Husband in U.S. Has several children, some of whom help her. One at butchering, pays her rent: One gets [dollars] 2 per week. Daughter married & well off. Ought not to want help.

374. Annie Harrison: 38 St. David's St. Husband out of work. One Baby, seems a very decent respectable woman, has washing occasionally: He is said to drink a little. Methodist. Coal & Bread.

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375. Mrs. Simpkins: 51 Sumach St. Man said he could not work. place dirty. look like "neer-do-wells". But the little child is ill. some Lady Visitor should see them. they appear hard up.

376. Sarah Jones: 66 Centre St. R.C. Old Widow living with daughter. Should get a loaf only.

377. Lucinda Bannister: rear 82 Centre St. There is no habitation in the rear of this No. [number] & those in front know of no such person.

378. Margaret Carney: rear 80 Hagarman St. There is no such No. [number] in the street. could not find the person.

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379. Kate Costelo: 42 Elizabeth St. reported by the person with whom she boards to be half crazy & at the time visitor called was not in a condition to be seen. The Doctor should be sent to report.

380. David Thompson: 93 Elizabeth St. Suffering from some disease. No responsibility but himself. The Doctor should see him & report before any help is given.

381. Mary Harris: 35 Emma St. Colored. Old widow. makes out in summer by boarders, but seems poorly off now. 1 Grandson 10. Had a companion in the house who seemed under the influence of whiskey. needs Coal & Bread.

382. Michael Donnell: rear 87 Chesnut St. Old Couple. no children. Man gets Corporation work & should get along with very little help. Was helped last year, which may be the chief reason for this application, as Visitor could see very little signs of want.

383. Teresa Dundrany: rear 222 Chesnut St. Widow. 57. Italian. 1 Girl 14 learning her trade. no income. needs help. Coal & Bread.

384. Catharine Rowe: 10 Johnson St. Irish. R.C. 40. Husband laborer out of work. 5 Boys 1 [age] 15, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 6. Coal & Bread

385. Mary A. Reardon: 10 Johnson St. Widow. 65. no family. Irish. R.C. {blank} Coal & Bread.

386. Catharine Cowan: 73 Boulton St. Widow. 55. Irish. R.C. One daughter in the Country. Son at a trade. Coal & Bread.

387. Margaret Mitchell: 73 Boulton St. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Widow. 57. no family. recommend Bread. This woman lives in the same house with Catharine Cowan (386) [Case 386]. There is only one stove in the house, but she says she is going to have one. When she has one, she can apply for coal.

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388. Emma Pain: 87 Boulton St. English. 44. Presbyn. husband laborer out of work. 5 Boys 1 [age] 16, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 2 yrs. Coal & Bread.

389. Mary Cleft: 54 Richmond St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] English. 33. 4 boys 1 [age] 15, 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 9. Husband laborer out of work. Coal & Bread.

390. Margaret Thomas: Mother to Mary Cleft. lives in the same house, but says she lives separate from her daughter up stairs, and has rooms & a stove of her own. Widow. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 4 Girls 1 [age] 18, 1 [age] 16, 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 13. The Committee should tell this woman that the Girls should all be earning money for her, if they are not. wants Coal & Bread.

391. Jane Trahee: 29 ~~Market~~ ^Renfrew^ Lane. ~~St. Andrew's~~. No such place on Market Lane round all St. Andrews Market or ward. ^See last years report.^

392. Mary Keely: (blank) U.S. Presbyn. 33. husband laborer out of work. 3 Children, Girls 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 8, Boy 6. came from Hamilton a year ago. want Coal.

393. ~~James~~ Jane Conner: London House: Irish. R.C. 6 Children, Boys 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 8, Girls 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 7. Husband not able to work. Wife works out when she can. Coal & Bread.

394. Letty Tweedy: 56 Richmond St. W. Irish. 74. Methodist. entirely blind & confined to her bed for over 8 mos. The Ladies of her Church have provided her with attendance & what she has stood in need of. She applies to the House for Coal to keep her warm. She has no one to send before the committee.

395. Mrs. Akerson [corrected to Mary A. Allen in index]: 48 Front St. Young woman from Uxbridge. Husband gone to States. were it not for her child, aged 14 mos., she would go to service. Ch. of E. [Church of England] She asks for Coal which Visitor recommends.

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396. Sarah Liniel: rear 10 Duchess St. Canadian. R.C. Husband shoemaker. 1 Child 2 mos. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

397. Sarah Edwards: 116 Sherbourne St. Husband. Laborer out of work. Boy 15 (apprenticed), Girl 14, Boy 9. 21 years in Canada. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England]

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398. Harriet Phillips: 2 Duchess St. Widow. 46. English. no family. old Pensioner. usual allowance.

399. Elizabeth Bradford: 92 Duchess St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Irish. 17 years in Canada. Girls 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 3 & Boy 9. Husband laborer, went to Thorald [Thorold] two months ago & has sent her a little money to pay rent. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

400. Mrs. ^Mary Ann^ Oakley: 103 Walton St. Married. 7 Children, eldest a girl 16. Husband is a book-keeper by profession, now employed at 50 [cents] per day. respectable. Eldest daughter just out of Hospital. Woman & Children sick, in consequence of being without fuel during the recent cold weather. Probably the relief will only be required temporarily, as the husband ought to get into paying employment. Recommend for fuel, bread & Groceries.

401. Mrs. [Lydia] Bartholomew: 144 Centre St. has had 3 Tons of Coal & 1/2 Cord Wood from the fuel club this winter.

402. Sarah Ann Goulding: rear 75 Teraulay St. A teamster out of work. Hurt himself and lost his situation. Last year was on for fuel & bread, but this last summer joined the fuel club & got two tons of coal. They have yet nearly a ton by them. 5 Children. One Boy makes 5 cents a day selling papers, the others are young. Want Bread only which is recommended.

403. Eliza Ellis: 17 Agnes St. A lone female. The other females in the house do not think much of her, but that may be only some personal squabble. One of the aggressive sort. Visitor will make further enquiries. Meantime, give her Coal & Bread for one Month.

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404. Sarah Collett: 50 Albert St. Her husband is a Machinist out of work. Was ill in summer and got behind hand. 6 Children at home 1 [age] 18, 1 [age] 16, 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 5. The daughter aged 18 sick. Eldest Son at work occasionally. Visitor recommends fuel & bread for a month.

405. William Lily: 15 Agnes St. A member of Dr. Pott's Church. seems to have had jaundice badly. Is out of work. Wife not able to do much. Recommend them for Coal & Bread.

406. Eliza Jane Hutcheson: 22 Albert St. An old Woman, member of Bond St. Church. Gets some relief from them, but not fuel, which she did formerly. Would recommend that she gets some Coal, but think the Pastor of Bond St. Church had better be communicated with.

407. Ann M. Ford: rear of 33 Edward St. An old widow woman. Negro. Sick. Age 62. Recommend Coal & Bread.

408. (blank) Anglesea: 18 Hayden St. 27. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Married. No children. Revd. Mr. DeBarr is visiting him. Is in a dying state. recommend groceries at present. A second report states that

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he has died, and recommends the Widow a second supply of Groceries. She will give up house in about two weeks.

409. Mrs. McCanlon: 84 Gerrard St. 22. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 1 Child. Belongs to Rev. Mr. Lewis' Ch. [church] died in Childbirth. Husband says he did not require anything.

410. Eliza Hart: 256 Queen St. W. Widow. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 1 Boy Age 13 earning [dollars] 1 per week. 2 Girls in service who pay her rent & 1 Boy in Orphans' Home. In poor health. Known to Visitor as a very deserving case. Coal wanted.

411. Lucy Carney: 43 Avenue Lane. Husband too old to work. 2 Children 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 13 Girls. Recommend Coal & Bread.

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412. Lucy Conway: 47 Avenue Lane. Widow. 2 Boys 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 15. 2 invalid children 5, 1 1/2, Boys help a little. Coal.

413. Mrs. Ford: {blank} Centre St. 7 Children. 3 Girls work with her. 10 days stopped at present. Husband, laborer, out of work. Coal.

414. Jane Todd: rear 135 Centre St. Widow. 7 Children, 2 Married, 2 Working, a boy 15 & 2 young boys at home. Visitor thinks Coal & Bread necessary.

415. Mary Marks: 407 Adelaide St. W. Canadian. Husband Gilder out of work. 4 Children, 1 Boy & 3 Girls under 10 years. very respectable woman & husband willing to work at anything. recommend Bread.

416. Mrs. ^Mary^ O'Donnell: Dundas St. 1st house west of Dover Court [Dovercourt] Road. Widow. 1 Child 8 yrs. Husband was a Pensioner & worked at the lumber yard, Queen St. W. He was killed six weeks ago & she is left destitute. Irish. R.C. respectable & deserving. Does not require fuel, but recommend her for Bread & Groceries if possible as hers is a sad case. She had a miscarriage since her husband's death & is suffering from the effects yet. Cannot work much at present.

417. Catharine Brennon: 65 Ontario St. Single woman. Able bodied, has two children in the Girls home. They are not there. says she is prevented from working thro' one eye being affected. Should bring certificate from Hospital before relief is given. Do not think it a worthy case.

418. Mary Smith: 41 Ontario St. 43. R.C. out when Visitor called. is a charwoman, with One Son afflicted with bad eyes & can hardly see. has been relieved before.

419. Isaac George: 32 St. David St. 50. Ch of E. [Church of England] Sober & industrious, not able for heavy work thro' an accident. Makes kindling. 5 in house. 3 Children 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 6. Deserving.

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420. Hannah Smith: 10 Sackville St. wrong address-does not live there.

421. Eliza Lester: 30 Power St. Ch. of E. [England] 4 Small children, one a baby. Out when Visitor called. Husband works at Smith's wood yard. A Man & his child boarding in house. Coal.

422. Mary Dunlop: rear of 16 Lombard St. Widow. Presbyn. two children. Rag Gatherer. very poor & miserable. Old customer & wants her usual allowance.

423. Mary Ann McAllister: rear of 16 Lombard St. Visitor called twice, but could not find her at home.

424. Jane Clark: 70 Lombard St. not at home. one of our usual applicants, having had relief for some years. Children appear to require warmth. recommend Coal.

425. Margaret Sheen: 68 Lombard St. Married. 2 Children 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 9. Husband Coal heaver. R.C. Cannot get work at present. miserable house. pay [dollars] 4 per mo. [month]. recommend Coal.

426. Catharine Keough: rear of 16 Lombard St. R.C. Married, no children. Husband, Corporation laborer. had relief in former years. as deserving now as then.

427. Mary Jordan: rear of 16 Lombard St. not found at home.

428. Mary Wilson: 99 Richmond St. E. same as last year. recommend the same.

429. Elizabeth Todd: 571 King St. E. 37. English. 4 Children. 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4 & baby. eldest earns [dollars] 3. per week. others go to school. 5 years in Toronto. respectable. husband dangerously sick & needs nourishment. Never had to apply for help before. Sick relief recommended.

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430. Thomas Watt: 11 Funston St. 52. Scotch. Methodist. no family. lives in a house with another man. Upholsterer. ought to get along without relief. recommend a little Coal.

431. Sarah Shipcott: 79 Tart [Tate] St. 38. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 11 years in Canada. 5 Children 1 [age] 17. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 8. & Baby. In a miserable state which the neighbors ascribe to whiskey. Promised Visitor to send Children to school. recommend Coal & Bread. Husband 50 yrs. old.

432. William Walton: 102 Eastern Avenue. 40. Married. both healthy and able to work. He is a Barber, and also Shoemaker. They can get along very well without relief.

433. Elizabeth Pearson: 6 Coatsworth's Lane. 33. Ch. of E. [Church of England] English. 5 years in Toronto. 4 Children 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 4 & 1 Baby. two go to school. husband 47. Coal.

434. Jane Murdock: 3 Coatsworth's Lane. 36. Husband breaks Stones. 6 Children 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 2 & 1 Baby. English Ch. of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal.

435. Martha Matilda Hatt: 4 Coatsworth's Lane. 45. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 3 Children. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 1. Husband has hand badly frozen. cannot work. 9 yrs. in Toronto. Coal & Bread.

436. Catharine Maddigan: Trinity Lane. 55. Irish. R.C. Son 21. daughter 19. both able to work, but prefer begging. Mother & daughter beg daily. Visitor offered the Son [dollars] 1. a day to work for him, but would not accept. preferred loafing. to give them relief would be encouraging laziness.

437. Richard Banks: 33 St. Lawrence St. E. 55. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] eight years in Canada. 3 Children 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. not going to school. Wife 60 years old. recommend Coal.

438. ~~Mrs.~~ ^Charlotte^ Little: rear of 51 Sumach St. Visitor says the son who was butchering, has left her. & the daughter does not help her. if you think she is telling the truth, help her.

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439. Ann Adams: 382 Wellesley St. Age 37. Married. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Irish. husband has been sick. Coal & Bread.

440. Margaret Irwin: 68. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Widow without friends. not able to work. Recommended by Rev. Mr. Broughall for shelter during winter. Came here on 1st January (also see Case 512)

441. Elizabeth Johnston: 71. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Widow. 33 years in Toronto. One Son living in the City who has a family of his own. seeks admission into the House.

442. Catharine Madden: 48. husband in Gaol. a hard case. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] came here for Shelter last Tuesday Evening, nearly drunk, found since that the toes of both feet are frozen; she is also paralyzed.

443. Sophia Mountain: 40. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 20 years in Toronto. seems not very bright. Rev. Mr. Broughall would recommend her admission until she can get a place. Had shelter since 1st January. admitted.

444. ~~Mary~~ ^Henry^ Butcher: Mariner. 33. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 12 years in Toronto. Off and on in General Hospital for nearly two years, with Elephantiasis, turned out from there, incurable. Sent here for admission by Rev. Dr. Potts, who will try and get him into Incurable Home.

445. Ann Jane Robinson: 52. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] for last two years on crutches, a hard case, known at the House & Jail for the last 25 years.

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Present Rev. A.N. [A.H.] Baldwin & R. Gilmor Esq.

446. Michael King: Corner of Lisgar & Queen St. Irish. R.C. Laborer. 12 Months in Toronto. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 8. & 3 Girls. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 1 1/2 yrs. very poor. Sober & Industrious. no aid from any other Society. Coal & Bread.

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447. Mrs.^ Rebecca^ Hiffer [Higgin]: 46 ~~South St.~~ ^ Saulters St.^ 2 Children. recommended for Coal by James Pape.

448. Ann Tovey: rear 93 Jarvis St. Husband laborer. gone to Scarboro' to look for work. An old Pensioner. Presbyterian. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

449. Catharine Brown: 57 Colborne St. 3rd Story. Old Western Insurance Building. Widow. Scotch. 7 years in Toronto. 3 Children. Girl 12. Boy 1 [age] 8. 1 age] 5. Mother 80. Lives free of rent through the Kindness of Mr. James MacDonell. Coal & 6 lbs. bread.

450. Joseph McGaffekan: 69 Wilton Avenue. 59. Irish. A very quiet & decent man. Asks for 2 lbs. bread twice a week.

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451. Joseph Clark Pointon: 32 St. David St. a miserable character & not deserving.
452. Mary Donovan: 139 Reids Lane. Husband disabled with a broken rib. House clean & tidy. Working man & deserving. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 4 1/2. 1 [age] 2 1/2 years. Girl 13 Mos. R.C.
453. John Stevens: 28 Power St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Husband laborer. Do not think this man very satisfactory, but woman near confinement. One Son 13, but they say is very sickly. Coal & Bread.
454. Morris Fanny [Fanny Morris] [see also Case 1269, Fanny Moores]: 171 Parliament. St. Rag Picker. Wife has a bad head. Out of work from the cold. 2 children. Temporary relief.
455. Sarah Frances Bramble: 13 Reid St. House very comfortable & well furnished. Husband gone to Welland to look for work. are said to be very deserving and in need of temporary assistance. Miss S. Joseph wrote to Mr. Allan about this case.
456. Bridget Walker: 40 William St. Old Woman. Alone, only one or two days work a week. recommend Bread & Coal.

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457. Thomas Hay: 33 Bulwer St. R.C. Wife & 4 Children. 2 Girls. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 6. & 2 boys 1 [age] 3 & 1 Infant. Moved from Muter St. & never before applied for help. A Hod-man & cannot get work. Out of work 4 Weeks. For the Children's sake is glad to get Soup from the House. respectable. industrious. deserving. Bread & Coal.
458. Mrs. Maddigan: 13 Ontario St. 50. 4 Children. 2 Girls 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 10 & 2 Boys. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 8. Eldest Girl works for her board & clothing. She is very sickly & cannot work much. Coal & Bread.
459. Mrs. ^Eliza^ Hughes: 96 McGill St. An old Widow Woman. 70. Ch. of E. [Church of England] her daughter Mrs. Cliff lives with her & is just confined & very ill & without coal. Mrs. C's husband has left her. The old Woman cannot walk as far as the House of Iny. [Industry] recommend 600 lbs. Coal.
460. Mrs. ^Sarah^ West: {blank} 338 Church. Should have got 600 of Coal instead of 300. Send 300 more.
461. Mrs. ^Sophia^ Joselyn: rear 75 Carlton Should have got 600 of Coal instead of 300. Send 300 more.
462. Mary Lawrence: Not in my district. she lives at No. 13 St. Charles St. A street running west from Yonge nearly opposite Gloucester.
463. Jane Kining: 299 Queen St. W. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] very old. very poor. No children. Coal & Bread.

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464. Annie Armstrong: 158 Richmond St. W. Widow. 30. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] 3 Children. Girl 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9. Boy 7. Coal & Bread.

465. Catharine Graham: Walkers Lane. (Widow) off Queen St. E. Her name has been recorded for Coal & Bread by a Visitor who called at her house, during her absence, at Work. She is a worthy woman. Her Husband died 12 Mos. ago & left her with 1 Child & 7 Mos. later she had a second.

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466. Amelia Fawsett: 90 Gerrard St. in the rear. 60. Irish. Methodist. No children. Recommend 600 lbs. Coal.

467. Ellen Lochhead 24 James St. no rear to that No. & no such person known. get right address.

468. Eliza Corey: 100 Herbert St. R.C. English. 9 yrs. In Toronto. Boys 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 8. Girl 5 at school. decent. orderly. Bread & Coal.

469. Mary Ann Sinclair: 16 Conway St. 37. Married. Eng. husband laborer. Boy 2. Girls 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 6. decent. orderly. Bread & Coal.

470. Margaret Jackson: 104 Herbert St. 32. Widow. Boy 10. Aged father, laborer. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] decent. orderly. no other help. Sickness. requires Bread-fuel & Groceries.

471. Grace Jolley: 29 Strachan St. 38. Widow. Irish. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Seamstress. Boy 6. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 10 going to School. decent. orderly. no other help. Sickness. requires Bread, fuel & Groceries.

472. Elizabeth Smallicombe: 3 Henderson Avenue. Married. deserted. 7 years in Toronto. no Children. Sickly. orderly. decent room. Bread, Coal & Groceries.

473. Julia Tye: 120 Claremont St. Married. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] husband bricklayer. 10 years in Toronto. Boy 4. Girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. room decent. Good habits. Sickness. Bread, Fuel & Groceries.

474. Teresa O'Brien: 666 Queen St. Widow. R.C. Irish. Boy 13. 27 years here. no wages. washerwoman. no other help. requires Wood.

475. M.A. Harrison: 43 Claremont St. Widow. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Washwoman. 9 yrs. in Toronto. Girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9. Boy 14. decent, orderly. requires Bread, Coal & Groceries.

476. Mary Monk: rear 14 Terauley St. Absent at work. Learned they are not badly off & should be able to make out without assistance.

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477. ~~William~~ ^John^ Baker: 8 Elizabeth St. German. Old broken down Fur dresser. drank too much & lost his reputation. Girl 16 keeps the miserable house. Boy 9. Coal & Bread.

478. Ellen Riley: 105 Chestnut St. up stairs. R.C. Widow. 65. no children. Coal & Bread.

479. Elizabeth Ellcott: 98 Agnes St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Widow. Boy 16 earns [dollars] 1.50 per week. Sews for a living. Coal.

480. Mary Webb: 70 Louisa St. Husband deserted her. lately confined, not out of bed. lodges with a poor German family. very badly off. needs Coal & Groceries. a suitable case for the W.C.A. [Women's Christian Association] to look into.

481. Mary McLean: 3 Hagerman St. Presbyn. Old Maid. needs Coal only.

482. Margaret Carney: Shed next to No. 2 Hagerman St. Husband died 4 Mos. ago in Hospital. 1 Boy 4 years. near her confinement. lives with Sister, who is also very poor. Coal only at present. Might be allowed groceries when sick.

483. Margaret Graham: 40 Centre St. An old pensioner of the House. Two old men live with her, one supposed to be her husband. no children. might give Coal.

484. Mary Magrath: Prices Lane. a hard Case. lives mostly with her next door neighbour, noted for drinking & quarreling. having only herself she could make out if she did not squander her earnings.

485. Wesley Roads: 88 Sumach St. Visitor hears a bad account of these people. He is Black. She, a nice looking White Woman. It is said they are not married. He drinks hard. think destitution owing to drink.

486. Mary Wilkinson: rear 91 Sumach St. coal not come yet.

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487. William Baker: 484 King St. E. (rear) Methodist. German. A furrier by trade, with but little work. has evidently been and is sick-respectable. 6 Children. mostly young. Boy of 20 out of work. Coal & Bread.

488. Catharine Duggan: 87 Sumach St. R.C. Widow. 2 Small children. Think drinks occasionally. Makes about [dollars] 2. per week peddling. Coal.
489. Mrs. ^Nancy^ Olster: 117 Sumach St. has husband & 2 Small children. respectable, but out of work. were helped last year. ought not to want. recommend Coal for present.
490. Ellis Connelly: 289 Wilton Avenue. Married. no children, seem comfortable. say 'no work'. They are strong & well & can help themselves.
491. Patience Savage: 590 Bathurst St. An old case. She has been very ill in bed for some time. She has charge of three Grand Children 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 5. recommend temporary relief with Groceries.
492. Julia Simms: 526 Bathurst St. Husband very ill. Painter by trade. had very little work for months. was ill for 6 weeks when work was plentiful. 5 Children. eldest 9 years. English. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Aid recommended.
493. Susan Malley: 8 St. Andrews St. 44. English. husband ship Carpenter. out of work for 8 Months, and never able to do much owing to Rhumatism. She does all she can washing [etc.] but gets little to do. 1 Child, Girl 4. Aid recommended till employment secured.
494. Mary Brennan: 64 Lombard St. has a room from Mrs. Kitts. a spinster. lately in from the Country. cannot get any work at present. 50 years Old. R.C. Coal.
495. Mary Moore: 82 Lombard St. a poor silly old R.C. & very destitute. The house relieved her last year & should to [do] so again.

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496. Sarah Kitts: 64 Lombard St. should not get any assistance. Husband earns [dollars] 1. per day & drinks freely.
497. Julia Fraser: 85 Lombard St. Coal as in former years.
498. William King: 20 Richmond St. Cannot recommend for any assistance.
499. Catherine Carr: rear of 99 Adelaide St. E. Cannot be found. Visitor was told she is a hard drinker.
500. Catherine Roach: 27 Queen St. E. Widow. 1 daughter 14. R.C. lost the use of one arm. was helped before. would recommend again.
501. Mrs. McAllister: rear of 16 Lombard St. Cannot recommend relief until further enquiry is made.

502. Mary Jordan: rear of 16 Lombard St. Married. her husband went to Buffalo in November last, and was taken sick there. Her father is a farmer near Peterboro' but she married against his will, and consequently they are not friends. She was confined yesterday and requires Coal & Bread & Groceries. Mr. Beatty City Missionary called on Visitor about her and said he found her very destitute.

503. Eliza Hughes: 96 Magill St. Age 20. Canadian Ch. of E. [Church of England] has been confined lately. The Baby a girl 8 days old. Mary Ann Cliff the Mother of Mrs. Hughes lives with them. Has her doubts about her daughter being married. They are in great want & are recommended by Mr. McCord (Visitor) for Bread, Coal & Groceries. See Case no. 459. A mistake. Mother name Cliff & daughter's Hughes.

504. Mary E. Trimmer: 428 Adelaide St. W. Widow. 1 daughter at home. a very respectable woman, who makes her living by her needle. Finds it difficult to procure fuel. recommend Coal.

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505. Annie Goddard: 405 Adelaide St. W. Canadian. 1 year in Toronto. husband laborer, but has not regular work. She earns a little, but not enough to keep them. House seems very comfortable. 2 Boys 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 5. 2 Girls. 1 [age] 3 & 1 Baby. recommend Bread.

506. Matilda Wright: 394 Adelaide St. W. (Basement) English. 10 years in Toronto. Husband, laborer, but is not able to do work which requires much stooping. Boy 7. Girls 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 7. recommend Coal.

507. Mary Magill: 368 Adelaide St. W. 30. Irish. Widow. 3 Children. Cannot get much work. Boy 2 Mos. out of work & Girl only able to provide for herself. age of Children 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 17.

508. Ann Pases: 25 Little Richmond. St. reported already. Coal & Bread.

509. Bell Belmont: rear of 452 Adelaide St. W. English. Married 1 Child 14 Mos. Husband laborer, not regular work, only 2 days a week since September. recommend Coal.

510. Ann Simpson: 21 1/2 Camden St. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Irish. Married. husband, laborer, no regular work for two months, ill at present. recommend Bread. Left February 20th.

511. Charles Mills: 41 years of Age. Emigrant from England since August last. Ch. of E. [Church of England] Cannot get employment. has bad legs. Seeks shelter until able to work.

512. Margt. Irwin: "in Case 440." To be admitted for a time.

513. Cathn. Madden: "in Case 442". Committee consider Madden a proper case for General Hospital. the Revd. A.H. Baldwin wrote a Note to the Mayor asking for an order to admit her in that Institution and to have shelter Here until then. Left 16th.

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514. Henry Butcher: "in Case 444" Committee are of opinion that this Man should be admitted into the Incurable House. The Revd. A.H. Baldwin wrote a Note to Mrs. Cumberland asking to use her influence in the Case, the Revd. Mr. Potts will also interest himself.

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Present Messrs. W.J. MacDonell R. Gilmour & A.T. McCord

515. Elizabeth Johnston: (in Case 441) was allowed to remain on condition that she behave herself and make herself agreeable with the rest of the Inmates, and general useful.

516. Mary Stubbins: Emma St. Irish. has a Husband & two Children. Husband hurt one Finger & says he has not been able to work since Spring! A sister in law also lives with them, who claims to be helpless, they have the reputation of being hard drinkers. recommended 1/2 allowance of Coal.

517. Priscilla Randolph: Emma St. Coloured. two Boys, both able to Work. is respectable. applied to House ~~ap~~ because she heard of other people getting coal, who she thinks ought not to get it any more than herself. Recommended 1/2 all'ce. [allowance] Coal.

518. Clarisy Woodey: 41 Emma St. Coloured Man, a plasterer, working in some Houses in the fall. Contractor failed & he has been unable to get his pay, been ill since Xmas. Wife and two Children, seem quite destitute at present. respectable. Recommend Coal & Bread.

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519. Martha Collins: 14 Camden St. Canadian. Married. 4 Children. 3 Boys. 12, 8, 5 years, one Girl 10 years old. an industrious woman earns what she can but finds it difficult to provide for her Family in Winter. her Husband is a carpenter but does not provide for his family, his habits interfere with his Work. rec'd. [recommend] Coal once & Bread.

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520. Ellen Hatherley: 70 Bathurst St. West Indian. 33 years old. married. 4 Children all Boys 11, 10, 5, 1. Husband out of work since middle of december, also ill and not able to work. Recd. [recommend] coal once & Bread.

521. Nora Harrison: 7 Hackney St. Widow. Ireland. in Toronto 11 years. (R.C.) 2 Boys 14 & 11- 3 Girls 18, 16 & 11 the eldest one out at service. has two days work out every week & receives some little aid from the church, was assisted by the House last year, the children are poorly clad. recommend a little help.

522. Sophia Churchill: 131 Centre. Husband has work now & then therefore no help needed for the present.

523. Mary A. Ashworth: 166 Centre. old Widow. 74 years old. (Ch. of Eng.) has a little Room. needs Coal & Bread.

524. Elizth. Ford: 182 Elizabeth, (C of End. [Church of England]) Husband out of work. Girls 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 16,. 1 [age] 14. all idle at present. 1 Boy 10 years. Wants Coal & ~~Bread~~ only.

525. Maria Kinney: {blank} rear 185 Centre. Colord. Widow. 1 girl 13 idle. lives by Washing. has one Room from a coloured friend, might have coal once.

526. Susan Thompson: 195 Centre (C. of Engd. [Church of England]) Husband out of work. Girls 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. 1 infant Boy 1 [age] 3. needs Coal & Wood. To have 12 lbs. Bread weekly, and Coal.

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527. Jemima Adkins: rear 221 Chesnut. C. of Engd. [Church of England] Widow. old. sons Married and Whereabouts not Known. can't do much work. recd. [recommend] Bread & Coals.

528. Lucinda Bannister: 6 Christopher St. Children at the Home. lives with an old feeble Colored Man already receiving Coals & Bread. She might get Coals & Bread when she gets a stove.

529. Margt. Huggins: rear 226 Elizth. [Elizabeth] R.C. Widow. 2 Grand Children 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3 1/2. lives with Mrs. Irwin, already receiving Coal [etc.] she might get Bread.

530. Mary Haworth: (Widow from Ireland) rear 32 Woolsly [Woolsley], in Toronto 11 years. (C. of E. [Church of England]) 1 Boy 13 & girl 11 years. House Clean & tidy. received help from House last year. a respectable & needy case.

531. Mary Abernathy: 89 Denison Avenue. Born in Canada. Husband labourer out of Work. in Toronto 4 Months. occupies 2 Rooms. 3 girls 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 3. (C. of E. [Church of England]) a Worthy case, need tempy. [temporary] assistance.

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532. Maria Park: 94 Brunswick Av. Aged {26}. Husband 26. Presbyterian. Hires Room for [dollars] 1.00 month. a Roofer. No work for along [a long] time. 2 Children. 1 [age] 3 1/2 & 1 [age] 14 months. Coal once & Bread.

533. Amelia Constendine: Husband an Invalid quite unable to work. 6 in Family. Boy 16 years & is working. Protestants. The case is one of great need. Recommends Hard Coal & Bread.

534. Mary Musgrave: 78 years. in Much need. recd. [recommend] Hard Coal & Bread. P.S. most deserving person.

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535. Jane Foggett: Widow (R.C.) 17 years in Canada. 4 Boys 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 2 1/2. twins of 3 Months. 1 girl 6. Rooms decent. habits orderly. gets groceries every 2 Weeks from Ladies Relief Coy. [Ladies Relief Society], requires Bread, Coal & Groceries, a case of great distress. Husband lately died sudden.

536. Jane Orpan: 32 Wilton. no such No. [number] on Street. No such person Known in Neighbourhood.

537. Geo. B. Bloomfield: Deaf Mute. came before Board. Requires Coals. recommended by {blank} [John] Jacques Esqr. [at] 90 Beverly [Beverley St.].

538. Ann Langstaff: 100 Boulton St. German. aged 37. Husband 39 years old. Irish. (M. Ch [Methodist Church]) Carpenter. in ill health. not able to work at his trade. might do some light work if he could get it. 4 Children 1 [age] 11 girl. Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 3. Baby 6 Weeks. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread.

539. Alice McKenna: 119 York St. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 46. 2 Boys 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 14. recommends Coal & Bread.

540. Mary Cowan: rear 117 Queen W. aged 22. Irish. Husband English. C. of E. [Church of England] aged 27 years. laborer out of work. Coal & Bread.

541. Margt. Cowan: rear 117 Queen St. W. English. aged 63. Husband aged 66 years (C. of E. [Church of England]) poor health. not able to do much. wife looks very sickly. Coal & Bread.

542. Mary Jane Hopper: Dorset House. English (C. of E. [Church of England]) aged 25. 2 Children girl & boy, 8 & 7. Husband left her 3 years, & married another Woman. much need of Coal & Bread.

543. Frances Percy: "London House" Widow. Canadian. (C. of E. [Church of England]) aged 40. One Son 13. She has very poor health. recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread.

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544. Margt. Cahill: rear 23 Richmond W. no such person could be found.

545. Susan Chessell: 142 Richmond W. no such person could be found.

546. Ann Oliver: 25 Market Lane. [at] St. Patrick. 1 Boy 9. & 3 girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 2. Husband away. she works out. 2 young men boarding in the House. Recd. [recommend] Bread & Coal for while.

547. Doherty Ross: rear 5 Renfrew. alone with Husband. old people. Recd. [recommend] Bread & Coal.

548. Margt. Minall: rear 23 William St. 1 girl 2 years. Husband no Work. Bread & Coal for a while.

549. Cathn. Cox: rear 24 William St. one daughter 17 years, she is not strong. Bread for a While.

550. Mary Munday: rear 44 William St. she is sickly. has one Boy. Bread for a while.

551. Cathn. Coyle: rear 238 1/2 King St. East. Husband laborer out of work. 2 Children. Boy 9. girl 8. 11 years here from Montreal. originally from Co. Westmeath. R.C. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

552. Mary Townsend: 1 Briton [Britain] St. up stairs. Husband George stuffs Birds. 1 girl 1 1/2 years. Church of England. Husband English. Wife Canadian. from Hamilton a few months ago. recd. [recommend] Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

553. Mary Ann McConnell: rear 24 Duchess St. no such No. [number]. no such person in the Neighbourhood.

554. Ida Evans: 70 Duchess St. not known.

555. Ann Robinson: rear 84 Duchess St. not Known.

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556. Rachael Davis: Sherborne [Sherbourne] St. 3rd door South of No. 68. Husband Charles out of Work. Boy 15 broke his arm. Boy 12 1/2 earns [dollars] 1.50 per Week. Twins Girls. Boy 5. Girl 11/12 [11 months]. Methodists, left Belfast some 30 years since. 14 years Here, from Montreal. Coal & 10 lbs. Bread.

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557. Rachael Smith: 64 Lippincott St. Husband had sunstroke, not fit for work, is Sexton in Methodist Church Seaton Village. she is weakly at present. 5 Children, eldest 9. youngest 2 years. Bread & Coal.

558. Mary Ann Hughes: 65 Ontario St. only herself to look for. M. [Methodist] Church. out when called on.

559. Catharine Brennan: 65 Ontario St. a Single Woman with 2 Children, said to be in the Girls Home, but are not. I think that a good many are in the House, but cannot say anything more concerning her at present.

560. Thomas Booth: 31 Bulwer St. ChofE. [Church of England] has Wife and 4 Children. 2 Boys 6 & 3 & a Babe 1 Girl 4. He is a labourer & cannot get Work enough to support his Family. Steady, respectable people.

561. Mary Brennan: 99 George St. 70 Years of Age. not able to work. Recommnd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

562. Sarah Crawley: 95 Jarvis up Stairs. 27 years of age. born in Toronto. 2 Children. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3. Husband left Her 7 Months & was very cruel to her. Recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

563. Elizth. Carter: 133 Jarvis St. 47 Years old. 6 Children. Jane 17 years working. Chas. 13 working. Louise ^12^ going to School. William 10. Alice 8 years. England (C of E, [Church of England]) Recommend Coal

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564. Wm. Dowling: rear 120 Duke St. Aged 53. Wife 50 years. 2 Children. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. Girls. sells fruit in summer. not able to work in Winter. Recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

565. Elizabeth Colone: rear 71 Duchess. 34 years of age. John [ditto] 40 years. sick. not able to work. 4 Children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 2 & Baby 4 Months. in very much need of relief. England. (C of E. [Church of England]) 11 years in Canada. Recommend Coal & Bread.

566. Margt. Nairn: in rear 44 Ontario St. Aged 45. Israel. 21 years in Canada. 3 Children 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. very Sick. Recommend Coal & Bread.

567. Elizth. Osborne: 2 Walker lane. Aged 30 years. 7 years in Canada. Husband 49 years. 2 Children 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. Has sore foot. cannot work. Recommend Coal & Bread.

568. Lucy Rooney: rear 94 Duchess. 49 years old. 4 Children. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 5. Ireland. in Canada 27 years. Recommend Coal & Bread

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569. Sarah McClure: rear 89 Sherbourne. Aged 55 years. 3 Children. Sarah 13 years working [dollars] 1.00 pr. [per] Week. Wm. 11 years Cripple. Robert 8 years going to School. Natives Ireland (C of E. [Church of England]) Coal & Bread

570. Mary Funston: rear 100 Sherbourne. 36 years. Thos. [ditto] aged 30 years. 2 Children 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2. 20 years in Canada. Cannot get work. Recommend Coal.

571. Archibald McConnell: aged 28 years. not working. Mary Ann. 30 years. from Scotland. (C of E. [Church of England]) 3 Children. James working [dollars] 1.50 per Week. Recomd. [recommend] Coal

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572. Christina Moffat: 88 Victoria St. Aged 28. Alex Moffat. 44 years. Ostler. 4 Children. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 6 mos. Girl 6 years. Very clean & tidy, very little furniture. out of employ for 6 weeks. Coal & Bread

573: Sarah Bramble: 13 Reed St. husband out of work. (recd. [recommend] Coal)

574. Thos. Woods: 40 Centre St. Old Man, living with a family named Graham. already receiving help from the Board.

575. Mary Monk: rear 14 Terauley St. already reported.

576. Ann Eagan: Prices Lane. No No. [number] or description given of House.

577. Mary Nolan: 87 Chesnut St. cannot find this House. the location is in the grounds of Osgood [Osgoode] Hall.

578. Sarah Johnston: 53 Chestnut St. (Ch of E. [Church of England]) Husband out of Work. no Children. seems resptable [respectable]. Coal & Bread

579. Ann Mutaal: rear 126 Chesnut. Husband out of work. 1 Boy Cripple 13. nursing sick Infant & gets no payment, the mother deserting it. Recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

580. Martha Ball: aged 28. (C of E. [Church of England]) Girls 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3. Boy 1 [age] 2. Apparently deserving. certainly poor. near confinement. Husband 33 years old. strong active Man. give Coal once & 8 lbs. Bread for six weeks.

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581. {blank} Brown: 15 Cornwall St. 71 years. (C of E. [Church of England]) children married. cannot help her. has GrandSon 12 years, with her. gets some assistance from Lady Robinson. give Fuel. (see case 585)

582. Bridget Reid: Married. Episcopn. [Episcopalian] 5 Children. 3 Boys. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 4. Girls. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 11. Husband laborer. drinks. just now in jail. children look healthy. they attend All Saints, they say. give Fuel & 10 lbs. Bread for 6 Weeks.

583. Francis Blackstone: 12 Water St. aged 39. Sarah [ditto] aged 43. 4 Children. (go to School) 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. England. CofE. [Church of England]. in Canada 9 Years.

584. Nancy Patterson: rear 71 Sackville St. seems respectable. neighbours say he has been sickley. 2 Children & expects work shortly. Recomd. [recommend] Coal once.

585. {blank} Brown: 15 Cornwall St. lives with Daughter & son in law. resptable [respectable] old Body. House clean but no one there when I called but Boy who works [at] [dollars] 2.25 pr. [per] W. [week] don't suppose she would be allowed to starve by her children tho they seem poor. small supply of coal once "see case 581"

586. Bridget Read: ^I Hear they are^ in great need. ^(next door to above)^ has several small Children & Husband & Son in jail. Coal & Bread until I report again

587. David Hunter: 44 Sumach St. no such No. [number]

588. {blank} Chambers: 161 Sumach St. Old woman lives with her Son. he has Work. she drinks. they ought to manage. he seems a half witted chap. good to her & industrious

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589. {blank} O'Keefe: 39 Garrison St. refuses to take any relief at present

590. {blank} Lizzette: 58 Little Adelaide St. refuses to take any relief at present

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591. Mary Lennard: Daughter lives with her. ill & infirm. recommend 6 lbs. Bread & Groceries. 10 Church St. Marrd. [married] Irish. R.C.

592. Cathn. Maddock: 31 Cedar St. Husband Harness Maker. out of work. 2 sons at Home. one an Idiot man. the other a painter, out of work, and very sick. the old people used to drink to excess, but the woman has reformed. recommend temporary relief. Bread & Coal

593. Mary Ann Rightingburgh: 29 Cedar St. ill in Bed. husband out of work for sometime. works on Farm during summer. recommend little Coal & Bread

594. Louisa Grimason: 40 Conway St. reported already. requires coal & Bread only. aged Widow. "in Case 265"

595. Thos. Moran: 1 Maple St. requires nothing

596. Ann Sothers: & Husband. 120 Claremont St. aged couple. English & Irish. laborer. both ill. 8 year in Toronto. decent & orderly. Ch of E. [Church of England] requires Coal [etc.]

597. Susan Chessell: 529 Queen St. W. married. CofE. [Church of England] 4 children at Home. Husband in Hospital. requires Coal

598. Elizth. Spring: 25 Arthur St. Married. Aged couple. both Invalids at present. 1 Child 11 years. Irish. Presbyn. [Presbyterian] requires Coals Bread & groceries.

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599. Thos. Moberley: 120 Claremont St. in Row No. 10. reported 31st Decr. has met with accident. requires groceries.

600. Elizth. Lever: belongs to the Happy Family at the Rear of 34 Centre St. several of whom have had Coal only for the number of children in a terrible state of filth & neglect. and it is very difficult to decide what to do for them. the Bearer Mrs. Leaver probably migh [might] get coal once, but they should all be warned to provide for next year.

601. Sarah Kekewich: rear 110 Terauley. Husband sent to Kingston for 2 years. Boys 1 [age] 3 & Infant 3 months. works when she can. recd. [received] Coal & Bread

602. Elizth. White: 34 Woolsley St. Husband laborer in poor health, out of work. England, in Toronto 10 years. ChofE. [Church of England] 4 Boys at Home. 14. 12. 6. 4. & 1 Girl 9 months. Clean & tidy. needy & deserving.

603. Jane Orpan: rear 32 Woolsley St. Widow. Blind. from Ireland. in Toronto 15 years. (R.C.) is now in great want.

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604. Maria Abbott: 69 Hackney St. ^Husband^ Laborer out of work. from Ireland, in Toronto 26 years. C of E. [Church of England] 2 girls. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 1. & 1 Boy 7 years. clean. a worthy need case.

605. Elizth. Jones: Widow. an excellent hard working sober Woman. 3 Children. Girl 5 & 7. Boy 3 years. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

606. Julia Beasley: rear 4 Sydnam [Sydenham]. Husband shoemaker. one Boy 14. earns [dollars] 1.50 pr. [per] Week. one Girl 16 years. they say she has Rhumatic Hands, but their word cannot be taken. Girls at Home 11. 9. 7. 4. & Boy 14. Coal only & once

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607. Nancy Patterson: rear 71 Sackville St. already reported

608. Ellen Nash: 134 Sumach. Husband Bricklayer. out of work at present. she washes occasionally. 4 or 5 young children. Coal for one Month & Bread if she needs it

609. John Bell: 86 Nassau St. 70 years old. Wife sick. unable to do much work of any kind. 4 Children at Home. Boy 17 Printer. Boy in Office & 2 Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 3. Irish. Presbyterian. deserving old man. recomd. [recommend] coal & Bread & supply of Groceries

610. Mary Hawes: 22 Osgood [Osgoode] St. English. CofE. [Church of England]. 3 Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 1 1/4. girl 4 years. Husband Carpenter out of work.

611. Martha Watts: 10 King St. West, upstairs. English. C of E. [Church of England]. Widow. 74 years. in poor health & has none of her Family living with her. all married. requires coal

612. Annie Stuart: 133 York St. Widow. Canadian. C of E. [Church of England] 2 Children. Boy 9 & Girl 5. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread. to have Soup and a casual loaf

613. Margt. Noyes: rear 158 Richmond St. W. Irish. R.C. (60 years) Widow. very feeble. Bread at present. Coal when she moves

614. Margt. Bateman: London House. Canadian. Husband Scotch, Presbyn. [Presbyterian] Carpenter out of work. look needy. Coal & Bread

615. Emily Stone: 29 Nelson St. Aged 29. Canadian. Boy 4 who is sick. Husband great drunkard. does not live with her. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

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616. Mary Ann Marlborough: rear 238 Adelaide West. no such person

617. Mary Kimley [Kemley?]: 33 Louisa St. upstairs. Scotch People. out of work. 5 little Children. 2 are ill. recommend Coal & Bread

618. Louisa C. Grimason: letter to Mr. Duckett from Revd. Harrison "in Case 594"

619. Eliza Smith: 55 Centre St. CofE. [Church of England] Husband out of work, Girls 1 [age] 8. Boys 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2 years. can get along with coal once

620. Ann Powis: 49 Elizabeth St. CofE. [Church of England] Husband out of work. Boys 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 22. Total earnings [dollars] 3.50 per Week. Recommend coal & Bread

621. Margt. Mathers: 4 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. saw her Husband who states they do not need any assistance

622. Cathn. Roach: 16 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. R.C. Widow. 1 Boy 10. Girls 1 [age] 6. Strong woman takes in Washing and earns 3 to 4 [dollars] per Week. & cannot be badly off. recommend Coal once

623. Andrew Sloper: rear 30 Centre St. Boards with a Family. his Wife, at service. should not want much. 4 lbs. Bread at most

624. John Fitzmoris [Fitzmorris]: rear 34 Centre St. R.C. single man. seems able for work. should board & be able to pay for it. already several have received help in this yard. recommend 4 lbs. loaf, at most.

625. Mary McClinchey: 18 Lombard St. a very industrious Woman. recommend Coal & Bread

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626. Julia Fraser: rear 88 Lombard St. complains that the Committee did not give her Bread. I think she needs it, if the Gentlemen can think so

627. Mary Ann Ryan: rear 15 Queen St. East. same as last year when she lived in rear of 23 Queen St. East with the exception of one more Child added, 2 Weeks since, & is now suffering from sore breast. she has 8 Children, like steps of Stairs. recommend Coal & Bread

628. Ann O'Maley: rear 88 Lombard St. see last years report [1880 Case 278: Ann O'Mealey]. one Child less gone to work. requires fuel very much, which I recommend & Bread also

629. Cathn. Row: rear 72 Adelaide St. East. same as last when visited in Frances St. her Hand is paralyzed & goes round with Fruit. she is very fond of Whisky so I am informed on very good authority

630. Catharine Prowes: 78 Lombard St. which I failed to see last week is another of the old dependants on the House & expects her coal & does not want Bread

631. Bridget Berrigan: rear 85 Lombard St. visited some months since. complains that she gets one small Loaf less than last year, and to which she says she is entitled two

632. John Raymond: Cripple from Windsor. age 49. Cripple. Canadian. C of E. [Church of England] to have shelter until Monday

633. John Hastings: aged 32. has frost bites on his Toes. troublesome casual. Canadian. Methodist. to have shelter until Monday

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634. ^Ellen^ [in margin below] Sarah Freeman: "see Case 796 [in 1880]" The Revd. Mr. Cayley recommends her for shelter until it is settled whether she can go to the Home for Incurables, or to bring her case before the committee with a view to her being received into the House permanently. committee consider her a proper case for the Hospital or Incurable Home but not for this House, but will allow a few days shelter until she can make arrangements elsewhere

635. John Mason: 29 years of age. English. Methodist. lived for about 13 years in Carlton, Canada. in Hospital the last 5 Months. came to this House for Admission. a Cripple with Tumor on his Hipbone. has a Wife who is at present in Service. admitted for a time, although a proper case for incurable Home.

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Prest. [present] Messrs. J. Scott, R. Walker & W.J. McDonell & A.H. Baldwin

636. Eliza Hanketell: 2 Bredalban [Breadalbane] St. Husband delicate, out of work. the rest of a large Family do not give her much. recommend Coal once & Bread for a month.

637. Elizth. Hodgen: 9 Hackney St. Widow. born in Canada & in Toronto 2 years. 2 Boys aged 11 & 9. 1 Girl aged 2. R.C. clean & tidy. a Worthy & needy Case.

638. Eliza Chaplin: 10 Shuter St. aged 46. John Chaplin. aged 61. Pedler of {Fruit}. Eliza Chaplin Tailoress. cannot get work. a good work woman. clean & Tidy. needs Coal & Bread

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639. Rose McCaffrey: rear 158 Strachan Avenue. in very poor circumstances. lives in a Stable. Widow. no one but herself. Industrious & steady habits. requires Bread & Coal

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640. Mary McGarry: 64 Little Adelaide St. R.C. Ireland. Washerwoman. 26 years in Toronto. Boys 3. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 16. 2 Girls. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 15. all at Home. Boy earns [dollars] 2 1/2 pr. [per] wk. [week]. Clean & habits steady & industrious. requires Coal & Bread

641. Mary Gallagher: 24 Garrison St. R.C. Laborer. (U.S.) Fourteen years in Toronto. 7 Boys. 1 [age] 1. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 12 & 1 [age] 15 years. all at Home. Rooms poor. Habits industrious. require Coal & Bread

642. Rosanne Sangdon [Langdon]: 16 Garrison St. Catholic. Husband Labourer. 16 years in Toronto. from Halifax. Eight Girls. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 1 years. all at Home. not earning anything. State of Rooms middling. Habits industrious. Husband ill. just left Hospital. requires some nourishment, & Coals & Bread

643. Margt. Banks: rear 82 William St. was out. was told she had two children, but could not see any of them

644. Ellen Nash: 134 Sumach St. only 3 Children. she says she can get coal, but would like Bread occasionally. give Bread but not Coal

645. Mrs. {blank} Labelle: Address not sufficient. cannot find Her

646. Mary Campbell: 12 Regent St. was out when I called upon her, but the people who live in the House where she Lodges, says she is a Widow, a Charwoman, aged 45. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4. Girl {illegible} years

647. Susan Walsh: 35 Ontario St. Widow. lives with her Son in Law & Daughter. the Son in Law is of weak mind & has been twice in the Asylum. 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 4. Girls 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 7 mos. [months]. C of E. [Church of England] deserving Case. relieved to a small extent. know the Case well

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648. Harriet Huff: rear 88 William St. C of E. [Church of England]. Husband delicate & only able to do the very slightest Work. 7 Children. Girls 1 [age] 20. 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 12. Boys. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 6 & Infant. The 3 older daughters get occasional Work which is their only source of living. very respectable. worthy of Help. Recommend Coal & Bread

649. Michael Dunn: rear 87 Chestnut St. See report of Michael Donnel, same man (case 382)

650. Mary Murphy: rear 55 Elizabeth St. no person of the Name lives about this No. [number]

651. Maria Corby: 28 Osgood [Osgoode] St. Husband shirtmaker. lately from England. 3 Boys 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 7 years & 1 Girls. 1 [age] 9 & Infant. out of work & friends. Coal already supplied

652. Thos. Cherry: 177 Chestnut St. Baker. in Hospital. 4 Children. eldest 6 years. deserving case. recomd. [recommend] Coal (St. Andrews Church)

653. Emily Williams: 203 Chestnut St. husband Carpenter. Baptist. 3 Children. eldest out of place. deserving Case. recommend Coal

654. Susan Thompson: 195 Centre St. (see case 526) Husband a Gardner [gardener] now ill with congestion of the Lungs. Groceries recommended by Mr. Howland

655. Elizth. Moore: rear 49 Emma St. Coloured. lives with a daughter, who is married & deserted by her Husband. daughter has a little child. only 3 in the Family. Mrs. Moore is getting old & feeble & cannot work much. apparently respectable. recomd. [recommend] for Coal once.

656. Bridget Moore: 41 Emma St. see former Report. Sister in Law to Mrs. Stubbins. recomd. [recommend] for Coal once

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657. Mary Platt: 208 King St. East. Husband John Platt. Machinist. out of Work. Native of Toronto. wife sews. they pay no rent. Boy 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. Girl 4 years. Presbyterian. recd. [recommend] Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

658. Annie Phillips: 140 Ontario St. Husband Fredk. a Stove Mounter. 5 years from London. 3 Boys 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 2. 8/12 [8 months] (Ch of England)

659. Daniel Jeffers: 150 Ontario St. upstairs. old pensioner of House. Rhumatic. Labourer. Wife Mary Ann. a younger Sister lives with them. 10 years Here from Ireland. R.C. recd. [recommend] Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

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660. Mary Kay: 135 Jarvis St. Widow. 4 years from London. has Daughter at Winnipeg. pays [dollars] 2.50 for Room. has seen better days. Born in Cork. lives alone (R.C.) Coal once & 4 lbs. Bread

661. Margt. Riley: 33 Duchess St. upstairs. Husband Hugh left her last May, no word of Him since. sells Fish, oranges [etc.] Born here. R.C. 2 Children. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 2 1/2. Recd. [recommend] Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

662. Margt. Carrie: 40 Duchess St. Widow. no Family. R.C. coal once & 4 lbs. Bread

663. Cathn. Richardson: rear 40 Duchess St. Widow of Wm. a Daughter also a Widow with her & Boy aged 5 Years, lives with her. 32 years here from Co. [County] Armagh. had relief last Winter. Catholic. Coals once & 6 lbs. Bread

664. Maria Edwards: 44 Duchess St. Widow of James who was a constable in Sheriffs Office. from Limerick where her Father was customs officer. Boy 14. CofE. [Church of England] Coal once & 6 lbs. Bread

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665. Sarah Wallace: 42 Duchess St. (House not numbered) ^John^ Labourer from London 11 years ago. Wife has had 15 Children, only one lives, Girl 13 years. Ch of E. [Church of England] Coal once

666. Jane Wallace: rear 90 Duchess St. Husband George. 4 years from London. Labourer. Girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 16 months old. Boy 1 [age] 4 years. Ch of E. {Church of England} Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

667. Julia Elliott: 94 Duchess St. Husband George Labourer, born in Montreal. left there 11 years ago. 1 Girl 12. R.C. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

668. Edward J. Lodge: ^N.E. corner^ Brunswick Avenue & Harbord St. Wife & 3 Children. 1 at Home. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 3. Gardner [gardener]. no Work except a little snow clearing. English. ChofE. [Church of England] Coal once & Bread

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669. James Hamilton: in Case 848 in 1880. made application for readmission. refused on account of former bad behaviour

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670. Richard Rollin: 171 Hope St. Married (CofE. [Church of England]) English. Bridget wife, aged 87. No Children. Rooms decent. Habits orderly. no other help. needs Bread & fuel

671. Mary Edgar: Gladstone Avenue, 2nd House from Dundas. out of district. see report

672. Mrs. Hannah Stamford: 55 Strachn [Strachan] St. Widow. no Children at Home. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] invalided. Recomd. [recommend] Coal

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673. Sarah Beatty: 77 years & James Beatty 88 years. 141 Victoria St. Irish. Episcopalians. no Family. The old man sickly & very infirm. the Wife only able to do a little needlework. clean & tidy. Recd. [recommend] Bread, Tea & Coal

674. Mary Halley: 56 Victoria St. no such person living there

675. Cathn. Freeman: 51 Parliament St. 42 years of age. Ireland. R.C. troubled with asthma & cannot work. Recommend Coal & Bread

676. Mary Wood [Woods]: 73 Tait [Tate] St. 47 years of age. Ambrose 46 years old. 5 Children. Girl. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 4. Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7 years. Husband very sick just now. England. CofE. [Church of England]. Recommend Coal

677. Johanna Murphy: 71 Parliament St. 85 Years old. very Sickley. Ireland (R.C.) one daughter aged 40 & has to stop from work to attend to her Mother. Recomd. [recommend] Coal, Bread & sick relief. she is a very respectable old Lady

678. ^John^ Chs. Thompson: 19 Sackville St. 42 years of Age. Mrs. [ditto] 41 years. England (CofE. [Church of England]) 2 Boys. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 4 years. recomd. [recommend] Some Coke. no work at present

679. Mary Ann Wilson: 17 Sackville St. Aged 36 years. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 5 & 1 [age] 10 months. Native of Canada. C of E. [Church of England] her husband [John] died only two weeks since & left her in poverty Recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

680. Annie Salisbury: 89 Sumach St. a respectable Woman. Husband a Bricklayer. 5 Small Children. cant work on a/c [account] of cold weather. small supply of Coal for a month or so

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681. Wm. Dell: 150 Ontario St. up Stairs, front Room. Saw his Wife, 2 years from London England. Book Keeper, Furniture in Room is good, wanting Employment. 4 Children. 1 Boy, 20 apprenticed with Christie Brown & Co., another Boy keeps himself & lives with Mr. Thompson Butcher. Girl 16 at Home, (Ch of E. [Church of England]) Recommended 10 lbs. Bread

682. George Gregory: rear 99 William St. 2 Children. Girls 1 [age] 15 & 1 [age] 8. The Wife Sick, & himself cannot work on account of a fall, the Eldest girl does the Work of the House. Recommend Bread & Coal.

683. Thomas Carroll: in Basement of 297 James St. 70 years of age, Widower, Irish. R.C. Recommended for Coal

684. Elizth. Doherty: 143 Adelaide St. W. Canadian. 38 years of age, Husband Scotch, R.C., 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 2. Girl 8 years, from the States six Months since, husband shoe Maker, no Work at his Trade since Here, clean & tidy, no signs of intemperance, recommend Coal & Bread

685. Margt. Storey: 53 Chestnut St. aged 22 years, Irish (C of E. [Church of England]) from Brockton 2 months ago, near confinement, lodges with a Mrs. Johnston who rents the House. Storey says she has a Husband in the Country working on Farms, seems an unsatisfactory case. wants firing & other things, wherewith to pay for her Lodging

686. Ann Clifford: 84 Elizabeth St. 2 Children. Husband left her to seek work. herself unable to work. this I have from Neighbours, she being from Home. Recommend Bread & Coal

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687. Mary Bolen: who lives with a family named Jackson on Dale St. I do not like the appearance of the house nor the people, and have great doubts as to its Character. The old woman Bolen is probably as needy as she states, but the coals if given her will feed the common stove, when I was in the House there was the woman Ellen Jackson & another woman & a man, who represented himself to be the Husband of the woman Jackson, Bolen is now getting Bread, if the Board think well of it, they might give some temporary allowance of coal for the present hard winter but not help regularly.

688. Sarah Bennett: rear 10 Charles St., English. Methodist. husband, Cabman, out of Work. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 6. Boy 4 years. decent people. recommend Bread & Coal.

689. Martin Willoughby: upstairs 687 Yonge St. Painter. middle age. single. Mother died lately. out of work. only one Hand. Baptist. appears decent. Recommend Coal once

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690. Emma Cleary: 37 Gloucester St., 2 Children, 1 Boy, 4 years. 1 Girl 1 year. Husband labourer out of work, Baptist. decent people, Recommend Coal & Bread

691. John Hall: "Waiter", 334 Church St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Irish. aged 60 years. Wife & 4 Children 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4 years old. decent, well behaved. Recommend Coal & Bread

692. Sophia Josling: (reported 29th Decr. 1880) ^rear^ 75 Carlton St. recommended more Coal, urgent Case

693. Daniel Bremner: 188 Nassau St. aged 34. Wife & 2 small Children. is a labourer, no Work. suffers from Rheumatism. Scotch a Presbyterian, Coal & Bread for a Month

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694. Martha Coulter: 5 Hickory St. her Husband is asthmatic & an invalid. she is now suffering from a bad Leg. which prevents her running Sewing Machine by which she gains her livelyhood, Recd. [recommend] Bread for a Month

695. Mary Worth: 116 Brunswick Avenue. Parents both dead. She is a Tailoress and has the Charge of 4 sisters, the oldest being 16 years, a deserving young woman, recommend Bread & Coal.

696. Margt. Eaton: "in Case 831" died this day 31st January 1881. Aged 77 years

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Present Messrs. G. Goulding & E. Hobson

697. Mary Ferguson: 392 Adelaide St. W. aged 45. Husband 80 years. Irish. Ch of Rome. Married. 1 girl aged 4 & 4 Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 1 years. out of Work, House not uncomfortable, two fires, one in Kitchen in the Cooking Stove, the other in front Room in a sort of self {Fender}

698. Hugh McGee: of Wilton St., recently reported for Coal & Bread. is now ill needing Groceries

699. John McAdam: 30 Albert St. is in Want. he is getting Bread, but wants Work for self & Wife, a Baker by Trade. recommended by Mr. Gamble

700. Martha Carey: Widow. aged 52. Colord [Coloured]. 65 Ann St. Baptist. 5 Children. Boys. a Waiter. 30 years in Toronto. Sick & 1 Boy Sick. poor. decent. assisted by the James St. Baptist Church. two of her Boys earn a little money. recommend Coal

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701. Charlotte Brankstone: 4 Bond St. aged 52. Husband 49. English. Hatter. Episcopalian. the woman on her way from England had her Hand injured & now unable to use it. the man has only one leg & unable to work. one Daughter, Dress Maker, unable to get Employment. in Toronto only a short time. assisted by St. George's Society. to obtain a Stove. clean & apparently respectable. recommend Coal & Bread

702. Mary Helley: 56 Victoria Lane. aged 48. Husband 50 years. Labourer. 1 Boy 14 years. 1 Girl 11 years. Episcopalian. unable to Work on a/c [account] of severe weather. Home Clean & tidy recomd. [recommend] Coal only.

703. Mary Marlborough: rear 338 Adelaide St. West. East Indian. aged 36. Husband Irish. R.C. 60 years. labourer out of employ. Six Children, 4 Boys. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 5. Girls. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 2 years. require coal & Bread, very much

704. Rebecca Peel: 123 Adelaide St. W. Canadian. C of E. [Church of England] 2 Children, Boy 2 years, Baby 9 days old. Husband gone to Buffalo to get work, but not successful. aged 23 years. needy case. recommend Coal & Bread & Groceries

705. Sarah Gillespie: 10 Sheppard St., she does not live in No. 10 Sheppard St., her sister in law keeps that House. I think they have quarreled for she gives her a very hard name. of course, I do not recommend any relief not having seen her

706. Mary Medcalf: 137 Oak St. no such person in this House.

707. George Harris: 35 Cornwall St. "Mrs. George" married 2nd time. 48 years old. Husband, 44, Painter. Episcopalian. England. the 1st Children have all left her, she has now a Boy & Girl. 9. going to School. They go to all Saints. respectable people. they got 5 Bushel of Coke. give 5 more and 4 lbs. Bread for a short time. I hope the House will not spoil them

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708. Hannah Boston: 295 Gerrard St. East. Married. 56 years. Husband 60. Episcopalian. England. 4 Boys. 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 10. The youngest goes to School, the others out of Work for

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some time. the man a Labourer, the Boys were Sick with Typus [Typhus] last summer. Had assistance from the House last Winter. the man looks Sober but the Home very poor. there is something wrong when Four Men cannot keep a Home. give 8 lbs. Bread, no more, for one Month, and no longer

709. Edgar Wills: 26 ^15^ Madura [Madeira] Place. 26. Married. Wife Ellen, aged 26. England. Episcopalian. a Tailor. was troubled with ague for a summer or 2. has a good Character from Mr. Galley & Wheeler & Bain. The Wife is a Tailoress. There is plenty in the House. Fuel is wanted. give 10 or 20 Bushels of Coke, but no Bread

710. ~~Mrs.~~ ^Elizabeth^ Hill: 4 Oak St. is to come on Tuesday 8th Febry. for 10 Bushels of Coke, her second supply

711. Rose Leonard: 444 King St. East, could find no such person

712. James Dowling: 39 1/2 Ontario St. R.C. out of work since before Xmas. Labourer. no Children to help them. Their Children have large Families of their own very respectable. recd. [recommend] Coal

713. Maggie Edwards: aged 22. R.C. Paralyzed. sells papers. single. lives with Brother, a Labourer. a fit object for pity, recd. [recommend] Coal once & Bread

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714. Mary ^Edgar^: Gladstone Avenue, Widow, from Glasgow last September. 2 Children. goes out washing when she can get it to do, but seems in very poor circumstances, she is only living on the Charity of Frances Daily. recommend Bread & Coal

715. Chs. Gregory: 27 Cedar St. English. a Joiner by Trade. P. Methodist. Wife & 4 Children. Boy 17, Girl 15. others young. in temporary distress. the House they live in seems too large for them, but Rent is low. the Revd. McCade recommends them. I would recommend temporary assistance in Coal

716. Margt. Welsh: 42 Front St. was out when I called

717. Mary Kelly: 7 George St. Labourer. out of work. children, girl 19 (out) girls 17 & 12, Boy 6, Catholic. Recommend 8 lbs. Bread.

718. Mary Heffern: 110 George St. aged 60 years. Widow. married daughter also a Widow & 2 Children, Boy 8, Girl 5 live with her. 27 years here. from Castlebar, Ireland. recomd. [recommend] Coal & 8 lbs. Bread (R.C)

719. Cathn. Boland: rear 12 Duchess St. Husband Pat. labourer, out of Work. Boys 8 & 5. Girls 7 & 3. 16 years here. recomd. [recommend] Coal & 8 lbs. Bread

720. Bridget Goodwin: rear 12 Duchess St. aged 26. an old Case, reported 24th January 1876, which see. 2 Children, Boy 4, Girl 16 mos. Husband Labourer age 35. Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

721. Julia Boner: 32 Britain St. there is no such No. [number] enquired next door & was told Mrs. Boner had moved elsewhere

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722. Eliza Littledale: 3 doors east of 40 Duchess St. an old & well known case. was not in

723. Mary Hogan: 94 Duchess St. has a large family but Husband has got Work. since she applied declines relief at present, but should she ask again, I recommend that it should be granted

724. Charles Humphries: 24 Centre St. Respectable man. 70 years of age. 5 Children. eldest ill with consumption. 2 earning about [dollars] 4.50 per Week which is all that he has to support all. old man hopeful of getting work, so soon as the weather breaks. Recommend Bread & Coal

725. Mrs. Margt. Story: 53 Chestnut St. Husband away for 4 weeks looking for work. no children. place looks bare & poverty stricken. recomd. [recommend] fuel & Bread

726. Mary Mullen: 97 Chestnut St. no such person at this address.

727. Henry Belt: rear 29 Buchanan St. aged 67. Coloured. widower. found in the House in addition to Belt another coloured man, a White man & his Wife & a single woman, White. the place not clean altho almost denuded of Furniture. the people where [were] all sober. whilst appearances most suspicious & unsatisfactory I could not actually be certain that the place is a bad one & still do not feel justified in recommending any thing but the most necessary occasional assistance, say coal once & nothing further without fresh examination & report

727 1/2. Daniel Lewis: 53 years. English. Ch of England. Mariner. 23 years in Country, sailing on the Lakes. seems not very strong. came here for Shelter, having no means to pay his way, on 3 February

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Present Revd. J.M. King, & Messrs. E. Hobson, S. Rogers & G. Goulding

728. James Madden: brought a recommendation for admission from the Revd. Mr. Cayley. Committee will allow a few nights shelter in casual, but cannot admit him as he is an able bodied man & not a proper case for this House. aged 40. Irish. R.C.

729. Henry Butcher: "in case 444" left the House today Feby. 4th for Incurable Home

730. Elizth. Johnston: 119 Dalhousie St. aged 21. Husband 28 years. Presbitarian. Scotch. Boiler Maker. no family. unable to obtain Work. Room poorly furnished. clean & tidy. recommend Bread & Coal

731. Ann Murley: 66 High St. Husband Labourer out of Work owing to ill health. 4 Girls. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 1. & 2 Boys 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. eldest Girl Home Sick. from England. Wife Canadian. in Toronto 5 years. Congregationalists. have had assistance in former years. a needy & worthy Case

732. Mary Ann Thompson: rear 65 Ontario St. is the same Woman, whose name was Cathn. Brennon a short time ago, said she had 2 Children, but has not

733. Elizth. Hill: 204 Parliament St. out when I called but I believe, most deserving. they are in such want that I sent a little food at once. R.C. age 35. Married but husband out of Work and got little when at it

734. Phillips Sarah: Please have the case investigated again, I hear they are in great want

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735. John Dunston, 33 Malinda [Melinda] St. English. C of E. [Church of England] Aged 50 years. Wife 47. Daughter 17 years. both Father & Daughter out of Employ. Book Keeper. I think they are in very needy circumstances & recommend Bread & Coal

736. Sarah Phillips: 52 William St. 4 Children. 3 Boys. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 18 months. one Girl 11 years old. Husband away. very poor. Ch of E. [Church of England] I recommend Bread & Coal

737. Patrick Kane: rear 58 William St. has no work. no fire in the House. recommend Coal only

738. Eliza Littledale: 3 doors East of Duchess St. up stairs. she has now another name & is again a Widow. her Children by 1st Marriage are grown up & have left her. Has two by last marriage Boy & Girl, both young. her present name is Coyle. she is no doubt in want. Recommend Coal & 6 lbs. Bread.

739. Mary Windust: 12 Duchess St. Widow. Boy 18. another 15, learning trade with R. Hay & Co. 2 Girls, 12 & 14 at School. English. C of E. [Church of England] sells apples [etc.] has disabled hand. recommend Coal & 6 lbs. Bread

740. Julia Boner: 15 Britain St. Widow. has a room there, with another Family. no children with her. Recd. [recommend] Coal & 4 lbs. Bread.

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741. Jane Thomas: Widow. C of E. [Church of England] 4 Sullivan St. 3 Children, Boys 11, 8 & 2 1/2. cannot get work. needful. recond. [recommend] fuel

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742. Mary Jane Carroll: 120 King St. East. Widow. aged 30. has 5 Children. two of these are living with her mother. three at Home with her, aged 7, 8 & 9. She is of Irish parents. Husband dead six years. Episcopal Ch. came to this city 2 years ago from Ottawa. goes out to do general House cleaning. she is a very industrious & deserving Woman. Recommend Coal & Bread

743. Arthur Quinn: 39 Lombard St. called but could not find # him at Home. this is a big strong looking man, who is blind and has a Boy leading him from door to door begging. I would not recommend him for any assistance, as I think he makes well by the Begging

744. Mary Carr: 66 Lombard St. married but Husband left her two years since. has 3 Children. one at work, as servant, 2 at Home. 44 years old & has been in this country 2 years. from Ireland. R.C. recommend Coal once & Bread

745. Mrs. M. {blank} Alliston [McAllister]: rear 16 Lombard St., against whom I reported some 3 Weeks since [Case 423 & 501], having seen the Revd. Mr. Green and obtained information concerning her. now recommend her Coal & Bread

746. Emily Morris: I hardly know what to report. I send Mr. Sansons letter. 3 small Children, I dare say they are no worse than half the people who get relief from the House, so suppose as the weather is so severe they might have a little fuel

747. Sarah Murray: 28 Isabella St. up stairs. 70 years of age. C of E. [Church of England] no children. Coal once & Bread for 2 Months. (Has left this district and removed to 24 Centre St.)

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748. Jane Taylor: 425 Adelaide St. an industrious woman who has a Husband at present dependent upon her for support. had Rheumatic Fever. recond. [recommend] Sick allowance, & Coal & Bread.

749. Edward Ladd: rear of 39 Foxley St. Wife has been in the Hamilton Asylum. out of work, a Baker. out from England about a year. both seem most respectable. recommend Coal

750. Thos. Hallam: 140 Terauley St. Wife. no children. C of E. [Church of England] born in England. 14 years Here. been sick. respectable people. recommended Bread & Coal

751. Wm. Page: rear 75 Edward St. 59 years. 5 Children, one in Muskoka, one in Toronto, 3 in Homes. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] out of work. recommend Coal & Bread

752. Harriet E. C. Smith: rear 90 Elizabeth. Widow. 2 Children. 1 girl attending Grandmother, one Boy out of Work. woman respectable. char & Wash for a living. recommended Bread & Coal

753. Alida Spencer: ^rear^ 90 Elizabeth St. coloured. husband not in city. not at Home when I Called. another colored woman & husband living in House. dont like the looks of place, but think better give a little fuel.

754. Bridget Robinson: 14 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. Widow. 2 Children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 8. Chars & washes for a living. steady, respectable woman. Coal & Bread

755. Elizth. Welsh: rear 81 Louisa. husband painter out of work. R.C. 4 Children. eldest 15, earns [dollars] 2.50 pr. wk. 3 younger going to school. respectable, decent people. Recommend Coal & Bread

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756. Margt. Henderson: 14 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. Husband Laborer out of work. Wife been sick & Still feeble. Baby 16 months. R.C. Bread & Coal.

757. Sarah Jane Murray: rear 191 Centre St. husband Laborer. reported on before. had coal once. need it again. decent steady people

758. Mary Ann Oakley: ^103 Walton St.^ Book Keeper. out of Employment. Wife & 6 Children, all been sick. one now sick with inflamitory Rheumatism. they have had 600 lbs. coal. recommend if possible, more coal and longer allowance of Bread

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Present, Revd. J.D. Cayley & Messrs. G. Goulding & E.H. Rutherford

759. Mary Johnson: aged 62. Scotch. Presbytn. says she has been 24 years in Toronto. Peddles & begs for a living. applied for a weeks shelter to rest herself, which the committee granted. Brought a note

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from Mrs. Cowan recommending her admission, to the House. is rather crowded just now, & being troubled with a very sore Leg, is more a case for incurable Home

760. Mary Jane Gray: "in case 859" in 1880. left the House of her own accord

761. Cathn. McGowan: 180 Mill St. 70 years of age. native of Ireland. no person but herself (R.C.) very worthy. recommend Coal & Bread

762. Mary Burtles: rear 363 King St. East. Aged 50 years. Frances Burtles, 57 years. natives of Ireland. (R.C.) 2 Children. Margaret 15 years, working. Eva 6 years of age. I cannot recommend as they are a bad family

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763. Thos. Muter: 4 Water St. 45 years. Wife 46 years. Natives of Scotland. 9 years in Canada. Presbytn. 3 Children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 4. recommend Coal & Bread.

764. James Wilson: 83 Lippincott St. this case I visited before & told Mrs. Wilson to struggle on rather than apply to the House. she is now obliged to seek aid & I recommend Coal once, & Bread for at least a month

765. John Heversfield: & 4 Children, recommend Coal & Bread

766. Agnes Owens: 82 Strachan Avenue. think she is in great distress. recommended Coal

767. Mary Hedge: 94 Elizabeth St. C of E. [Church of England] Husband labourer out of work. Boys. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 2. & Girls. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. They do not appear to know how to manage, none of the children earning anything, but all going to School. want Coal & bread

768. Jane Gibson: 4 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. old Woman living in room rented of [off] Family. she has work 3 days a week & a daughter married who helps her. she cannot want much

769. Margt. Henderson: 14 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. Husband labourer out of work. 1 Child, 6 months. 2 other Children are depending on them. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 12. she is now receiving Bread & a Woman named Robinson in the House receiving coal

770. Caroline Rawlings: 136 Agnes St. C of E. [Church of England]. Husband out of work. Girl. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 2. Boy. 1 [age] 6. needs Coal & Bread

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771. Robert Jordan: 14 Bulwer St. C of E. [Church of England] Wife & Baby. He is ill with congestion of Brain & lung complaint. they are destitute. Fuel & Sick allowance, ought to be sent at once

772. Richard Berry: C of E. [Church of England] rear 58 William St. he is sick & almost destitute (has no family). Fuel & groceries are recommended in his case

773. Harman Howard: 11 Camden St. Canadian. Widower. in Toronto about 3 months. he is lame so not able to earn his living by hard work. His usual means of earning a living is by selling {medicines}. He therefore asks for coals

774. G.B. Broomfield: please let him have some coal, as he is in much need, he lives alone. recommended by Alexr. Gilroy. address 19 Caer-Howell

775. Sarah Moran: 57 Victoria St. aged 43. Widow. R.C. Boy. 1 [age] 13. Girl. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 8. one in Hospital. clean & tidy. needs Coal & Bread.

776. Elizth. Constantine: 115 Dalhousie St. aged 76. Widow. English. Baptist. the church pays her Rent. owing to age not able to do much work. needs firing

777. Sarah McLaughlan: out when called upon

778. Mary Grant: 16 Shuter St. aged 50 years. Widow. Presbytn. 5 Children. Boys. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 18. Girls. 1 [age] 20. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 11. one Girl, milliner, unable to get work & all the same complaint, wish to get help for this time only, Coal

779. Isaac Peterson: 67 Sackville St. (R.C.) French. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 11. & Nephew living with them 20 years old. seems in need. man has been disabled & now cant get work. House clean. recomd. [recommend] Coal or Coke for the present

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780. Rose Lennard: 444 King St East. R.C. 3 small children. 2 at Work earning about [dollars] 2.50 pr. Week. she washes occasionally. seems clean & respectable. recommend Coke for a Month

781. Margt. Welsh: 42 Front St. widow. lives alone. Children in the States. from Cork 40 years ago. in Toronto 10 years. Catholic. recommend Coal & 4 lbs. Bread

782. Eliza Goodwin: rear 101 Jarvis St. up Stairs 3rd Story. was out. saw her daughter aged 17 yrs. Widow. works for Tailors, but work is flat at present. Born in N.Y. lived most of her life in Toronto. Fathers name was James, a Tailor. dead 14 years. mother & daughter live together. Ch of E. [Church of England]. Coal once.

783. Sarah Gillespie: 119 George St. not known there

784. Harriet Gordon: wants some Coal very badly. she has two sisters very sick & herself is not strong. they are very industrious people, but on a/c [account] of sickness, very poor. recommend Coal

785. Clara Stain: 210 Centre St. visited this woman last year and reported fully at that time. She was dangerously ill herself. Since then her Husband who was an employ of the Northern Railway had both feet taken off by the cars. He is now in the Hospital & not likely to recover, as his spine is also injured. Her case is deplorable. she is a Worthy hard working Woman, and is I think entitled to all the help the House can give. She cannot use soft Coal. Recomd. [recommend] Coke & Bread & groceries

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Present Messrs. J. Gillespie & G. Goulding

786. When I visited Mrs. ^Mary A.^ McAllister: I reported against her getting relief, but have since seen the Revd. Mr. Green who thinks she will do better. I therefore recomd. Coal & Bread.

787. Elizth. Crawley: Victoria Lane, rear of 185 Victoria St. aged 47. Husband 48. English. 2 Children. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 13. goes to school. Husband met with accident. well worthy of relief. recommend liberal relief

788. Robt. Greer: 226 Chestnut St., Laborer. 5 Children. oldest a girl 8 years. Wife decent hard working Woman. House pretty well stuffed with furniture, but not clean. recomd. small allowance of coal

789. Mary Wood: 145 Centre St. fully reported on last year, had no help this year. Husband had a bad injury & is now laid up, & likely to be for some weeks. has large family all non producers as yet & two babes Invalides [invalids], recommend Bread & Coal

790. James Harris: 29 Saulter St. Wife & Self very Sickly. very much in want of Fuel. they are very worthy people,

791. Agnes Burns: rear 117 Queen St. West. Canadian (R.C.) aged 23. Husband Irish. Laborer. aged 25. has not been working for several Weeks. 2 Children. Girls 1 [age] 4 1/2, 1 [age] 2 years. recommend Coal & Bread

792. Mary Lacy: 23 Maple St., Husband David is a laborer. Roman Catholic, Irish from Limerick about 7 years. 2 Children. Boy & Girl about 15, are in great poverty. recommend a little Bread & Coal

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793. Mary Black: 213 Oak St. Canadian, 26 years old. married. Husband same age. English C of E [Church of England], laborer. she sews. 4 girls. 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 6 1 [age] 4 & 1 [age] 1 1/2. they do not attend day school, strong healthy Children. The man strong young & active, helped last winter, give 10 bushels Coke now & 10 in 4 weeks time

794. Mary Kennedy: 24 Ramseys Lane. aged 42. R.C. 7 Children. Boy 13 years gets [dollars] 1.50 per week 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8 girls 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 2. Husband Hugh Laborer, out of work for some time. Recommends Coal & Bread once

795. Esther Kilpatrick: rear 95 Queen St. West. Irish. Presbytn. aged 47, no family, out of health & Work. Recommend Coal & Bread.

796. Ann Doe: English C of E [Church of England] aged 48, Widow. no family, ^rear^ 95 Queen St. West, lives in Rooms with above woman, poor health & broken arm

797. Ann Serels: Munns Lane. Irish. Methodist. Widow. aged 40 years. 3 Children. 2 Boys 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 6 years, Girl 8 years. recommend Coal & Bread

798. Margt. Chapman: 431 Adelaide St. W. English. Married. no family. Husband no work & sickness the cause of not saving for the Winter, recomd. fuel & Bread

799. Jane Hill: 31 St. Lawrence St. 49 years. Edward Hill 53 years. Sick. 3 Children. Joseph 17, out of work, Caroline 14, at School. Jane 11 School, natives of England & going to Methodist Church. 11 years in Canada. recommend Bread & Coal, as None of the family is working

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800. Mable Stephens: 28 Power St. Have reported already

801. Selina Halligan: Borden St. opposite Herrick St. aged 25 years, laborer. wife & 2 Small Children 5 & 3 years of age. has been suffering from Rhumatism [rheumatism] & laid up for past 6 weeks, Wife not able to work, expecting confinement. Irish. recommend Coal & Bread for a month

802. Edward Hillstead: 29 Duchess Street, upstairs front Room. saw Wife who says her husband is now at work consequently needs no help at present.

803. Elizth. Gothard: 242 King St. East. was referred to Mr. Shea by Coll [Colonel] Moffatt & sent to me by Mr. Shea. Widow living with another old Woman. been 32 years in Toronto. no Children. 4 lbs. Bread & Small sick allowance, an old case frequently visited in former years

804. Maria Edwards: rear 238 King St East, is not Known there

805. James Cottom: 140 Agnes St. C of E. [Church of England] out of work. receives [dollars] 8.00 per Month for nursing two infants. no other income. Wifes Sister living with them. needs coal and Bread for a short time

806. Jane Boyle: rear 110 1/2 Chestnut St. Husband absent for some weeks, said to be sick somewhere West. 2 Boys 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 9 at School, earns a little by sewing. needs coal & Bread for a while

807. Jane Gibson: 4 Hagaman [Hagerman] St. see last weeks Report

808. Ellen Macmanus: 73 Queen St East. could not see her as she was just out of her lodgings for drunkenness. she is an old Faggot unworthy of relief

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809. Mary Ann Horsnell: 79 Lombard St. the same as last year, her husband and self are both ~~requiring~~ young and I fear are determined to be paupers, I cannot recommend anything to them as by doing so I am afraid I would be injuring them permanently.

810. Johanna Longuman: 5 Lombard St. I could not find her, she must have given the wrong number

811. Mary Ann Murphy: 16 Lombard St. not at Home and from appearances I do not think she requires much help

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812. Ellen Jordan: 14 Bulwer St. in "Case 771" destitute & Sick, recommended Bread

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813. Ann Phillips: 140 Ontario St. aged 28. Husband 22. English. Stone Setter. 3 Children, Boys 1 [age] 9 months 1 [age] 2 years 1 [age] 10 by former Husband, willing to work, cannot get employ. recommend Coal & Bread, house very poorly furnished

814. Mary Ann Gray: & George Gray. Shoemaker. 33 Bell St. Seem most respectable people, House & children very clean, 6 Small Children C of E. [Church of England] Recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread for a month

815. Jane Forsyth: 25 Bell St. ^Wm.^ Gardner [gardener]. have known him as steady respectable man, out of work, waiting for the weather, House & Wife clean. C of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal & Bread for a month

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816. Ann E. Bosley: & John (Husband) 283 Wilton Avenue. 2 Small Children. Temperance people. very destitute. no Bed to lie on, had an accident, but well again. no work. Recommend Coal & Bread for a short time.

817. Mary Ann Storey: 31 River St. Ch of E. [Church of England] clean resptle. [respectable] Husband at Home laid up with Rhumatism [rheumatism]. 3 Children, one earns a little, Husband Brick Layer Recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread for a short time

818. Mary Dickson: 144 Front St East, Indian from St. Regis. widow. 2 Children, Boy & Girl. in Toronto a few weeks, to carry on Basket making. Mrs. Jackson the land Lady says they are destitute, a small allowance of Bread will satisfy them

819. Sarah Brown: 228 Elizabeth St. her Husband has left her, 4 children, and is now suffering from an abscess [abscess] on her arm, I should be glad if you could help her. (English Ch of E).

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Present Very Revd. J.M. Laurent & J. Gillespie Esqr.

820. Bridget Hagan: There is no use my visiting her, she is an old fashioned Dead Beat, Begs & drinks she is more or less destitute & helpless, and more rather than less dirty, and unimprovable

821. Eliza Scambler: 7 Camden St. "in Case 341" has just been confined and is in want of the little comforts [etc.] recomd. the Sick allowance

822. Cathn. Keating: 25 Lombard St. Widow and old Case on the Books, recomd. Coal & Bread

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823. Bridget Connolly: 82 Lombard St. do not give any further assistance to her till you hear from your visitor

824. Sarah Jane Pearson: 6 Coatsworth St. I sent in a report one month ago giving particulars of the family. she thought at that time she could do if she got some coal. her Husband has been sick since that time and not been able to work. she is in need of Bread. recommended.

825. Mary McLaughlan: 5 Derby St. 70 years of age native of Scotland, by herself not able to work recommend Coal

826. Martha Kettle: 56 Alice St. Husband & one Child she will be confined shortly. He has been sick for 4 Weeks, is a driver for Bond, has congestion of the lungs & cannot go out in the cold weather. Respectable. recommend for Coal & Bread

827. Annie Stanley: 10 Hagamon [Hagerman] St. Methodist, 3 Girls 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] Infant, Husband out of Work, needs Coal

828. Jane Harper: 10 Hagamon [Hagerman] St. 3 Children. lives with above Woman, wants bread once as her Husband is likely to send for her next week

829. Mary Johnson: in "case 759" was sent to day to the General Hospital, had an order from the Mayor for her admission into that Institution, the resident medical man Dr. Riley refused taking her in, consequently she returned to House of Industry, paid 75 [cents] Cab Hire

Tuesday 22nd February 1881.

Present Messrs. G. Goulding & E. Hobson for W.J. McDonell Esqr.

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830. Thos. Rennick: 40. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] lately out of the Hospital, not well enough to work at present. seeks admission into the House. was previously an inmate, admitted for a time, has shelter since 10th February. Left May 20th.

831. Mary Jones: rear 135 Centre St. widow. aged 64. Irish, (C of E.) never had assistance before. recommend Coal once, with which she will be able to get through the winter, with other assistance we are procuring for her

832. Ann Halliday: rear 31 Leonard St. aged 68 years. Husband who is very Rhumatic [rheumatic] & unable to do any work is 67 years. a respectable old Couple. no children with them. Recommend Coal Bread & Groceries, English, Methodist.

833. John Neill: rear 41 Stafford St., Protestand [Protestant]. England. Laborer. in Toronto 11 years. one Boy 10 years. 5 Girls 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3 1 [age] 6 months. Rooms & furniture poor. Sober Habits. requires Coal Bread & Soup

834. Ellen Lennon: 27 Queen St. East. no such person residing there

835. Mrs. Mary Ryan: ^ (in Case 230) ^ Munns Lane, Father Laurent desires me to visit her for she was very sick in Bed, she has had Coal, once, she is in a mere shell of a House without Fire, if more coal was sent, it would be a great relief to her.

836. Jane Hall: 7 Munns Lane. Widow. aged 45. Scotch Presbytn. 2 Girls 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 15. they try to do what they can, recommend Bread & Coal.

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837. John Gilmour: 119 Dalhousie St. married. has Wife & 4 Children. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 6 months. was helped by the House while living at No. 10 Dalhousie St., his Wife has had a severe attack of inflamation [inflammation] of the Bowels. what is wanted is a supply of coal.

838. Elizth. Larkins: 148 William St. there is no such number in the St. [street]

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Present Revd. D.J. Macdonnell, Messrs. E. Hobson W.J. MacDonell & G. Goulding

839. Lizzie Wallace: aged 30. Irish. R.C. 5 years in this country. says she has been in general Hospital, seeks shelter for a few days until she is able to look for a place. Left June 4 /81.

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840. Lizzie Brown: a Widow 2 Children. from Mount Forest. is said to be a respectable Woman. recomd Bread & Coal

841. Isabella Weir: 121 University St. (Ch of E [Church of England]) Widow. 4 Boys 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 14 Girl 17 years. daughter has been idle, but now employed, no income needs Coal & Bread

842. Robert Armstrong: 193 1/2 University St. Methodist. Carpenter. lost money by failure of contractor. now begining [beginning] to work again. 3 Small Children. coal once will be sufficient help

843. Ellen Lendon: 27 Queen St. East. aged 76. Widow. Irish. Catholic. sells fruit for a living. all her family are away, and do nothing for her

844. Johanna Langaron: 5 Lombard St, no such person lives there

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845. John Sturges: 19 William St (C of E [Church of England]) is destitute and much crippled with Rhumatism [rheumatism], & unable to work. recommend Bread for the Winter

846. Margt. Cook: Pacific Buildings, corner Front & Scott Street, room No. 14 Top Story [storey]. Husband John, Cigar maker out of work. girl 15 Boy 12, Girl 11 Boy 6 girl 4, Pays [dollar] 5.00 pr. month for Room & is in arrears for Rent. Native of Toronto. Church of E. [England]. wants Coal or anything that can be had. all the Children are at Home, a bad case no doubt

Tuesday 1st March 1881.

Present Messrs. J. Fleming & J. Gillespie

847. Jasper Cook: "in Case 902 in 1880" left the House on his own account

848. James Johnston: 5 Munns Lane, Irish (C of E [Church of England]) aged 54. Labourer. cant get work to do. Wife aged 50 years. one daughter aged 15 years. the Mother & her, work when they can. they look very poor. Recommend Coal & Bread

849. Andrew Judge: rear 25 Queen St. East. aged 37. Wife Ellen, aged 27. Laborer. Catholic. Scotch. 4 Children. Boy 1 [age] 5 & 1 [age] 2 1/2 Girl 6 years, & one a Week old. found the Wife about doing House work, the Husband unable to find employ. Recommend Coal & Bread, with Sick allowance

850. John Webb: 35 Dundass [Dundas] St. but who moves to day to Claremont St. near Bells Store, at the corner of the Street intersecting it. Baker by Trade. English out 10 years. 3 Children 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 4. Methodist. his Wife for the last 3 months has been ill, & has fits. they appear very badly off, but as far as I hear drink is the cause of it, they are really suffering however, & would recommend Coal,

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851. Thomas Dignam: 197 Dundass [Dundas] St. I have not called but if he lives with D. Turbet I know all about them. He & his wife are Tramps, whom Turbet took in about two months since. he has been relieved by the Revd. Mr. Ballard, and spent the amount in Liquor & Tobacco. I cannot consciently recommend them for help as the Turbets have firing, and the man is quite able to work

852. Henry Elliott: who lives in the Lodge at the entrance of Rusholm on Dundass [Dundas] St. they are very badly off. he has been ill & I know they are in need of help. I had not been asked to visit & report on them, but I heard incidentally that it was said they would have to wait some weeks before they could get help. I said it was quite a mistake, as I had not even reported on their case

853. Thomas Tomlins: Wife & one child. recommend Coal & Bread

854. Mary Berry: (Colored) 96 Elizabeth St. Widow. 4 Girls. 1 [age] 15 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8. Boy 1 [age] 5. wants Coal once & Bread

855. Annie Bailey: Basement of 237 Wilton Avenue (C of E. [Church of England]) Husband has left her, she has heard that he is in jail, no help to her any way. a char-Woman. one child Boy 9 years. needs Coke

856. Annie Law: 119 Ontario St. R.C. says her Husband has been out of work for some time (10 Weeks) but has had in that time [etc.] averaged [dollars] 1.00 to [dollars] 1.50 per Week, one child, 18 months. Mother Expecting. 2 Sisters living in the House. Recommend, Coal once

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Present Revd. G. Cochran & N.C. Love Esqr.

857. Alice Hutchkinson: 13 Edward St., English, Church of E, aged 30. Husband a Tailors Cutter, 4 Children, Boys aged respectively 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 6 & 1 [age] 5 years, very respectable people. out of Employment, & in great need. recomd by Mr. Love.

858. George Bartress: "in case 883" left the House and went to general Hospital

859. Margt. Craig: 370 Adelaide St. W. aged 36 years. Married. Husband Labourer. Presbytn Scotch. recommend Coal & Bread

860. Richard Judge: 96 William St. has been and is yet ill. 2 Children. Boy 8 & Girl 7. the mother was sick for a long time. recommend Bread Coal & Groceries for a while

861. Susan Jackson: 32 Nassau St. she is a very respectable Widow & very reduced in circumstances. 2 Children. English. (Church of E [England]) recommend Coal

862. Henry Dignam: 197 Dundas Street ^"In Case 851."^ I find that I was a little hard on him perhaps, his Wife is sick and altho they live with the Turbets they have to find their own fuel & food. he is Irish. used to be in the 17th Regiment here, and only asks for temporary relief, until he gets work. his wife is ill, and unable to get up to the House. recommend Coal.

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863. James Madden: "in case 728." Applied for permission to stay a few days longer, until he can get employ granted. Left March 13th

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864. Mary Johnson: "in case 829" left this day, March 10th. she is a lazy and very abusive Woman

865. Amelia Bulleyn: 104 Claremont St. no such name or Number Known

866. Rachael Curtis: 10 Hope St. married. English. C of E. [Church of England] Switchman (G.T.R.Y. [Grand Trunk Railway]). 3 Boys. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 1. & 4 Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3. 2 at School. rooms decent. habits orderly. he laid up with Erysepelis [erysipelas] in feet. no other help. needs Bread Wood & groceries

867. Alexander Swan: 43 Woolsley St. an elderly man. health poor. from Ireland. in Toronto 7 years. Wesleyan. Baker. no children. wife also infirm and not able to do any thing. Rooms tidy & comfortable. a worthy & needy case

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Present E. Hobson Esqr

868. Phillip Goddard: S.E. corner of Queen & Esther St. could not be found at this address

869. Ann Vickery: 98 Agnes St. C. of E. [Church of England] Both son and Husband sick. deserving woman. recommend Coal & Bread

870. Fanney Parkhurst: 14 Wilton Avenue. Widow. 37. English. Episcopalian. husband died 7 years since, in Hamilton. has been in this city six years. 3 Children. Boy 12 years & 2 Girls, out of work. recommend Coal & Bread for a short time

871. John Barrett: in case 608 in 1876 died this day 13th March 1881. Aged 93 years

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872. Margt. Irwin: "in case 440", left the House to day March 14th, on her own accord

Tuesday 15th March 1881.

Present Mr. E. Hobson for Revd. A. Williams, Mr. John Shea & Mr. G Goulding

873. Charlotte Lidington: 119 Elizabeth St., C of E. [Church of England] Husband left town to look for work. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] Infant. she is at present very ill, recomd. Coal Bread & Groceries for short time

874. Emma Jane Edwards: 103 Chestnut St. Husband not living with her. 1 young Child. recommend Coal once

Friday 18th March 1881.

Present Mr. E. Hobson, attended for Revd. A. Williams and Mr. John Shea

875. Mary O'Donnell: ("in case 416") recommended by Visitor for assistance, during summer

Tuesday 22nd March 1881.

Present Revd. Dr. Potts & Revd. Dr. Rose

876. Alexr. McNab: aged 45. Native of Scotland. Presb'tn. Ch. lately from General Hospital, one hand partially crippled with Rhumatism [Rheumatism]. was sent here by the Mayor for a weeks shelter, so as to give him a chance when the ^fine^ weather comes. (23rd March)

877. Sophia Josling: ("in case 692") 75 Carlton St, who is Sick. recommended by Visitor, for further supply of Groceries

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Friday 25th March 1881.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

878. Ann Halliday: (in case 832) rear 31 Leonard St. Avenue. Visitor recommends further allowance of Groceries as her husband is still ill

879. Amelia Thomas: upstairs 27 Elizabeth St. old couple, man too feeble to work. all the earnings of the old Woman spent. now out of work. recommended Coal, Bread, & Groceries, once.

880. Ellen Forbes: 2 Whites Block ^Duke St.^ 4 Months from London England. Husband Harness Maker. out of employ. out of food & fuel. has 5 Children. Eldest 12 years old. (Catholics) worthy objects of charity. Husband has promise of work in a short time, and will only require temporary relief which should be prompt

Tuesday 29th March 1881.

Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. H. Rowsell, and Mr. S Rogers for Mr. J.W. Drummomd

881. Joseph Hart: 66 years of age, Native of England Church of England, 20 years in Toronto, no relatives in the Country, Labourer, not able to earn his living, applied for admission

882. Alexr. McNab: "in case 876". allowed to have shelter until Monday. Left April 27.

883. Thomas Gow: Victoria Lane, first House West side ^north of Queen^, up stairs, laid up with a bad scalding about his chest & right side. has Wife & 4 Children with him. Boy 15, Girl, 12, boy 2. & married daughter 21 years. Scotch. Presbyterian. Mr. Beatty city missionary called on their behalf. relief for the present & visit

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884. Mary Millan: rear 91 Jarvis St., Husband in Hospital. 5 Children at Home, eldest girl of Eighteen in very delicate health. In Toronto 5 years. Husband Irish. Wife English. both Catholics. no fuel required. badly in need of Bread & I think deserving of full allowance of Groceries (12 lbs. Bread for a Month)

885. Habben (Wm.): and his Wife. two half crazy vagrants now living at 29 Duchess St., English Church of E. [England] recommended by the Revd. Mr. Green for Coal & Bread as they seem somewhat improved, and have commenced House Keeping for themselves

886. Joseph Hart: "in case 881" asked to be allowed to go out for his clothing has not returned. March 31st

Friday 1st April 1881.

Present Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. H. Rowsell and Mr. S. Rogers for Mr. J.W. Drummond

887. Mary Foster: aged 69. a resident in Toronto for 32 years. Charwoman. a Widow. infirm. not able to earn her living. seeks admission. admitted. will make herself useful as far as able. Irish. Methodist Church

888. George Monk: aged 68. Irish. Ch of England .25 years in Toronto. says his Wife is ill & living with some friends, and he is not able to support himself. seeks admission for a time. admitted

889. John Riddell: aged 45. English. Methodist. living at 45 Lombard St. recommended by Mr. O'Brien (Visitor) for an allowance of Coal.

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Present R. Elmsley Esqr.



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890. Isabella Phillips: to have 600 lbs. Coal on account of her Sons illness

891. Mrs. {blank} Arnott: 69 High St., 2 Children Husband away from her, Church of England recommended as industrious & deserving, requires coal (600 lbs. of Coal)

892. John Kelley: 345 Queen St. east. a month in Toronto. Irish. Ch of England. married. aged 32. one Child, girl, 14 Months old. recommended by Mr. Beatty, City Missionary. 600 lbs. soft Coal

893. John Brooks: rear 29 Woolsley St. Wife sick. several small Children. badly off for Fuel. out of work. has never applied to the House. if one allowance of coal could be granted, and one Sick allowance this will take her over the cold weather

894. Mary Leslie: a Widow. aged 47 years. R.C. Ireland. Resident in Toronto. out of place at present. seeks admission for a time. will make herself generally useful

Friday 8th April 1881.

No committee present, (no applications)

Tuesday 11th April 1881.

Present J. Gillespie Esqr.

895. Mrs. Gibson: 18 Bond St. brought a note from his Worship the Mayor asking admission if possible for an old man named Elkington, until some enquiry can be made, as to what can be done for him. Elkington is paralyzed, and cannot speak, and afflicted otherwise. he had been boarding with Mrs. G. for 7 Weeks and has not paid his Board for 10 days. Mrs. G. says he is a protestand [Protestant], Native of England, 69 years old, no friends in Toronto. Mr. Carter 41 Magill [McGill] St. knows him. admitted

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Friday 15th April 1881

Present J. Gillespie Esqr.

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896. John Clancy: 73 years of age. Irish. R.C. has been in the States for twenty years, for the last year in Canada. no Friends, and not able to work for a living. was in the Police force in Ireland for 15 years before he came to this country, and retired on a pension of ^[pounds]^ 13.00 sterling per year. seeks admission into this Institution and is willing to pay [dollars] 1.00 per week out of his pension as long as he remains in the House, admitted on those conditions

897. William Harding: (in case 875 in 1879.) had leave to go out yesterday April 14th, & did not return, but figured in the Police Court report this morning for drunkenness & suspicion of Larceny, for which he was fined [dollars] 40.00, or 40 days in Gaol

898. Charles Peck: (in Case 903 in 1880) left the House on his own a/c [account]. will go to work. 18 April.

Tuesday 19th April 1881.

Present Revd. A.H. Baldwin

899. Janet Lawdon: to have 8 lbs. bread continued, during Summer

900. Julia McCarthy: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

901. Mary Cook: to have 6 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

902. Margt. Lennon: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

903. Frances Helem: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

904. Bridget Kitts: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

905. Eliza McKewan: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

906. Mary McCarthy: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]]

907. Mary Pollard: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

908. Jane Dundass: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

909. Mary Livingston: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

910. Jane Curran: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

911. Susan Charbott: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

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- 912. Ellen Rutherford: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued during summer
- 913. Jane Eaton: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 914. Ann Wallace: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 915. Margt. Tansey: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 916. Margt. Laurie: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 917. James McIntosh: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 918. Rosanna Lee: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 919. Cathn. Stuart: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 920. Ann Collawood [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 921. Harriett Batty: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 922. Mary Rutherford: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 923. Honora Boyle: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 924. Rose McKenna: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 925. Elizth. Fisher; [to have 8 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 926. Sarah Ogden: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 927. Susan Pooler: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 928. Clement Reid: [to have 8 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 929. Elizth. Burns: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 930. Julia Kane: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 931. Cathn. Eagan: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 932. Harriett Beck: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 933. Mary Lawlor: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 934. Bridget Efferson: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 935. Bridget McCann: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 936. Mary Gillam: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 937. Dummey Jones: [to have 8 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 938. Mary Maddigan: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]
- 939. James McKay: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

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940. Henry Collins: 19 Sword St. English. Ch of England. 9 Children. Wife ill, and husband out of work at present. Mr. Beatty City Missionary recommends Sick allowance

Friday 22nd April 1881.

Present R. Gilmor Esqr.

941. Mary Carney: to have 4 lbs. Bread continued, during summer

942. Jane Foggatt: [to have 10 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

943. Ann Burrows: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

944. Ellen Perkins: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued, during Summer]

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945. Elizth. Watson: To have 6 lbs. Bread for one month

946. Mary Sullivan: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

947. Margt. Elwood: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

948. Cathn. Culoton: [to have 8 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

949. Margt. Martin: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

950. Wm. Booth: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

951. Ellen Thompson: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

952. Margt. Walsh: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

953. Ann Saunders: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

954. Hannah Humphreys: [to have 8 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

955. John Black: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

956. Ann Duffy: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

957. Bridget Cavanagh: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

958. Rachael Boyd: [to have 10 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

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- 959. Mary Anderson: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 960. Margt. McCarty: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 961. Bridget Hughes: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 962. Mary Hayes: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 963. Hugh McGee: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 964. Sarah Moore: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 965. Elizth. Neal: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 966. Joanna McDonell: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 967. Bridget Burns: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 968. Bridget Pickering: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 979. Mary Patterson: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 970. Jane O'Connell: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 971. Charles Elkington: "in case 895" died this day 25th April

Tuesday 26th April 1881.

Present J. Jacques Esqr.

- 972. Marion Kinsella: To have 6 lbs. Bread continued during Summer
- 973. Matthew Curran: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 974. Ellen Lannon: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 975. Ann Swanton: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 976. Ann Boles: [to have 8 lbs. bread continued during Summer]
- 977. Eliza Holland: [to have 6 lbs. bread continued to 1st June]
- 978. Mary Harris: [to have 4 lbs. bread continued during Summer]

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979. Cathn. Roach: To have 4 lbs. Bread during summer
980. Ann Gorman: [to have 8 lbs. Bread to 1st July]
981. Sarah West: [to have 8 lbs. Bread during summer]
982. Mary McNamara: [to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
983. Mary Downey : [to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
984. Margt. Coady: [to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
985. Sophia Groase: [to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
986. Sarah Freeman: [to have 6 lbs. Bread during summer]
987. Mary Houghton: [to have 10 lbs. Bread] to 1st June
988. Amelia Thomas: [to have 6 lbs. Bread] during summer
989. Amelia Spinks: [to have 8 lbs. Bread during summer]
990. Ann Robinson: [to have 12 lbs. Bread during summer]
991. Christina Kelley: [to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
992. Ann Jane Robinson: "in Case 445." left April 25th
993. Ellen Freeman: "in Case 634" left April 25th
994. Henry Higgs: aged 64 years. Church of England. 4 years in the Country. paralyzed. has been making a living by picking bones & rags. seeks admission. to call again next Friday
995. Wm. Stephens: "in Case 888." in 1880. left the House on his own accord. will look for employment

Friday 29th April 1881

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

996. Mary Keenan: To Have 4 lbs. Bread during summer
997. Bridget Murphy: [to have 8 lbs. Bread during summer]
998. Mary Walker: [to have 8 lbs. Bread during summer]
999. Ann Jackson: [to have 8 lbs. Bread during summer]
1000. Margt. Kelley: [to have 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
1001. Cathr. Wilson: [to have] 4 lbs. Bread during summer]
- 1001 1/2. Mary Ruglan: "in Case 874" in 1880. Left the House on her own account. April 15th

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1002. Reardon: a family living at no. 100 Boulton St. Dr. Ogden visited, and found the man just recovering from an attack of Bronchitis and is nearly well. The woman says she has had Rheumatism for a year, and has been in the Hospital for 5 or 6 weeks with it. she has a baby 6 weeks old and Eight other Children. The woman was in one bed, and the husband in another, both looking remarkably well and comfortable, with plenty provisions to last a week. They and an old Frenchman who seems to take a lively interest in them, said that the bedding had all been lent by neighbours, the bedsteads sent by some ladies, and the provisions supplied by the charitably disposed. Doctor cannot vouch for the truth of what they said.

Tuesday 3rd May 1881

Present, Messrs. J. Scott and R. Walker.

1003. Elizabeth Gothard: weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread continued

1004. Catharine Halleran: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer

1005. Edward Smith: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer

1006. Cathr. Mulhearn: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer

1007. Sarah Beatty: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer

1008. James Hull: 4 lbs. bread weekly continued during summer

Friday, 6th May 1881

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1009. Catharine Gifford: applied for a continuation of bread during Summer Months, Her husband who left her has not returned, has four Children and an aged Mother to support. very deserving. 8 lbs. bread weekly.

1010. Ada Stephens: 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

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1011. John Cochran: aged 58. Irish. Presbyterian. 34 years in Canada. a Tinsmith by trade, has been peddling about the Country. paralyzed. in Gaol for last 10 days, was sent here by Mr. Alderman Love, to have his Case enquired into. May 9th. says never had a settled Home.

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1012. William Wilson: in Case 917 in 1880. Left the House on his own account. May 9th.

Tuesday, 10th May 1881.

Present, Messrs. R. Brown & J. Rogers.

1013. John Cochran: in Case 1011. allowed to remain in Casual ward, Doctor to examine. Doctor saw Cochran, and considers him a Case for incurable, if he could be admitted there.

Friday, 13th May, 1881.

Present, Mr. R. Brown & J. Rogers.

1014. Jane Little: to have 8 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

1015. Mary Rice: to have 6 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

1016. Owen Flood: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

1017. Cathr. McNamara: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

1018. Mary Wiley: to have 8 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

Tuesday, 17th May 1881.

Present, No Committee

1019. John Timson: in Case 829 in 1875. Left the House on his own account, without asking leave.

Friday, 20th May, 1881.

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson, & E. H. Rutherford

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1020. John Hickie: aged 46. Native of Ireland. R. Catholic. an Emigrant 3 days out. came here for a few days rest and shelter. The man seems to be sickly. left 29th May.

Tuesday, 24th May, 1881

No Committee.

1021. Joseph Brown: 63. Irish. ChofEngl. says came from Hamilton looking for Employment. is foot sore, and seeks a few days shelter. Left May 20th.

1022. Mary Bolan: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer Months.

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Friday, 27th May 1881.

No Committee

1023. Mary Howarth: 35 Woolsley St. aged 35. a Widow. Irish. Presbyt. 2 Children. Girl 15. & boy 7 years old. Mrs. Howarth is sick at present, and has been recommended for a sick allowance.

Tuesday, 31st May. 1881.

Present. Messrs, W.J. MacDonald & Chs. Burns.

1024. William Harder: in Case 897. Applied for readmission into the House. Committee refused admittance at present, but advised Harder to go into the Country.

Friday, 3rd June 1881

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1025. John Timson: in Case 1019. Made application for readmission, seems to be in a deplorable condition. Allowed shelter in Casual Ward.

Tuesday, 7th June 1881.

Present, Messrs. N.C. Love & W.H. Howland.

1026. John Timson: in Case 1025. to be admitted, with the understanding that he behave himself, and if he leaves the House again on his own account, without asking permission he will have to stay out.

1027. Mrs. Kingham: 299 Queen St west. Visitor found this Woman old and feeble. she is above 70 years of age. all her family are dead but one daughter, who she thinks is about 20 years of age, who goes out to sew, and does all she can to assist in supporting her Mother. Mrs. Kingham does not want to leave her daughter to go to the House of Industry nor the House for Incurables. she is not able to call at the House for any help she may receive. Visitor has no doubt she requires relief, and if some flour and Groceries could be sent to her, they would be acceptable. Irish. ChofEngl. Case recommended to the House, by Mrs. Broughall

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Friday, 10th June, 1881

Present, Mr. Alderman N. C. Love.

1028. Mary Ann Whalen: to have weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread.

Isabelle Rogers: to have weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread

Susan Woods: to have weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread

Tuesday, 14th June. 1881.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Revd. A. Williams & Mr. J. Shea.

1029. Elizabeth Young: 35 Edward St. Widow. ChofEngland. English. 3 Children, boy, 17. Earns 70 [cents] per day. girl 13, out of place at present, and a girl 10 years old who is sick. Has been in Toronto since last October. seeks a little relief for the present. 8 lbs. bread, and small allowance of groceries.

1030. Mary Ann Hickie: in Case 866 in 1880, had leave May 30th to see her daughter burried who died at the General Hospital. Mrs. Hickie has not returned.

1031. John Mason: in Case 635, left on his own account, is somewhat better in health, and will try with his Wifes assistance to make out a living.

1032. James Seaton: in Case 970 in 1877. had permission to go out, has not returned. June 16th.

1033. Friday, 17th June, 1881.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Revd. A Williams & J. Shea

1033. Mary Ashworth: to have 4 lbs. bread weekly during summer.

1034. Bridget Walsh: to have 6 lbs. bread weekly during summer.

1035. Elizabeth Johnston: in Case 515. was brought before the Board, on account of complaints against her. when questioned as to her behaviour, she expressed a wish to leave the House, was allowed to do so. a troublesome and quarrelsome Character, and the House will be quieter by her leaving it.

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1036. Maud Morris: aged 19 years. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian 10 years in the Country. says was brought up with an Uncle at Orillia, left him and went to Lindsay, and came to Toronto last Christmas. has since been living at different places. her account is rather unsatisfactory. a Gentleman found her sitting in the Park on Sunday Morning June 19th and brought her here for shelter. Left 26th.

1037. John Richardson: in Case 840 in 1877. died this day June 20. aged 83 years.

Tuesday, 21st June 1881.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. Dr. Rose.

1038. Elizabeth Watson: 427 Adelaide St. west. is in receipt of weekly allowance of bread. Revd. Mr. Williams recommends an allowance of groceries, as she is in delicate health and for some time past has not been able to earn her living.

1039. Thomas Roach: 39 years of age. Irish. ChofEngl. a Cripple, from Upper Ottawa. seeks shelter for a few days, will try to get admitted into General Hospital. Left 27th.

Friday 24th June, 1881.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

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1040. Margaret Hill: says is about 60 years of age. three years in Toronto, from Ireland. Methodist. Recommended for admission by the Revd. Mr. Cochran, who has known her for two years as a decent deserving old body. Had relief from the House for the last two years. Admitted.

1041. John Mullins: had relief last Winter, asks to have his bread continued during Summer, for himself and Wife. To have 6 lbs. bread weekly.

1042. Mary Leslie: in Case 894, left the House on her own account, is better in health, and go to service.

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Tuesday, 28th June, 1881.

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson, & J. Rogers, for Messrs. H. Rowsell and J.W. Drummond.

1043. Martha McCormack: in Case 815 in 1877. brought before the Committee. The old woman is not able to do much, but what she is able to do she refuses, unless being allowed to run about the Street whenever she feels inclined to do so. Committee told her, while an Inmate in the House, would have to make herself useful as far as able. if not she would have to leave. Preferred leaving the House to day. Not to be admitted again.

1044. Robert Gradwell: in Case 543 in 1875. was up before the Board. Complaints having been made that he gets drink and under the influence of it, is abusive and insulting to the rest of the inmates. was reprimanded, and advised to discontinue such behaviour, or leave the House. Will seek for work and leave the House.

1045. Joseph Midgley: aged 25. English. Baptist. says came to this Country last November. A grocer by trade. All last winter he was hanging about the Casual, and Soup Kitchen of this Institution. Sent here by the Mayor for a few days shelter, allowed to stay a few days in Casual Ward. Left July 5th.

1046. John Hawke: aged 48. and his Wife Ann, aged 42 years, Irish. R.C. came from Hamilton to day (June 29th) and will try to find work in Toronto. say they have no means to pay their way, so came here for shelter. Left July 10th.

Friday, 1st July. 1881.

Present, Messrs. E. Hobson, and J. Rogers, for Messrs. H. Rowsell & J.W. Drummond.

1047. George Monk: in Case 888, asked leave to go out, allowed leave, but if he comes home intoxicated, to be dismissed.

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1048. John Clancy: in Case 896. asked leave to go out every day, or whenever he feels inclined to do so, which the Committee will not allow.

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1049. William Page: in Case 735 in 1880. Applied for admission, Committee will grant Outdoor assistance, but cannot admit him at present, consider he should get on during summer.

1050. John Hawke: and Wife in Case 1046, allowed shelter for a few days, until they can see the Mayor, and try whether they can get a pass to take them back to Hamilton. Left July 5th.

1051. Letitia Tweedey: 56 Richmond St, west. Application was made for her admission. Doctor to call upon her, to ascertain whether she is a fit Case for this House.

1052. Thomas McGann: Doctor O'Reily of the General Hospital made application for McGann's admission. Doctor Ogden to call and state whether the Man is a proper Case for this Charity.

1053. Mary Greathead: in Case 994 in 1878. is getting worse every day Doctor to examine. seems a fit case for Lunatic Asylum.

Tuesday, 5th July 1881.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1054. Mary Leslie: in Case 1042. says is not able to remain at her place, the work being to [too] much for her, would like to be readmitted again. she is useful in the House. Admitted. Left July. {illegible}

1055. David Porter: in Case 641 in 1872. had leave to go out for the day (July 6th) was informed at the House by a Police Constable, that Porter had died same night, near McAlpine Tavern, Queen St w.

1056. Rebecca Anderson: in Case 547 in 1879. left the House on her own account, will try and earn her living outside.

Friday 8th July 1881.

Present, Messrs. R. Gilmor & E. Hobson.

1057. Robert Gradwell: in Case 1044. is desirous to remain in the House. promises to quit drinking. Allowed to remain.

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1058. Elisa Roberts: Coloured. Paralyzed, and Aged. application was made for her admission. advised to try "Incurable House". in the mean time to have Outdoor assistance.

1059. James Roberts: aged 37. English. ChofEngland. A Gardener. says is not able to work at present on account of Rheumatism, and has no means. to have shelter until Monday. Left 13th.

Tuesday, 12th July 1881.

Present, Messrs. N.C. Love, E. Hobson, and J. Gillespie.

1060. Letitia Tweedy: in Case 1051. The Case was brought befor [before] the Committee for admission by Mr. Alderman Clark. To be admitted if Doctor reports favourable. Doctor Ogden has visited Miss Tweedy, and thinks she is a suitable Case for admission into the House of Industry. She is partly blind and keeps her bed most of the time. She is old and whimsical, but not insane. Thinks she can attend to her own wants as well as a person of her age and impaired sight can be expected to do. She does not soil her bed or clothing. but is restless for want of Company. she totters about her room from weakness but is not paralyzed. Aged, say 80. Irish. Methodist. Admitted

1061. Thomas McGann: in Case 1052. Doctor Ogden reports that he has visited and examined Thomas McGann at the General Hospital. He has been there since 1873, is said to be 85 years of age, he has lost one leg and his tongue has been removed for cancer. He requires Hypodermic injection of Morphine every day to relieve the pain of his stump. He is confined to bed all the time. Has twice attempted suicide, once he cut his throat pretty badly, and the last time he attempted it about two Weeks ago. he tries to stab the attendants who took the knife away from him. If admitted he will require to be watched all the time as he will secrete his dinner knife to cut his throat with.

Friday 15th July 1881.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

No Applicants.

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Tuesday, 19th July 1881.

Present, R. Gilmor Esqr. & Revd. A.H. Baldwin.

1062. Agnes Jackson: rear 68 Terauley St. A Widow, in bad health, with 3 young Children. She is in receipt of a weekly allowance of 8 lbs. bread, to have 600 lbs. Coal.

1063. Hannah Ashaw: who has been an Outdoor Pensioner for a Number of years, will have her allowance of 4 lbs. bread a week during summer Months.

Friday, 22nd July 1881.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1064. Thomas Ferris: in Case 869 in 1880. Left the House on his own account. will go to Kingston where he has friends who he thinks will take care of him.

1065. Richard Brennan: aged 51 years. native of Ireland. R.C. Church. has been for some years in the States. but four years in Canada. came a few days ago from Muskoka. says is not well, and seeks a few days shelter. called at the City Hall, and brought a Card from the Mayors Office. Left 30 July.

Tuesday, 26th July 1881.

Present. Messrs. J. Jacques & E. Hobson

1066. John Clancey: in Case 1048. will leave the House to day on his own account, and go to House of Providence, he paid as agreed upon to date. Fourteen Dollars. ([dollars]14.00).

1067. Duncan McWatt: 64 years of age. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Cabinet Maker. Twenty Eight years in this Country. Worked for the Firm of Messrs. Jacques & Hay for about twenty years. is now partially blind, and therefore has not been able to work for the last few years, has a wife. McWatt is well recommended for admission into House of Industry, both by Mr. Jacques & Mr. Hay. admitted.

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1068. Malcolm McPhee: aged 62. Canadian, from Calidonia. Presbyterian Church. Nearly Blind. is trying to get to Newcastle, where he has a Brother who he thinks will take care of him. Meantime seeks a few days shelter to rest himself. Left August 5th.

[In Margin] ^Mr. W. Telford 274 Bathurst St. to be sent to if anything happens to McWatt^

1069. Anne Duggan: aged 46. Irish. R.C. says has been twenty years in Toronto. Out of place at present. A Widow, without Children. begs for a few days shelter. Left 4th August.

Friday, 29th July 1881.

Present, Messrs. J. Jacques & E. Hobson.

1070. Margaret Tewhey: in Case 863 in 1877. Died this day. aged 64 years.

1071. Mary Duke: in Case 861 in 1877. her husband came up from Kingston, and took her out of this Institution, to day, July 30. and she was most willing to go with him. They will set up Housekeeping in Toronto, so he says.

Tuesday 2nd August

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1072. James Seaton: in Case 1032. Made application for readmission. As there is no complaint against the Mans behaviour he was admitted.

1073. Mary Campbell: 165 Oak St. aged 37. Scotch. Presbyterian, 7 Children, the Eldest living out. six at home. Girls, 6. 3. and 1 1/2 years. Boys, 7 & 5 years, and youngest 3 Months old. Husband a Machinist, left her 5 Months ago for the States, wrote to her once, but received no assistance from him. Brought a Card from the Mayors Office for assistance, Gave allowance of Groceries and 12 lbs. bread.

1074. Hannah Ashaw: an old Out door Pensioner, applied for continuation of her bread during summer Months. To have 4 lbs. weekly.

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Friday, 5th August 1881

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1075. Annie Hughes: 67 Hackney St. deserted by her husband English. ChofEngland. 2 Children, boy 3 years, and boy 10 days old. recommended by Dr. Wm. Ogden for assistance as she is sick. Respectable. Groceries & bread.

1076. G.W. Hancock: 44 Saulter St. To have Coal, Flour, and Groceries.

Tuesday, 9th August, 1881.

Present, R. Brown Esqr.

No Applicants.

Friday 12th August. 1881.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

1077. Mary Greathead: in Case 994 in 1878. She is of unsound Mind, and is getting worse every day. Made a statement of her Case at the Police Court, and she was taken in Charge, and removed from the premises. August 12th.

1077 1/2. Mary Jane Dear: 64 years of age. Irish. Presbyterian A Widow four years. in Canada since 1842. fours [four] years in Toronto from Coburg, where her husband died. Is at present living at No. 168 Adelaide St. west, will not be able to live with her daughter any longer, on account of the husband. would like to have assistance to enable her to hire a room. To be visited.

Tuesday 16th August, 1881.

Present: Mr. E. Hobson for Revd. Mr. Stone

1078. In the Case of Annie Hughes: in 1075. Revd. Mr. Stone visited, and found that she was from England, and had been in Toronto five years. she has two Children. The husband is a Carpenter by trade but deserted her last January. her Mother who lives with her is also helpless and destitute. Recommended

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Friday 19th August. 1881.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson, for Revd. J.D. Cayley & Mr. W.H. Howland.

1079. Wesley Collins: had Out door relief for a Number of years during Winter Months. applied for the same during summer Months. Committee consider he should do without assistance at present. He peddles fruit, and seemingly does well.

Tuesday. 23th August. 1881.

Present, Very Revd. J.M. Laurent.

1080. Margaret Gale: in Case 678 in 1876. died this Morning August 24th. Aged 85 years.

Friday 26th August. 1881.

Present, No Committee.

No Applicants.

1081. Margaret Watson: in Case 582 in 1875. died this morning August 28th aged 71 years.

1082. William McGarry: aged 47. Irish. R.C. Church. subject to fits. applied for a few days shelter, not being able to work at present, not being in good health.

Tuesday. 30th August. 1881.

Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & Chas Burns.

1083. John Jordan: aged 50. Irish. R.C. twenty years in this Country. Lived in the County of Middlesex. came to Toronto last April to receive treatment for bad Eyes, says his means are exhausted, and Dr. Ryerson of the Eye infirmary considers him not a Case for that Institution at present, as it is will take quite a Month before an operation can be performed. Seeks admission into House of Industry for a while. Committee will admit him for one Month. Jordan left same day to get some clothing, but did not return.

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1084. Bernard Riley: an old Pensioner, in receipt of 6 [pence] sterling per day. Irish. R.C. aged 81. Has been in the "House of Providence". Now applies for admission into this Institution. He is willing to give up his pension for his support, to bring a Note from Staff Officer of Pensioners to that affect by Friday. Mr. Burns will make enquiries at House of Providence for what reason Riley left that Institution.

Admitted meantime.

1085. Andrew Baker: in Case 852 in 1879. has been rather weak in mind for about two years. of late he got worse, and to day Septbr. 1st had to apply at No. 2. Police Station for his removal from off the premises.

1086. Jeremiah Twohey: aged 75 years. native of Ireland. R.C. says he has been 27 years in Canada. A Labourer. suffers from Rheumatism, seeks admission. Brought a recommend from the Mayor and Dr. Riddell. Septbr. 1/81.

Friday 2nd September 1881

Present. W.J. MacDonnell Esqr.

1087. Jeremiah Twohey: in Case 1086. to be admitted with the understanding, that he make himself general useful as far as able.

1088. James Salter: aged 45. On his way to his House in Cornwall Ontario. does not feel well, seeks a few days shelter, has wrote for a remittance. Brought a Card from the Mayor. (Septbr. 3rd.) Native of New Brunswick. R.C. Left 7th.

Tuesday, 6th September 1881

Present, Revd. G. Cochran. & Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. Alderman N. C. Love.

1089. David Cox: in Case 852 in 1880. cannot be admitted having no claim on this Institution, belongs to Markham. and when in the House some time ago. would not conduct himself in a proper manner.

1090. James Salter: in Case 1088. allowed to remain a few days. Left Septbr. 11/81

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Tuesday Septbr. 6/81.

1091. Elisa Roberts: 234 Chesnut St. in Case 1058. To have a weekly allowance of 4 lbs. bread.

Friday, 9th Septbr. 1881.

Present. Revd. G. Cochran, and Mr. E. Hobson, for Mr. Alderman N.C. Love.

1092. Alicia Arrowsmith: aged 70 years. Irish. ChofEngland. Has been living in Chicago for last 25 years. Some friend paid her fare to Montreal, where she tried to get into the "Church House" but found there was no vacancy, or having no claim at the House, somebody sent her on to Toronto. She wants to stay for a few days, until she can find somebody else to send her back to Chicago. allowed to remain a few days. Left 13th.

Tuesday. 13th Septbr. 1881.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

1093. Margaret Densmore: 151 Queen St west. Widow, aged 49. Irish. R.C. has a broken wrist. applied for relief. an old Outdoor Pensioner. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly.

1094. James Smith: in Case 363 in 1880. Left without leave August 10/81

Friday. 16th Septbr. 1881.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

1095. Edmond Welsh: 86 years of age. Irish. ChofEngland. 28 years in this Country. Last four years in House of Providence. seeks admission into House of Industry. To bring a Note from the Mother Superior about his general behaviour while an Inmate in that Institution. See Case 861 in 1880.

1096. Edmund Banfill: 212 King St. East. aged 35 years. has a Wife, and one Child. English. ChofEngland. 5 years in Toronto. says has been ill for sometime, and is destitute. brought a Card from the Mayor. 6 lbs. bread, and groceries for the present.

1097. Mary Foster: in Case 887. died this day Septbr. 19th. aged 69 years.

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Present. Revd. Dr. Potts.

1098. Margaret Rogers: 63 Boulton St. Irish. Chof England. A Widow aged 43 years. Husband was a R.C. She has two daughters aged 27, and 23. the eldest is in the Country with her Aunt, the other is a patient in the Lunatic Asylum. She has a small room without any furniture, the woman she rents the room from gave her an old mat to sleep on. a former person she rented a place from took everything she had for rent. Visitor thinks the poor woman is quite destitute, and so far as he can judge is worthy of help. To have 4 lbs. bread weekly, and some groceries.

Friday, 23th September 1881

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

1099. Mary Jane Dear: in Case 1077 1/2. was sent here by the acting Mayor Mr. Alderman Hallam, with a request that she be taken in, and cared for until Tuesday. Revd. Mr. Parsons of Knox's Church, also called on her behalf, and said Mr. McMurrich would see her and make some arrangement.

Tuesday 27th Septbr 1881.

Present, J. Rogers, & E. Hobson for H. Rowsell.

1100. Dorothea McCormack: in Case 1043. applied for readmission. admitted with the understanding that she make herself general useful as far as able, if not she will have to leave the House.

Friday, 30 Septbr. 1881.

Present, Mr. E. Hobson for Mr. H. Rowsell

1101. Mary Carroll: 18 Lombard St. an old recipient of Out door relief for many years. applied for a weekly allowance of bread. to have 4 lbs. weekly.

1102. William Page: in Case 735. applied again for admission. to call when Winter sets in.

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1103. Elizabeth Bathgate: 47 Hackney St. Doctor reports her to be Lunatic, and one that requires constant watching, and doing for. Not a Case for this Charity. See Letter.

1104. James Campbell: aged 85 last February. Canadian. born near Prescott. Member of Methodist Church. came to Toronto in July, and has been in Jail for the last two Months, his time there is up to day Octbr. 1st. was sent here by his Worship, The Mayor for a few days admission, until enquiries can be made about him. See Letter.

1105. John Maguire: aged 66 years. Native of Ireland. ChofEngland. off and on in this Country 44 years. Revd. Dr. Potts recommends his admission for the present, until his Case can be brought before the weekly Committee, and has also mentioned this Case to Mr. Alderman Love, and Revd. Dr. Rose, who are of opinion that the Man may be admitted. Revd. Dr. Potts says that Maguire is willing to pay to the House for his maintenance [dollars] 100, that is, if he feels satisfied with his quarters after a Months residence. Octbr. 1st.

Tuesday, 4th October 1881

Present. G. Goulding Esqr.

1106. Jeremiah Twohey: in Case 1087. The Wife called & stated, that she can make the old Man comfortable at Home, and as he is willing to go and live with her, Committee will assist them and allow 6 lbs. bread weekly, and as Twohey is very much crippled with Rheumatism, and able to walk far, will pay for a Conveyance to take him to 66 Jarvis St.

1107. James Campbell: in Case 1104. to remain for the present, to see what steps will be taken on his behalf.

1108. Charles Linden: says is 67 years of age, a Swede. Lutheran. 4 years in Toronto. has been Cook in the "News Boys Home" for 3 years & 3 Months. Now out of Employment. wants to become an Inmate in this Institution. apparently a healthy able bodied Man. Octbr. 5th. to call and see Committee.

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1109. James Tomlinson: 40 years of age. Theresa his wife, aged 36. Husband, English. Wife, German. both Church of England. from Quebec, where they were burnt out last June, now on their way to London C.W. [Canada West] where they say they have friends. seek shelter here for a few days. are trying to get a pass from the Mayor. The Man is a Stonecutter, but got his hand crippled and cannot work at his trade. Octbr. 6th. left 12th.

Friday 7th October 1881.

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No Committee present.

1110. Jane Boyle: an Inmate of the "Haven", brought a Note from Revd. Mr. Greene, recommending her admission into House of Industry, brought also a Note from Dr. White, by the Notes it appears the Woman is a Lunatic. See Letter. No Committee being present, nothing could be done in the Case.

Tuesday 11th October 1881.

Present, Messrs. J. Gillespie, E. Hobson, & Revd. Mr. Broughall

1111. Charles Davies: rear 109 Elizabeth St. English. ChofEngl. 6 Children at home. Wife a Charwoman. Receives from one girl [dollars] 1.25 per week. Husband confined to bed with consumption. past record bad, but in great need of help now. Recommended groceries, bread, and Coal. Dr. to visit.

1112. Charles Linden: in Case 1108, should try and get employment. apparently not past work yet.

1113. Rose Venar: 7 Trefann St. says her husband & 2 Children, are down with Typhoid fever. Groceries and bread, sent home to Visitor.

Friday 14th October, 1881.

Present, Messrs. J. Gillespie & E. Hobson.

1114. James Campbell: in Case 1007. No steps having been taking in his behalf, he is to be admitted.

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1115. Charles Davies: in Case 1111, Doctor Visited, and found the family very destitute. The Man is far advanced in Consumption, the right lung being affected throughout to such an extent as to render it useless, but the left is comparatively good yet. Doctor thinks however from the character of the disease in the right, that its course will be rather rapid. Doctors opinion is that the report about finding him helplessly drunk the other day is entirely a mistake, for although he does not deny being wild in former days, yet Doctor does not think anyone could very easily make him drunk in his present state of health. He is unable to sit up. His wife was perfectly sober when Doctor saw her, and cannot say whether she is addicted to the use of liquor or not. Although one or two points about her indicated such to be the case, yet on the whole, appearances were in her favour. The husband has been ill seven Months and that with six Children would account for the condition of the House. Some of the Children are bad, particularly one boy.

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1116. Margaret Hill: in Case 1040. Died this day Octbr. 16th aged 66 years.

1117. John Williams: aged 36. English. Chof England. a laborer. has been bad with Jaundice. not well able to work just yet. Octbr. 17. seeks a few days shelter. An Emigrant not long in this Country.

Tuesday 18th October, 1881.

No Committee present.

1118. Jane Boyle: in Case 1110. Doctor Visited, and states: I have examined Jane Boyle at the Haven. She was very quite [quiet] when I saw her, but said she was suffering from motion on the brain and had applied an imaginary blister to her neck with benefit. The matron tells me that she is harmless, but quite insane at times, generally at night, fancying that some person is always after her, coming out of Cupboards and all sorts of impossible places to catch her, and after disturbing the House in her terror. Formerly she used to barricade the door with

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boxes, chairs, [etc.] but latterly she has not. There is no doubt the poor woman is insane and I think it would be an act of cruelty to expose her to the annoyance she would experience from the class of woman she would have to mingle with in the House of Industry. The Lunatic Asylum is the only fit place for her.

1119. Mary Gormley):

1120. June Crawford): Applicants for admission. To call on Friday.

Friday 21st October, 1881.

Present, Revd. A. H. Baldwin.

1121. Ellen Jane Bond: 33 years of age. Native of England. ChofEngl. 12 years in Toronto. was in General Hospital for six Months. suffers from cancer, and went through an operation. is not able to do much for a living. applied for relief. Groceries, all she wants at present.

1122. John McAdam: aged 65. Native of Ireland. ChofEngland. His Wife lives at 19 Walton St. Has a Son who is Proof reader at the Globe Printing Office. Was brought here in a Cab, and left inside the Gate with a Card from the Mayors Office. Left 25th.

1123. James J. Thompson: in Case 873 in 1880. died this day October 23th aged 58 years. Kidney disease.

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1124. Elizabeth Fetherson: 70 Richmond St East. aged 30. Irish. Husband, Thomas, aged 33, English. belonging the Methodist Church. No children. recently from Cornwall, Canada. seeking work. Recommended for relief by Mr. H.S. Howland.

Tuesday 23th October 1881.

Present, Messrs. J. Jacques, E. Hobson, & C. Gamble.

1125. John Maguire: in Case 1105. wishes to leave the House and will go and live with a daughter at Markdale. allowed to do so. Left 26th.

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1126. Mary Webb: 29 years of age, born "U.S." in Canada for 20 years, Ch of E. [England] a Cripple. had relief from the House in former years. seeks admission. recommended by Mr. Clark Gamble, to be admitted. to make herself useful.

1127. Thos. Ferris: in case "1064" came from Kingston & found no Friends that would Keep him, Mr. Gamble will make enquiries about him. To be admitted in the mean time

October 26th 1881.

1128. Elizabeth Murray: lived on George St. distressed by her Landlord for not paying her rent, Husband left her 3 Weeks since, 4 Children with her, Edward 13 years, Mary Ann 7. Arthur 3. Girl Alice 15 months, Irish "R.C."

October 27th 1881.

1129. Ann F. Helem: aged 83 years, irish, "Ch of E [England]" 36 years in Toronto, a recipitant [recipient] of out door relief from House of Industry for many years was sent here for admission by Mr. Dennison Police magistrate having been brought before the Court this morning, as one destitute

Friday 28th October 1881.

Present Mr. J. Jacques, C. Gamble, E. Hobson

1130. Sarah Bryan: 4 Hope St. English, Methodist. aged 33 years. Husband William, 37. Plasterer. bad with congestion of the lungs for 6 Weeks, not able to work at present. 6 Children, Boys 10 & 3 Girls 12. 8 & 6 years & one 10 months old. Alderman Crocker, has visited her, and found them deserving, the Mayor also would recommend a little extra supply of necessaries, until the Husband gets better, large allowance of Groceries & Bread

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Friday 28th October 1881.

1131. James Smith: aged 76. English C of E. [Church of England] formerly an Inmate, "see Case 1094" recommd. [recommended] by the Revd. Mr. Williams for readmission

Tuesday 1st November 1881

Present James Scott Esqr.

1132. John McAdam: "in Case 1122." to have shelter for a few days, will try and get into Incurable Home

November 2nd 1881.

1133. Elizabeth Murray: "in Case 1128" placed two of her Children, Mary A. & Arthur in House of Provi{dence} She & the other 2 Children left Nov 9th.

Friday 4th Novr. 1881.

Present James Scott Esqr.

1134. Elizth. Pullen: 7 William St. one Girl 6 years. Husband Sick, he was at the Hospital & I think he should have remaned [remained] there. he is consumptive. recomd. [recommend] Bread & Coal

1135. James Seaton: "in Case 1072." was brought before the committee for insulting behaviour & through drink, was strongly reprimanded and given to understand if it happens again, to be discharged from the House. He promised better in future

1136. Mary Ann Meagher: 73 Oxford St. aged 35 years. 4 Children. Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 3 & 1 [age] 15 months. recomd. [recommended] (by Visitor,) Bread & Groceries on a/c [account] of sickness

1137. Thomas L. Gordon: 46 years old. Presbytn. Irish. 25 years in Canada. lived in various places. has no settled Home. partially blind for 10 years. was formerly an inmate see Case 602 in 1871. recommend by Messrs. Aldermen Bell & Clark

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November 5th 1881.

1138. Joseph Hart: 67 years of age ("in Case 886") English. Church of England. 20 years in Toronto. has been a Traveller in the Wine Trade. recommended by Mr. Alderman Hallam for admission. admitted

Tuesday 8th Nover. 1881.

Present R. Brown Esqr. S. Rogers, & E. Hobson

1139. Michael Dowling: 60 years of Age. "R.C." Irish. 25 years in Canada, chiefly in Toronto. a Gardner [gardener]. recommended by Alderman Hallam for admission, who stated that his friends would pay [dollars] 1.00 per Week as long as he remains in the House and Mr. Hallam will be responsible for the payment of the same. see Letter

November 10th 1881

1140. Owen Murphy: 30 years old. Canadian. born in Toronto. suffers from rheumatism & not able to work. recommended by Revd. Laurent to see the Doctor. admitted.

1141. Alfred Peck: in "Case 898" Made application for re admission during the winter. he works through the ~~winter~~ summer as Gardner [gardener] and earns good wages, but lays all out in Whisky

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Friday 11th November 1881

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

1142. Alfred Peck: was not admitted on a/c [account] of his drunken propensities, but allowed to remain in Casual for a time

1143. Ada Stephens: recommends 600 [lbs.] Coals

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Tuesday 15th Novr. 1881

Present Revd. J.D. Cayley & E.H. Rutherford

1144. Mary Webb: in Case "1126" had leave yesterday to go and see her friends, has not returned

1145. Henry Law: aged 65. England. CofE. [Church of England] labourer & a Pensioner in receipt of one shilling sterling per day. recommended by Revd. Mr. Broughhall for admission. to bring a Note from Staff Officer of Pensioners, certifying that his pension will be paid to House of Industry for his support. was admitted (he brought the Note)

1146. Thos. Maran: 68 years. Irish. "R.C." 20 years in Canada but no settled Home. worked about from place to place Cobbling. to be admitted on condition that he makes himself useful. left 19th November 1881.

1147. Jane Moffatt: rear 67 Centre St. respectable hard working Woman. has Scarlet Fever. has 6 Children. I do not recommend her relief at once, I have sent her 1/2 ton Coals myself, but will require Bread Meat & Groceries to meet the necessities of Children

Friday 18th November 1881.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. J.D. Cayley

1148. Annie Barlow: in "Case 1042" ^1878^ died this morning 21st aged 75 years

1149. Ellen Goodwin: 18 Lumley St. Married. 4 Children. Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 5. 1 Girl 13. Husband ill with Cancer in Stomach. recommended by Revd. Laurent. to have 1/2 ton Coal, no more for the season

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Tuesday 22nd November 1881

Present Revd. J.M. Laurent & E. Hobson Esqr.

1150. John Maguire: in "Case 1125" went to his daughters at Muskoko [Muskoka], but found them not so comfortable as he expected, came back to Toronto and applied this morning for re-admission into the House of Industry, brought a Note from Revd. Dr. Potts, who states that Maguire placed a Hundred Dollars in his hands, which he is willing to give to the Institution if admitted. admitted on those terms

1151. Henry Law: "in Case "1145". wants to leave the House. his Son who lives on Major St. came to take him Home, says his Father has no business to be here, as he is willing to provide for him. allowed to go.

1152. Henry Higgs: "in Case 994" admitted into the House

1153. Margt. Farrell: application was made for her admission, she staid [stayed] for a few nights Shelter and left on her own account

1154. Thomas Neal: 101 Major St. 34 years old. Wife & 3 Children. Girl 4. 2 1/2 & 7 Months. Scotch. Presby. had a severe hurt falling down a well while digging it. allowed 8 lbs. Bread & large Groceries. "See letter from Telegram [newspaper]"

1155. A Family: living at 42 McDonell Sqr. [Square] was attended to, told to come to House and have her wants supplied, apparently not an extreme case, (see letter from Telegram [newspaper])

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Friday 25th November 1881

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

1156. Robert Hamilton: aged 64. Irish CofE. [Church of England] Waggon Maker. wants a few nights shelter in Casual. granted

1157. Susan Walsh: rear 96 Duchess St. to be visited

1158. Kate Stanley: 143 Elizabeth St. to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly & full allowance of Groceries on a/c [account] of sickness

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1159. Jane Crawford: aged 74. Irish CofE. [Church of England] an inmate in Case "1150" seeks readmission. admitted with the understanding that she makes herself generally useful. left 15th Decr. 1881.

1160. Jane Holder: aged 25. English, ChofE. [Church of England] says was sent from Bradford to try and get into the General Hospital. rather imbecile

1161. John Mason: formerly an inmate see Case "1031" suffers from Rhumatism, and not able to earn his living. applied for admission during Winter. no complaints against him. respectable & useful. admitted

1162. Martin Masterson: "in Case 549" in 1875 died this day Novr. 27th 1881. aged 75 years.

Tuesday 29th Novr. 1881

Present C. Burns Esqr. D.J. MacDonell Esqr. & J. Flemming Esqr.

1163. John Lindsay: aged 70. Irish. Presby. 41 years in Cana[da] 9 years in Toronto. respectable. seeks admission. recommended by Mr. J. Fleming (left 10th Decr. 1881)

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1164. Susan Walsh: (in Case 1157) Widow. one daughter Married to a Worthless Husband and unable to assist her mother. born in Dublin. English Church. unable to work owing to a lame hand. recommended for Coal & Bread

1165. Sarah Williams: 18 Anderson Lane. 4 Children 3 Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 8. Girl 10 years. Widow. works out sometimes. She has 2 Small Houses, Mortgaged. recommend Bread & Coal

1166. John McGann: an inmate left the House of his own accord Novr. 30th 1881

1167. Mary Jane Lyons: Head of Emma [Street], North East Side. to have Bread, & Coke. she does not want. her Boy said they had 3 Ton of Stone Coal sent them by subscription during summer, 7 Children. Husband Sick, in Hospital. Canadian. (C of E [Church of England])

1168. Jane Graham: 34 Bell St. aged 32. Methodist. Husband left her 3 Months ago, a Carpenter abusive & drunken. Scotch. Presbyn. 48 or 50 years old. 7 Children. 2 Boys in Meaford, at his friends. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 3. Girls 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. Infant 3 Months. House clean & well kept. works hard at washing. recommended Bread

1169. Michael O'Neil: 96 Ann St. aged 72. labourer. not able to do much. Wife 73 years. (R.C.) 24 years in Canada. from Ireland. 2 daughters married with large Families, & cannot help them any. Bread Coal & small Groceries

1170. David Prossie: aged 52. England. CofE. [Church of England] Wife & 4 Children. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. 3 at School, one Sick. Husband Sick with dropsy. 8 lbs. Bread & fuel.

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Friday 2nd decr 1881.

Present Revd. D.J. Macdonnell & Messrs. N.C. Love Chs. Burns & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

1171. Professor applied for the admission of a man named Brown in whom he is interested to see the Doctor and if a proper Case to be admitted

1172. John C. Payne: "aged 62" English. (CofE [Church of England]) has been 26 years in the army, and receives a pension of 25 [cents] per day. has been living at Ottawa but lately came to Toronto. Coll. [Colonel] Moffatt applied for his admission, Com<sup>m</sup>^ittee consider Payne not a Case for this Institution not being a resident in this City, but give shelter for a Week, until Coll. [Colonel] Moffatt has written to Ottawa and found out more about the man

1173. A Woman sent here for admission by Mrs. R. Wilkes, left to Mr. Burns to make enquiry about

Tuesday 6th decr. 1881

Present N.C. Love. Esqr.

1174. Mary Quinn: Reids Lane. Irish. Presbyn. Husband in Gaol. 5 Children. Girl 12. & 4 Boys. the Woman is ill. recommended by Revd. Mr. King. 8 lbs. Bread, Groceries & fuel when given out

1175. Mary O'Donnell: Widow of Man Killed last year at Parkdale. recommend whatever help can be given her. reported on last year

1176. Martha Clough: 401 1/2 Adelaide St. W. English. in Toronto 4 Months. not able to get steady Employ{ment} 3 Children all under 9 years. have made no provision for the Winter. (Church of England) recomd. [recommend] relief

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1177. Janet Smith: 20 Markham St. deserving assistance. Husband drowned 2 Weeks since in a Schooner lost off long Point [Long Point]. Capt. Flanagan the owner perished at the same time. his Widow keeps a shop on Queen St., near William St., but is unable to pay any of the Wages. the Schooner was not insured. 5 Children one in arms, and unable to leave them, having a Sewing Machine she could take in some work if given to her but fears she will not be able to keep it, as it is not all paid for. She owes a Months rent. she has the appearance of a respectable Woman. 12 lbs. Bread weekly, Coal when given out & large Groceries

1178. Thomas Johnston: 663 Queen St. West. Presbyn. Scotch. Store Keeper, doing nothing now. in Toronto Nine Years. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5 years. 3 Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 2 Mos. Husband Sick for some time. recommend Nourishment

Friday 9th decr. 1881

Present Revd. G. Cochran, & Messrs. N.C Love Esqr. & J. Fleming Esqr.

1179. James Campbell: in "Case 1114" died 9th Decr. 1881 aged 85 years.

1180. Annie Kennedy: rear 268 Yonge St. Widow. 7 Children. Canadian. Boy 14 years earns [dollars] 2 per Week at Printing Office recommendd. Coal.

1181. Annie Connor: 49 Alice St. deserted by her Husband. 2 Children ill. recomd. [recommend] soft coal, Bread & Groceries during childrens illness of her children (600 lbs. Coals)

1182. Sarah Bryan: rear 9 Terauley St. one Boy with Typhoid fever. recommend 600 lbs. Hard Coal

1182 1/2. Jasper Cook: "in Case 847" applied to be ^re^admitted. Admitted

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Tuesday 13th Decr. 1881.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

1183. John Ashworth Scoles: Emigrant. out since last August. takes Epileptic fits. Mr. Softly made application for his admission. English. (Ch of E [Church of England]) takes sometimes 2 & 3 fits a Week. 28 years of age. the Case referred to General Board

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1184. Mary Gormley: a well known case at the House. Revd. Mr. Cayley recommended her for admission. the Case referred to General Board. see Note.

1185. Ellen Cooper: in "case 576 in 1874" was brought before the committee on account of being drunk & disorderly it having been of frequent occurrence lately. she was ordered to leave the House this day, if not a warrant would be issued against her. she left the House accordingly

1186. Elizabeth Nightingale: in "Case 925 in 1878". and Mary Ann Robertson in "Case 654 in 1880" for the same offence as the above, but not quite so bad, had their choice to leave the House or remain for a week in Casual Ward for punishment. they preferred staying in Casual Ward.

1187. James Seaton: in "Case 1135", left the House on his own account, without asking leave

1188. Cathn. Gordon: (R.C) Irish. Widow 11 years. aged 58. no children with her. rooms decent. habits orderly. infirm in the feet. crippled. needs coal & Bread. cant walk to the House

1189. Sarah Ann Higgins: rear 91 Jarvis St. 5 Children. 3 Boys 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 8 months. 2 Girls. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 8 years. Husband Sick. Sober Family but excessively poor, in fact Starving since the sickness of the Father. recommend Bread & Coal give something at once and send Visitor

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Friday 16th decr. 1881

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & J. Gillespie Esqr.

1190. Maria Smith: 79 Ontario St. Widow. (Ch. of E. [Church of England]) 2 Young Boys at Home, one Daughter out at times. Boy also in a place, [dollars] 6.00 a Month. one daughter Married, & one Son in the States. she lost her Husband about 6 or 8 months ago. she had a long illness, and the Doctors Bills she says are not all paid yet. the daughter now out at service has only gone back to her place lately having been laid up at Home for some time with jaundice. Mrs. Smith supports herself by taking in Needle work. what she now asks for is fuel (Coal) as she says she cannot pay Rent, feed & clothe the children and pay for fuel without some assistance & her two children who are out at service can do very little to help her. I recommend her for Coal twice

1191. Ellen Storey: College St. Nth. [north] West corner of Bloor St. & Avenue Road. Husband a painter nearly Blind and not able to earn a living. 8 Children. Girl 14 earns [dollars] 1 per week. Boy 1 [age] 12 & 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. Girl 3 years, Boy 2. Girl 6 months. Scotch. Presbytn. 37 years of age. Husband 42 years. to have 12 lbs. Bread weekly & 1200 ^cwt. [hundredweight]^ Coal, (stove coal) for the Winter. full allowance of Groceries for this once.

1192. James Humphries: 60 Elizabeth St. (Ch of E [Church of England]) out of work. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 11. Boys 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 2. woman sick & cannot do much work, wants Bread

1193. Louisa Foster: 11 Defries St. on St. [street] East of River. (R.C.) husband a Laborer. Wife does not speak English. 4 Years in Ontario. 2 Young children. He says he has been Sick. seems respectable. no fuel in House & only Bread. pays [dollars] 3 per Moh. [month] Rent. no Bedstead. says they had to burn it for fuel. seem destitute. recommend Fuel & Bread until he gets work.

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1194. Thomas Quinn: out of Employ. 6 children. no means of support. they are ^in^ want of all things. recommend Coal & Bread

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Present Revd. Dr. Potts & Mr. J. Gillespie

1195. Maria Smith: 600 lbs. Stove Coal (in Case 1190)

1196. Mary Bertles: to have 10 Bushels Coak [coke] & 4 lbs. Bread for the present, and to be Visited

1197. Adeline Simpson: 171 Dalhousie St. 600 lbs. Stove Coal & 4 lbs. Bread

1198. Mary Ann Little: 4 Buchanan St. to be Visited & have 600 lbs. hard Coal after New Year

1199. Sarah Ann Higgins: 4 Children. Eldest a Girl 8 years old. Husband very feeble old Man, unable to work or assist the Family in any way. they require food & clothing, which I would recommend giving if possible at once

1200. Wm. Bruce: reported case last year. most deserving of help. recommend Coal. (granted)

1201. Elizabeth Featherston: 70 Richmond St. do not consider her requiring relief at this time. gave her Bread.

1202. Annie Jones: 5 Lombard St. No such person lives there

1203. Sarah Anderson: aged 62 years. Chatham, England. one Boy 15, Earns [dollars] 2.00 a Week. recommended 600 lbs. hard coal

1204. Alfred Peck: see Case 1142. Admitted ^left 8th Jany. 1882^

1205. John C. Payne: in Case 1172. to return to Ottawa

1206. Mary Gormley: in Case 1184. Regected [rejected]

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1207. James Ashworth Scoles: Admitted. (in case 1183)

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Present Revd. Dr. Rose

1208. Eliza Jane Sixsmith: 110 Centre St. Bread & Groceries & to be Visited

1209. Cathn. Cowan: 73 Boulton St. Bread & Groceries

1210. Peter Sheppard: 40 Garrison St. (6 lbs. Bread Weekly) and Coal after New Year. Presbyn. Scotland. No occupation. 40 years in Toronto. No Children. Furniture pretty good. habits seem good. (granted (600 lbs. Coal Jany. & 300 lbs. Feby.) Man 68 year old and Woman 58 years. both Sick.

1211. Annie Sherwin: 12 Reads [Reids] Lane. 43 years of age. a Widow 3 years. from Barrie 3 months. Episcopal. has her Mother with her about 70 years old. a daughter 21 years. invalid Boy 3 years. House respectable and kept in pretty good order. has a bad knee. recommend coal for once, & will look after the case

1212. Adeline Simpson: 171 Dalhousie St. Widow. Husband dead 9 Years. Canadian. aged 58 years. lives alone. one Child with friends in Bellevill[e], adopted. Presbytn. Mr. Kings Congregation, who are very kind to her. very poor but clean & respectable in appearance. recomd. [recommend] hard coal all at one time.

1213. Rose Caffrey: in rear 158 Strachn [Strachan] Avenue. R.C. Ireland. Washerwoman. 20 years in Toronto. No Children. House & Furniture poor. habits good. she is over 60 years of age. recomd. [recommend] Bread Soup & Fuel

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1214. Mary Weaver: 250 Borden St. (Colored people) Husband, Wife, 2 ^little^ Children. a sister in law & Grandmother. seems to [be] in great poverty. He earns a little, sawing Wood & the Wife does something [something] in washing. No appearance of Drink. {attend} Methodist Church, but now cannot do so for want of Clothes

1215. Martha Coulter: 14 Hickery [Hickory] St. married. family consists of Her and Husband. He is unable to work, suffers from Asthma sits up all night in a chair. Seems respectable. in Need of Coal

1216. Phoebe Jackson: 27 Elizabeth St. Methodist. Widow. boards at above address, makes a trifle at Shirt making, but needs a little help

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Present Messrs. A. McMurchey [McMurchy], E. Hobson S. Alcorn & N.C. Love Esqr.

1217. Rosanna Langdon: 16 Garrison St. Catholic. Ireland. a Widow. no occupation. 12 years in Toronto. Seven Girls No Boys. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2 years. all at Home. Rooms Clean but poor. Industrious & Sober. recomd. [recommend] Soup, Coal & Bread.

1218. Thomas Allen: rear 447 Little Richmond St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Irish. Laborer. 14 years in Toronto. from St. Johns. one Boy age 4. 2 Girls 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. all at Home. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

1219. Isabella Weir: 393 Queen St. W. Not at Home

1220. Mrs. Annie Armstrong: rear 65 Queen St. W. Widow. aged 30. 3 Children. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 9. Boy 7 years. Irish. Ch of E [Church of England]. in need of Bread & Coal

1221. Elizth. Cherry: 168 Adelaide St. W. Canadian. Husband Scotch. Presbytn. He is quite Blind for 3 years. she has charge of School House, at above address. aged 28 years. Husband 38. 4 Children. Girl 7 years Boy 6 Girl 5, Boy 4. Would be satisfyd. [satisfied] with Bread

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1222. Mary Ryan: 4 Munns Lane. (Irish R.C.) aged 47. 2 children. Boy 15 working & [at] Brush Factory. Girl 12 years. Coal once & Bread 4 lbs.

1223. Jane Bergoyne: (Irish R.C) aged 67. No Family. old & feeble. has one Room in 4 Munns Lane. recomd. [recommend] Bread & Coal

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1224. Emily Stone: 21 Chestnut St. (Ch of E [Church of England]) young Woman. 2 Children. 1 Infant Girl. 1 Boy 5 years. Earns something by sewing. Husband left her and she needs a little help, say coal
1225. Mary Daley: 20 Elizabeth St. (R.C.) Widow. old but strong. boards with a family. washes for a living. might get one loaf weekly
1226. Mary McGill: rear 47 Avenue Lane. R.C. Widow. 1 Boy 15 earns [dollars] 2.00 per week. Girls 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 17. the latter at Service. her House most slovenly. recommend Coal once
1227. Cathn. Waters: rear 89 Chestnut St. R.C. Widow. needs some help. Bread & Coal.
1228. Elizth. Mooney: 96 Elizabeth St. she has been turned out of this lodgings on account of being drunk too often
1229. Jane Hedge: 82 Elizabeth St. Widow. Methodist. 1 Girl 17 earns [dollars] 1.50 per week. Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 5 years. 2 Boys at the Home, but about returning. works all she can but needs additional help. Coal & Bread
1230. Mrs. Walford: 115 University St. left this House
1231. Cathn. Cowan: 73 Boulton St. Widow. Irish. R.C. 55 years old. one daughter, aged 22. works at Box Making. one Son in the States. quite unable to help herself. very Sick. needs help & Sick allowance

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1232. Mrs. Roberts: 49 Alice St. has been recently Confined and has a Sick child, so they have to keep the House warm and have used the coal faster than usual. B. Jones Esqr. wishes her to have more coal sent
1233. Mary Wemys: 115 Sackville St. found her in a very sad state. has 2 Children. one Married, the other living with her, about twenty years old, afflicted by some disease. the old woman is very ill herself. no support but what she earned herself by work. no fuel, only a few sticks she gathers. Roman Catholic. enquired at a store at the corner & found her story correct
1234. Mary Cronan ^{John}^: 82 Lombard St. saw her Husband. he is 78 & she is 70 years of age. (Irish. R.C) no Family. Labourer, unable to work. sick with asthma. House tidy. worthy of relief. wish food & fireing [firing]
1235. Mary Kelley: 61 Duchess St. Widow. 10 years in Toronto. Ireland. (R.C.) one Girl 10 years. requires Bread & Coal
1236. Cathn. Graham: 61 Duchess St. not at Home. Boy in the House taking care of Baby. (R.C.) Ten years in Toronto. from Peterboro [Peterborough]. appearance indicates poverty

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1237. Mary Birtles: 90 Duchess St. not at Home. Husband in House with 3 Children. eldest Girl about fourteen. all in delicate health, with no appearance of food or fuel

1238. Eliza Jane Hiller: 59 Duchess St. has 2 Children. eldest a Girl 3 years. separated from Husband about 2 years. Methodist Ch. an honest case of poverty

1239. Mary Walsh: husband David. rear 90 Claremont St. Ch of E [Church of England] labourer. two months in Toronto. 7 Children. 4 Boys. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 28. 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 13. 3 Eldest away, 4 others no wages from them. habits orderly. rooms decent. no other help recomd. [recommended] Bread Coal & Groceries. 2 cases of low fever

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1240. Sarah Walmesley: not at Home, though in. ^30th Dec ordered to be visited again^

1241. Margt. Quigley: ^172 Claremont St.^ Widow. aged. quite alone. 23 years in Toronto. no other help. wants Bread & Coal

1242. Mary Harrison: 172 Claremont St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Charwoman. aged. room decent. habits orderly. no other help. asks for Coal only

1243. Matilda Crackwell [Cracknell]: wife of John. 185 Claremont St. Ch of E. [Church of England] English. Labourer. 7 years in Toronto. 4 Boys 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 2 3/4 & 2 Girls 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 15. 4 Children at Home. none going to School. rooms decent. habits orderly. have had sickness & pressing trials. needs Bread & Coal

1244. Rebecca Brown: 250 Borden St. this is same House visited in relation to Mary Weaver, & is her mother. they seem to be one family. the old Woman earns nothing, but says she goes round to Ladies who know her and gets help from them. it is just a question whether aid given Mary Weaver would not cover the two applications. they seem to pool the receipts & live as one family

1245. Mary Herbert: rear 38 Denison Avenue. Widow. had 8 Children, 2 are dead. she says she applied for help about 3 years ago, but the Committee hesitated to aid her, as she had 3 Sons able to Work, but reported to be wild Boys. since that these Boys have married & are living out of Toronto, but she says are unable to help her. Her present position is: in August last she fell and hurt her side & was 8 Weeks in the Hospital. she has at Home with her 3 Children. a Son about 17 years old who is learning to be a machinist earns [dollars] 2.00 per Week, but at present is unable to work from an attack of pleurisy. The other Children are small & cannot earn. she refers to the Revd. Harrison & Mrs. Cochran as to character. she wants hard Coal

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1246. Mary Henery: 131 Upper Vanauley St. 90 years of age. has a room in this House, pays [dollars]1.50 Month. House is respectable. She used to Keep House for McConvey a Cabman in Simcoe but the latter having married again, she was no longer required. she is a very decent old Woman. I know her personally. she wants coal and perhaps Bread

1247. Jane Tray [Trayhee]: 75 High St. This House presents disorder, wretchedness, poverty Dirt & Drunkenness. When I went to the door I heard brawling and quarrelling inside. When I knocked it ceased. a Woman opened the door crying with her Hair torn over her face. she said she was staying there for a day or two, as she had no other place to go to. That Mrs. Tray had been beating her and has ran upstairs. That Mrs. Tray ~~had~~ was drunk and had just come from St. Georges Society, pointing to the Beef on the Table. I went up stairs but Mrs. Tray had gone out by a back Window onto the top of a shed & down to the yard and I did not see her. she has 2 Children both poorly clad. I have no doubt they are in Need but you can judge of the merits of the Case from the foregoing

1248. Sarah Culley: rear 63 Esther St. Widow. She and her Son 10 years of age live in this House with her daughter. they have a little Room to themselves, for which the daughter does not charge. daughter is Married and has 2 Children. her Husband is a delicate man and can work but little. they seem decent. no appearance of intemperance. require Coal Bread or Groceries

1249. Marie Louise Currey: 26 Henderson Avenue. Widow. lives alone. suffers from Spinal disease. sometimes can do a little work, but earns nothing worth speaking about. Refers to Revd. R. Harrison. she seems decent. got Ticket from St. Georges Society, but was not strong enough to go for the meat

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1250. Wm. Richardson: 72 Sackville St. 75 years of age. Ireland. Methodist. no Income. not able to Work. recommend Coal & Bread

1251. John Glass: aged 84 years. Irish. Roman Catholic. not able to Work and has no support but what the Neighbours give him. recommend Coal & Bread

1252. Annie Arnold: in rear 363 King, East. aged 50 years. Jessie Arnold 75 years. Henry 13 years. works at [dollars] 2.00 per Week. Albert 8 years, does not go to school. English Church. recommended Coal

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1253. Sophia Arnold: (lives with above) her Mother in Law. 21 years old. Samuel 24 years who is sick and not able to Work. he was not at Home. I could not recommend them for Relief as they are both young except in case of sickness, of which I am not satisfied of yet but will make further enquiries

1254. Owen Murphey: (in "Case 1140") left the House of his own accord 28th inst.

#### Tenders

1255. The Committee to admit Tenders met at 12 Oclock noon.

Present Messrs. N.C. Love & S. Alcorn Esqr.

G.H. Boltons Tender for Meat at [dollars] 1.50 per 100 lbs. was accepted.

Edward Harpers Tender for Milk 20 [cents] per Gal [gallon] was accepted.

James Beattys Tender for Bread at 12 [cents] for 4 lbs. loaf and

Wm. Carlyles at 11 3/8 [cents] for 4 lbs. loaf

Joseph Tait, Tender for Bread 11 3/4 [cents] for 4 lbs. loaf.

Mr. Tait's tender being the lowest was accepted

#### Groceries

James Shields & Co. & Shields Bros.

Shields Brothers Tender was accepted.

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Present S. Alcorn Esqr. & Messrs. S. Rogers. E. Hobson & MacMurchey [McMurchy]

1256. Elizabeth Hill: old Case. Visited last year

1257. Two Sisters: (R.C.) 1 [age] 77. 1 [age] 79 years old. at 214 Sackville St. (Sara McWiggins) [1880 Case 6: McQuiggan, Sarah and Mary]) receiving aid from the House for the last 17 years. recomd. Coals & Bread 4 lbs.

1258. Dennis Murphey: 98 Jarvis St. aged 45. Wife 37. 1 Boy 8 years. 1 Girl 6. Labourer, had his hand hurt by lime, cant work. (4 weeks since) Irish. R.C. a little relief may be given. 8 lbs. Bread per Week. 600 [lbs.] Coals "hard" once.

1259. Mary E. Kelley: 68 Sherbourne St. husband a Laborer. English. Ten years in Toronto. 4 Children. 1 [age] 14 years. R.C. wants Coal & Bread

1260. Mary Ann Price: 68 Sherbourne St. Ten years in Toronto. Labourer. sick, and unable to work. 4 Children. eldest Boy 17. R.C. (refused)

1261. Agnes Roberts: ^68 Sherbourne St.^ English. 4 years in Toronto. Widow. 4 Children. oldest a Boy 7 years (Ch of E. [Church of England])

1262. Henrietta Hahnn: 94 1/2 Ontario St. did not see her (wrong address at 42 1/2) 94 1/2 is the right address

1263. Mary Riley: 33 Duchess St. Born in Toronto. 2 children. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 7. very delicate. Separated from Husband (R.C.)

1264. Mary White: 117 Jarvis St. Widow. one Child. in Toronto 10 years. Ireland. R.C. sells Fish for a living & looks quite capable of making one

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1265. Mary Jane Hughes: 137 Lippincott St. Charwoman. one Child 4 years. recommends parties to put work in her way. an able woman. see Mr. Sheppards letter

1266. John Dunn: 69 Agnes St. old people. seem respectable. formerly Caretaker in the Racket [Racquet] Court. Sick with Bronchitis. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

1267. Mary A. Doyle: ^72 Sydnam [Sydenham] St.^ 3 Sons. 2 daughters. Eldest Son worthless & about 20 years. eldest daughter 17 years has had work, but now out of it. one Boy 15 years who has been earning about [dollars] 2.00 a Week. the 2 youngest boys are at School. clean. sober. native of Ireland. Roman Catholic. a little fuel would be acceptable

1268. Cathn. O'Connor: ^77 Sydnam [Sydenham] St.^ Widow. 4 Children. eldest 10 years. 3 of the Children have been in the House of providence but she could not part with them, & has them back. Very poor & bears a good Character

1269. Fanny Moores [Morris]: rear 171 Parliament St. seems very poor& is troubled with Erysipelas, but has a husband living who Should be able to support her. They are both in the Habit of Drinking,

which prevents them from being comfortably. has two Children. He is a hard working man but has this one bad failing

1270. Mrs. {blank} [Mary] Quinn: Reeds [Reid's] lane. Husband [Edward] is worthless & in Jail now. has 4 Children. Girl 12. gets a little by working 2 Hours a day for Revd. Mr. King Jarvis St. she gets from members of Mr. Kings Church about [dollars] 2.50. is about to be confined. says she manages to live with the aid she gets. Mrs. King says she is a most deserving Woman. she now gets Bread from the House but requires a little Tea

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1271. Eliza Jane Sixsmith: Widow. Son a long time out of work & Sickly now employed on the G. T. [Grand Trunk] Railway. Needs help for a month only. Coals once & Bread.

1272. Cathn. Ryan: rear 34 Centre St. (R.C.) lives with an old man. both hard Cases. well able to keep themselves, but spends their money in whisky

1273. Annie Jackson: rear 38 Centre St. (Ch of E [Church of England]) herself & Husband are feeble but chiefly caused by drunkenness. difficult to say what they should be allowed. Refused

1274. Bridget Murphey: rear 90 Elizabeth St. could not find this person & none of the Neighbours knew anything of her

Tuesday 3rd January 1882.

Present Messrs. A. McMurchey [McMurchy] Esqr. R. Elmsley Esqr. & G. Goulding Esqr.

1. [1275]. Mary Ann McCann: 73 High St. husband earns very little, 3 Children, she was out working, did not see her, requires Coal & Bread

2. [1276]. James Jane Trayhee: 75 High St. Widow, 6 Children. poorly clad. youngest 2 years. eldest 14. Boy earns a trifle, shovelling coal, but the support of the Family rests on the Mother. she goes out to work, (earns only 40 [cents] to day. she seems a decent woman. recommend Coal & Bread

3. [1277]. Mrs. Harriet Nicholas: 57 Givens St. Husband in the States for some years. she has not heard from him since my last report, twelve months since. 2 Eldest Boys working a little, not earning much. recomd. [recommended] for Bread & Coal

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4. [1278] Charlotte Bowring: River St. Address not sufficient
5. [1279] Wm. Thomas: 57 Sumach St. visited House but no one in. seemed very comfortable, suppose same as before. will call again
6. [1280] Mary Dowling: 574 King St. East & Husband. no Children. says cant get work fancy. they dont want it. no reason why they should be in want. recommend a little starvation until self help engendered. probably drink, (Ch of E. [England])
7. [1281] Mrs. ^Jane^ Elliot: Pattersons Place off Sydnham [Sydenham] St. a hard working Widow. one daughter just recovering from Typhoyd fever & just out from Hospital, Ch of E. [England]. her one little Boy quite young. Native of Canada. in need of fuel.
8. [1282] Caroline Webb: 250 Elizabeth St. Husband suffering from cancer & cannot work. 8 Children. Eldest Boy 17 years old who has injured himself by lifting too heavy a weight. the next is 12 years old. Family seems depending upon the mother for support. recommend Coal & Bread
9. [1283] Mary Ann Pascoe: & Husband ^in rear^ 24 little Richmond St. (Ch of E [England]) England) no occupation. 12 years in Toronto. no children. very poor. wants Coal & Bread
10. [1284] Sarah Roachford: last House North side West St. R.C. Ireland. no occupation. in Toronto 16 years. very poor. live in an old shed. Steady Habits. wants Coal & Bread
11. [1285] Eliza Walker: 35 Garrison St. R.C. delicate health. from Ireland. in Toronto 30 years. one Girl 9 years. furniture & Room very poor. require Coal Bread & Soup

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12. [1286] Jane Smith: 33 Garrison St. (Ch of E [England]) England. Rag picker. 34 years in Toronto. one Boy 5 years. one girl 2 years old. Furniture & Rooms poor. require Bread & Coal.
13. [1287] Cathn. Culloton: 120 Claremont St. a Grocer on the Street says she is a very decent hard working woman & have no reason to think otherwise. she has 5 or 6 Children. the eldest a Girl of nineteen years old is said to have fits of some kind. & bleeding form the lungs. the other children are all too young to earn any thing & have Whooping Cough, they are really in need of help & deserving of it. She told me she had just spent her last 20 [cents] for Coal & I believe told the truth.
14. [1288] Wm. Hancock: 44 Saulter St. very old & feeble. nearly 80 years of age. the Husband is too feeble to work. they have been very respectable & well off in their time. recommend Coal & Bread

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15. [~~1289~~] Margt. & Bella Sloan: 28 Grange Avenue (Ch of E [England]) Margt. Sloan earns a little bit by her needle but is a great invalid & has now been sick for more than a Week. Her sister is simple & helpless. they are almost entirely dependent upon Charity as they have no relatives. I have to pay their rent all the year round & for fuel most part of it. (J.D. Cayley)
16. [~~1290~~] Augusta Pollard: 36 years of age. husband George laborer. 40 years. English. Emigrant. 11 Weeks out Ch of E, 7 Children. boys 12. 10. 7. 6. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 3. To have Coke if they come for it. 12 lbs. Bread for the present and as they are going to remove from their present residence to bring the No. [number] of their new one & be visited
17. [~~1291~~] Sarah Hopkins: 49 Emma St. has moved away
18. [~~1292~~] Mrs. [Mary] Harris: 35 Emma St. Colored, respectable one Child, seems rather infirm recomd. Coal & Bread

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19. [~~1293~~] Ann Frost: ^Widow^ 71 Hayter St. on the Books. recomd. small amount of Coal
20. [~~1294~~] June Todd: 135 Centre. Widow. 2 Children. eldest 14 years. not now in Work. gets [dollars] 2.00 per Week sometimes. also Married daughter, with Infant Child. recomd. Coal.
21. [~~1295~~] Hannah Raynor: 157 Centre St. husband left her 3 years since. 4 Children. Eldest Boy 16, not working (tho he ought to be) suffering from Bronchitis. House very dirty & squalid, recomd. for Coal
22. [~~1296~~] Ellen Sweeney: 12 William St. 5 Children. 3 Boys 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 4, & 1 [age] 3 months. Husband no work. very poor. recomd. Bread and Coal
23. [~~1297~~] Agnes Owens: 10 William St. 2 Children. Boys 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 9. Widow. very poor. Bread & Coal
24. [~~1298~~] Cathn. Cox: rear 34 William. one child girl 18 years. recomd. Bread for a time
25. [~~1299~~] William Pettigrew: rear 82 William St. Wife no Children, he was out I did not see him, the House seems poor enough
26. [~~1300~~] Mary Purvis: rear 82 William St. Widow alone. recomd. Bread & Coal
27. [~~1301~~] Mary Gormeley: rear of 58 William St. Widow. she is keeping sober. Bread & Coal.
28. [~~1302~~] Caroline Oakman: rear ~~67~~ 56 William St. alone with Husband. both drink once in a while
29. [~~1303~~] Matthew Halliday: 119 Jarvis St. 60 years. Scotch. a Wife but no Children. Presbyn. in Toronto 5 years. moderate temporary assistance

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30. [~~1304~~] Cathn. Richardson: 38 Duchess St. Widow. Irish. Catholic. in Toronto 20 years. living with a daughter, also a Widow with one Child five years old the daughter is ~~living~~ working at C.P. Reeds factory, & should be able to support this House with with very little assistance.
31. [~~1305~~] Malinda C. Goodwin: Prices Lane, (Ch of E. [England]) Husband retired School Teacher. neither able to earn anything. needs Coal & Bread.
32. [~~1306~~] Mary Somerville: rear 110 Terauley St. (Ch of E. [England]) 1 Girl 9 years & 2 Boys 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 4. Husband prevented by a hurt from working. needs Coal & Bread
33. [~~1307~~] Elizabeth Patterson: rear 18 Terauley St. deserted by her husband. 1 Girl 2 years old, earns what she can by sewing. Needs Coal only
34. [~~1308~~] John Dunn: rear by Agnes St., Ch of E [England], Helpless old Couple. needs Coal & Bread
35. [~~1309~~] Mary McLean: 5 Hagamon [Hagerman] St., Presbytn. alone. earns by washing. need Coal only.
36. [~~1310~~] John Andrews: rear 112 Chestnut St. Single man lately out of Hospital. boards with a family at this No. [number]. Cannot say what he should receive, absent when visitor called.
37. [~~1311~~] Lucy Curry: rear 141 Elizabeth St. not known. no dwelling in rear of No. ~~41~~-141
38. [~~1312~~] Julia Enright: 93 Claremont, requires Bread ^Coal^ & groceries laid up with lung disease, they get help from Ladies Aid Society
39. [~~1313~~] Mary L. Currey: of Henderson Avenue, very much an invalid & now sick, please grant relief.

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40. [~~1314~~] Mary Flood: wife of Patrick. both sick, recomd. Fuel Bread & groceries, R.C. Irish. 26 years in Toronto
41. [~~1315~~] Margt. Graham: aged 52, Widow, Irish. (Ch of E [England]) lately out of Hospital. not able to earn her living at present. recommended by Mr. W.H Howland for admission

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42. John McDonnell: 52 ^years^, St. Johns N.F. [Newfoundland]. 12 years in Toronto. Carpenter Ch of E [England]. seeks admission. admitted
43. John Thackery: 100 Elizabeth Ch of E [England], out of work. Girls 1 [age] 2 1 [age] 3. Boys 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 14, earnings of Boys, [dollars] 3.75 per week, Need Coal, & Bread
44. Mary Hedge: 83 Elizabeth, Husband Labourer out of Work Ch of E. Girls 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 13. Boys 1 [age] 2 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 9. Needs Coal & Bread
45. Mrs. Wesley Collins: 61 Elizabeth St. Husband in. Just a miserable old dissipated woman. seems famishing with hunger & cold. states she cannot attend but as she states Mr. Duckett knows her, he will have some Coal sent.
46. Elizth. Walsh: 70 Agnes St. Dissipated woman with 3 Children. at present the children are scattered and herself on a spree.
47. Mary Cowan: 63 Albert St. old couple. grown up son, with them. Bread only if anything
48. Mary [Quiek] Quirk: 69 Albert St., a Dissipated woman. 5 Children. 2 Girls & 3 Boys under 12 years old. see report of last year at 34 Centre St. difficult to recommend help, but if unless some be given the children must suffer

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49. Elizabeth Jane Bent: 67 Albert St. Husband out of work. Boys 1 [age] 2 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 6. Needs Bread & Coal. belongs to Howlands Church
50. Mrs. {blank} Taylor: rear 17 Terauley St. English. husband out of Health. She has fits. they might be helped with Bread & Fuel
51. Ellen Teague: rear 47 Edward. 2 Children. washerwoman. 2 Children about 12 years old. recommend Bread & Coal
52. Ann McCarthy: 28 Edward St. These people are in a most destitute condition, but means are being taken for their relief.

53. Francis Forsyth: rear 40 William St. 5 Children. 3 Boys 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 3 months. Girls 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 5. Wife dead. No Work. very poor. Bread & Coal. Church of England.
54. Sarah Pickings: 20 Renfrew St. 3 Children Boys 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 13. Husband sickly. cannot work. Ch of E. [England]. husband R.C. recomd. Coal & Bread
55. Elizth. Brown: 4 Renfrew St. Husband away. one child 18 months. very poor Ch of E [England], Bread & Coal.
56. Ann O'Ryley: 4 Renfrew St. 2 Children. Boys 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 2. husband away. very poor, & sick. Bread & Coal (R.C.)
57. Dorethy Ross: rear 5 Renfrew St. (Ch of E [England]) old people. sell fruit. recomd Bread & Coal
58. Mary Sullivan: 23 Melinda St. Irish. R.C. about 60 years old. no family. much in Need of Coal & Bread
59. Mary Dyer: 27 Melinda St. Presbytn. work at picking hair & rags. no family. 60 years old. deserving. recomd. Coal

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60. Mary Curley: 8 Johnsons lane. Widow. Irish. R.C., one daughter aged 23 years who works out. she is 58 years of age herself. in poor health. not much work to do. recomd. Coal & Bread
61. Mary Reardon: 10 Johnsons Lane. Widow. in very poor health. Coal & Bread
62. Elizth. Kelley: no person there at that address
63. Ann Gillis: 3 Drummond Place. Irish. 32 years old. husband 42 years. Laborer. out of Employ. one year in the Country. poor health. Ch of E [England]. 5 Children. 3 Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 5. Girls 1 [age] 3 1 [age] one year. recomd. Coal & Bread
64. Mary Cowan: rear 117 Queen St. W. Irish. C of E [Church of England]. Chimney Sweep. not much to do. 2 Children. Girl 3 years, one 6 months. Coal & Bread
65. Ann Fox: 138 Richmond St. W. Widow. helpless old woman. Children all dead. Irish. R.C. Coal & Bread
66. Annie Batkins: ^62^ Louis [Lewis] St. Kingston Road. Six in family. very deserving. require Coal & anything else (Visitor J. Pape)
67. ^Maria^ Ingleson: ^57 Kingston Road^, 2 in Family. very deserving. give Coal & anything else, (visitor J. Pape)
68. {blank} [Mary] Harris: a family requiring Wood. received relief last year. very sick. Coal hurts him. very respectable & deserving. Mrs. Harris works hard.

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69. Mary A. Doyle: 72 Sydnam [Sydenham] St. Widow. 3 Sons & 2 daughters. eldest son worthless, about 20 years old. daughter has had work but out of it at present. (this was reported before. See [Case] 1267 [1881])

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70. Jane Burns: 21 Hackney St. Widow. Boy 16 years of age. works when she can. her Son earning nothing at present. he was six weeks in Hospital, Typhoid fever. she seems decent wants Bread & Coal.

71. Fredk. White: 21 Hackney St. is not an applicant for help

72. Sarah Mead: 90 Brunswick Avenue. Widow. has help from House of Industry for some years, alone by herself. supports herself by going from House to House with Tapes Buttons [etc.] clean & quite a contrast to general poor. she wants Coal & groceries

73. Mrs. ^Mary Jane^ Johnston: 160 Borden St. Widow. 3 Children. goes out to work. decent woman. says they have been nearly famished. wants Coal Chiefly

74. Mary ODonnell: (R.C.) 16 Lombard St. aged 40 Stephen her Husband 40. Irish Boys1 [age] 12 1 [age] 9, the youngest has been sick, want Coal & Bread

75. Cathn. Prowse: not at home

76. John McBride: 48 Lombard St. could not find him

77. Bridget Bergen: rear 83 Lombard St. aged 41. Husband James 43. Sailor. Irish, (R.C.) 4 Children. 1 Boy 5 years. Girls 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 7. Husband broke his leg 12 months since. unable to do much since

78. Ellen Shea: rear 85 Lombard. aged 50. Widow. R.C. Irish. Cannot get Work. 1 Boy & 1 girl. very needy. Coal & Bread

79. Ann Dunleavey: rear 15 Lombard. aged 40. Joseph the Husband 60. Irish. Episcopalian. 1 Boy 14 drives grocery Wagon, very little pay. 1 Girl 13 years. the Husband injured by sign falling on him. Want Coal & Bread

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80. Mary Carroll: rear 79 Lombard St. 60 years old. Widow. Irish. has been sick. Bread & Coal
81. Mary Stone: ^23 Richmond St. E.^ Aged 50. Husband left her. no family. wants Coal
82. Jane Simmons: 33 Queen St. East, no such Name there
83. Ann Ginn: 35 Victoria St. no such person there
84. Thos. Walls: rear 101 Richmond. aged 61. Widow. English. Episcopalian. 1 daughter. Char Woman, gets little work. old applicant. lives in a wretched Shanty. Coal & Bread
85. Elizth. Rose: rear 70 Richmond. E. not at Home
86. Eliza Littledale: 40 Duchess. Widow. aged 39. out of work. has 2 Children. girl 6 & 8 years. R.C.
87. Cathn. Smith: 94 Duchess St. aged 40. Husband a Laborer, out of work & lame. no Children. R.C.
88. Dora O'Connor: 29 Duchess St. Widow. aged 50. R.C. no Children. picks rags for a living
89. Elizth. Osborn: 2 Walkers Lane. aged 31. husband Laborer out of work. 2 Children Ch of E. [England]
90. Mary Finston: 101 Sherbourne St. aged 37. Husband laborer out of Work. 2 Children 4 & 7. Presbytn.
91. Elizth. Monk: 54 Duchess. no such number
92. Harriet Phillips: 94 Duchess. Widow. aged ^45^ 60. (2 Children). English Church. got this information from Neighbours. House locked up

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93. Mary A. Bailey: 42 Britan [Britain] St. Widow. 55 years. 44 years in Toronto. no Children. Ch of E. [England] Bread & Coal
94. Sarah Rose: 42 Britan [Britain] St. aged 55. English Ch of E. [England] 19 years in Toronto. Tailoress. out of Work. no friends. Bread & Coal
95. Cathn. Coyle: 238 1/2 King St. East. neighbours report them out picking chips & deserving Charity. Bread & Coal
96. Mary Sweeney: 58 Sherbourne St. Widow. Aged 50. no Children. 20 years in Toronto. Irish. R.C. sells fruit for a living
97. Margt. Hughes: 39 Duchess St. Aged 27. Husband Laborer out of work. No Children. 8 years in Toronto. from Ireland (Ch of E [England])

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98. Caroline Boss: 29 Duchess St. Husband labourer out of work. four Children. oldest 7 years. in Toronto two months. from Hamilton. English C of E. [Church of England]

99. Sarah O'Brien: 4 Duchess St. Widow. aged 40. 3 Children. eldest Boy 12 years, disabled. 12 Months from Ireland (R.C.)

100. Cecilia Grately: {205} Mutual St. English. Ch of E. [England]. Widow 5 years. one Son in the States. 67 years of age. 26 in Canada. Coal & Small Groceries

101. Mrs. {blank} Allison: 61 Victoria St. aged 54. Widow. Scotch. Presbytn. from Scotland last year. in Bed with Canser [cancer]. one Son^ aged 19 ^ earns [dollars] 4.00/ per week & daughter [dollars] 2.50 aged 13 years. recomd. 1/2 Ton Coal & Large groceries, further, occasionally, groceries

102. {blank} Constendine [Constantine]: rear 164 Huron St. Widow. 5 Children. asks for Bread only. case real deserving one. eldest Boy earns [dollars] 3.50 per Week. all the money coming into the House

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103. Jane Purdy: 120 Claremont St. Ch of E [England]. English. 2 Children. 1 [age] 3 1 [age] 1. rooms decent. habits orderly

104. J. Allum: single man, in same House Recommended by Revd. Harrison

105. Robt. Davy: 195 Claremont St. Six Children at Home. Girl at service. rooms decent. Habits orderly

106. Mrs. {blank} Fairbanks: 399 Queen St. East. a Fraud Drinks as also does her Husband. An infamable Character in the Neighborhood. (R.C.)

107. Martha Avan: 18 St. Pauls St. one child. Ch of E. [England] English. clean & tidy. needs Bread & fuel

108. Mrs. ^Mary^ Kerr: St. Pauls lane. a hard working Woman with Husband who Contributes nothing to her support. 2 Children. he drinks all he earns. Presbytn. needs fuel & Bread

109. {blank} Simpkins: rear 157 Sumach. English Ch of E. [England]. very poor. 2 Children. 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 10. should have a little fuel hard working people

110. ^Isabella^ Trainor: ^283 Gerrard^ 34 years. Husband 42. Sells apples. Ch of E. [England]. 5 Children. Girls 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 5. Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 3. House very poor, cold & dirty. the children ragged. I suspect the woman drinks. recomd. Bread Coal & Soup

111. {blank} Thompson: 167 Oak St. aged 27. & Husband 34 years Presbytn. Scotland, 14 Months in this Country, 5 Children Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 2. Girls 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 11 Weeks, Coal once, Bread & Soup

112. Mary Coleman: 435 Adelaide St. W. Irish. R.C. no family. rag Picker. out of work. Too fond of the Bottle

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113. Sarah Marooney, 433 Adelaide St. W. Irish. R.C. Widow. Six Children. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 16 1 [age] 3. 4 Girls. 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 7. in Toronto 5 months. from Old Country. Boy works at Drains but now ill. requires Bread & Coal

114. Sophia Rockall: rear 359 Queen St. West. English. C of E. [Church of England]. Husband a laborer, not well, no regular Employ. Six Children. 4 Girls 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 6. 2 Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 7 months. Industrious Woman but sick in the summer. recommend assistance

115. Ellen Blyth: 101 Little Richmond, Irish (Ch of R [Church of Rome]). Husband laborer, out of work. sick under Dr. must not go to work for a week. 2 Children. Boys 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 2. House tidy. recomd. temporary relief

116. Ellen Mahan: 394 1/2 Adelaide, up Stairs. R.C. Irish. Widow. 3 Children. girls 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 8 1 [age] 6. one Boy 3 years. very respectable woman. expects an increase in her household. not able to do much. Children not well. recomd. Coal Bread & Sick allowance

117. Mary Ferguson: 392 Adelaide. Irish Ch of Rome. Husband Corporation laborer, only gets work 2 or 3 days a week. 6 Children. 4 Boys 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 2. girls 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 14. recommend assistance

118. Mary Slater: 165 Little Richmond St. English. Baptist. Widow. 5 Children. 2 girls 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 14 eldest at Service. 3 Boys 1 [age] 18 1 [age] 12 1 [age] 9. eldest Son Sickly. not able to do anything. recommend Bread Coal & Sick allowance

119. Margt. White: 106 Church St. up Stairs. she is an old pensioner. considering her record, to be allowed 4 lbs. Bread & Coal once

120. Jane Brown: 7 Garrison St. R.C. Husband labourer. Ireland. 4 Months in Toronto. 1 Boy 10 months old. 2 girls 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 8 years. very poor. Habits sober. Coal & Bread

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121. Clarecy Brown: 147 Eastern Avenue. 70 years old. Son 20 years old. out of work. could manage with Coal. Methodist

122. Mrs. Ann Munns: application made to Mr. Gilmour [Gilmor] to be admitted into the House. See letter 4 Jany. 1882

123. Mrs. {blank} Burke: ^6 Victoria St.^ Widow of Minister. 5 Children. really necessitous, but thinks she can pull through if she gets a little Coal recommended 1000, please send this direct from Coal Yard. W.H. Howland,

124. Ann Briggs: Widow ^80 Duchess St.^ aged 80 years. Church of England. one allowance of Coal for the Winter. very old & infirm person. (English) 1200 Nut coal

125. John McAdam: in Case 1132 in 1881. Died this morning 9th January 1881 [1882]. Aged 65 years.

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126. Bridget Avan: 84 Lombard St. House empty. No Known

127. Cathn. Cahan: rear 60 Lombard St. no such person. the name not known

128. Mary Ann Gorman: 70 Lombard St. aged 39. John aged 40. labourer. Irish. sickley. 3 Children. 1 Boy 1 year 1 girl 6 years & 1, 3 years. recommend Strongly Bread & Coal (R.C)

129. Charlotte Brankston: rear 57 Richmond St, no such person

130. Margt. Walsh: 59 Victoria St. 33 years of age. Husband William 48. labourer. R.C. Ireland. 3 Months out. 3 Children. The Boy 11. Girls 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 8. very decent people. worthy of relief. Hard Coal & Bread

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131. Mary McDougall: 27 Queen St. E. aged 28. Husband James 3{illegible}. Scotch. Baptist .2 Children. Boys 1 [age] 6 1 [age] 8. This party has been out of employment and also unfortunate in business. very deserving. Bread & Coal

132. Margt. Mathias: Widow. aged 30. 123 Queen St. E. Welsh. Episcopalian. 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 10. Girls 1 [age] 7 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 3. lost her Husband 12 months. House Self & Children clean very deserving. Hard Coal & food

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133. Bridget Hughes: 95 Jarvis St. left & gone elsewhere
134. Rachael Bisher: 39 Adelaide St. English. Native of Guernsey. one Son, has been ill, her chief support, the Dr. says they require fire night & day, recommend Coal & Sick allowance.
135. John Warwick: & Wife, 59 Little Adelaide St. R.C. Irish, Labourer. in Toronto 11 years. Boys 1 [age] 13 1 [age] 2 .Girls 1 [age] 14 1 [age] 11 1 [age] 7. all at home. very poor. Coal Bread & Soup
136. Ann Gillis: 3 Drummonds Place. ~~C of E, English~~ reported last week
137. Sarah North: 9 Drummond Place. English. C of E [Church of England] she only wants Bread for one month
138. George Mosley: 9 Drummond Place. left this place
139. James Bellingham: 65 Boulton St. English C of E [Church of England] aged 65. labourer. not much work. Wife Scotch. Presbytn. aged 45. no children. rooms comfortable. Coal & Bread
140. Eliza Cook: 415 Adelaide St. Irish. Ch of Rome. seven in family. One Son in Hospital. Coal & Bread

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141. Maria O'Neil: Irish. R.C. Husband Labourer. no work. one girl 7 months. in Toronto 4 Months. from Ireland. recommend Coal & Bread.
142. Mary Ann Trayling: 27 Camden St. a poor thing. intellect not very bright. Mr. Dunsbury knows her. recommend Coal
143. Ellen Beaver: 11 Browns Lane. widow. 2 Children. recommends Coal & Bread
144. Frances Hamilton: Widow. 18 Kerrs Lane. Ch of E. [England]. decent & respectable. no Children. recommend Fuel & Bread
145. Mary Murphey: "Widow" 18 ^Rear of^ Kerrs Lane. very poor. clean & tidy. one Boy 4 years. recommend Fuel once, & Bread
146. Mary McKewan: Widow. 62 Sullivan St. Presbytn. goes out nursing, very little employ. has very small stove. very good character, by Landlord. recomd. Soft Coal & Bread. has poor health
147. Ellen Ashton: Widow. 15 Soho. Ch of E. [England]. one Son 15. earns small wages. mother unable to work. recomd. Fuel
148. Annie Donnan: 5 Renfrew St. 6 Children. 5 Boys 1 [age] 10 1 [age] 9 1 [age] 5 1 [age] 3 1 [age] 14 months. Girls 1 [age] 7. Husband out of work. very poor. Bread & Coal

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149. Kate Greenwood: rear 99 William. alone with Child 9 months. cannot go to work. Bread & Coal

150. Annie O'Riley: 4 Renfrew Lane. Husband away. 2 Boys 1 [age] 4 1 [age] 2. Bread & Coal

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151. Mary Mitchell: is not living at 22 Renfrew St.

152. Mary Gartland: upstairs 84 William St. alone. old Woman. working out, when she can. Bread & Coal

153. Bridget Walker: 40 William St. alone. working out when she can. Coal & Bread for a while

154. Mary Ann Wilson: 461 King St. E. 37 years old. Ch of E. [Church of England] Canadian. 13 years in Toronto. no income but by little sewing. Coal & Bread

155. Annie Kennedy: rear 268 Yonge St. Widow. 6 Children. 2 down with Whooping Cough. they must have some more Coal. will you send round some Coke to put them through till Tuesday & then bring her case before the Board. give them also some groceries to put them over Sunday.

156. Julia Elliott: 91 Sumach St. not to be found.

157. Ann Horan: Widow. rear 114 St. Pauls St. R.C. dirty & looks like a professional. says has orphan child living with her. 2 daughters Married, one to Dillon, Albert St. well off, & other to Fred Thomas, Power {St.} they should support her. no other support except begg{ing}

158. Henry Arnold: 228 Ontario St. very respectable young man. very delicate health, suffering from lung disease. unable to work. (Sign Painter) Married. 3 Children. eldest 4 years. 1 [age] 3 months. Methodist. friends have undertaken to pay his rent. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread & Groceries

159. James Andrews: St. Charles St. this case has no cla{im} on the Charity. reported same last year, yet I found Coal & Bread was given

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160. Ann Dugan: R.C. very poor & destitute unable to work, very deserving Case. Coal & Bread

161. Mrs. {blank} Fenwick: 23 Bredalbane [Breadalbane] St. Presbty. not in. has 5 Children. 3 boys & 2 girls. eldest Boy earns [dollars] 1.50 per week. she goes out washing 2 days in the week & Earns about [dollars] 1.50. have seen better days. furniture of Rooms disappearing, slowly but surely to keep away want. advise help for the winter.

162. R. Elmsley: I beg to hand in my resignation; see letter, referring to James Andrews [Case 159].

163. Mary Hannon: rear 102 Lumley St. not known

164. Ellen Berry: No. 11 Goulding St. She is afflicted with asthma. Husband laid up. bad Knee, unable to work. have several Children. they should get some assistance

165. Kate Kennedy: 59 Argyle St. husband left her a year since, no help from him since. she works out 3 days a week. hard working, deserving woman. Bread & Coal

166. Mrs. Ann Potts: 214 Sackville St. visited this case a week ago & reported fully on it. she is well known to the House & Mr. Duckett can tell the committee all about her, & see last report.

167. Ann Tennant: rear 54 Alexander St. Married. Husband has Fits. she is 54 years old. he is 48 years. from Ireland. Episcopal. 24 years in Canada. she has a Son by a former husband, 18 years old, just out from Hospital & cannot work. very poor. Bread & Coal.

168. Sarah Hopkins: rear 43 Emma St. colored. husband in Penitentiary. 2 Children. does a little washing. respectable woman. recomd. [recommend] Coal

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169. Kennely ^Kenney^ Maria: ^rear 43 Emma St.^ colord. Widow. one girl. rents Room in Sarah Hopkins House. recomd. [recommend] Coal

170. John Gilman: 96 Haytor [Hayter] St. formerly a Huckman. cuts Wood. 4 children, & Wife, delicate, not able to wor{k}. eldest girl 17 goes out to Service. appears to be respectable. recomd. [recommend] for Coal

171. Sarah Jane Soaper: widow. lodging in a respectable House. no family. appears to be respectable. cannot do any work. recommend Coal.

172. Harriet Colhan: 29 Emma St. Methodist. Husband & 3 Children. English. 12 months in the Country. Farm labourer. wife has ulcerated throat. they seem respectable. recommend Coal.

173. Mary Carroll: 250 1/2 Elizabeth St. husband Shoe Maker. expects work in a week or two. requires temporary relief. Recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread for 2 Weeks

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174. Mary Jane Lyons: Widow. husband recently dead. 7 Children. respectable. has 3 Ton Coals, through Grace Church Fuel Club. recommend Bread.

175. Margt. Currey: 46 Duchess St. Widow. aged 60. from Ireland. in Toronto 40 years. R.C. needs temporary assistance

176. Blanch Corner: 119 Jarvis St. not at this number.

177. Annie Conlan: 40 Duchess St. Widow. aged 40. from Ireland. R.C. 2 boys. eldest 16. looks able to work & support his mother. give very moderate assistance

178. Maria Smith: 40 ^44^ Duchess St. Widow. aged 40. English. R.C. one Boy 10 years old. Bread & Coal

179. July [Julia] Tye: 120 Clarmont [Claremont] St. recommended for Coal Bread & {groceries.} a large Family with sickness

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179 1/2. Mary Houghton: 46 Duchess St. English. 36 years in Toronto. 6 Helpless Children & in urgent need of help. (Husband Labourer out of Work), I strongly recommend

180. Delia Brown: rear 24 Scott St. could not find

181. Paradise Watts: 4 Wilton St. ChofE. [Church of England] Stone mason. 3 months. decent & orderly. 1 boy 3/4. no girl. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

182. Maria Cracknell: Married. Husband, John. 3 Boys 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 10 & 3 Girls 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 4, 1 [age] 1 1/2. labourer. 6 months in Toronto. ChofE. [Church of England] English. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

183. Cathn. Causier: married English ChofE. [Church of England] 6 months in Toronto. Boy 7 & Girl 5 years. recommend Bread & Coal

184. Elizth. Leavier: {blank} Case reconsidered for Coal once

185: George Jackson: 38 Centre. Case reconsidered for Coal once

186. Margt. Quirk: {blank} Case reconsidered for Coal once

187. Jane Equi: 9 Centre St. was not in. people with whom she has a Room speak favourably of her honesty, respectability & hard working. recommend Coal

188. Rebecca Williams: 64 Centre St., (ChofE [Church of England]), husband labourer. drunkard. 2 children. 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 1 1/2 years. seems decent hard working woman. recommend Coal & Bread

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189. Cathn. Ryan: (rear 34 Centre St.) old case. reported before. needy & hardworking. Coal & Bread

190. Caroline Rawling: rear 75 1/2 Edward St. had assistance. husband past work. 6 Children. one Girl 18 at work nursing. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 3. Charwoman. respectable. needy. Bread & Coal

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191. Margt. Jane Hackett: 98 Agnes St. Methodist. had assistance last year. Widow. 2 Children grown up who do not give her House Room. seems respectable. recommend Coal & Bread

192. John Wahlers: 98 Agnes St. aged 60. was out when I called. had assistance last year. learnt he has a {daughter}. recommend Coal.

193. Mary Hussey: 106 Agnes St. Protestant. Widow. 2 children. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 5. washerwoman. decent. respectable. Recommend Coal

194. Thos. Smallwood: 18 Elizabeth St. colored. Widower. aged 80 years. (one Boy 11 years) files saws. respectable. recomd. [recommend] Bread & Coal

195. Louisa ~~Murray~~ ^Morin^: 95 Elizabeth R.C. French. had assistance last year. Widow. Sewing Machine Worker at overalls [at] 60 cents per dozen. plenty of margin left for all the assistance we have to give. recommend Coal & Bread

196. Lucy Curry: Rear 141 Elizabeth St. husband left her. daughter age 15. both working at it. respectable. Worthy. recommend Bread & Coal

197. Ann Mutart: rear 126 Chestnut. R.C. husband labourer. Boy 14, Sick, spinal complaint. needy & respectable. Recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

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198. Sarah McKibbin: Married, to Wm. McK. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] 2 Children. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 9. rooms decent. habits orderly. recomd. [recommend] Bread & Coal

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199. Elizth. Bullard: recommended for Bread, Coal & Groceries

200. Alice Falon: 119 Herbert St. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 12. Girl 1 [age] 15. Irish. R.C. 40 years in Toronto. married to Matthew. rooms tidy. habits orderly

201. Eliza Carey: recommend Bread Coal (& Groceries for herself)

202. Mary Ann Oswin: 47 Strachn [Strachan] St. C of E. [Church of England] 6 Children. long on the Books. 8 lbs. Bread & Soft Coal once

203. Maria Russell: married to Peter. R.C. 13 years in Toronto. labourer. 3 Boys 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 1 year. 4 Girls 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 2. eldest Boy getting [dollars] 1.75 per Week. get help from Ladies Aid. rooms decent. habits orderly. He invalid from Typhoid. recomd. [recommend] Bread

204. Eliza Smith: 187 George St. Married. 3 Children. Girl 4 years. Boy 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 2 months. C of E. [Church of England] England. 600 lbs. Nut Coal, Bread & Groceries

205. Mary Cavanagh: aged 62 ^21 Water St.^ Brother John O'Donoho living with her. he has been Sick for the last fifteen months. done no work. in Toronto fifteen years. R.C. Irish. in need of Coal & Bread & Sick relief

206. Sarah O'Hearn: 96 Eastern Avenue. 47 years old. Michael 55. Sick. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 7. Irish. R.C. Coal & Bread

207. Mary Gregory: rear 99 William St. 1 Girl aged 10 years. Husband sick for a long time. Bread & Coal

208. James Moore: rear 30 William St. old man cannot work. Bread & Coal

209. Sarah Harris: rear 82 William St. one child 15 months. husband no work. Bread & Coal for a while

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210. Martha Avann: 18 St. Pauls St. Widow. same report as is 1881. usual allowance of coal, 4 lbs & Coal once

211. Margt. Virgin: rear 125 Upper Vanauley St. Widow. 3 Children. 1 Boy 10 years & 2 girls 12 & 14. goes out scrubbing. She seems decent. House clean. wants soft coal

212. Mary Haworth: rear 32 Woolsey St. Widow. 2 Children. Boy 18. Girl 16. she has had relief from the House for years. 7 Weeks from Hospital, under Typhoid Fever this past fall. The Boy earns around Wood yards but cannot get steady work. wants Soft Coal. Her House is clean & tidy

213. Mary Pierpoint: 32 Borden St.)

214. Alice McKenna: (upstairs) 32 Borden St). could not find them at this number. Not known in this locality

215. Mary Jane Hughes: 137 Lippincott. Widow. one Small Child. is young woman. has room in the House. she goes out to work. is not one of the most needy kind. recomd. [recommend] Bread

216. Elizth. Hodgins: 33 Dennison Avenue. 3 Boys 1 [age] 12, 1 age [11]. 1 [age] 3. oldest Boy earns [dollars] 2.00 a week. She goes out to work. Husband was a Soldier 13th Hussars, died in India, just 3 months before the expiration of his time (21 years). Native of Canada. & retd. [returned] after his death. Hard Coal & Bread

217. Ellen Cochrane: 23 Hackney St. Married. Husband labourer. sick of fever. Has one child 14 months old. She goes out to work. wants Coal for the present.

^not allowed^ [reference to Case 217 or 218?]

218. Patience Savage: 590 Bathurst. Married. Husband a pensioner has 1 s [shilling] /1 d [pence]. was 25 years in Army, was through the Crimea. works out doing Jobs. she Washerwoman. 2 Grown Children that they support whose Mother is dead. this is not a case for continued aid. Should be extended they require Soft Coal.

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219. Mrs. Ellen O'Neil: 65 Muter St. Widow. Six Children. all too young to work. Charwoman. recommend temporary relief. wants Coal & Bread

220. Mary Wood: 73 Tate St. The old complaint. Whiskey the cause of all her trouble. her Husband could keep her very well if she would keep from drink. she is only out of Jail a few days, after serving a term of six months. native ^of^ Ireland. R.C. cannot recommend her any Relief

221. Eliza Hawkins: 84 Richmond St. English. Plymouth Brethren. aged 35. Husband 25, a Methodist. 4 Children. Girl 16, Boy 14, Girl 8, Baby 3 months. only 3 months from England. recomd. [recommend] Coal

222. Charlotte Brankstone: 57 Richmond St. ^W.^ English. ChofE. [Church of England] poor health & bad hand. aged 53. one daughter Consumption but works a little. Husband in England. in poor health. Needs Coal & Bread.

223. Catharine Row: 10 Johnsons Lane. aged 40. Irish. R.C. Husband aged 45. labourer. working. 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. Recomd. [recommend] Bread & Coal ^not allowed. A.H.B.^ [A.H. Baldwin]

224. Mary Pearson: in the same House as above. has had her Coal and they use the same Stove, they have only the one Stove, but she intends to argue the Case with the Committee.

225. Mary Bateman: 16 Dorset House. Canadian. R.C. aged 32 years. 3 Children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 10 months. Husband aged 55, Carpenter, in Hospital 16 weeks, injured by a fall from a Window. Husband Protestant. she is deserving of much sympathy. Recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

225 1/2. Cath. Roberts: 69 Queen St. W. not to be found

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226. Johanna Sweeney: rear 10 Edward St. Irish. Husband almost blind. She has but one eye. also 3 Children. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 2. Coal & Bre{ad}

227. Wm. Robbins: rear 56 Agnes St. Wife & 6 Children. eldest Boy 14 or 15 years, youngest infant, paralyzed. got relief before last winter. recommend Coal & Bread

228. Mrs. {blank} McBeth: 24 Albert St. an old Widow. aged 73. recommend Coal & Bread. She is to [too] old to go up. Will have to send it to her

229. Ellen McManus: 18 Lombard St. aged 60. Widow. from Ireland. R.C. married daughter in Country. Coal only

230. Margt. Talbot: 35 Lombard St. R.C. Widow. aged 67 years. no family. french Canadian, Bread & Coal

231. Jane Clark: 66 Lombard St. aged 46. Husband John cannot get work. 6 Children. Boys 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4. Girls 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 6. cannot recommend her. wants Bread & Coal

232. Johanna Foggerty: rear 40 Lombard St. aged 40. Irish. R.C. Husband William. 2 Boys 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 12. Coals only

233. Mary Moore: rear 82 Lombard St. not in

234. Bridget Hayes: 98 Jarvis St. Widow. 60. R.C. Irish. no family. sells fish. Bread & Coal

235. Levy Bright: 24 Ramseys Lane. dead & Buried

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^Wife died but the Husband is living. A.H. Baldwin^

236. Christiana Moffett: 28. Widow from Halifax. rear of Ontario in Ramseys Lane. presbytn. Husband died 3 months. 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 1. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 9. expecting prem{ature} birth to day. recommend Coal & Bread & Sick allowance

237. Hannah Tennison: aged 40. Chas. Tennison 43. 89 Ontario St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband Groom been sick. Child dying. 6 Children. Boys 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 3 Sick. Girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 8. Recommend 10 lbs. Bread

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238. William Switzer: 85 Duchess St. found the family comfortable. they seemed to be much annoyed when I asked them the ages of the Children. they said they declined to take relief. Not worthy

239. Wm. Booth: 63 Sherbourne St. found the applicant living with his sister & her Husband. he is well provided for in their hands. Not worthy. quiet. respectable people. I think with a little help will do well. Recommended for Coal.

241. Ann Wallace: 76 Sydnam [Sydenham] St., 4 doors east of Pine. Ch of E. [Church of England] very old & infirm. can't leave the House. has aged Brother also infirm. Irish. recommend Coal for say 1200

242. Jno. Richardson: 61 McGee St. old man. found him in a starving condition. recommend Coal & Bread

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243. Wm. Allan: aged 57. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 11 years in Toronto. Made application for admission. the man seems to be able to earn his living. has been in Casual ward for several nights. while there he was insolent & insulting to others. not admitted

244. George Tremble: rear 72 Bathurst, married no family wife sick, with neuralgia & rheumatism, unable to work at times. Trimble himself is lame and unable to do much for 2 years. has a pension which pays his Rent

245. Elizth. Hart: rear 21 1/2 Camden St. English. Widow. 2 Children at Home. Boys 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 14 who give her all the assistance in their power. Seems to be an industrious & respectable Woman & tries to make the best of her circumstances. Recommend Coal

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246. Rosalin Hughes: 110 Brock St. (upstairs) married. Husband a Painter. their Children all under 10 years. here from Montreal & has been out of work for two weeks. neither food nor fire in the House. recommend Coal once & Bread

247. Eliza Scambler: 44 Little Richmond St. English. Married. 6 Child{ren} at Home, the eldest of which is 9 years of age. 2 Girls at Service. Husband labourer, out of work. House tidy & comfortable.

248. Benjamin Williams: not to be found at 62 Bathurst.

249. Mary Ann Little: 4 Buchanan St., a very respectable Woman. husband Killed last Spring, by falling from a House. he was a Carpenter and Small Contractor. has 3 Children. eldest about 9, she is trying to get her Children temporarily into some families. I intend to recommend to get some of them in one of the Protestant Homes. She has had 600 lbs. of Coal & asks for more. recomd. [recommend] for some fuel

250. Mary Carney: 43 Avenue Lane. Irish. R.C. husband day labourer, just recovered from fever, (Typhoid). one of the Children Sick. Seem respectable. recommend fuel

251. Maria Broomer: 13 Osgood [Osgoode] Lane. Husband Tin Smith laid up with broken shoulder. also lost a child, so been unable to do much. Boy aged 12, other children girls 10, 8, 4 years. had assistance last year, neat & clean, C of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal & Bread

252. Jane Wilson: 31 Centre St. husband in Central Prison. 2 Children. Boy 3, babe 4 months. goes out washing [etc.] never had assistance before. Ch of E. [Church of England] neat clean & respectable. wants Groceries Coal & Bread

253. Janet Jones: 66 Centre St. aged 80. lives with married daughter who appears hard working & decent. people apparently respectable. will leave Board to Judge

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254. John Andrews: rear 39 Centre St. Baker. has been out getting occasional work. found Wife in Bed. another man boarding there. the need of fuel is great. the man was out to work. Recommend Coal

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255. Cathn. Henry: rear 21 Centre. husband been away for a year, has not heard from him since. 6 Children aged 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2. had assistance before. woman away working. recommend Coal & Bread.
256. Mary Ann Patterson: ^2 Hagerman St.^ Widow. 1 Boy 11 years at School. Washerwoman. had assistance last year. clean industrious Woman. recommend Coal
257. Louisa Young: rear 36 Centre St. Widow. R.C. aged 47. hardworking. respectable. recommend Coal
258. Bridget Robinson: rear 34 Centre St. Widow. without Children. R.C., recommend Coal. is steady, & needy
259. Cathn. Madigan: ^13 Ontario St.^ not at Home, when Visitor called
260. Mary Ann Hughes: ^65 Ontario St.^ not at Home, when Visitor called
261. Cathn. Brennan: 65 Ontario St. not at Home
262. Annie Bailey: 41 Regent St. English. C of E. [Church of England] 1 Boy 9 years old. respectable woman earns her living as Charwoman. recommend. Bread & Coal
263. Cathn. Thompson: 238 Sydnham [Sydenham] St., no such Number
264. Cathn. Armstrong: 36 St. Davids St. Widow. Irish. Methodist. 5 Children. 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 10. Girls 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. Charwoman. the eldest Boy suffering from bad Eyes. recommend Bread & Coal

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265. Rachael Boyd: 125 Sydnham [Sydenham] St. Widow. aged 44. Irish. ~~Methodist~~ ^Ch of E. [Church of England]^ 6 Children. Boys 1 [age] 17. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. Girls 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 4. ~~1 [age] 1~~ the 2 Eldest Boys earn between them [dollars] 6.50. the woman hurt her foot, two years ago & is still very lame, her foot is very sore. recommend Bread say 6 lbs.
266. Eliza Pellett: 10 Sydnham [Sydenham] Lane. has left the neighbourhood
267. Emily Cheekley: 24 Ramseys Lane. English. her Husband is in a situation as Porter, earning not less than [dollars] 9.00 per Week
268. Mary Lawler: 76 corner of Reid & Ramsays Lane. Children married & Settled in Toronto. do not in my opinion require help. if the Committee decide to give anything, give them no firing as they were taking in 1/2 cord of Wood
269. Mary Spears: 19 Regent St. not known

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270. ~~Mary~~ Joseph Elliotson: rear 95 Ontario St. could not find

271. Annie Harrison: 38 St. Davids St. aged 37. Irish. husband 34. English. master Painter. one Boy 3. says She has been sick and it took much of their earnings to pay the Doctor. the Committee must decide this themselves. House untidy. she says it was owing to being Washing day

272. Annie Tremain: in rear 9 Wilton Avenue. Married. age 35. Husband 35. has had Typhoid fever, afterwards Erysipelas set in. English. Labourer. 9 years in the Country. Wife Canadian. have 5 Children all young ([dollars] 6.00 per month Rent) Ch of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal Bread & Soup

273. Christiana Thomas: 20{illegible} Victoria St. husband dea{d} 18 years since. aged 55. Scotland. Presb'tn. one Son 33 years sent to the Asylum. one daughter, 23 years, at Service. helps her a little. 40 years in Canada. recomd. [recommend] Soft Coal

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274. Kate Barnes: 119 Victoria St. Widow. aged 44. 4 Children. one daughter learning a Trade. She goes out to work but is delicate. R.C. lives in the House with her Sister who does not charge Rent. recommend Hard Coal & Bread

275. Elizth. Clone: 67 Victoria Lane. Husband left her, he was a drunken fellow. Children all young. 37 years of age. Episcopal Church. pays [dollars] 3.50 per month for a miserable hovel. goes out to work. assisted by the House in former years. recommend usual relief

276. Isaac Newton Carey: 65 Ann St. aged 17 years. is a Son of Mrs. Carey who was assisted for years past & died on Xmas day. (Coloured) a Baptist. left with 3 other Children. he is learning the Painting Business in the Grip Office, and a well behaved young man. there is an old aunt living with them, idiotic, and I think they require some fuel, as they have asked the neighbours to Cook their dinner for them. from all the information I could gain I think it would be well to send him 1/2 ton of Coal at once for the Season.

277. Ann McCarthy & Ann Ginn: 61 Victoria St. mother & daughter. I will let the Committee know what information I am in possession of, about them. He is a pensioner, having 9 d [pence] per day Stirling and a Hod Carrier but he and his Wife are always quarreling & Drinking. I have sent him to Jail, several times, the Wife laying an information against him, and the one is as bad as the other. Ann Ginn is the daughter with a young Baby who married a loafer, and the Landlord wants to get rid of them. I have no recommendation

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278. Lydia Bartholomew: worthy woman, she has been reported on for three years back, and has not changed for the better. her Husband is not able to work. please tell him to call to see the Board tomorrow

279. George Taylor & Wife: 17 West St. Ch of E. [Church of England] English. delicate, not doing anything. 6 years in Toronto. one Girl 4 years old. rooms furniture & Habits pretty fair. recomd. [recommend] Groceries, Bread & Coal

280. Mary Maroney: 59 Boulton St. Irish. R.C. age 80. no Children. in very poor health. she needs Bread {but} not coal. no stove. recommend Bread & (Groceries once anyway)

281. Alice McKenna: 32 Boulton St. Widow. aged 47. Irish. (R.C.) only one Boy at Home aged 14 years. works when she can. Bread & Coal

282. Mary Pierpoint: 32 Boulton St. Canadian. C of E. [Church of England] aged 26. Husband Labourer out of Employ, but gone to Owen Sound to look for work. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 3. does not know the moment she will be confined. recommend Coal & Bread

283. David Keller: 132 York St., English, C of E. [Church of England] aged 70 years. his wife is in the Country. No Children. Not in when I called, but came to my House after, says he has a Stove in his room, but I do not know the truth of that, as the rooms, where a squalid set of men were round a small metal stove, the appearance of a very poor Lodging House. have no doubt he requires both Coal & Bread

284. Wm. King: 132 York St. was not in that lodging but the people of the House said they would send him to see me but he never came.

285. Mary ~~Harmon~~ ^Hannon^: ^Widow^ rear 102 Muter St. House was empty. saw a neighbour, who said she had 4 Children and cannot support them.

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286. James Ryan: R.C. 44 William St. an old man. has no work. recommend Bread & Coal

287. Thomas Fisher: 2 Renfrew Lane. also an old man. sickley. cannot work. recom. [recommend] Bread & Coal

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288. Alice Dean: 26 William St. not Home

289. Jane Hamilton: rear 208 Queen St. W. was not home

290. Wm. Baldwin: 444 {blank}. does not live at this House

291. Cathn. Duggan: 401 Queen St. E. not in when I called. saw Mrs. Cavanagh who lives with her. Widow. 2 Children. out washing. House untidy. Mrs. C. had a Supply of Coal which will last them both for sometime. no need for more at present and they should if they can get work do well. House rented between them. [in margin] ^rejected 20th Jany. 82^

292. Ellen Cullerton: 119 Sumach St. Widow. lives with her daughter whose Husband is at work. House clean & comfortable. another daughter with her from whom I gathered that Mrs. C. drinks & has forced her Son to break up House. she has no need of any thing, her daughter said, if she would behave herself

293. Rebecca Heffer: 128 Sumach St. at present living with her Son & Wife, who seems respectable people. Mrs. H. says her Sons are in the Ice business & refuse to support her. She seems in good Care and well dressed. think there is something in the shape of Humbug on her part, or some reason why Sons do not help her. If she tells the truth in the matter. was not struck with the truth of the story. will enquire further

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294. Ann Rayner: 6 Darlings Avenue. very respectable woman, not of the class that likes to ask for relief. her Husband away from her for over a year and during that time has only sent her [dollars] 4. 5 Children. her eldest Boy 14 years, is a great invalid. unable to do anything. the others one a girl aged 10 years & 3 Boys. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 3. She works 3 days a week. very delicate Woman. very distressing case. recommend Coal Bread & Groceries

294 1/2. Rose Quigley: 238 King St East. aged 60 years. Edward, Son 13 years, going to School. Irish. R.C. recommend Coal & Bread for short time

295. Rochel Bushman: French, Canadian. R.C. aged 28 years. Wife & 2 Children in the Lower Province. not working. Sick. recommend Bread & Soup

296. Bridget Heagan: removed to 253 Wilton Avenue. aged 65. recommend Coal & Bread for a short time

297. Matilda Gray: 27 Christopher St. aged 55. Man about 80 years. work 3 days in the week. not able to work more. are respectable people. House in good condition. recommend Coal & Bread

298. Mrs. {blank} McBeth: Albert & James St. send her small nut coal. too old to attend herself

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299. Mary Andrews: aged 81. English. Baptist Church. has been living with a Niece, who is now with 3 of her Children in General Hospital laid up with Typhoid fever. Mrs. Shortes [Shortiss?] applied 13th Jany. for admission of the old Woman as there is no one to take care of her now. Committee referred her to the Doctor to examine whether she is a proper person for the House. Dr. reports that he visited Mrs. Andrews, 385 Bathurst St., who is very old & infirm, but as far as he can see respectable old Lady and a fit case for admission. Admitted Jany. 18th. 1882

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300. Bella McDonough: R.C. Canadian. married to Philip Mc.D. recomd. [recommend] Bread & Coal

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301. Louisa Ward: 5 Henderson Avenue. Wife & child are in need of help. without work for 2 Months. the man is in consumption

302. John Laihay: 217 Niagara St. R.C. Ireland. Labourer. 3 years in Toronto. 8 Girls. ages of 4 of them 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 13. the others are working for themselves. they require Coal & Bread

303. Mary Ann Miller: 18 Garrison. R.C. Canadian. Labourer. born in Toronto. One Boy 10 years old. 2 Girls 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 10 months. very poor furniture. require Coal & Bread. Both Sober & industrious. work when they can.

304. M.A. [Mary A.] Harman: 18 Garrison St. C of E. [Church of England] English. Charwoman. 10 years in Toronto. from Newfoundland. 2 Boys, one earning [dollars] 2 per week, 4 Girls 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 3 [13?]. Furniture in wretched State, Coal & Bread

305. Wm. King: 132 York St. Married. Born in West Indies (Colored). in Canada a long time. Sails in the Steamers in the summer, peddles in the Winter. has no Stove yet. recomd. [recommend] Bread

306. Mary Dyer: 44 Melinda St. Irish but born in Scotland. R.C. Nine Daughters. 1 [age] 19. 1 [age] 17. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 6. 2 Eldest in Service. she has hard struggling. Recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

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307. Jane Thomas: Canadian. 63 Boulton St. C of E. [Church of England] aged 36. in poor health. 4 Children. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 2. Boy 9 years. Husband aged 54, out of Employment, works in Scales Factory. recommend Coal & Bread

308. Jane O'Connor: London House. Irish. R.C. aged 50 years. Husband not able to work. got his hand injured. she works when she can get it. look very needy. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread.

309. Jane Hodges: 8 Drummond Place. Ch of E. [Church of England] English. only eight weeks out. Husband Blacksmith, can not get work in the City. gone to the Country to look for work. 5 Children. Girls 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 3 1/2. Baby 16 months. Boy 9 years. recommend Bread & Coal.

310. John Hall: recommended by Honbl. [Honourable] G.W. Allen to have one load of Coal for the Winter

311. Mary Ann Carney: 43 Avenue Lane. called twice but failed to find her in. old case. Mr. Duckett has all facts

312. Mary Ann Cliff: 60 Louisa St. Widow. had assistance last year. aged 65. has daughter with her & one child also a Widow. recommend Coal.

313. Elizth. Bullard: 7 William St. Husband Sick

314. Elizth. Urquhart: 80 William St. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 6. Husband no work. very industrious Woman. She has been Sick for a long time, Hard Coal & Bread

315. Mary Stubbins: rear 19 William St. 2 Children. 1 Boy 12. Girl {illegible}. husband away. the House has a bad name. Coal & Bread for a while

316. Mrs. ^Alice^ Dean: 26 William St. 5 Children. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 7. 3 Girls 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 5

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317. Eliza Brown: rear 26 William. 3 Children. one Boy 10. 2 Girls. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 14. husband no work. the children should work.

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318. Emma Payne: 57 Chestnut St. Presbytn. Husband out of work. Boys 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 11. Girls 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2. Seems very poor and needs Coal & Bread
319. Martha Fluker: Basement 123 Agnes St. Husband in Bed. Mends tin Ware. 2 Boys earning something. not very badly off, but might have Coal once
320. Mrs. {blank} Young: rear 34 Centre St., already reported on & helped [Case 257, Louisa Young]
321. Mary Lovell: rear 78 Elizabeth St. Single woman. washes. cannot need much help.
322. Annie Crosby: in rear 363 King St East. 43 years old. Husband 44 years. Sick not able to work. 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 6. Girls 1 [age] 6. 1 Baby 2 years. Income [dollars] 1.50 per week. 3 going to School. Ireland. in Toronto 28 years. R.C. recommend Coal & Bread
323. Edd. [Edward] H. Fox: aged 45 years. Sarah Jane 30 years. 5 Children. 2 Boys & 3 Girls. Boys 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 10. Girls 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2 years. England. in Toronto 6 months. the whole family have been Sick with Scarlet fever. R.C. recommend Coal & Bread
324. Mary Harrison, 104 Mill St. aged 42. Girl aged 14 years earns [dollars] 3 per month. 1 Boy going to School. Her husband left her 3 months since, went to the States, gives her no assistance. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] in Toronto 8 years. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread
325. Johanna Murphey: 71 Parliament St. 81 years old. Bridget her daughter 50 years. on account of her Mothers Sickness which has been 18 months she cannot go to work. R.C. Natives of Ireland. in Toronto 20 years. Coal & Bread, & sick allowance

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326. Joseph Elliotson: rear 95 Ontario St. aged 28 years. Butcher. English. C of E. [Church of England] 4 Children. Boys, 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 6. Girls, 1 [age] 4, Baby. been out of Employment until this week. Wife Sick not allowed to leave the House. need Bread & Coal also Sick allowance, 8 lbs. Bread for 1 Month, Coal once, temporary Groceries, (cannot send for them)
327. Louisa Cooper: aged 40 years, 16 Lombard St. deserted Charwoman. Scotch. Presbytn. 1 Boy 4, 1 Girl 8 years. recommend Coal
328. Mary Dunlop: rear 16 Lombard St. aged 35. Widow. Irish. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. Girl 1 [age] 16, in Bed very Sick with Erysipelas. need Coal & Bread, with Sick Allowance
329. John Allen: 98 Jarvis St. cannot recommend.
330. Mary Lawlor: in cottage, corner of Reid & Rumsey. cannot recommend them, as I believe they do not require it

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331. Thos. Kennedy: 15 Britain St. aged 54. laid up, bad leg. Wife, Mary 43. Patrick, earns [dollars] 2 a week aged 14. Martin Sells papers [dollar] 1 per Week, aged 11 years. Thomas sells papers, earns [dollars] 1 per Week, aged 10 years. Kate, 4 Girls, 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 3. Irish. R.C. (Coal & Bread)

332. James Church: ^{R.C.} in rear 91 Jarvis. aged 50. Wife 51. Irish. Protestant. recommend Coal & Bread

333. Susan Welsh: rear 96 Duchess St. aged 70. Ch of E. [Church of England] Irish. recommend Coal & Bread

334. Ann Elizth. Taylor: 43 Esther St. Widow. husband died in Novr. last of Typhoid fever. 4 Children. 2 Boys & 2 Girls. eldest 14 years. no support but her own earnings. has received Aid from St. Georges Society. seems a decent Woman. recommend Bread & Coal

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335. Cathn. Abbott: 7 Hackney St. married. husband got Sun Stroke, and lately hurt the cap of his Knee. 2 Children. 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 5. She seems a decent woman. Says she has sold nearly all her furniture. recommend Soft Coal & Bread, groceries given

336. Ellen McCrimmin: 21 Hackney St. Widow with 2 Children. Boy 11 years, Girl 8 years. Is decent & well spoken of outside. wants coal. she lives upstairs.

337. Catharine White: 21 Hackney St. got help last winter. is married. has 3 Children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 12. husband a Laborer. only one months work since the fall & he says he cannot get work. I suspect there is something wrong here. he is an able bodied man & does not work & I fear, drink is in question. when she appears before the Committee She ought to be closely questioned.

338. Mary Ann Marlborough: 47 Hackney St. Married. 6 Children. ages 2 to 18 years. Eldest a Boy, Labourer, Saws wood [etc.] he says neither he nor the Boy can get sufficient work to procure food & fuel. they require soft [soft] Coal & Bread. Boys. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. Girl 2 years

339. Mary McKenzie: 36 Eleanor St., off Esther St. Found this woman in Bed very Sick (heavy cold or fever). has 4 Children, out of 16. the rest are dead. Two died last summer. had Typhoid fever in her House this past season. 2 of her Children were ill of it but recovered. goes out to wash & Iron. showed me 3 excellent written Characters from parties she worked for. Her Husband is in the penitentiary, a great Drunkard & got into trouble. She wants Soft Coal & Bread, (groceries given)



340. Mary Ann Little: 4 Buchanan St. (in Case 249). recommended by Revd. Dr. Potts for another supply of coal (Hard Coal sent)

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341. George Pollard: rear 8 Stafford St. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Wife & 6 Children. 4 Boys & 3 [2?] Girls. out of work. very worthy people. deserving assistance

342. Mrs. {blank} Wilson: 35 Ontario St. Husband lef [left] Her. 6 Children, the oldest Boy only receiving [dollars] 1.50 per Week. sober, honest & industrious. recommended Coal

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343. H- ^Wm.^ Baldwin: 444 King St East. was not visited by me as the no. [number] was wrong. the report this year the same as last. should recommend his having a Supply of Coal as they have none but think fuel had better go at once

344. Jane Ashton: 13 Phoebe [Phoebe] St. J.D. Cayley recommends hard (nut coal). has been sick unable to leave the House to come for it (see letter)

345. Maria Burchett: 145 Elizabeth St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband recovered from attack of Typhoid. Sickly herself. they need Coal & Bread

346. Margt. Allsop: 75 Edward St. Husband out of work. Methodist. Girls. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 3. Boys. 1 infant. needs Coal & Bread

347. Jane Smith: 8 Elizabeth St. upstairs. Husband has been absent some time. 5 Children. Girls. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 12. Boys. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 9. seems in a wretched condition. her Mother Jane Waggoner lives with her but both have applied for help. the mother should get some Bread, but the Daughter needs both Coal & Bread.

348. Mrs. {blank} Lamont: last House in Row rear 17 Terauley St. a feeble old Scotch woman. boards a man & his two Sons, but needs help in the shape of Coal once. as she cannot leave the House coal should be sent

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349. Lucy Brown: 202 Chestnut St. English. Husband living. two young Children at Home, one Sick. man laid up ten weeks with broken toe, able to work a little now. by Trade a Coloar [collar, i.e. horse harness] Maker. cuts Wood. people seem respectable & quiet, recommend for Coal

350. Annie O'Brien: 203 Chestnut St. Husband away in England. went in the Fall with cattle, has not ret'd. [returned]. woman will be confined soon & cannot work. 2 Young Children. respectable. Coal & Bread

351. Annie Johnson: rear 94 Duchess St. James Johnson not working. English. C of E. [Church of England] aged 28 & 39 years. 3 Children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 19 months. recommend Soft Coal, Bread & Soup

352. Jane Rowse: rear 94 Duchess St. aged 30. Husband Joseph age 34. 5 Children. Boys. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 10. Girls. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 2. Man works at Roofing. recommend Coal, Bread & Soup

353. Margt. Leech: rear 74 Lombard St. aged 56. Widow. Irish. R.C. 1 Boy 12 years, earns [dollars] 2.00. Cigar Maker. recommend Bread & Coal. an old Case

354. Mary Sullivan: rear 74 Lombard St. aged 50. R.C. Irish. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 7. Girl 15, sickly. House tidy. needs Bread & Coal

355. Cathn. Kehoe: rear 16 Lombard St. aged 54. James ~~Labourer~~ ^Tanner^ aged 6., cannot get work. not a healthy man. recommend Bread & Coal, Ch of E. [Church of England]

356. Mary Murphy: 68 Lombard St. aged 40. Widow. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] Charwoman. recommend, Coal & Bread.

357. Catharine Thompson: 238 Sydenham Lane. aged 66. Nova Scotia. daughter Married & deserted the old Lady. she looks after Her children, one daughter at service, earns [dollars] 7.00 per Month, pays the rent. the old Lady earns a little by serving. (1 [age] 2 Girl), Boy 1 [age] 5. recommend Bread & Coal

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358. Eliza Pellett: 238 Sydenham Lane. aged 32. English. Episcopalian. 4 Children. Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 3. Girl 1 [age] 10. not at Home, out working. Husband left her, in England. recommend Coal & Bread

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359. James McIntyre: 43 Parliament St. no such person & no such no. [number]

360. Bridget Newman: rear 21 William St. 4 Children. 1 Boy 6 years. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 11. Husband ^Sick^ no Work. she is a very Hard Working Woman, only requires Bread

361. Rose Morgan: 46 William St. an old Woman. Cannot Work. very poor. she has a Grand child, Girl 4 years. she has also a Son, but he does not do much for her, being Sick. I strongly recommend Wood, as she cannot use Coal although it is against the custom of the House. she does not ask for Bread

362. Mary McEvoy: 144 Bleeker St. R.C. 3 Children. 1 Boy 4 years, & twins 2 years old. her Husband left her 2 years. Washerwoman. (Coal & Bread,) no firing in the House, she gets nothing from the R.C. Church

363. Elizth. Kelly: ^rear^ 65 Queen St. W. could not be found

364. Alice Turner: London House. her door was locked. it was supposed she was away working somewhere

365. ~~F. Rush~~ Alice Twist: R.C. Ireland. Charwoman .30 years in Toronto. one Boy 15. 2 Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 12. Room, & furniture poor. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread

366. John Robinson: & Wife. 64 Garrison St. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Stone Cutter. 4 Months in Toronto. 3 Boys. 1 [age] 2 Mos. 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 3 years. rooms & furniture good. Industrious & works when he can. recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread & Soup

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367. Mary Thompson: 65 Little Richmond St. not found

368. Mary Ryan: 4 Bond St. Widow. 35 years old. R.C. 2 children, but not living with her, friends have taken them. in this Country 25 years. goes out Washing. recommend Coal once & Bread

369. Frances Grange: 3 Goulding St. Married. 4 Children ages 3 to 10 years. Protestant. English. husband is ill with Consumption. Dr. says he will not recover, but may live some Months. she tries to get work but cant do much. she is unfit for heavy work. they have no earnings coming in & seem to be in great want. recomd. [recommend] Hard Coal & Bread. this is a case we should relieve

370. Hannah Boyd: 14 Hickory St. has removed

371. Sarah Culley [Skully]: ~~36~~ 38 Kerrs Lane. Married. Husband, Shoe Maker. Protestant. 5 Children, from 2 to 8 years. he has not been earning for some time, but expects work next week. she hopes not to require aid further than a grant of Hard Coal. she cannot come before the committee as she is unwell & Expects to be confined almost any time. recommend Coal to be sent. ^Tea & sugar on being confined^

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372. John Sloane: 140 Upper Vanauley St. he & Wife alone. Irish. Protestants. he earns 25 [cents] for attending to a furnace of Judge McKenzie. it is all they earn, save what they get from daughter in Service. recommend Coal,

373. Chs. Richmond: 26 Clyde St. Wife & 6 Children. C of E. [Church of England] Irish. this is a distressing case. he came to this Country in March last, got work on G.T.R. [Grand Trunk Railroad] broke his leg a few days after, & ever since in the Hospital. ages of Children 4 to 15 years. the 2 eldest Boys earn a little, which is their present support. very decent Family, & deserving. Soft Coal & Bread

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374. James Everard: 23 Clyde St. English, Ch of E. [Church of England] Married. has 3 Children (2 to 5 years). a Pilot, can get no work. seem decent people. Hard Coal, to be sent.

375. John Bell: 86 Nassau St. Widower. Wife died last year. 4 Children ages (3 to 18). he is an old man, cant earn, as he is a cripple, suffering 3 years, Rhumatism. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] Neighbours report him a very decent man. the eldest a Boy earns [dollars] 4.00 per Week. Hard Coal, promised to be sent

376. Mrs. Mary Montgomery: 143 Hope St. Widow. has Six children (ages 4 to 16 years). The 2 Eldest earn conjointly [dollars] 3.25 per Week. Washerwoman. Cant Burn Coal. Bread & Groceries,

377. Rachael Smith: 88 Lippincott St. Married. Husband takes care of Methodist Church in Avenue, for which he gets [dollars] 3.00 per Week. Have 5 Children, (ages 2 to 10 years). Soft Coal & Bread

378. Michael B. Hodgson: 37 Brunswick Avenue. Ch of E. [Church of England] 4 Children (ages from 11 to 15). eldest Girl earns 25 [cents] per week. Englishman. Gardner [gardener] by Trade. cannot get work. seem decent. Bread & Groceries

379. Sarah Whittard: ^up Stairs^ 276 Borden St. Englishman. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband in England & also 2 Married Children. supports herself by going out to sew. Hard Coal & Bread,

380. Mary Jane Archer: 110 Borden St. Married. both old people & have the care of a little Girl, who is deformed, adopted at the death of the Mother. C of E. [Church of England] Bricklayer, not able to work. entirely dependant on Charity. recomd. [recommend] Soft Coal & Bread & ^are^ what they want most

381. Mrs. ^Keziah^ Reddy: 155 Hope St. Married. Husband & 3 Children. has no Work, and cant get any. Ch of E. [Church of England] she is now confined to Bed, suffering from Hemorrhage. Hard Coal, Bread & Groceries. ^husband at work every day. so a neighbour Mrs. Venville says^

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382. Henry Belt: rear 95 Elizabeth St. Coloured Man. Boards with White Widow and should be able to make out. a loaf of Bread only should be given

383. Mrs. {blank} Berry: rear 95 Elizabeth St. Widow. 3 small {blank}. ~~Widow~~ Boards a Coloured Man, Henry Belt, which is a very questionable means of support. She must be poor however, she has 3 older children absent or at service. at the present time she is confined to her Bed. she asks for Coal & Bread

384. Martha Buckley: 25 Elizabeth St. upstairs. Widow, with one Girl 10 years old. at present confined to Bed. Should get Coal, Bread & Groceries at once

385. Emily Broomhead: 25 Elizabeth St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Husband out of work except occasionally. 5 Children. Girls 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2. Boys 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 11. Boys earn [dollars] 3.00 per week. She needs additional help. Coal

386. Jane Smith: 8 Elizabeth St. reported last week

387. Maria Ford: 76 Albert St. Husband left her. 4 Children. Boys. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 13. Girls. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 11. Needs Coal & Bread

388. Ann Stanley: 10 Haggaman [Hagerman] St. Methodist. 3 Children. Girls. needs Coal only

389. Jane Gibson: 4 Haggaman [Hagerman] St. Widow with Grand Child. earns by Washing. she might get Bread only

390. Agnes Burns: last House on Haggaman [Hagerman] St. absent at Work. 2 Small Children. Keeps a filthy place. her Husband if any does not live with her (a hard case)

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391. Mary Ann Jeffery: 17 Osgood [Osgoode] Lane. Self & Husband. hard case. no furniture. very poor. might get Bread but present have no stove, (R.C.)

392. George Gervins: 57 Chestnut St. R.C. far gone in consumption. 4 Children. Infant Girl. Boys. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 9. Should get Bread Coal & Groceries

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393. Mary Carney: 61 Centre St. R.C. Widow. 1 Child. Boards with a poor family. needs Bread, but Coal would assist the family she Boards with
394. Alice Turner: London House. Irish. R.C. aged 60 years. works when she can. 1 Girl 17 years who also works. Coal & Bread
395. Julia Sheridan: London House. Irish. born on the St. Lawrence. aged 55. R.C. Husband French Canadian. R.C. aged 58. need Coal & Bread
396. Thomas Sheppard: 232 Bathurst St. in Room upstairs. English. C of E. [Church of England] aged 50 years, each. Gilder. can't get work. The ~~Hus~~ ^Wife^ not able to work for Rhumatism. very decent people, & before apply, sold nearly all their effects. Soft Coal & Bread
397. Annie Mills: 141 Upper Vanauley St. Married. Husband a Plasterer. from Coburgh [Cobourg]. no work since Xmas. 4 Children from (1 to 4) youngest Twins. temporary aid, recomd. [recommend] Coal & Bread
398. Mary Jackson: 104 Herbert St. she is Sick. I recommend, Bread Coal & Groceries
399. Jane O'Neill: 96 Claremont. recommend Coal & Bread
400. Mary Gilbert: 96 Claremont St. recommend for Coal

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401. Walter Smith: 37 Henderson Avenue. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 20. 1 [age] 16. 1 [age] 10 years old. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] rooms decent. habits orderly. she is sick with Bronchitis. recommend Bread & Coal,
402. Robt. Woolley: 78 Conway St. Married. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] 4 Months in Toronto. 2 Boys. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 3/4. & 1 Girl 15. no wages. Rooms decent. habits orderly. no other help. recommend for Bread
403. Thos. Kirby: 690 Queen St. W. recommend for Bread. old Case
404. Mary Anderson: 120 Claremont St. very much in need of Coal.
405. Mary Ann Price: ^up Stairs^ 68 Sherbourne St. represents that she has been refused assistance by the Board. if her statement be true she is in great need of especially Firing. please have the matter looked into. she says her Husband is sick. 3 Children. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. at Home to feed
406. Mrs. Alice Jackson: 104 ~~Strachan~~ ^Herbert^ St. very ill & likely to be for some time. living with her Father, an old pensioner. recommend Coal

407. Grace Jolly: 29 Strachan St. Widow. 3 Children. very badly off ^&^ very respectable people

408. Mary Huntley: & Husband. recommend for Wood from H. {O.} Baldwin & to come before the Board

409. Mary Woods: 5 Browns Lane. English. (C [Church] of Rome) Married. one Child. Husband painter. began the summer in debt. not able to save for this Winter. recommend coal once

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410. Hannah Rowatt: 42 Little Richmond St. Scotch, Presb. Husband went to States 9 months since, & left her to depend on her own resources. 3 Children, Girls 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 12. 1 Boy 16, earns very little, at Trunk Factory. Recommend Coal & Bread. The Committee refuses, an improper person.

411. Samuel Buckland: 33 Little Richmond St. English, Method., married, 2 Children, Girls, 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 8. Not in good health, only able to do light work, which she cannot always get.

412. Mary Cavanagh: 21 Water St. to get Sick relief, as her Brother John O'Donohu is very bad & cannot live many days & has nothing in the House in the way of Eatables, cannot work as her whole time is in attending to him. not able to be removed to Hospital.

413. Mary Ann McConnell: 238 1/2 King St. east. 34 years old. Archibald, her Husband, is in good health, aged 30 years. Son James at work earns [dollars] 2 per week, aged 16 years. James aged 14 years earns [dollars] 1.50. Mary Ann, daughter, at school. Presbyt. Church. Recommend Coal once.

414. Mary Hall: rear 59 Duchess St. Widow 75 years old, Irish, C of E. [Church of England] Recommend Coal & Bread.

415. Mary Bays: 4 Watkins Lane, 33 years, Ch of E. [England] Husband not heard of for 18 months, 2 Children. 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 1 1/2. Recommend Coal, Bread & Soup.

416. Mrs. {blank} Wills: 90 Denison Avenue. One Girl aged 9 years. Recommend for fuel, Soft Coal.

417. Robt. Brown: ^858 Queen St. West^. (Colored old Man). Recommend by the Mayor, to be visited.

418. Julia Morgan: ^15 Soho St.^ (Ch of E. [England]), no family, left by her Husband. Recommend fuel & Bread.

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419. Margt. Manill: rear 21 William St. 2 Children, Boy 9 mo. & Girl 4 years. Husband out of work, recommend Bread for a while.

420. Elizth. Ross: 7 Adelaide St. With 2 Children, a young Woman, can usually get along but has lost one of her best customers. wants fuel & Bread to tide over the present. Seems all right, but should join the fuel Club, & promised to do so. recommended Coal & Bread.

421. Mary Wilson: rear 99 Richmond St. E. Irish. R.C. aged 75. Widow, a regular applicant. Coal & Bread.

422. Sarah Lockhart: rear 30 Lombard St. don't live there.

423. Eliza Wailey: 19 St. David's St. aged 39. Husband, Painter, aged 45. C of E. [Church of England] 6 Children. Girls 1 [age] 17, 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 3. Boys 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 5. Eldest Girl at Service. he had his Ribs broken, had no help for 6 years. Bread & Stove Coal.

424. Elizth. Cailey: rear 72 Parliament St. aged 74. Husband 66, English, Ch of E. [England] Labourer. Boys 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 7. He had Sun Stroke, (1st time), deserving of help. Bread & Stove Coal.

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425. Cathn. Kerr: 61 McGee St. There are only two of them. The Husband is a cripple in a very low condition. Recommend Coal & Bread. 426. Mary Thompson: 65 Little Adelaide St. Presbytn. Scotland, does nothing, 7 years in Toronto. 2 Boys, 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 6 months, 1 Girl 11 years. Rooms tidy. Habits good. Recommend Coal & Bread.

427. Mary Heffron: Watkins Lane, R.C. 55 years. Irish. Joseph aged 9 & Jessie 6. Recommend Coal & Bread.

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428. Jane Wallice: rear 90 Duchess St., English, C of E. [Church of England] aged 32, George, Husband, 33 & 3 children 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 2 1/2. Recommend Coal & Bread.

429. Agnes Roberts: upstairs 68 Sherbourne St. aged 40, R.C. Irish, health poor, recommend coal & Bread.

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430. Mary Ann Price: up Stairs, 68 Sherbourne St. English, Ch of E. [England] aged 44. Husband 45 years, 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] {illegible}. Girl 6. Recommend Coal & Bread.

431. Jane Drummond: 114 Sherbourne St. aged 50 years. Protestant. recommend Bread only.

432. Ann Wilson: rear 121 Queen St. East. Irish. R.C. aged 40 years, 2 Children, Girls 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 3. Recommend Coal & Bread.

433. Julia Elliott: & Husband. rear 51 Sumach St. one Child at Home. House dirty, man says he has now got Work & thinks can get along. She thinks she has as much right to get coal as her Neighbours. think they can manage without if work continues.

434. Mrs. Cathn. Duggan: 401 Queen St. East. Widow, lives with Mrs. Cavanagh another Widow. House very dirty, think they drink. coal not quite out, suppose they must have more but like most of the persons helped by the House, think they are undeserving.

435. Alice Turner: London House. Irish. R.C. Widow aged 60 years. one daughter aged 17 years who works. they have the appearance of wanting Bread & Coal.

436. Frances Percy: London House. Widow, aged 40 years. one Boy 15 years of age who has been sick all the Winter. they require both Coal & Bread.

437. Mary Jane Hopper: London House, Ch of E. [England] Canadian aged 30. Husband left her 7 years since. 2 Children 1 [age] 10 Girl, Boy {illegible}. Recommend Coal & Bread.

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438. Mary Huntley: 61 Boulton St. English, Ch of E. [England] Husband & Wife aged 38 both, no Children, only one month in this Country. recommend Coal & Bread.

439. Maria Garvin: 9 Browns Lane. Ch of E. [England] Irish. 5 Children. Boys 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 4. 3 Girls, 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 11 & 2 mos. Mrs. G. not been well since confinement. he has no steady employment and was laid up with injury to his foot, which prevented his working during Summer. recomd. Coal & Bread.

440. Ann Holden: 101 Little Richmond St. Canadian. Widow. 3 Children. Boy 7, Girls 10 & 5, ready to work when they can get it. recommended Coal & Bread.

441. Mary Owston: 158 Little Richmond St. English. married. Methodist. Husband laid up twice in the summer by Erysipelas & had no regular work since Nov. Six children. 5 Boys 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 4. one Girl aged 14 years. Boys have secured work by which they will earn good wages soon. Recommend temporary relief, Coal once & Bread.

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442. Mary Edmunds: 158 Front St. badly in need of assistance, no fuel or food in the House. no Clothing for herself or Child. do what you can for her quickly.

443. Ruth E. Bloor: rear 52 Alice St. Husband & 4 Children, eldest 10 years. he has injured both his legs. not able to do much work. the Woman also sick, seems respectable. recommend Coal & Bread.

444. Mrs. {blank} Kane: No. 40 Tecumseh St. 4 Children. respectable, hard working woman, abandoned by her Husband. a Baby in arms & no means for their support. Recommend Coal & Bread.

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445. Mary Lacy: Harrison St. Husband, Son & daughter over 15 years old. the man is in work whenever he chooses & both drink to excess often. do not think they are fit subjects to be helped, as both Son & daughter are old enough to go out to work.

446. Robert Brown: 858 Queen St. W. a very respectable Colored man (old), has a Wife & has seen better days. a Barber, has had a shop for over a year trying to make a living, very little Custom now, only made 80 [cents] one week. recommend Hard Coal or Wood.

447. Margt. Conroy: 17 St. Nicholas St. Married, Husband injured 7 or 8 years since, and not able to work much. 4 Children at Home. The wife is blind, lost her sight a year ago. The family is very destitute and would recommend temporary help till work begins.

448. Bridget Holland: an Emigrant family arrived out from England. seven Children. Husband out of work at present. a very deserving case for help till the cold weather has passed away.

449. Ann Donnelly: 189 Claremont St. recommend for Coal, Bread & Groceries.

450. Hannah Stanford: 55 Strachan St. recommend Coal & Bread.

451. Joseph Hart: in Case 1138, in 1881. applied to committee for leave to leave the House. says he has friends who will take care of him outside, allowed to leave but not to come back again.

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Present J. Scott, R. Walker & W.J. MacDonell Esqr.

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452. Joseph Griffith: 5 Wilton St. Wife & 4 Children. 3 Boys 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 6 months, lately confined. 1 Girl 5 yrs., English, Ch of E. [England] Has been out of work for 7 Weeks & in need of assistance.

453. Caroline Gilmore: rear 38 Denisons Avenue. Widow. 3 Children (ages 2 to 9). Protestant. Washerwoman & sewing, is decent looking, am persuaded that this is a deserving Case. Recommend Hard Coal & Bread.

454. Winifred Connors: 21 Hackney. Widow. one child. Lives in a part of this House. The place is wretched looking, would give Soft Coal & Bread.

455. Mary Herbert: lives in a House in rear 38 Denison Ave. in same yard as Caroline Gilmore. I reported on this case in Decr., but Committee declined aid. I am still of opinion that she ought to get help, say Coal.

456. Mrs. {blank} McConkey: 39 Edward St. an old woman, Bedridden, has a married daughter who pays her Rent & helps her. also Mrs. S. Edward helps her. I would recommend that whenever she wants groceries another Woman she is living with goes for them, she should get what is reasonable. they burn Wood.

457. Hester Kilpatrick: rear 75 Terauley St. she is in want of temporary help on a/c [account] of illness. I think it would be better for her to go to the Hospital if she is as ill as she says she is. when well, she can earn her own living, as she has no one but herself.

458. Cathn. Maddigan: 13 Ontario St. ~~age 30~~ No at Home.

459. Mary A. Thompson: 65 Ontario St. C of E. [Church of England] Irish. cannot recommend her.

460. Mary McLinchey: rear 78 Lombard St. age 50. R.C. Irish. recommend Coal & Bread (very poor).

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461. Jane Allen: 70 Lombard St. Irish, C of E. [Church of England] old & needs help, Bread & Coal.

462. Mary Moore: rear 82 Lombard St. aged 46. Irish. R.C. deserted, Charwoman. Coal & Bread.

463. Margt. Rogers: 66 Lombard St. Widow aged 68, C of E. [Church of England] Irish, used to live in Boulton St., give Bread (all summer).

464. Jane Clark: 66 Lombard St. when I visited her before, I recommended that relief be with<sup>h</sup>eld, but she showed me her place and would to ask to have her given Coal & about 6 lbs. Bread.
465. John Black: 185 Berkeley St. weak in Intellect, alone, but very poor. recommend Bread & Coal.
466. Francis Forsyth: rear 40 William St. visited already on 5th January 1882.
467. Christiana Thompson: rear 18 Terauley St. works in planing mill, been sick, Typhoid fever. Scotch. Presbytn. not yet a year in the Country, 2 small Children. recommend Coal. respectable.
468. Elizabeth Johnson: 31 Emma St. Married Woman. 2 young children. deserted by her Husband 2 Weeks since & left destitute. seems respectable. recomd. Coal & Bread.
469. Ed. Edwards: 584 King St. W. a very respectable but unfortunate man. recommended by Mr. W.H. Howland for Coal. please send without visiting. Mr. Howland vouches for the necessity of the Case.
470. Mary A. Stockwell: 144 Front St., and find her badly in need of assistance. she is 40 years of age, has 4 Children, oldest a Girl 13 years. Husband a Labourer out of work and cannot get it. Native of Canada. C of E. [Church of England]

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Present Revd. J.M. King, E. Hobson, H.J. MacDonnell, R. Brown, S. Rogers, Esqr.

471. Jane Moffatt: 203 Chestnut St. Mr. Jones reports that she is sick & 6 Children & in great want. recommends 600 Coal more, at once.
472. Mrs. Cathn. McDougall: 24 Albert St. you may let her have 300 Coal (hard). she is old & deserving.
473. Cathn. Thackabery: 47 Britain St. Irish. R.C., aged 45 years. recommend Coal & Bread.
474. Edward Bain: 266 Sackville St. aged 51. Married. Methodist. one child 13 years old. the House cold, but respectable looking. the man says he gathers rags last summer and that he has been sick for quite a while. hard to say what should be done. give Coke or Coal, tell about Soup.
475. Harriet Huff: aged 44. Married. 4 Children. husband unable to work (by medical advice) and in great want of fuel. Recomd. Bread & Fuel.
476. Margt. & Bella Sloan: recommended by Revd. J.D. Cayley to have more Coal (granted).

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477. Eugenie Moriarty: 37 Hope St. I could not see them, was informed they have been only 4 months in the Country. Man a Laborer unable to get work, his Wife is away from him at Work. they have one little girl, living with them. Sober, require fuel, can manage to get food.

478, Emily Venville: 145 Hope St. Husband a painter, 2 little children. came from England 8 weeks ago, had only 4 Weeks work. What they want most is Bread & Groceries. Sober & respectable. Recommend temporary assistance.

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479. Bertha Allen: 292 Parliament St. 2 Children her main support. laid up with Diptheria which leaves her in much present want of fuel. decent, deserving help.

480. Mary Ann McAllister: 287 King St. East. did not find her at Home but from appearance of the Room she occupies and reports of Neighbours in same House, I should judge the Woman is very much in need of prompt assistance, both Bread & Coal.

481. Mary Kay: in rear 135 Jarvis St. English, R.C., aged 66. recommend Coal only.

482. Ann Twohey: rear 93 Jarvis St. aged 73, C of E. [Church of England] Irish. recommend Coal & Bread.

483. Mary Allen: rear 93 Jarvis St. aged 50. Husband, William, Irish, C of E. [Church of England] aged 52. recommend Coal only.

484. Sarah McQuaid: rear 19 Centre St. R.C. Husband in prison for attacking her. seems a dissipated couple. Strong woman should help herself, but needs temporary relief.

485. Lawrence Ward: 69 Agnes St. Widower. 2 Children. 1 Girl 9 & 1 Boy 10. the Boy is confined to Bed with diseased leg & himself prevented from working by sore hand. needs coal once & Bread.

486. Mrs. {blank} Anderson: ^Widow^ 1st House North of Hospital on Sumach St. 600 Hard Coal. recommended by Dr. Potts.

487. Mrs. {blank} Sweet: 135 George St upstairs, 1/2 Ton hard Coal & Bag of flour. Widow aged 45. Canadian, Methodist. 4 Children, 3 Girls & 1 Boy.

488. Mary Haworth: ^rear^ 32 Woolsey St. (in Case 212). recommended ^by^ the Mayor's Wife, Mrs. McMurich, for fuel, was refused assistance by committee, on the last report, see (212).

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Friday 10th Febry. 1882

Present Messrs. E. Hobson Esqr. S. Rogers, R. Brown & G. Goulding

489. James Hamilton: (in case 669) applied for readmission into the House of Industry. he was refused on a/c [account] of former bad behaviour.

490. Mary Brennan: rear 78 Lombard St. called twice. have not seen her.

491. Margt. Ryan: rear 16 Lombard St. aged 50, Husband 46. Irish R.C. 2 children Boy 1 [age] 4, Girl 1 [age] 7, husband sickly under treatment of Hospital. require Coal & Bread.

492. Sarah Lockhart: rear 16 Lombard St. Widow, aged 64. English. C of E. [Church of England] suffers from Rheumatism and unable to work, bears a good Character. wants Coal & Bread.

493. Jane Alton: 82 William St. 2 Children. 1 Boy [age] 2, 1 Girl [age] 4. Husband has no work for the present. recommended Bread & Coal for a few Weeks.

494. Ann Oliver: 19 St. Patrick St. not at home.

495. Emily Phillips: 2nd House from Queen St., Victoria Lane. Widow, aged 45, claims to belong to the Episcopal Church, native of Canada. husband died 13 years ago. has 2 Sons, one aged 23, in Hospital with inflammatory Rheumatism, the other son working at Biscuit factory, aged 13 years at [dollars] 1.50 per week. she is Sickly & takes in Sewing, pays [dollars] 3 month for Rent, everything neat & clean. Recd. [recommend] Coal & Bread.

496. Edith Graham: 93 Argyle St. deserving woman with large family of 7 or 8 Children, under 12 years of age. her husband is out of work. she goes out to work when she can. recommend Bread & Coal.

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497. Sarah Cavan: 31 Dundas St. New comers so I know nothing of them personally. her Husband James, is a labourer, and from London, England in July 1881. 4 Children. 1 Boy [age] 17. 3 Girls. 1 [age] 14, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 9. Husband & Son not in Work. Recommend temporary Assistance.

498. Jane Fraser: 144 Front St. This House appears to be occupied by a hard lot of Citizens, male & female. Mrs. Fraser says she Boards with them but until she gets into other company, would not advise any assistance.

499. Sarah Bryan: 4 Hope St. (in case 1130 in 1881). Revd. Darling's report for further supply of coal.

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500. James Watson: (in Case 787 in 1872), died this day, Febry. 12th, aged 76 years.

Tuesday 14th Febry. 1882

Present Revd. J.D. Cayley & Messrs. G. Goulding, E. Hobson, & E.H. Rutherford Esqr.

501. Wm. Robbins: rear 58 Agnes St. Doctor to visit. (in Case 227).

502. Sarah McAuley: 51 Bulwer St. Widow. Ch of E. [England] 3 Children 1 Girl [age] 13, 1 Girl [age] 8, 1 Boy [age] 8. recommended Bread & Coal.

503. Peter Silvas: 94 Duchess St. Aged 32, Margt. Wife 30. 5 Children. Girls 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 4. Boys 1 [age] 6 & Baby one year old. all Native of Toronto, (R.C.), none at work. Recommend Coal & Bread.

504. James Truller: ^upstairs^ 101 George St. R.C. aged 65 years. Native of lower Canada. recommend Coal once & Bread for a few times.

505. Mary Sculley: 125 George St. Irish. R.C. aged 49 years. health Poor. Recommend Bread & Groceries.

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506. Honora Kirwin: rear 12 Duchess St. aged 58 years. Husband Michael aged 59. 2 Children. Boys 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 10. Irish. R.C. recommend Coal & Bread for short time.

507. Alice Tarbitt: 16 McDonnell Sqr. [Square] Married, Husband labourer, but not able to get work. 9 Children. 2 Boys at Work, one at Trunk Factory & one at planing [planning] mills. Wife is ill at present. Recomd. Coal once.

508. Maria Thompson: 260 Sumach St. no such person can be found at this address.

509. Frank Long: corner Lennox & Bathurst. Ten Children, the Eldest Boy a Cripple, Two pairs of Twins and the youngest only a month old. had no work all winter but has now obtained work with Mr. Beardmore. with such a family the wife cannot do much. Recommend Bread & Groceries for a short time, till he can earn some Money.

510. Mary Brennan: rear 78 Lombard St. aged 55. Canadian. R.C., Spinster. Coal only.

511. Cathn. Prowse: rear 78 Lombard St. aged 60. Canadian. Widow. R.C. Rag Picker. wants Coal & Bread.

512. Maria Goodwin: 45 Lombard St. aged 27, Husband aged 30. English. Ch of England. she Irish. 2 Children. Boy 1 [age] 5, Girl 1 [age] 3. her Husband is working. not long in City. from London Canada W. [West] recommend Coal & Bread.

513. Cath. Roberts: 73 Queen St. E., aged ~~73~~ 48. Widow. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 6. Presby. Ireland, complains of Erysepilas in leg.

514. Elizth. Bradford: 9 Sydnam [Sydenham] Lane. aged 34. Labourer. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] 4 Children. Boy1 [age] 10. Girls 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 4. Very deserving.

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515. Ellen Wright: 16 Power St. Irish. R.C. Charwoman. deserted 12 months since. Husband in U.S. 4 Children. Boys 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 3, 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 9. did not see her but gathered from neighbours the above information.

516. Thomas Kinsella: aged 62. Irish. R.C. 52 years in Canada. from Owen Sound. has sore feet, tried to get into Toronto Hospital, but was refused admission. Came to the Institution for a few days rest until his feet get better. Left Febry. 27.

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Present E. Hobson Esqr.

517. Hannah Helstead: up Stairs 29 Duchess St., ^39 years^ Husband Edward, aged 50. 4 Children. Boys 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 4. Girls 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 12. Husband in Jail for 60 days. poverty is there to all appearance and I think drink is the cause. the wife has burned {foot}. English, C of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal, Bread, & Groceries.

518. Mrs. {blank} Ross: 2nd door North side of Ontario Straw Works in lane off North St. 4 Children, eldest a Girl 6 years old, Baby 6 months. 2 other little ones. Husband has been Sick, out of work. Recomd. Coal, once, & 10 lbs. Bread.

Tuesday 21st Febry. 1882

Present Messrs. G. Goulding & E. Hobson Esqrs. Revd. J.M. Laurent

519. Albert Jones: 61. English. Ch of E. [England] some years in Toronto. seems a respectable man, but lost himself. suffers from Rhumatism, not able to earn his living. applied for admission for 2 Months. admitted.

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520. Elizabeth Jones: 93 Amelia St. aged 33. Widow. C of E. [Church of England] Irish. 3 Children. Boy 1 [age] 4, Girls 1 [age] 8, 1 [age] 7. 4 years in Toronto. recommended Bread, Coal & Groceries.

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521. George Patchett: 135 Hope St. Father & Mother, two grown up Sons, two little children & a daughter laid up with inflammation of the lungs & a Brother of the Woman. The four men are stone cutters and seem anxious to work. only in the country a month from England. they got a little work and earned [dollars] 8.00 but cannot get paid, being strangers, are under disadvantage until they are known. they are without means and ought to have some temporary assistance. they require fuel & food.

522. Elizabeth Goodship: (aged 56) in Basement 113 Jarvis. English, (C of E. [Church of England]) laid up with burned foot. recommend Bread & Coal.

523. Ellen Casey: ^rear^ 91 Jarvis St. Irish. R.C. aged 51. recommend Coal & Bread for a short time.

524. Elizth. Morrow: 24 Conway St. respectable person. recommend Coal only.

525. Mary Alderson: 24 Conway St. respectable person. recommend Coal only.

526. Mary Snedding: 18 Conway St. Deserving person. Recommend Coal only.

527. Jane Knox: 76 Conway St. a very respectable man, with large Family. has had bad accident with circular saw. if these people apply for help I consider they deserve it. Revd. C. Darling.

528. Mrs. Margt. Burns: 204 Little Richmond St. whose Son is dying in Consumption, is in need of some nourishment. recommended by F. Rush (visitor).

529. Johanna Coughlan: rear 16 Lombard St. called twice but not at Home. if relieved give Bread only.

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530. Margt. Dwyer: rear 75 Lombard St. Widow aged 73 years. Irish. R.C. wants coal & bread.

531. Wm. Robbins: 54 Agnes St. (in Case 501) Visited by Dr. Ogden, see his report.

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532. Robt. Brown: 858 Queen St. W. Recommended for Coal by Revd. D.J. Macdonnell, already reported (see case 446). Coal sent at once.

533. Maria Thompson: 260 Sumach St. Married. C of E. [Church of England] Husband a printer, says he is suffering from Heart disease. showed Certificate for attendance at Hospital, is getting Medicine from Hospital. The House is bare but clean. Both appear to be sober persons, 2 Children, Boys at Home & 2 in the States. the 2 at home are young. had assistance last year from the House, wants it be well to send the Dr. to visit & examine this man for if he is well and his appearance is all right, he can well support his family. give assistance at present.

Friday 24th Feby. 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

534. Maria Thompson: Husband J. Chas. Thompson (in Case 533) to be visited by Doctor.

535. Clara Stain: 210 Centre St. respectable. Husband about a year ago had both legs cut off by a Locomotive. is now a helpless burden on the Wife. she has 3 Boys & some other Children, eldest about 15 years old. recommended for Bread & 25 Bushels of Coke.

536. Mary Anderson: 120 Claremont St. died in Sept. last and the Husband is still there. apparently a steady respectable man in delicate Health. ^(not Husband but Brother)^.

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537. {blank} Laybourn: 137 Hope St. lately out from the old Country (Yorkshire) & has only had 4 days work since he came here. seem most respectable and now in great want. Coal is what they most want.

538. Chas. Wyman: 76 Victoria St. Married. a labourer, but at present laid aside by having his leg broke. a Native of England, aged 34 years. will not be able to work for some time yet. Wife a Canadian, aged 28, a strong person, who goes out to work. they have 2 children, one at present being sick. Ch of England. they require Coal, Bread & Groceries. the above is the person who is said to have kicked the stove when he was trying to kick his Wife, when drunk.

539. Mary Burke: upstairs 1st House from Queen St. in Victoria Lane. Widow, aged 20 years. Husband died Six Months since. has 2 children, both very young. Native of Toronto. C of E. [Church of England] she goes out working. recommend Coal & Bread.

540. Lizzy Stark: 84 Richmond St. W. Widow. Canadian. (C of E [Church of England]), 2 children, Girl aged 13 rather silly, Boy 11 years. aged 36, does any kind of work. recommend Coal once & Bread.

541. Bridget Murphy: rear of 117 Queen St. Called twice but could not find her. neighbours said she was out working.

542. Annie Kennedy: rear 268 Yonge St. is in want of more coal. recommended by B. Jones Esq.

543. Mary Webb: 69 Agnes St. Husband left, she is disabled in her feet, and cannot do much work. no children. wants Coal & Bread.

544. Mary Jane Saunders: rear 42 Prices Lane, Elm St. End. there must be some error in the address, cannot find her.

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545 Martha Ball: 83 Argyle St. Husband Wm. J. Ball. Teamster & labourer. Irish. Canadian. 3 Children under 7 years. he is out of work, has worked on Grey Bruce Ry. [railway] last summer. they appear to be in distress. recomd. Bread & Coal (temporary). he is a Brother of Ex Alderman Ball, who surely would do something for them if brought before his notice.

546. Annie Thwaits: 83 Argyle St. Husband is in England. 4 Children quite young, a Baby 3 Weeks old. she is completely destitute. when her Baby was born she was alone & the Infant was found 5 Hours afterwards, with no covering & nothing to put on to it. she was attended to by people in the neighborhood, and has been maintained by them ever since. I would recommend her for such assistance as may be given to the worst cases of poverty. Mrs. Ball is in the same House & is her sister-in-Law and will carry anything that may be given her.

547. George Broomfield & Wife: both deaf & dumb. they are badly in need of Coal. they live at 19 Caer Howell St. & very deserving & hard working. recommended by A. Gilroy.

Tuesday 28th Febry. 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

548. Mary Dyer: 44 Melinda St. to have coal, see case 59.

549. Eliza Martin: aged 40. Married, C of E. [Church of England] English. husband labourer. 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 5. Girl 1 [age] 3. is in very poor & trying circumstances. they need food & fuel.

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550. Alfred Allen: Wife & four small Children. at present out of & not very capable of work. Sober, respectable. wife has sore leg & still unable to get about the House. also expects Confinement. have been helped by Revd. Sanson. C of E. [Church of England] recommend Coal & Bread for the present.

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551. Delia Brown: Front St. Widow, 31 years old. 2 children, the oldest 4 years. Charwoman & Peddling. R.C. moderate assistance recommended.

552. {blank} Wagner: 5 Sherbourne Place. English. in Toronto six months. Husband & four Children. Sick baby. in need of assistance. recommend prompt supply of fuel & food (attended to at once).

553. Mrs. {blank} Black: 5 Sherbourne St. a feeble old woman of seventy, without friends or relations & deserving object of charity.

554. Frances Forsyth: 40 William St. (in case 53). labourer. recommend fuel once & Bread for limited period. unable to obtain work, 5 Children. 9. 7. 4. 3 & 3 months. well reported by his neighbours.

555. J.C. Thompson: 260 Sumach St. (in Case 533). Doctor Visited & reports he is somewhat debilitated and has a rather weak Heart, although he asserts that his heart is enlarged. It is positively not enlarged, but is weaker than it should be. He appears to be a good deal frightened or pretends to be, and is afraid or unwilling to work. Scores of people work with much weaker hearts than he has, and while I acknowledge that he is now weak, partly from fear, possibly from want of sufficient nourishment, I do not believe that he is unable to do a good deal of light work, if only willing.

556. John McDonald: (in case 42) died this day 28th Fby. 1882.

Friday 3rd March 1882

Present E. Hobson, Esq.

557. Julia Fraser: Husband to call and see the Doctor. She has a crippled Hand & says her Husband injured one of his fingers. (Dr. Examined Fraser's finger & says it will be well in a few days & if they leave Whisky alone, may do very well.) Temporary relief (Bread).

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Tuesday 7th March 1882

Present Mr. Alderman Clark & Mr. E. Hobson

558. James Seaton: (in case 1887 in 1881). made an application for readmission. admitted with the understanding that he makes himself sober & well behaved, if not, to be discharged from the House.

559. W.G. Hancock: 44 Saulter St. represented very much in need, in a dying state. Sent Bread, Coal & {Groceries.}

560. Ann O'Mealey: 85 Lombard St. Aged 50. R.C. Labourer. Ireland. her Husband is in Employ and in my opinion need no help.

561. James Wallington: 65 St. Davids St., 1st door East of Sackville St. He is sick in bed, and has two small children, and is desolate. they need Bread. Revd. S. Rose.

562. Mrs. {blank} Vanlent: a respectable woman, with children, is lying sick at 107 Edward St. had assistance last year but none this. Will you kindly have her sent a box of Coal & some groceries. (visitor W.H. Howland)

563. Mrs. Mary Hussey: corner of Edward & Agnes, whom I reported on before (in Case 193). another Box of Coal & oblige {blank}. (W.H. Howland)

564. Ann Walsh: I have on several occasions visited Ann Walsh & know her to be a deserving case. there is a large family & there has been of late a great deal of sickness amongst them. I was there today. (visitor Revd. Chs. Darling)

565. Mary Wingrave: 19 Eleanor St. I visited them yesterday. her husband some time ago, met with a bad accident & has not been able to do very hard work since. they came from Collingwood lately, but from England originally. they seem a deserving case & would be very glad of some Wood. (Revd. Chs. Darling).

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566. Sarah Love: The Revd. Chs. Darling recommends this person as deserving, there are Six in family & no means of support. the Husband is ill, also one of the eldest daughters is troubled with fits. they have no provisions to keep them going.



Friday 10th March 1882

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & J. Gillespie

567. Robert Jones: Eglinton. We have a House of Industry or Childrens Home in Eglinton and I feel myself bound to support it, and we have also other heavy demands this year.

568. Mrs. {blank} Murphy: 236 Sydnam [Sydenham] Lane. R.C. Ireland. Husband Labourer, says he is not very strong. 60 years old, 7 Children. Boys 1 [age] 25, 1 [age] 22, 1 [age] 9. Girls 1 [age] 17, 1 [age] 15, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 7. the Wife goes out to wash. (Mr. Campbell, Jarvis St. and sheriff Jarvis). The Girl 17 appears not to be well. the House is pretty comfortable, with such a force of Children there should be no want.

569. J.W. Baker: 77 Terauley St. aged 48 (English, C of E [Church of England]). School Teacher out of Employ, wife & daughter, aged 14. allowance of Nut Coal.

570. Christiana Moffatt: 91 Ontario St. recommend an allowance of Groceries as the Children are very Sick.

571. Margt. Graham: (in Case 41). Left the House on her own account, being now well & able to earn her living.

Tuesday 14th March 1882

Present Revd. J.C. Antliff & Messrs. N.C. Love & J. Fleming

572. Adeline Simpson: in Case 1212 in 1881. to have 300 cwt. [hundredweight] more Nut Coal.

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573. Albert Jones: (in Case 519) an Inmate, advised not to write letters ^in future^ soliciting assistance outside the Institution but to make his wants known at the House

574. Jasper Cook: (in Case 1182 1/2 in 1881.) left the House on his own a/c [account],

575. James Wallington: 65 St. Davids St. aged 33. Wife deserted him, leaving 3 Children. Boys 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. The youngest is in the girls Home. English. Episcopalian, a Labourer, suffering from Rhumatism & in the Muscles [etc.] in his leg, cannot stand on his feet. to me he is a very deserving

Character. until his sickness he was working in the City drains. please give him more Bread than you allowed him.

576. Lizzy Allen: 69 High St. Widow. 3 Children. 1 Girl & 2 Boys (4 to 8 years) Protestant. Irish. Washer, not earning anything now, is trying to get work. the 3 Children are kept by an acquaintance till the Mother is able to support them, having no Children with her, ought to support herself.

577. Ellen Kerr: 69 High St. married. Husband away (he Drank) she does not know where he is, she and Mrs. Allen live in the same House & seem to work together & use the same stove/ Mrs. K. is not very strong. cant go to service on that account. the House has a clean appearance & they seem decent.

578. Mary Jane Stothers: 160 Borden St. Widow Chof. E [England] 3 Children. Boy 5. Girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 2. this woman has been suffering for 5 Weeks with a sore thumb & is likely to suffer for a nother Month & not able to work & has been supported by kind Neighbours & Church members. Mr. Gillespie has rendered her personal aid as he knows her, recommend Bread & Groceries, does not want fuel, had 1/2 Cord Wood sent from Charitable Society

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Present Revd. Mr. Antliff Messrs. N.C. Love & J. Flemming

579. James Hall: aged say 78. (Coloured) who had relief from the House for some years, application was made for his admission into the House of Industry by Mr. McKenzie. The Case referred to Dr. to Examine whether Hall is a proper Case for admission (see Drs. Report as under)

I have visited & examined James Hall at No. 6 Christopher Street, he is rather a pitiable object. says he is 79 years old, and suffering from Rhumatism, Piles, shortness of Breath & consumption, & feet frozen several times. Without endorsing all his diagnoses, I am free to confess that he has enough to make him helpless & wretched, and entitled to whatever comfort the House of Industry can afford.

Tuesday 21st March 1882

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & Thos. Flynn

580. James Hall: (in Case 579) The Committee consider that he is not a proper case for admission, but may have all the relief the House can afford, as an out door patient

581. Mary McGowan: 6 Munns Lane. Widow. Irish. R.C. aged 50 years. she is much afflicted with a very sore leg & not able to do much work, has one Daughter aged 15 years, out of service, recommend Coal once & Bread.

582. Jane Haddeck: 6 Munns Lane. Widow. Irish CofE. [Church of England] says she is above 40 years of age. disabled from Work with poor health sore leg [etc.] one Daughter out at service. recommend Bread & coal once

583. Mrs. {blank} Grace: 82 Duchess St. Widow, Protestant, 55 years old. feeble Health. daughter Mary aged 20, Not at work. only ask for Coals

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584. Thomas Willis: from Oshawa, Cabinet Maker. Emigrant, 12 Months out. has been ill for some time leaving him with sore affection of the Heart & in destitute circumstances. has Wife & one Child & is not yet able to work. If you could give him such things, as his unfortunate & Extremely destitute condition renders plain, a deserving case will have been properly treated (W.W. Ogden) see letter.

585. Mrs. {blank} Morris: says they are in great distress. I do not know my self, but it might be well to help her a bit for the present. (H. O'Brien)

Friday 24th March 1882.

Present Messrs. E. Hobson & Thos. Flynn

586. Wesley Collins: (in Case 1079 in 1881). Wife very sick, needs all the nourishment she can take. recommended by Dr. R.A. Reeve, M.D. for Groceries

587. Claesy Brown: 147 Eastern Avenue. her Son is very Sick, under the care of Dr. Ball & he says it will be some time before he will be able to leav{e} the House. they are in need of fuel & Bread.

588. Mary Ann Williams: 5 Virgins Lane. her Husband has got work since she made the application and and thinks she will be able to get along for the pres{ent}

589. James Hall: (in Case 579) B. Jones Esqr. writes to know if he is a fit person to be admitted, & if he can come into the House until he can be got into the Incurables Hospital

590. Edd. [Edward] Edwards: 584 King St. West (in Case 469) recommended by W.H. Howland for 600 lbs. Coal extra

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Tuesday 28th March 1882.

Present Revd Dr. Potts

591. Richard Thompson: 61 years of age. Irish. Methodist. 2 years in Toronto. last 18 months in General Hospital with ulcerated leg, left the Hospital a week ago, applied for admission into the House of Industry & to see the Doctor, see Drs. Report as under

I have examined Richard Thompson aged 61 years, who is feeble and has a sore leg but he is not helpless, I can see no objection to his reception, altho' I think it a pity he did not remain in the Hospital till his leg was cured

592. Ann Raynor: 6 Darling Avenue (in Case 294) Coll. [Colonel] Moffatt recommended a grant of wood which was sent

593. Mary Ann Dolan: 4 Hope St. could not find her

594. Margt. Lafferty: say 42 years of age. Irish. Methodist. was an inmate 24 years ago, the family with whom she went to live with have died, and being herself of a weak mind, she had to return to the House. admitted March 30th 1882

Friday 31st March 1882

Present Revd. Dr. Rose

595. Margret Kendrick: 100 Elizabeth St. Canadian. aged 38 years. Ch of E [England]/ 3 Children. Boy 2 & Girl 4 years and a Baby 3 Months old. her Husband a Cabman left her, recommended by the Revd. Mr. Pearson. Groceries 8 lbs. Bread 1/2 Cord Wood.

596. Mrs. Kelley: 347 Queen St. East. R.C. Husband & Child. cant get work, House tidy & do not drink, got some help from the R.C. Church, recommend help

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597. Mary A. Dolan: 4 Hope St. Husband & Child. the latter has been very ill, the Husband has now got work in the drains, ^&^ will not get any money till Saturday in next week, they appear to be very destitute, without any Means at all. recommend Fuel & groceries for a short time

598. Mary Ann Roberts: 91 Queen St. East. There is no such person at that number

Tuesday 4th April 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

599. Alfred Peck: (in Case 1204) in 1881, left the House on his own account

Friday 8th April 1882.

Present J. Rowland Esqr.

No applicants

Tuesday 11th April 1882

Present none

600. Mary Lacy: 56 Emma St. Recommended by Mr. McKenzie for Coal. see letter

601. Robt. Brownlee: No. 1. Dufferin St. Married with no Children living with him, Canadian CofE. [Church of England] Carpenter. is ill from Bronchitis & unable to work since August. recommend fuel for the present

602. Mrs. {blank} Meagher: 73 Oxford St. Married. Husband in penitentiary. 4 children to support, one 14 years old, at work & gets [dollars] 1.50 per week, the others are quite young, recommend Coal.

603. Mrs. Elizth. Dowdell: {blank} St. Nicholas St. 2 doors North of St. Mary St. recommended by E.H. Kertland for Coal

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Friday 14th April 1882

Present E. Hobson & R. Gilmor

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604. John McKay: /I recommend the Bearer for admittance into the House of Industry, he has no place to go to & he is not able to work./ not admitted. allowed to go to the Sheds for a few days.

605. William Sparrow: aged 84 years. applied for admission. has a daughter in Toronto, at present at 38 Brookfield St. recommended by Chs. L. {Ingles} Jr. [Revd. C.L. Ingles, St. Mark's Episcopal, Parkdale?] See letter. the daughter is not able to support him. admitted this day

606. Wm. Booth: aged 84 years. has no Home. applied for admission. an old recipient of ~~the~~ out door relief for many years. admitted this day.

607. Sarah Love: (see Case 566) Is to continue Bread & Groceries, Husband still sick and unable to work

608. Elizth. Jenkins: (in case 914 in 1880) died this day 17th April 1882.

Tuesday 18th April 1882.

Present Mr. Alderman Clark

609. Cathn. O'Connell: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

610. Ellen Meehan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

611. Rachel Boyd: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

612. Kate Stanley: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

613. Wm. Richardson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

614. Mary E. MacNamara: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

615. Margt. Martin: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

616. Ellen Casey: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

617. Mary McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

618. Ann Gorman: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

619. Mary Downey: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

620. Hannah Humphries: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly during Summer

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Tuesday 18th April 1882

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- 621. Eliza Roberts: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 622. Mary Keenan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 623. Mary Ashworth: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 624. Cathn. Roach: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 625. Cathn. McNamara: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 626. Ann Saunders: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 627. Margt. McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 628. Hugh McGee: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 629. Cathn. Eagan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 630. Mary Pollard: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 631. Ann Wallace: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 632. Elizth. Gothard: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 633. Margt. Rogers: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 634. Robt. Gray: to have 6 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 635. Michael O'Neil: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 636. Ada Stevens: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 637. Catharine Halloran: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 638. Mary Rutherford: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 639. John McGann: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 640. Margt. Ellwood: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 641. Ann Walford: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 642. Mary Sullivan: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 643. Anthony Marlboro: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 644. Mary Patterson: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 645. Sidney [Sidney] Galbraith: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 646. Sarah Moore: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 647. Frances Grange: to have 8 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 648. Sarah Love: to have 12 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer
- 649. Albert Jones: (in Case 519) left the House on his own account 18th April 1882.

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Friday 21st April 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

650. John Sturges: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer

651. Elizth. Burns: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer

652. Mary Harris: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer

653. Rose McKenna: to have 4 lbs. Bread weekly, during Summer

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Friday 21st April 1882.

654. Margt. Tansey: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

655. Mary Livingston: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

656. Mary Wymes: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

657. Cathn. Mullhern: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

658. Elizth. Neill: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

659. John Mullen: to have 6 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

660. Mary Hall: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

661. Mary Carney: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

662. Marion Kinsella: to have 6 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

663. Clement Reed: to have 8 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

664. Margt. Walsh: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

665. Ann Frost: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

666. Johanna McDonald: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

667. Dummey Jones: to have 8 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

668. Bridget Efferson: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

669. Mary A. Whalan: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer

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670. Bridget McCann: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
671. John Carr: to have 6 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
672. Sophia Goose: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
673. Julia McCarty: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
674. Mary Cook: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
675. Cathn. Wilson: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
676. Mary Henry: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
677. Christiana Kelley: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
678. Jane Fogget: to have 10 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
679. Cathn. Little: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
680. Eliza McKeewan: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
681. Mary Gillam: to have 4 lbs. Bread, weekly during Summer
682. Eliza Ellis: aged 50 years, Irish. R.C. an old Case well known at the House. says she has no where to stay, wants to be sheltered here for a time, if she behaves herself. Left June 2nd.
683. ~~Richard~~ ^Michael^ Welsh: 65 years of age Irish. R.C. 12 years in Canada working about, came to Toronto 2 Weeks ago from Fort Erie. seeks shelter for a few weeks, is expecting a remittance from friends in the old Country. granted. Left July 15th

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Tuesday. 25th April 1882.

Present Messrs. R. Gilmore & E. Hobson,

684. George Hilliard: aged 50. English. Congregational. 10 years in Toronto. Shoe Maker. deranged in mind. not able to earn his living. A Mr. Ramsey Heaslip of 248 Elizabeth St. applied for his admission. Committee referred the case to the Doctor.

Doctor examined & reports that Hilliard says his Brain burns & his Scalp smarts, he cannot fix his thoughts, wants to be alone, feels as if people were trying to circumvent him, his mind flashes in a passion in a moment without motive [etc.] [etc.] After a careful examination, I cannot see anything very pronounced in his case, but his mind is evidently weak [weak], what it may ultimately lead to I cannot say, he may after a time pass into dementia. or he may become insane.

685. Westley Collins: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months

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- 686. Margt. Cody: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 687. Isabella Rogers: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 688. Harriet Batty: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 689. Mary Maddigan: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 690. Sarah Curran: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 691. Ann Duffey: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 692. Ann Cosmer: to have 6 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 693. Agnes Jackson: to have 8 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 694. Ellen Thompson: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 695. Cathn. Stuart: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 696. Ann Flood: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 697. Sarah Freeman: to have 6 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 698. John Glass: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 699. Mary Walker: to have 8 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 700. Bridget Burns: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 701. Mary E. Kelley: to have 6 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 702. Bridget Hughes: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 703. James Hall: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months
- 704. Bridget Kitts: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer Months

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- 705. Jane Dundas: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer
- 706. Ann Burrows: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer

Friday 28th April, 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. & Revd. A.H. Baldwin

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707. Julia Brierton: (in Case 1031) in 1878, died this day April 28th. Aged 65 years.

708. Georg Hilliard: (in Case 684) to be admitted

709. Mary ^A.^ Bedwell: to have 12 lbs. Bread, (see report) for a Month. Mary A. Bedwell of 37 Britain St. aged 31 years. Husband James, aged 42 years. a Sailor on the Lakes. away. Canadian. 6 Children. Boys 1 [age] 13. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 3. Girl 1 [age] 6. R.C. recommend Bread & Groceries

710. Bridget Cavanagh: to have 6 lbs. Bread for a Month

711. Cathn. Culloton: go have 8 lbs. Bread during Summer

712. Cecilia Greatley: to have 4 lbs. Bread during Summer

713. William Robbins: to have 8 lbs. Bread during Summer

714. Janet Smith: to have 12 lbs. Bread during Summer

Tuesday 2nd May 1882

Present Messrs. J. Jacques & E. Hobson Esqr.

715. Dora O'Connell: to have Bread 4 lbs. weekly during Summer

716. Sarah McKeeban: to have Bread 6 lbs. weekly for a Month

717. Jane Allen: 4 Henderson Avenue. aged 27. Husband 30 years old. no Children. Emigrants, out 2 weeks. Irish (Ch of E [England]) Husband has had bad eyes, he is an Upholsterer. deserving of help. to have 6 lbs. Bread for a month

718. Elizth. Dowdell: Husband left her, 3 children, Boy 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 6. Girl 1 [age] 9. recommend 8 lbs. Bread for a Month

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May 2nd 1882

719. Mary Leslie: a Widow, aged 48. Irish. R.C. Resident in the City. Is out of place just now, seeks admission for a time, will make herself useful

720. Alexd. Heaslip: aged 56. Irish. ChofEngland. 12 years in Toronto. says is in bad health, and not able to earn his living. has no friends to assist him. wants to become an Inmate in this Institution. Revd. Mr.

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Cayley wishes his Case to be brought before the Weekly Committee. Admitted if the Doctor considers Heaslip a proper Case. ^Died Nov. 2nd 1882^

Friday 5th May 1882.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

721. Mary Rice: to have allowance of bread continued 6 lbs.

722. Clarissa Brown: to have allowance of bread continued 6 lbs.

723. Mary Purvis: to have allowance of bread continued 4 lbs.

724. Margt. Curry: to have allowance of bread continued 4 lbs.

725. Elisa Pellett: to have allowance of bread continued 10 lbs.

726. Cathn. Armstrong: to have allowance of bread continued 12 lbs.

727. Ellen Storey: to have allowance of bread continued 12 lbs.

728. Susan Charbotte: to have allowance of bread continued 4 lbs.

729. May 8th 17 Emigrants brought a Card from the Mayor this Evening, requesting Superintendent to give accommodation to them for the Evening, and send them in the Morning to his (The Mayors) Office. The Men stated that their families were at the Emigrant sheds, and what they wanted was food for the night. Gave them 9 four lbs. Loaves. 1 lbs. Tea & 4 lbs. Sugar.

730. Thomas L. Gorden: in Case 1137 in 1881. had leave on Sunday the 7th to go to Church. has not returned.

Tuesday 9th May 1882.

Present, J. Scott Esqr.

731. Ellen Lannan: summer allowance of bread continued 4 lbs.

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May 9th 1882.

732. Ann Beatty: 38 Amelia St. Canadian. ChofEngl. left her Husband who drinks. she was lately in Hospital with Typhoyd [typhoid] fever. two Children, Girls, 14, & 12. Dr. Kertland, visitor, recommends Groceries.

733. Ann Mullins: 68 High St. had relief last Winter. Her Husband died 2 Weeks ago in General Hospital with inflammation on the Lungs. she has a large family. applied for some relief during the summer. to have 8 lbs. bread weekly

734. John Ashworth Scoles: in Case 1183 in 1881. became insane last night, and gave a great deal of trouble. Superintendent stated the Case at the Police Court to day ~~to day~~ (May 11th), took out a warrant and had Scoles taken off the premises by the Police.

Friday May 12th 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

735. William Baldwin: 68 years of age. Native of Ireland. ChofEngland. Lived in St. Catharines for 12 years. in Toronto since 4th of July last. is a Pensioner, in receipt of 9 d. [pence] sterling per day. which he is willing to give up to the House if admitted. Brought a Note from his Worship the Mayor, recommending shelter until the Case can be brought before the Committee. May 13th

736. Jane Bryant: in Case 965 in 1878. Died this day, May 14th aged 77 years.

Tuesday 16th May 1882.

Present, Messrs. S. Rogers & R. Brown

737. Mary Hayes: to have weekly allowance of bread continued 4 lbs.

738. Margaret Rogers: aged 68. Irish. ChofEngland. Widow. 14 years in Toronto. has one daughter in the Asylum, and another daughter aged 26, living in service, but not able to assist her Mother, who is not strong and seeks admission. Admitted

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739. William Baldwin: in Case 735. is to bring a Note from Major Mulligan Staff Officer of Pensioners, certifying that the pension will be paid to the House if Baldwin gets admitted. brought the Note, admitted.

740. Robert Hamilton: in Case 1156 in 1881. Left on his own account.

Friday 19th May 1882

Present, S. Rogers Esqr.

741. Rose Morgan: 46 William St. 65 years of age. Irish. R.C. appears to be in bad health. applied for a few groceries, which was granted.

Tuesday, May 23. 1882.

Present, Revd. J.D. Cayley & E. Hobson Esqr.

742. Lucy Matthews: 96 Duchess St. Married. husband works in a Brewery on Simcoe St. Wife, 46 years of age, is ill. ChofEngland. 4 Children. boy 18, at work, boy, 16, boy 12. & boy 9 years of age. Mr. James Beatty, Senior, recommended the family. 8 lbs. bread for the present. although the [they] ought to be able to earn their living.

Friday, 26th May 1882

Present. Messrs. E.H. Rutherford & E. Hobson

743. Margaret Rogers: in Case 738. left on her own account, she will live with her daughter. May 29th.

Tuesday, 30th May. 1882.

Present, Very Revd. J. M. Laurent, & E. Hobson Esqr.

744. Daniel McCarthy: 60 years of age. Irish. R.C. has a Wife and four Children. says was distressed for rent. Wife and Children expect to be taken into House of Providence. McCarthy says he is not well, and would like to remain for a few days shelter. allowed to do so.



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Tuesday, June 2nd. 1882.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

745. Mrs. Wilson: Corner of Sherbourne & Front St. at the request of Mr. J.W. [W.J.] MacDonell, Mr. Flynn (Visitor) called upon the Case. reports Mrs. Wilson is a Widow with one small Child, and appears to be sadly in need of assistance, at same time Visitor thinks she is in bad Company, and would suggest changing her quarters before extending much aid in any shape from House of Industry.

Tuesday June 6/82

Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & E. Hobson.

746. Michael Welsh: in Case 683. Left the House on his own account. Not very grateful for the shelter he received.

Friday, June 9/82

Present, Messrs. W.J. MacDonell & E. Hobson

No Applicants.

Tuesday, June 13/82.

Present, Revd. J.C. Antliff & E. Hobson Esqr.

747. Sarah Smith: rear 22 Bulwer St. English. ChofEngl. deserted by her husband. has 3 young Children, aged 5, 2 1/2. & 6 Months. she is therefore unable to go to work and is a stranger here. Revd. Mr. J.D. Cayley recommends to have 8 lbs. bread and groceries.

748. Jane McLaughlan: in Case 701 in 1873, died this day June 14th aged 92 years.

749. James Christeson: Wife and five Children. Emigrants, from Denmark, on their way to Chicago. were sent here by his Worship the Mayor for a supply of provisions, as they are destitute. Gave them bread & groceries.

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Friday, June 16/82.

Present. Revd. J.C. Antliff & Mr. Alderman Love

750. Mary Windust: 12 Duchess St. Widow. English. ChofEngland. has been ill for last nine Months. 4 Children, girls. 22 & 14. boys, 22, & 20. Mr. Beatty City Missionary recommended the Case.

Tuesday, June 20/82

Present, Revd. Mr. Cayley & Messrs. E. Hobson & Thos. Flynn

No Applicants.

Friday, June 23/82

Present. Revd. A. Williams & E. Hobson Esqr.

751. Philip Riley: aged 75 years. Irish. R. Catholic. has been a resident in Toronto over forty years. Hon. Wm. Cayley has known the Man for many years, and would recommend him to the favourable consideration of the Committee for admission. admitted.

752. Archibald Bathgate: aged 68 years. Native of Scotland R.C. 30 years in Canada, and last 19 years in Toronto. has been in the Army, and receives a pension of one shilling sterling per day, which he is willing to pay to the House if he could be admitted as an Inmate. To bring a Note from Major Mulligan, Staff Officer of Pensioners, certifying that the Pension will be paid here if admitted.

753. Elizabeth Black: in Case 1600 in 1878. died this 24th day of June. aged 79 years.

754. Mary Ann Bennett: in Case 540 in 1875 died this day 26th of June. aged 82 years.

755. Henry Radcliffe: Emigrant. Wife and 5 Children. from England ChofEngland. Recommended by his Worship The Mayor for relief. Bread & Groceries.

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Tuesday 27th June 1882.

Present: E. Hobson Esqr.

756. David Miller: in Case 429 in 1877. wishes to leave the House, and go to his friends in Scotland. allowed to do so. His pension due on 1st July we have no claim on, ([dollars] 22.00) which will help to pay his passage home. But if he hangs about, and spends his Money he is not to be admitted again.

Friday 30th June 1882.

Present, E. Hobson Esqr.

757. Martha Avann: 18 St. Paul St. in Case 210. is now sick and recommended by Mr. Henry O'Brien (Visitor) for relief Groceries & bread.

Tuesday. July 4th 1882.

Present. E. Hobson Esqr.

758. Mary Watson: Erin St. age, 30. Nine Months from Scotland. Presbyterian Church. Husband left 3 Weeks ago looking for work, has not heard from him since. Has 3 Children, boy 9, suffers from sunstroke. boy 8, and girl 6 years old. Mrs. Watson has not been in good health since she came out, seems very respectable. Revd. J.N. Cameron recommended her, as in need of help and deserving. full Groceries & 8 lbs. bread

759. William Baldwin: in case 739 left the House on his own account, will go to Hamilton to live with a son of his.

760. Danial McCarthy: in Case 744 left the House on his own account and ther [there] is nothing about the Man to prevent him from earning his own living if he and his Wife quit drinking.

761. Elizebith [Elizabeth] Jeffrey: aged 45 yrs. Widow English, Church of England. Asked shelter for a few days. formally [formerly] an inmate. left Sept. 15, 1882

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Friday July 7th 1882

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Present E. Hobson Esqr.

762. David Miller: in Case {blank} [Case 756] left the House on his own account

763. Kate Brown: No. 1 Haggartman [Hagarman] St. Irish. Roman. C. Husband Just got imployment [employment]. 5 children. Wife lately confined. reccermended [recommended] by Rev. Mr. Laurent. 8 lbs. Bread and full allowance of Groceries

July 8th 1882.

764. Mary O'Reilley: aged 25 yrs. from {Tillingburgh} [location unknown: possibly Tillsonburgh, Oxford County; or Pittsburgh, Frontenac County]. Canadian. R.C. had shelter last night. came again today apparently in Labour, had to send for a Cab to take her to General Hostaple [hospital] to be admitted. and it appears not to [too] soon as she had to be carraid [carried] up stairs on a stricher [stretcher]. she is not Marraid [married]

Tuesday July 11th 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

765. Charls [Charles] Browing [Bowring]: English church. England. aged 68 yrs. was formally [formerly] an inmate. see case 645 in 1878. Seeks admission. he says he is not able to earn his living. admitted

Friday July 14th 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

No applications

Tuesday July 18th 1882

present E. Hobson Esqr.

No applications

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Friday July 21st 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

No applications

Tuesday July 24th 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

766. Wm. Rose: 42 yrs. and the Wife 38 yrs. 8 children. Boys 15. 12. 8 yrs. Girls 10. 7. 6. 3 and 1 yr. and 8 Months old. Emigrants from England 8 weeks. church of England. wife had a miscarriage with ninth child. full allowance of Groceries [groceries] and 12 lbs. of Bread weekly

767. John Mason: in Case {blank} [1881 Case 1161] left today July 26th on his own account

Friday July 28th 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

768. Hannah Tennison: 89 Ontario St. had relief Last winter. husband Ill and not able to work. a Large family of children. Rev. Mr. Sylvester rec. [recommended] to 12 [lbs.] Bread weekly and a Large quantity [quantity] Groceries [groceries]

Tuesday Augst. 1st 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

769. Maria Armatage: 69 yrs. old. a Widow. no relation belonging to her. 18 yrs. in Toronto. Irish. church England. perfectly [perfectly] Blind. She cannot make a living. Seeks admision into the house. admitted

Friday Aug. 4th 1882

Present [Messrs.] J. Jacques & E. Hobson Esqrs.

770. Jane Lyon: 61 Elm St. Widow. Canadian. chofEngland .7 children. had relief Last winter. 12 [lbs.] Bread weekelly [weekly]

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Tuesday Aug 7th 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr. for Mr. Scott

771. ^John^ ~~Peter~~ Hayes: 22 yrs. old. Canadian. Congragationalist. Born Blind. has been in Brantford. Blind Asylum [asylum] 7 yrs. recd. [recommended]for admission into the House of Industry by Mr. Christie guvmt. [government] inspector

Friday Aug 11th 1882

Present E. Hobson ^Esqr.^ for Mr. Scott

no applications

Tuesday Aug 15th 1882.

Present R. Brown & E. Hobson Esqr.

no applications

Friday Aug 18th 1882

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

no applications

Tuesday Aug 22nd 1882

present E. Hobson Esqr.

no applications

Friday Aug 25th 1882

present E. Hobson Esqr.

772. Simon Byrme [Byrne]: in Case 734 ^1872^ died today Augst. 28th aged 70 yrs.

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Tuesday Augst. 29th 1882.

Present E. Hobson Esqr.

no applications

Friday Sept. 1st 1882

present E. Hobson Esqr.

no applications

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Tuesday Sept. 5th 1882

present J.W. [W.J.] MacDonell

no applications

Friday Sept. 8th 1882

present J.W. [W.J.] MacDonell

no applications

Tuesday Sep. 12th 1882

present Rev. J.C. Antliff and Mr. Love

no applications

Friday Sep. 15th 1882

present no Committee

No applications

Tuesday Sept. 19th 1882

present E. Hobson Esqr.

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No applications

Friday Sep 22nd 1882

present E. Hobson

no {blank}

773. Elizebeth Nigthingale [Nightingale]: left the house on her own account this day

Tuesday Sept. 26th 1882.

present E. Hobson Esqr.

No applications

Friday Sept. 30th 1882

present E. Hobson

No applications

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Tuesday Oct. 17th 1882

Present Mr. Gillespie

774. Isabella Reid: Widow. Church of England. age 69. English. ^To be admitted for one month.^ ^Left the 17th Oct.^

775. Samuel H. Green: 30 Oak St. English. Wife Confined. in the City 4 Months. Girls 1 [age] 2. 1 [age] 1. Bread for one month and small Groceries.

776. Mrs. Bridgeman: 71 Center St. Ch of England. 1 Boy 12 and 3, one Girl 6. Groceries Once and Bread 8 pounds. ^Boy earns [dollars] 2 per Week. Mother peddles, bad health, cannot earn much at present.^

777. Clarrisia Brown: Widow. Ch of England. age 59. United States. 363 ^x 63^ King St. East. groceries once.

778. Jessie Kerrigan: 6 months in the City. Very Sore hand. is a Widow. age 55. No. 49 Strachan St. 4 lbs. Bread. Religion Presby. Scotch.

779. Mrs. Sumner: at Mrs. Robinson, Adeliad [Adelaide] St. near Simco [Simcoe]. 8 lbs. Bread this Week.

780. Mrs. Gibson: about the 4th shop from Portland south side. Application on behalf of Mrs. Langlois. her people are willing to pay 3 Dollars per month for her Mentinance [maintenance]. age 40. Ch of England. English. was in a instution in Hamilton but could not get agree with the Matron or People. very hasty temper. ^[in margin] Wednesday^

Friday Oct. 20th 1882

Present Messrs. Gillespie Hobson and Ald. [Alderman] Love

781. Robt. Wallace: 2 Hope St. Blacksmith. Irish. Presbyterian. Married. Has an injured Hand. 1 child. Groceries once. ^6 lbs. Bread Weekly^

782. Anne Woods: ^x married name^ age 45 65. forty years in Toronto. Irish. Ch of England. admitted if certified by the doctor. ^has not Returned^ x Husband Mr. Sheeran.

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*-- Robert Brownlee, who is using the name of the Rev. Mr. Ingles, of Parkdale, as a means of collecting alms, is denounced by that gentleman as a fraud.*

[Robert Brownlee: see case 786 below]

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*the Dominion Government in regards* {illegible} disallowance of provincial railway {illegible} issued by the Manitoba Legislature {illegible}

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Friday Oct. 20 1882

783. Thomas Rennick: age 42. Widower. Irish. Ch of England. Labourer. 1 child, 17 years. to be admitted on Dr. opinion. ^admitted 21st.^

Tuesday Oct. 24th

Present Revd. Mr. Broughall and Mr. Gilmor

784. Jane Wilson: age 50. church of England. Irish. Spinster. suffer from Rumattism [rheumatism]. to be admitted by Doctors examination. not to be let out. admitted.

785. Jane Crawford: ^1 of case^ Widow, age 73, church of England, Irish, no Children in the City. to be admitted {blank} admitted.

785. Mrs. Josling: ^2 of case^ [case number repeated] Husband has a broken leg but refesus [refuses] to go to Hospital. 3 Children. Groceries once. the Case to be reported by Revd. Mr. Broughall. 8 lbs. Bread Weekly for one Month.

786. Robt. Brownlee: 41 Manning Ave. suffers from Bronchitis. 3 Children, 2 Boys, 1 [age] 5, 1 [age] 2 1/2, Girl 11 months. Church of England. the Children in Country. Instructed to Get a letter from Revd. Mr. Ingles, then his Case will be Cosidered [considered] ^See [Case] 601, 1882 p. 484 [483]^

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Friday Oct. {blank}

Mr. Gilmor Present

787. Elizabeth McLean: Widow. Ch of England. 1 child at home. to come on Tuesday with letter from the Doctor. letter presented from Dr. McCullough. Groceries once and 1 loaf of Bread Weekly.

Tuesday Oct. 31st 1882

Present Mr. Jaques [Jacques] & Mr. Hobson

788. John Telfer: age 76. ch of E. [Church of England] Scotch. Widower. has 3 Sons but dont know where the [they] are. was a Soldier in the 79 Highlanders. wants to be admitted. has 11 pence per day pension or 20 dollars per quarter, is willing to give it for his support. instructed to get a letter from Major Milligan.

Friday Nov. 3rd

Present Mr. Jaques [Jacques] & Mr. Hobson

789. Eliza McCawley: Husband Sick. Tin Smith. in Toronto 4 Months. 3 Children. 4 Walkers Lane.  
Received Groceries & Bread until Visited.

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Friday Nov. 3rd 1882

Present Mr. Jaques [Jacques] & Mr. Hobson

790. Anna Brown: ~~124~~ ^151^ in the Rear Center St. Canadian. Husband left her. to be visited. Mr. Gillespie.

791. Mr. Newman: 486 King St. East. 7 children

792. Mrs. Moragan [Monigan]: 46 William St. Widow releived [relieved] until visited. Rev. J.D. Cayley.  
^to be visited. H. O'Brien.^

793. Mrs. Bowes [Bowles]: Colored, ^203^ Center St. Husband [John Bowles] died Oct 20/82.

Tuesday Nov 7th 1882

Present Mr. James Scott

794. Mary Leslie: Widow. aged 48. Irish. R.C. resident in the City. left of her own Wish Oct. 24. Now wants to be admitted ^admitted.^

795. Thomas Henderson: aged 82. Native of Scotland. Presbyterian. was admitted 24th of September 1880 and left of his own Wish Dec. 7th 1880. Now wants to be admitted again ^admitted^

796. John Mullen: 68 years of age. in Toronto 4 years. Irish. R.C. has lost his arm and lame (has a Son 12 years of age). wants to be Admitted.

797. Jane Crawford: Widow. aged 73. ch of England. Irish. left to go to her Son in Laws. November 8th 1882.

798. Mrs. Newman: look at [Case] 791. will be provided for by Alfred D. Benjamin therefore no help is required from the House. H. O'Brien Visitor.

Friday November 10th

Present Mr. James Scott

799. Mrs. ^Rose^ Moragan [Monigan]: Widow. age 70. Roman C., Ireland. 46 William St. ordered 6 lbs. Bread small Groceries.

800. Eliza McCawley: Husband Sick. tin smith. in Toronto 4 months. 3 children. ~~4 Walkers Lane~~ 8 lbs. Bread, Large Groceries. Children age 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 2. Church of England. 99 George St. up stairs.

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Friday Nov. 10th

801. Jane Dundas: Widow. 21 Taylor St. aged 68. One hand Broken, the other very bad. English. Ch of E. [Church of England] Woman on the Book for Weekly Bread. Wants Groceries. Groceries ordered, Small.

802. Mrs. Orr: alias the French Doctress [Melissa "Doctress" Orr, 1785-1897] was admitted to the Casuals from a letter from the Mayor until further advise [advice]. She finds out she has frends [friends] in Pickering. Wants a pass from the Mayor. the pass procured from the Mayor she left Monday 13th ^for Pickering.^

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Tuesday Nov 14th

Present Messrs. Brown, Rodgers & Revd. J. King

803. Johanna Sullivan: ^R.C.^ age 31. Husband Labour, age 40. Sick. 2 girls. 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 5. 91 Strachan Avenue. 2 loaves. letter from Revd. P. Rooney

804. Harriet Beck: ~~Incurable, wants to be admitted~~ advised to get a letter from the Revd. A. Williams 13 St. David St. age 64. Ch of England. Husband 3 Weeks dead and at Present living With her Son, 94 Elizabeth St. Has applied for relief about the 6th of January 1882. (Note) Husband [Joseph Beck, died 22 Oct. 1882] when alive was a balif [bailiff] and objected to her getting relief here as she sold it for Whiskey. 1 loaf and groceries {trice}.

805. ~~Mary~~ Anna Coleman: Incurable. wants to be admitted. Sent by the Revd. A. Williams. report says Janry. 6th {1882}. no family. rag picker. Too fond of the Bottle. admitted. her son, 22 years of age, who pays for his Board.

Friday November 17th

Dr. King, R. Brown & S. Rodgers

806. Anna Brown: Husband away since April. Near her Confinement. has 1 Boy, 5 years. needs Coal, no Groceries. Recommend her to the Lying in Hospital.

807. Mrs. ^Jane^ Blair: aged 70. Widow. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] recomeded by Mr. Moses of Yonge St. wants to be admitted. to see the doctor. admitted

808. James G. Clark: aged 60. Irish. Ch of E. [Church of England] No Children. No Wife. Shoe Maker. 8 Sackville St. a letter from Dr. A.A. Ridley and Card from the Mayor. wants to be admitted (to see the doctor). {blank} admitted.

809. John Mullen: 68 years of age. see [Case] 796. was in the Casuals. got permisone [permission] to go out and has not returned.

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Friday November 17th 1882

Present Messrs. Rodgers Brown & Revd. King

810. Thomas Layton: aged 73. no Wife. ~~Carpenter~~ Machinist. Scotch. Presbyterian. wants to be admitted. {blank} to see the Doctor {blank} admitted.

811. Mary Kean: 60 Tecumseh [Tecumseth] St. Husband left her. 4 children, 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 11. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 1 ^11^.

812. Mrs. Keshan [Keeshan]: 44 Hope St. Husband Labours. Sick. English. R.C. 4 children. 1 [age] 15. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 8. ^15 earns 3 dollars per {month}, 14 about 2^.

Tuesday November 21st 1882

Weekly Board Present Revd. Mr. Cayley

813. Elizabeth Cameron: aged 35. (Isle of Man). Primitive Methodist. Widow. 4 Children, 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 10 months. Resides at 70 Conway St and trys her best to support her Children. has a Sewing Machine. no Work. a very Respectable Woman. Bread and ~~Small~~ Large Groceries.

814. Timothy [Timothy] Keeshan: 44 Hope St. age {blank}. out of Work in Consequence of Rumatism. English. R.C. Wife and 4 children. 1 Girl [age] 15 earns 3 dollars per month. 1 [age] 14 sick. 1 [age] 12, Boy, earns some now and then. 1 [age] 7. 6 lbs. Bread.

815. Thomas Foster: 34 Strachan St. Ch of E. [Church of England] Wife R.C. no children. he is not able to work because of Rhematica, has not at Work for 2 Weeks. 4 lbs. Bread and Small groceries.

816. Thomas Layton: age 73. Carpenter. Scotch. Presbyterian. Poor health. wants to be admitted, not Capable of taking Care of himself. {blank} admitted

817. The ^The^ Duckett testimonial a grand affair. [see 1882 annual report, p. 5, retirement of Mr. & Mrs. Charles Duckett, Superintendent & Matron, after 25 years of service]

818. Mrs. White: 18 Lumley St. Husband out of Work for some time and just secured a job and they seem to be most destitute. 5 children. her eldest Girl earns 4 dollars per Month. her Mother has taken her away from her place and if allowed to remain could get 5 dollars per month. Mr. Darling.

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Friday November 24th

Present Mr. Goulding & Mr. Rutherford

819. Mary Quigley: 15 Center St. Widow. assisted for several years. no Children. to [too] feeble to work much. Recomend bread 4 lbs.



820. James Skelley: rear of 50 Wellington St West. English. C of E [Church of England] aged 32. Wife 33. 1 Child, girl 15 months old. Husband an exceedingly sick man, about 10 years in Canada. apperance of House Clean, looks Poverty stricken. 8 lbs. Bread, Small Groceries.

821. Mrs. Hardman [Hardiman]: rear of 16 Lombard St. Widow, aged 50, Irish R.C. Charwoman. lost her Husband about 4 months ago [James Hardiman died 7 Jun 1882] and the LandLord sold her furniture. she now has a tidy kept. her Room Very Clean. suffers from Rumatism. 1 Daughter 12. Said to be Very delicate. Recommend. Visited by Mr. Goulding.

822. Bridget Sullivan: 33 Duchess St. R.C. Irish. age 50. this Woman Should be able to work for a living.

823. Mrs. Skelley: ^widow^ 33 Duchess St. see [Case] 822 [820]. is more of an object as she is laid up with a Bad leg and have Young Children. 8 lbs. Bread, Small Groceries.

824. Mrs. Fogget: (Mr. Darling Writes) I have known her for some time past. a Widow. R.C. 4 Children, eldest 9, youngest 2. She has also Mrs. Brady, her mother, an old Woman of 80, living with her.

825. Mrs. Joslyn: Coatsworth Lane. Husband Broken Leg, refuses to go to the Hospital. 4 children. Groceries once and 8 lbs. Bread Weekly for one month.

826. Mrs. Beck: Widow, 11 St. David St. Visited by Honble. [Honourable] GW. Allan and recommends a little Bread during the Winter Months, and a little Tea & Sugar, Say trice, Would be a great Boon.

827. Eliza Holland: Rear of 10 Albert St. Visited by Beverly Jones. says she belongs to a fuel club. she had 1/2 ton of Coal. But Wants Bread. She seems to be a decent Woman with one girl, 12 years old. Is troubled with Rheumatism pains at knees, so she cannot do Washing in Winter. Recomd. the usual supply of Bread.

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Friday Dec. 1st 1882

Weekly Committ [committee] Present Mr. Hobson

828. Mary Magill: aged 40. Irish. R.C. cor. [corner] of John & Front St. ^250 near John^. is very poor, goes out to scrub and Wash when able to do so, but now she is unable. she met with an accident by falling down a fright [flight] of stairs. she has only one Room, no furniture in it as it was seized for rent where she lived formerly. 3 children, 2 daughters, 1 [age] 19 out in Service, Youngest 13, Son 14, who is not able to do much. the girl 19 earns 6.00 per month. 1 loaf Weekly.

829. Mrs. Rodgers: 2 Renfrew Lane. C of E. [Church of England] Widow so aged so as to be unable to earn a living. she has a lodger, poor seamstress in poor health who is unable to pay rent. 1 loaf Weekly

830. Mrs. ^Catherine^ Longworth: Widow. no children. age 79. Methodist. Irish. was in in the House of Incurables but left her own Wish, people disagreeable to her. Wants to be admitted. died Dec. 15/82. Admitted.

Tuesday Dec. 5th 1882

Present Revd. J.D. Macdonell & Mr. D{ucket}

831. James Ryan: aged 64. in Toronto 30 years. labourer. Irish. R.C. Palsyed [palsied]. wants to be admitted. was in the House before in the Casuals for about a month. to be examined by the doctor. admitted.

832. Eliza Dent: Widow. age 56. English. C of E. [Church of England] 33 Mercer St. no children. she is not able to do much Work and troubled very much with Rhe{umatism}. she has her own room but in much need of fire. I think she is a decent person.

833. John Tracy: age 51. Pensioner. He receives one shilling per day payable quartly [quarterly] in advance. He is quite willing to contribute 6 pence per day towards his support, the other 6 pence he Wishes to keep in case of his daughter, who is in the County in employment, gets sick or out of employment. trouble with Heart disease. Admitted.

834. Sophia Goff: 27 Elizbeth [Elizabeth] Rear. five months in the Country. from England. Husband out of employment since part of the time under Medical treatment. But appears to be lazy. might have some Bread.

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835. Mary Hayland: 55 Garrison St., C of E. [Church of England] Irish. Washerwoman 20 years in Toronto. no children. she requires Coal & Wood.

836. Eliza Burden: age 31. Husband 30. 174 Claremont St. Husband has got Work at Massys [Massey's] but not drawn pay untill Xmas. 4 children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age]. 1 ten month. English. C of E. [Church of England]

837. Cathrin [Catherine] Turner: age 60. Husband away looking for Work. 2 months out from England. to be admitted temporaly [temporarily]. she seeks admission. admitted. Husband Came 10th Dec. and took her away.

838. Edward Inker: age 67. shoemaker in Toronto 21 years. no Wife. children in the States. He is unable to support himself by Working at his trade. Seeks admission. Dec. 8th.

Friday Dec. 8th

Present Revd. J.D. Macdonnel and W.J. Macdonnel

839. William Murphy: age 30. Labourer. Irish. R.C. homeless & friendless, poor man. he is at Present unable to work on account [account] of Weak leg. Seeks admission. admitted. Revd. John Hayden.

840. Henery [Henry] Ditty: age 67. Irish. Cong. [Congregational] 167 Sydenham St. a Respectable old man who has seen better days. He married a young wife a Year ago and she seems to support them by working at Tailoring 50 [cents] p [per] day. She expects to be confined shortly and will soon have to give up Work. he does a little light work. H. O'Brien visitor.

841. William Sheilds: 500 King St east. Shoemaker. Wife and 3 Small Children. Very Respectable. Children at School: Sheilds I saw evidently [evidently] very ill with dropsy and says no hope of recovery. Has been ill for Seven months, attended by Dr. Davidson. It might be well to send him to hospital But wont discuss the matter. The [they] should be supplied with fuel and Bread and some Groceries and be sent as the wife cannot leave her husband

842. Elizabeth Bradford: 7 Patterson place, of [off] Sydenham St. east of ~~Parliament~~. 5 children, eldest 13, youngest only 2 years old. the Husband is almost a Cripple at times from Rheumatism. He is a labouring man but of a Superior Class. I recommend them for Coal twice and Bread say for a couple of months, and a little tea and sugar and oatmeal just now.

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Present Messrs. McDonald Burns & Revd. J.D. McDonald

843. Jane Elliott: N.E. Corner of Sydenham and Regent St. Widow. 2 Children. Ch of England. girl 16 out at Service, and a little Boy, a cripple, 9 years old. Mrs. Elliot scrubs and Washes when She Can get it to do. Coal twice, a Small Allowance of bread for six Weeks.

844. Emma Cuff: 234 Dundas St. aged 52. Widow. 3 Children. the Visitor Mr. Kirkpatrick says I have known the family for years. they are not good as the daughter, aged 22, had a good Situation as Servant at Major Milligan's and ran away, preferring to live without visible means of support. The old woman of

course cannot do much and the Son, aged about 16, is Sickly. there is also a Child of the daughters aged 4. For there [their] sakes I would recommend some Bread and some Coal during the Winter.

845. Mr. ^John^ McAdams: 144 Center St. Baker. Sick, out of Work. {NO} children here but for some time have been quite steady man Working at such jobs as he can do. they need help badly, must have Coal & Bread. Removed to 55 Center St.

846. Margret Carson: age 28. 47 Avenue lane rear. C of E. [Church of England] 3 children. he has falling Sickness. Seems respectable, no apperance of Drinking. Requires Coal, Bread.

847. Ann McCarthy: 50. Husband 77. 62 Chesnet [Chestnut] St. Husband Sick. Wife C of E. [Church of England] Husband R.C. 3 children. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4.

Tuesday Dec. 12th

Present Ald. [Alderman] Love, Ald. [Alderman] Fleming, Revd. J. Antliff

848. Anne Bailey: age 42. Widow. C of E. [Church of England] English. charwoman. 1 child, 1 [age] 10. 41 Regent St.

849. Ada Stevens: 50 Emma St. 4 lbs. Bread and Groceries 15th of the {month} only.

850. Mary Thompson: 211 Lumley St. Mr. J.A. Jones, a Carpenter whom I know with his wife and family resides at 211. He tells me that he found this woman with her 3 small Children in a house from which the door and Windows had been removed by the Landlord, in a state of utter destution [destitution] and Starvation, and took them to his own Home. He says he finds her steady and honest. she says her Husband left her 2 years ago and she does not know where he is. she asks for bread, Groceries & Wood.

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851. Mrs. Copeson: Osgood [Osgoode] lane. Widow, 2 children, girl 2 1/2, Boy 7 1/2, C of E. [Church of England] age 35. Charwoman. Respectable industrious Woman, does her Best to get a long. H.H. Howland Vis. [Visitor].

852. Ann McCarthy: 63 Chesnut [Chestnut] St. Husband labourer, just out of Hospital. R.C. 4 Children, daughter 19 sick, Boy 13 in the Provincial Reformatory, 9 and girl 6. had no assistance last year but had the year before. People Shiftless but deserves. no Signs of drinking. Recommend Coal & Bread.

853. Mary Ann Hudson: Rear of 17 Center St. Husband labour, out of Work. 1 child. Seems Respectable decent People. Think might be given bread temporarily and Coal once.

854. George Beamish: 395 King St East. and found himself and family destitute of food and fuel. George Beamish 35, Clara, Wife, 32, Eva 9, going to School, George 7, Annie 4, all native of Toronto, C of E. [Church of England] Recomd. him Bread and Coal. Burns Visitor.

855. Mary Doyle: Widow. R.C. three Children at home, girl 20, Working in a Shoe Factory, 2 young children 12 and 9. Has Several sons but have all left Toronto and do nothing for her. Mrs. Doyle rents {blank} of the Rooms in the House she occupies for [dollar] 3 a month. I think she might be allowed Coal twice and Bread for two months on account of the two Young Children.

856. Elizabeth Cook: 3 Walls lane. age 40, Margret 8, Husband in the Asylum. Canadian. Methodist Church. I do recommend Coal & Bread. {Herbert}

857. Robt. Brown: 858 Queen St. West. he is an old man, Colored. Barber. has a wife, no children. he just manages to get along in Summer but is completely destitute in Winter. he is a very respectable old man and recommend him for Bread & Coal.

858. Mary McEvoy: 144 Bleeker St. and find her a proper object for assistance. she has 3 Children. The oldest 5 years of age, a [and] twins 3 years old, also a Boy. the Husband has deserted her for the last 2 years. supports herself by Washing when she can get it, she is very poor. Recommend Coal & Bread with a little tea & sugar.

858 1/2. Jane Burns: but cannot recommend her as she is living with most disrepatble [disreputable] and drunken people. one of the Worst Houses in the Neighbourhood. till she leaves that house I cannot recommend her to anybody. Revd. C. Darling.

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859. Christina Smith: 29 Nelson St. Canadian, R.C. 3 children, 2 Boys, eldest 10 years, youngest 16 months, girl 5. lives with her friends. she goes out to work when she can get it to do. her Boy goes to night school. he stays at home in day time to mind the Baby when the Mother is at Work. she is a Widow.

860. Thomas McCutchen: Irish. C of E. [Church of England] aged 30, Wife 29, one daughter, 5 years of age. Husband was a sailor but does any thing he can get to do. Wife is sick in Bed alone 2 Weeks. she does look very sick. I think she should get Sick allowance & Bread.

861. Sophia Josylen: 315 Wellesley St east of Parlment [Parliament]. this Party is Certainly worthy of Assistance in my opinion. G.H. [Edwin Henry?] Kertland [See 1881 Annual Report, p. 11: Dr. Kertland, visitor, 1881-82].

862. Mary Donovan: 202 Victoria St. She is an old Woman living with her Brother, an old man. they cannot Work being both sickly. both are very sober and Good People. the [they] say they could get along if the [they] Have firing. I recommend Coal instead of Bread.

863. Thomas Hollingsworth ^age 55 C. of England, English^ labour, who is suffering from Bronchitis and has no home. out from England a few months, his Wife and Children being in England. Seeks admission. admitted.

Friday Dec. 15th

Present Ald. [Aldermen] Love & Flemming Revd. Mr. Antliff

864. Mary Thomson: ^Methodist, Irish^ is homeless and destitute and being a very decent and respectable person is a very fit member for the House. Wants to be admitted. aged 82.

865. Mrs. Mary Slater: 75 Hackney St. Widow. Englishwoman. Protestant. 5 Children, 1 [age] 10. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 14. 1 [age] 18. 1 [age] 20. She is a Washerwoman. Only member of her family earning is the little Boy of 14 who earns 2.50 per Week. Son of 20 is not able to Work, having been sick for some time back. Girl of 18 is helpless from acute inflammatory Rheumatism. House bare of Comforts. has just purchased 40 [cents] Worth of Coal. Coal & Groceries.

866. Archibald Craig: 12 Hope St. and have know him for some time. he met with an accident some time ago in a drain, as is so crippled he cannot work. Presbyterian. deserves Help. no Children. Mr. Darling.

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Tuesday Dec. 19th 1882

Present Revd. A. Williams, Mr. Flynn and E. Hobson

867. Margret Burns: 55 Garrison St. R.C. Ireland. one daughter who is very delicate and requires some nourishment. she requires Coal & Wood.

868. Mrs. Pankhurst: 14 Wilton Ave. 3 Children, 1 Boy 13, Working but at low Wages, 2 girls, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 8, youngest sickly. Husband dead. C of E. [Church of England] She has no work for the Present but expects to get some after Christmas. Recommended Bread & Coal.

869. Sarah Cox: age 59. C of E. [Church of England] very sick with Asthma, not able to work. I recommd. her Coal & Bread. in Toronto 6 years. C. Burns.

870. Emilia Stone: age 33. Church of E. [England] 100 Elizabeth St. a respectable Woman with 2 Children whose Husband has deserted her. supply Coke & Bread. ^W.H.H.^ A letter sent to the Telegram by a Neighbour. For a Mrs. Stone, 2 little children who are in a most destitute condition. the Poor Woman has been deserted by her Husband and although she has toiled early & Late Working at Sewing Machine they are on the Verg [verge] of Starvation, having been without fuel and food during the late severe

Weather. she is in perfect health and unless some of the Charalatic [charitable] Ladies of Which We read above Come to her aid it is hard to tell what will be the result. By a Neighbour.

871. James Hamilton: age 60, English, C. [Church] of England. wants admission and appeared before the Weekly Committee and, from his previous bad behaviour, was refered to the Monthly when his Case was investigated and he promising to behave himself it was agreed to admitt him. See Case ^1879^ 766, 669, 489 ^1880^ 848, 610.

872. James Stone: age 82, English, C of E. [Church of England] Cook and Baker, 87 Jarvis St. wants to be admitted. admitted.

873. William ^Margaret^ Conroy: 17 St. Nicholas St. recomended help as last Year. They [there] are only 4 children with them now. the Wife is Blind and will as far I can judge ever be so. The husband can Work and would advise sending him to break stones, and if he refuses to do so would only give some fuel to keep the Poor Woman Warm & the little Boy. refused to go to Work.

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Friday Dec. 22 1882

Present Messrs. E. Hobson Flynn and C. Ducket

874. Fredrick Pugh: age 51, English, C of E. [Church of England] was a resident of the city, has just come out of the Hospital where he has been to my knowledge for 6 months. He is relly [really] destitute and Unable to Work, with no friends in this County. We must do something for him. Could you get him unto the House of Industry. H. O'Brien Visitor. admitted.

875. Jane Chambers: Widow, 50, Irish, Episcopal. Charwoman, not able to do much work owing to lameness. recomended Bread. Recomend coal. ^Sold the Coal^ [in margin]

876. Jane Todd: 127 Center St. Respectable Woman, has had assistance before, been fully supplied. if she gets Coal she Can get on.

877. Mary Carney: Ave [Avenue] lane. age 68. husband 75. one daughter 16. recommend Bread & Coal.

878. Margery Sammey: 34. Married. C of E. [Church of England] her husband has been ill for 9 months. got Cold, then being Wet, he goes to the Hospital for Medical treatment, inflammation of the kidneys. only 32 years old. 5 Children. girls 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 2. Boys 6 years and 2 months. They have a very a very good stove but can only burn hard Coal nut. Ill [I'll] try and be at the House on Friday at 9:00 a.m.

879. Eliza McCauley: 29, English, Ch of E. [England] 99 George St. See Case ^789^ 800.



880. Mary Surrell: 243 little Richmond St. english. C of E. [Church of England] aged 39. Husband 40. Blacksmith. has not had much Work. only 4 month from England. one son 11, one daughter 2 years. I think Bread & Coal.

881. Jane Hedge: Widow. Rear of 359 Queen St. W. aged 40. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] she has 4 children, 2 daughters, 12 and 10. two Boys. 1 [age] 9. 1 [age] 5. She has also an aged Mother to keep. not able to work. she can get it to do. I think she needs help very much. Coal & Bread.

882. James Moore: C of E. [Church of England] Wm. [William] St. has not been well and unable to Work. give him some Bread and bring his Case before the Committee.

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883. Catherin [Catherine] Graham: rear of 61 Duchess St. Widow. R.C. 2 children, Boy, 1 [age] 11, Girl 1 [age] 3. Worthy of Coal & Bread.

884. Margret Riely: Rear of 61 Duchess St. Canadian. age 35. R.C. Husband left her 3 years. 2 girls. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 4. Worthy of Coal & Bread.

885. Ellen Robson: 33 Duchess St. Ireland. age 45. Married to 2d [second] Husband and he has left her. 3 children. girls. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 6. 1 [age] 4. Worthy of Bread & Coal.

886. Agnes Burns: 33 Duchess St. Irish. 1 [age] 28, 1 [age] 27, not at work. Joseph nephew 12. John Neiphe [nephew] 10. one girl 5.

887. Mathew Payne: 17 Simcoe Terrace, of [off] King. Irish. C of E. [Church of England] age 48. Wife 35 years. no children. he is Plumber by trade. he does not understand exactly the Plumbing business in this County but has had some work this summer, but not constant. his wife goes out to work, she gets it to do. he did not ask any person to apply to the House of Industry for him but should need it [in] The future he will apply for it.

888. Rose Cafferty: 158 Strachan Ave. R.C. Irish. Charwoman. no children. requires Coal and Bread. has a Sister in law living with her aged 74 and Mrs. Caffer [Cafferty] age is 68.

889. Benjamin Newson: 25 Dundas St. English. Wife and 3 Small Children. Came to Canada last summer, met with an accident which prevented his working for sometime. is now is now employed on G.T. [Grand Trunk] Railway but will not get paid for some weeks. is in Temporary need of Coal. I think the [they] are deserving of help as the [they] do not ask for any thing further. I would recommend Coal.

890. Alfred Bryson: 24 1/2 Bulwer St. English. C of E. [Church of England] Wife & Children, Boy 13, girl 11, Boy 8, 2 girls 6 & 3, and Babe 9 months. The [they] are in great need. He is sober steady man and both are hard Working, but as it is their first winter in Canada they find it very hard to get on. I know their Condition and recommend Bread, as much as can be given, and fuel when given out

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891. John Butler: age 75. Irish. R.C. in Toronto 35 years. 2 children, 1 Son William, 33, of age, not able to Work in Consequence of having his leg Broken. Mary Keep House. Recommend her Coal and Bread.

892. Ann Maron: 68 Sherbourne St. Irish. R.C. age 60. Widow. I do recommend her for Coal & Bread.

893. Rose Hughes: 16 Brant St. French from Quebec. in Toronto 14 years. Husband a painter but is not with her at present, left her 5 months ago. two Children, Boy 4 years, girl 10 years. seems to be near her Confinement so that she is not able to earn her living. pays 2.00 a month for room. Needs fuel now and will require Sick allowance when her illness Comes.

894. Margret Coady: 10 Browns lane. Irish. R.C. Widow. Husband died 2 years ago, no family living. almost 70 years of age. was hurt by a fall four weeks ago, is therefore less able to obtain Means of living. Recommended Coal Bread and perhaps Groceries.

895. Elizabeth Brown: No. 9 St. Patrick Sqr. [Square] C of E. [Church of England] Her Husband left her 2 1/2 years ago, an unsteady man, with two children to support, girl of 7 and Boy of 5. Could scarcely [scarcely] get plenty of work if strong and able to do it but she is evidently delicate and would work but unable to do it. I recommend Bread and as soon as ~~you~~ possible, fuel, Hard Coal. If some groceries can be given her it will be a Charity. Cayley.

896. Mrs. Patterson: of 9 Woolesly St. an aged Woman. she got Bread from your house while her little grandchild could go for it but the Boy got a situation and Cannot & the old lady is unable. She is nearly 80 years of age and very destitute. Could you allow her some flour as you do not send Bread. I called on ~~Mr.~~ Revd. Mr. Williams yesterday and he advised me to write you as the Revd. Mr. Stone, the Visitor for the District, has left. at all events send send her Coal. the Daughter is unable to support her mother. visitor R. {Walker}

897. Dora OConnell: 33 Givens St. she is a Widow with one child, her husband was killed about one year ago at Park Dale [Parkdale]. I know her to be a most deserving woman. she has had a hand or she manages to keep herself and child by going out to work. I beg to recommend that she get Bread & Coal.

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898. Jane Burns: but cannot recommend her as she is living with most disreputable and Drunken people in One of the Worst houses in the neighbourhood. till she leaves that house I told her I could not recommend her to any body. C. Darling.

899. Mary Kane: 60 Tecumseth St. is a poor widow having four small children and no means of supporting them. Will you be good enough to give her some Bread and also some Coal.

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900. Paul Coanice: has been in Toronto since May 1st 1880 to my knowledge. as he speaks a Mixture of French and Indian I am unable to obtain a portion of the poor fellows Case. One foot has been taken off above the ankle and all the toes and a portion of the other foot below the Ankle had to be removed. with Crutches or by Resting one knee on a Chair he is able to get about Dr. {ORileney} [Dr. Charles D. O'Reilly?]

901. Mrs. C. Rawlings: 71 Edward St. Husband daughter and 4 Children, one married, one in Service. Husband Cannot earn much. Wife hard working but three Work (in dying Work) for the time. Respectable. Coal which I recommend.

902. Gas Consumers Gas Co. [letter]: Dear Sir Enclosed please find 100 Coke checks for the House of Industry which you will please Sign as given out. you so arrange your distribution as not to draw on us for more than 1000 Bushels. Yours truly W.H. Pearson Secty. [secretary]

903. Mrs. George: 181 Hope St. is very badly off. I have visited the Case, she has one little child with her. very deserving Woman.

904. Mrs. Anne Frost: 71 Edward St. recommended by W. Kennedy for coal, Bread and Groceries.

905. Mrs. Harris: 35 Emma St. Coal and Bread.

906. Mrs. Wallace: 181 Center St. Coal.

907. From the Toronto Flower Mission, a very elegant varitay [variety] of scented sachets with scripture mottos for the Inmates Christmas.

908. John Tracey: age 51. Pensioner left as he would not agree to give all his pension according to agreement. left Dec. 22 1882.

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Present Messrs. M. McMurrchy, Revd. Rose

909. Albert O.E. Lero [Leroux]: Rear of 91 Jarvis St. age 37. Quebec. Labour. R.C. Wife and 3 Children. 1 Boy, 1 [age] 12, 1 [age] 3, Girl 1 [age] 11. Complains of Want of Work. Wants Bread and Coal. appear to be decent people.

910. Catharin [Catharine] Kehoe: rear of 16 Lombard St. age 54. R.C. Irish. Husband a labourer. no family. Wants Coal and Bread.

911. Margt. Leach: 74 Lombard St. Widow. age 50. R.C. Irish. Charwoman. Wants Coal.

912. Mary Brinham: 66 Lombard St. 54 age. R.C. Canadian. Charwoman. Wants Bread & Coal. Six weeks ago fell and hurt her shoulder, unable to work. but for the accident would not have to apply for help.

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913. Mary Ryan: age 50. 21 Richmond St. cor. [corner] of Victoria St. R.C. Irish. last year her Husband lost his hand at Hays factory, unable to Work. appears to be a decent tidy Woman. Wants Bread & Coal.

914. Louisa Grinsen [Grimason]: 16 Clinton St. is I believe a deserving Case, I have known her for some time. She is alone in the World, her Husband having been killed some time ago, she tried shop keeping but failed and has no means of support. Rev. C. Darling

915. Mary Griffiths: 2 Claremont St. I have also known for some time. she is a very respectable woman and her Husband has not steady work. she has two young daughters, 1 [age] 16, 1 [age] 14 years of age, just gone out to service, and there are 4 younger children. Rev. C. Darling.

916. Ann Prosser: I feel a little doughtfull about report, says she has money in the Bank. they are respectable people and I have known them for some time. there are 4 daughters, eldest 15 or 16, her husband is a labourer, belongs to the C of E. [Church of England]

917. Catherin Gordon: 137 Claremont St. is a Widow, R.C. Badly off. report says she drank a good deal in old days but I have seen nothing of it. She is quite alone and has lived where she is for some time years.

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Friday Dec. 29th 1882

Present Revd. Dr. Rose and Mr. A. Murchy [McMurchy]

918. Mary Sorrol: 243 Little Richmond St. Husband. 40. C of E. [Church of England] English. in Toronto since last Sept. 2 Children, 1 Boy 11 years, 1 girl 2 years. Requires bread but it is strange that I received the note to visit them after the [they] had got Coal. I believe the Husband is Working. Rush.

919. Ann Dunleavy: Rear 16 Lombard St. age 60, Charwoman, C of E. [Church of England] 1 Boy, 14, earns 3 dollars per Week. Husband injured 6 years ago by a fallen Sign not been able to work since. Bread & Coal. Please let them have it now. Goulding.

920. J.G. Smith: 230 George St. she has 3 Children, the oldest 5 years. Earns a living by sewing. she has a Couple of Rooms in that House about seems comfortable enough. I hardly think she can earn sufficient to pay her rent, fuel for the children. Her husband does nothing and is I think inclined to drink. I would recommend a supply of fuel and a couple of loaves of Bread a Week. Moffat.

921. Catherine Cullerton: R.C. no family. Widow with 5 children, aged 1 [age] 13, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 9, 1 [age] 6, 1 [age] 4. been out from England 8 years. been helpd before you call them In your note the live at 4 Clarence Place. Cannot vouch for their respectability. Darling.

922. Catherine Williams: has a boy aged 12, very delicate little fellow, but I fear the woman is not satisfactory. her husband has deserted her but doubtless with provocation. she is a R.C. 104 Herbert St. Darling.

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923. William Smith: I have recommended. he lives 8 Claremont Place. Darling.

924. Mary Gelbert [Gilbert]: her husband and 2 children, aged 1 [age] 7, 1 [age] 3. been very respectable steady and deserving, belongs to the C of E. [Church of England] English. Darling.

925. Bridget Hart: 12 Eastern Avenue, a native of Ireland, R.C. Catholic. aged 56 years. in Toronto 30 years. suffering with a broken arm. I recommend her Coal and Bread. C. Burns.

926. Margt. Sullivan: Irish. R.C. over 60 years of age. never was married. Coal and Bread. 23 Melinda St.

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927. Sophia Rickall: English, C of E. [Church of England] aged 40. Husband 42. Six children, 4 girls, two aged 14, one 12, 1 [age] 8, Boy 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 18 months. Husband is a painter to trade but out of employment. Bread & Coal. Rodgers.

928. Jane Bergoyne: Irish. R.C. aged 70. Widow. no family. she lives in a small habitation in No. 1 Muns [Munn's] lane. she is feeble old Woman. Coal and Bread. I think if she had something over Coal and Bread it not be amiss. Rodgers.

929. Ann Fox: 138 Richmond St. West. Irish. R.C. in the Neighbourhood of sixty years, rather feeble. Bread and Coal. Rodgers.

930. Mary Mayes: Widow. 123 Adeliade [Adelaide] St. Irish. Presbyterian. no family. not able to work with rheumatism and Heart disease [etc.] She was not in but learned the above facts from the people where she lodges. the Committee will be able to learn more about her if she comes before them and what they may think suitable to give her. Rodgers.

931. Thomas Nutter: 329 Front St. E. English. Methodist. in Toronto 7 Weeks. and his Wife 31. 2 children, 1 [age] 2 1/2, 1 [age] 8 months. he has lost one hand and not able to do much work. No Furniture of any account, is very much in need of relief. I recommend Coal and Bread. Burns.

932. Mary Coop: 50 years. English. Methodist. 3 children, Christina, 23 years, sick, Israel also sick, left the Hospital a few days ago. Elizabeth out of Work. they suffering very much for Coal and Bread which I recommend. 328 Front St. East.

933. William Smith: Stibbs Row, Claremont Place No. 8. a deserving case. He is a Irishman by birth. He is quite alone in the World, incapacitated for Work by an abscess in the neck which has been troubling him for some 10 years. I have known him for some time. he wants Wood. Darling.

934. Dennis Murphy: Walkers lane. Irish, R.C. aged 46, Fanny 40, William 10, James 8. Recommend Coal & Bread. Herbert.

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935. Jane Dalton: 56 Ont. [Ontario] St. Irish. R.C. Widow. age 57 years. ~~Husband~~ Son 14. Earns 1.50 per Week. Recommend Coal & Bread. Herbert.

936. Mrs. Taylor: 55 Bathurst St. Mrs. Scott lives at the same ^above^ address, 9 Robinson St. Husband deserted her 5 Weeks ago. He drank hard and left her penniless and in debt with 5 Children, 1 [age] 2, 1 [age] 8. she is trying to get some friends to take the children. if she succeeds Mrs. Scott will take her into the House. Meanwhile she is badly in Want of fuel and food. Mrs. Scott says she is of good character but cannot possibly maintain herself. I think she should be relieved. Shepphard [Sheppard].

937. Jane Lyons: 61 Emma St. Widow. 7 children. 1 [age] 12. 1 [age] 8. 1 [age] 7. 1 [age] 5. 1 [age] 4. 1 [age] 3. 1 [age] 13 months. respectable, hard working, has great difficulty in getting on. Recommend Bread & Coal. Howland.

938. Jane Pointer: 60 Elm St. a very respectable woman. Wretched Circumstances but owing to illness of her children she needs fuel particularly {in Case}. Recommend Coal. Howland.

939. Josephine Jackson: has 3 Children. husband out of work. Recommend Bread & Coal. Howland.

940. Mary Ann McAllister: 44 Elizabeth. one Son 20, Brakesman, just got work. think Coal once would answer her needs. Howland.

941. Jane Gibson: 73 Elizabeth St. 64 years of age. States that she is unable to work. look respectable. Recomm. Coal. Howland.

942. William Pettigrew: 44 Edward St. old Case. think he requires Coal and Bread. seem respectable, seem Clean. Howland.

943. Henry Martan [Martin]: 77 Edward St. Irish, ~~Methodist~~ Baptist Ch. age 62. unable to work from Rhematism. Wife hard Working. no children. decent, respectable. Recommend Coal an [and] Bread. Howland.

944. Catherine Ryan: rear 34 Center St. old Case. needs help. Recommend Bread & Coal. Howland.

945. Johanna Sweeney: rear of 5 Center St. beleive utterly unable to work. Wife & Husband, 3 children, 1 [age] 10, 1 [age] 4. R.C. Bread & Coal Recommended.

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946. {blank} Bartholmew: Rear of 144 Center St. Respectable hard working woman, husband paralyzed. needs Coal. promised to send it. (Mr. Howland)

947. Mary Summerville: 110 Terauly [Terauley] St. Husband labourer. C of E. [Church of England] man at Work. 3 Children, 1 [age] 11, 1 [age] 8, babe 14 months. seem respectable, decent. Recomm. Bread Coal.

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949. Mary Archer: 110 Borden St. Married. Husband is a BrickLayer but not able to work. she used to go out as a nurse but is no [now] too infirm to work. They have a little girl whom the [they] adopted and who is deformed and helpless. the [they] seem decent People, Protestants. Recomm. Hard coal and Bread. Kennedy.

950. Ellen White: 34 Eleanor St. English. C of E. [Church of England] 6 Children. 4 boys and 2 girls, ages from 4 to 16. Husband is a Labourer but is not able to work. None of the children are earning. The Eldest a girl is going out to service. They seem decent, no apperance of drink. Recommended [recommend] Hard Coal and Bread. Kennedy.