

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

To the Managers of the House of Refuge:

GENTLEMEN:

The health of the children during the past year has been comparatively good. One death has occurred. This was a boy who had long suffered with chronic inflammation and discharge from his ear, which finally attacked his brain causing his death.

It is a source of gratification to me, that the Managers have been able to act upon the suggestions, in my last report, concerning a Hospital. And as soon as the edifice for the females, now in course of erection, is completed, ample accommodations will be provided for the sick.

To Dr. Christopher Johnston, for his kindness in visiting the House during my prolonged absence from sickness, I am much indebted.

Very respectfully,

THOS. F. MURDOCH, M. D.

BALTIMORE, Jan. 1860.