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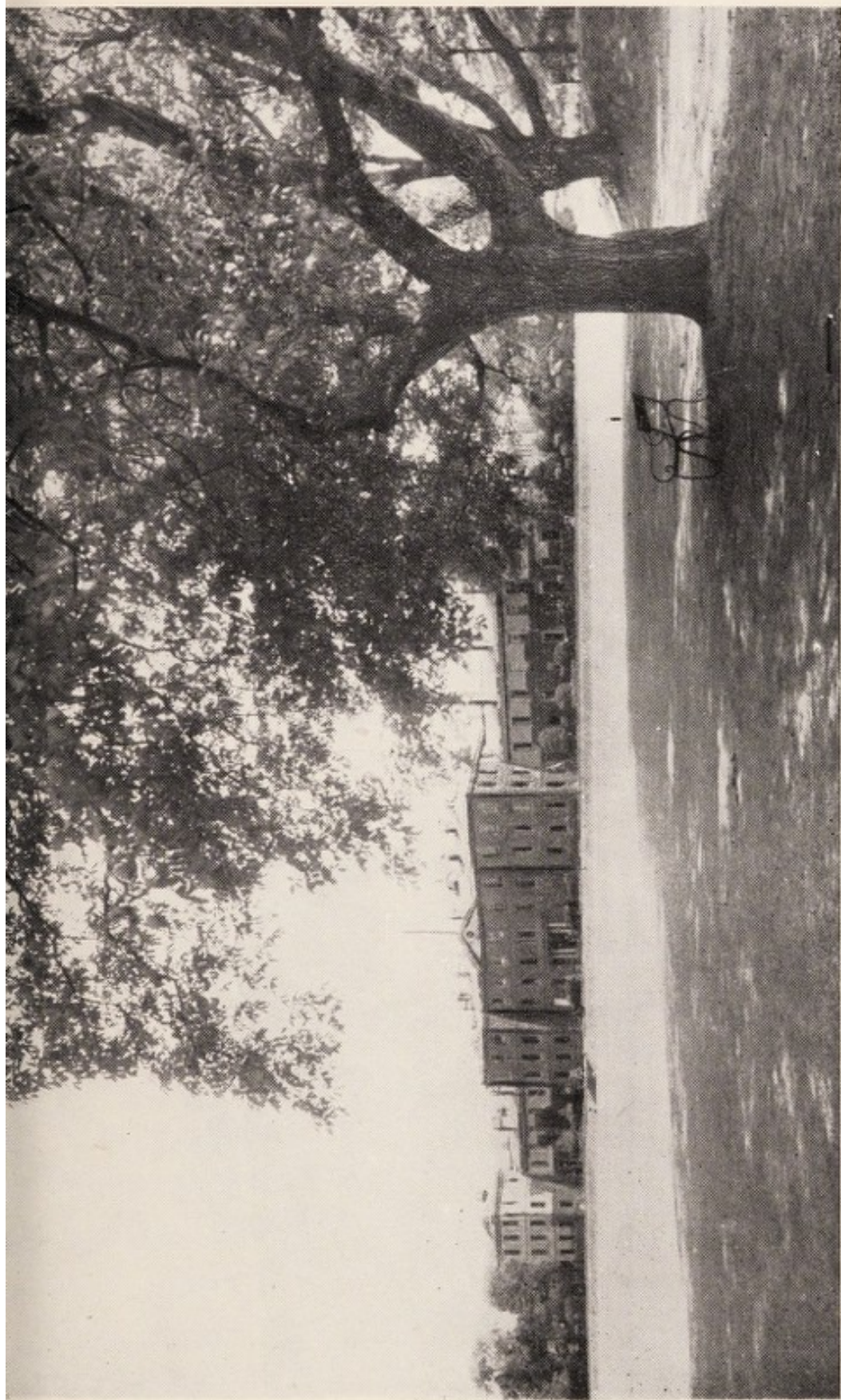


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AT THE  
General Stated Annual Court of Governors,

*Held on the 23rd day of February, 1940.*

The Annual Reports of the Committee of Management, the Medical Superintendent, and the Chaplains, and Audited Accounts for the year 1939 were laid before the Court.

And it was resolved—

That the above-named Reports and Accounts be approved and adopted ; and that they, together with the usual Financial and Statistical Tables, be published. Also that the Reports of the Commissioners of the Board of Control be printed therewith.

It was resolved—

1. That the Thanks of this Court be presented to the Chairman and Vice-Chairman of the Committee of Management, for the very valuable services they have rendered to the Institution during the past year.

2. That the Thanks of this Court be presented to the Noblemen, Ladies and Gentlemen composing the Committee of Management, for their very valuable services during the year.

3. That the Thanks of this Court be given to the Officers of the Institution, for their care and attention in carrying on the work of the past year.

The following Annual Appointments were made :—

1. A Committee of Management.
2. An Expenditure Sub-Committee.
3. A Farm and Grounds Sub-Committee.
4. Furnishing and Decoration Sub-Committee.
5. Locomotion Sub-Committee.
6. A Treasurer.
7. Auditors.

THE REPORT OF  
The Committee of Management,  
FOR THE YEAR 1939.

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The Committee of Management submit to the Governors their Annual Report for the year ending December 31st, 1939.

Eleven meetings of the Committee of Management have been held during the year, with an average attendance of fourteen members. The Expenditure Sub-Committee and the Farm and Grounds Sub-Committee met on twelve occasions.

During the year 166 patients were admitted. This is thirty-three more than the number of admissions during 1938. As many as 115 of this number were admitted as Voluntary patients, and five were admitted as Temporary patients.

The average daily number of Certified, Voluntary and Temporary patients was 500—a decrease of four as compared with the year 1938.

Fifty patients died during the year 1939—the average age at death was 72·10. The percentage of deaths to the total number of patients under treatment was 7·34.

The total number of patients discharged recovered during the year was forty-nine—seventeen males and thirty-two females. This is an increase of nine as compared with the year 1938.

Between March and September, 140 patients visited the Seaside Home, Bryn-y-Neuadd, Llanfairfechan, North Wales. The duration of their holiday was from one to four months each. When the outbreak of War appeared to be imminent, however, it was decided to evacuate seventy-seven lady patients to Bryn-y-Neuadd and, consequently, the arrangements for the remainder of the holiday parties were cancelled.

The Hospital contributed a very considerable sum during the year 1939 to enable many of the patients to remain at the Hospital, whose relatives were unable to pay the actual cost of maintenance.

Various alterations and redecorations have been carried out at the Laundry during the year, and a large room there has been converted into a Linen Room.

The male patients' workshop has been enlarged, re-decorated, re-wired for electric light and central heating installed.

A new cold storage room for milk has been provided in close proximity to the Kitchen, and arrangements have been made for all milk supplied to the Hospital to be pasteurized. The Kitchen has been completely redecorated.

Several of the Wards and Villas have been redecorated throughout, and central heating has been installed in the Cedars, Fernside and Ivy Cottage.

The Red House Villa at Moulton Park has been re-decorated and refurnished, and is now used for convalescent gentlemen patients.

At Bryn-y-Neuadd, redecorations have been effected in the Hall, and the Kitchen at the Annexe has been enlarged—an improvement much appreciated by the staff.

Since the last report considerable progress has been made at the Hospital regarding the occupation of patients—both ladies and gentlemen. As stated previously, the male patients' workshop has been remodelled, and there is no doubt that the facilities provided there will prove of inestimable value. The number of lady patients who attend the classes of instruction, given by the Occupational Therapist, has increased enormously during the year, and the quality of their work is, in the majority of cases, of a very high standard. No provision has been made as yet for a Ladies' Occupational Room, but the Committee hope that it may be possible to put this work in hand as soon as conditions are more settled.

Many patients—both ladies and gentlemen—continue to take an active interest in gardening, and much keenness and enthusiasm are shown by those who cultivate plots of ground allotted to them in the Hospital gardens. The open



THE CHAPEL IN THE HOSPITAL GROUNDS.



AN AVENUE IN THE HOSPITAL GROUNDS.  
SHOWING ON THE RIGHT A PORTION OF THE GOLF COURSE.





air life and occupation on the farm at Moulton Park are appreciated by many of the patients who reside in Villas on the Estate, and the beneficial effects of this form of therapy are readily apparent.

The Farm at Moulton Park and the Gardens at the Hospital are still managed very satisfactorily.

Dr. Phillips resigned last May after an operation ; during the thirty-two years in which he had been a member of the Medical Staff he had rendered valuable service to the Hospital.

The Committee are grateful to the Medical Superintendent, Dr. Thomas Tennent, to Dr. D. J. O'Connell, to the other Medical Officers, and to the Officers in charge of the various departments for the devoted care which they continue to give to the patients, and for their zeal in all that concerns the welfare of the Hospital.

KENNETH MURCHISON,

*February, 1940.*

*Chairman.*

THE REPORTS OF  
The Commissioners of the  
Board of Control.

FIRST VISIT.

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ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL,  
NORTHAMPTON,

*March 23rd, 1939.*

Since the last visit on behalf of our Board in October of last year the structural alterations and improvements have included a new Chapel adjoining the mortuary and a new post mortem room. Moulton Park House has had three new bathrooms added and a wing for nursing and domestic staff. Redecoration is being carried out in various parts of the Hospital; at the moment The Red House is empty of patients so that it may be completely renovated.

During the period under review the direct admissions have numbered fifty-three, of these 66% were received on a voluntary and 7.5% on a temporary basis. Forty-five patients have been discharged of whom sixteen are recorded as having recovered.

There appear on the statutory books the names of 293 ladies and 220 gentlemen; twenty-eight are away either on leave or on trial. Two ladies and four gentlemen were not seen by us as they were out for the day.

The health of the patients has been generally satisfactory; there has been no outbreak of infectious illness. The deaths have numbered seventeen; all were due to natural causes.

Progress as in other departments has been made with occupation therapy; two occupation officers have recently been appointed so as to further this form of treatment which is so helpful in providing a stimulus acknowledged as being beneficial to a patient's health.



SECOND VISIT.

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ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL,  
NORTHAMPTON.

*October 24th, 1939.*

At the second visit of the year to this Registered Hospital the names of 500 patients (221 male, 279 female) appear on the statutory books. Owing to the outbreak of hostilities last month a number of patients (twenty-five males, seventy-eight females) who might prove more difficult to handle from the point of view of taking precaution against air raids, have been sent on leave to Bryn-y-Neuadd in Wales. There were in residence at the time of our visit 387 patients (192 males, 195 females), ten patients being away elsewhere on leave or trial.

The total number of nurses available for duty today is 241 (121 males, 120 females) of whom fifteen and sixteen respectively do night duty; at a date in July there were 262 (132 males, 130 females) which shows a decrease of eleven and ten. We discussed the nursing staffs with the Medical Superintendent and we are satisfied that, unless some unforeseen or further emergency arises, the deficiency is of no great consequence.

Since the last visit on behalf of our Board, redecoration has been carried out in many parts of the Hospital; two villas, one for each sex, are being redecorated and central heating is being installed. In the male villa new accommodation for the nursing staff is being provided. These additions and alterations should prove of great value. The male occupation centre, in the course of construction, will be completed as soon as practicable. In addition to the above and other work that has been carried out extensive air raid precautions have been taken including sandbagging of ground floor wards and the equipment of several underground shelters.

We believe we have seen all the patients in residence, except two who were out for the day. We found them particularly quiet and contented and in a number of instances we noted the appreciation of the individual care and kindness that they receive. Three private interviews were given.

Our visit has clearly demonstrated that much active treatment is being continued. It is obvious that every advantage is taken of the facilities offered by this well equipped Hospital.

Convulsion therapy, both by Insulin and Cardiazol, is intensively pursued and we hope that a scheme will presently be evolved to ensure the systematic observation of remitted cases.

Extensive pathological examinations are carried out at the laboratory under the direction of Dr. Ashby, whilst the fullest use is made of the hydro-and electro-therapeutic departments.

In such surroundings as are to be found at this Hospital it is hardly surprising that the patients' general health is of a high standard. There has been an entire absence of epidemic and zymotic disease in the Hospital during the period under review. Twenty-four deaths (eight males, 16 females) have occurred, the average age at death was seventy-two years. One inquest was held, the circumstances of which have already been communicated to our Board.

Dr. Tennent and his deputy, Dr. O'Connell, accompanied us and gave us every assistance throughout our visit. The other members of the medical staff are Dr. Gibson, Dr. Davy, Dr. Ashby and Dr. Morgan Jones. Dr. Starkey is the resident medical officer at Bryn-y-Neuadd.

Our visit has been one of great interest and it is a pleasure to record the impression of keenness and progress left upon us.

Dr. Tennent and Dr. O'Connell give their valuable services in a consultant capacity at the General Hospital, Northampton, where they hold an out-patient clinic weekly for the benefit of the population of the County and Borough of Northampton.

JOHN C. RAWLINSON	} <i>Commissioners of the Board of Control.</i>
T. R. FORSYTHE	

BRYN-Y-NEUADD,  
LLANFIARFECHAN,  
N. WALES,  
*June 9th, 1939.*

In residence here today are twenty-one gentlemen and thirty-nine ladies. One gentleman was out for the day, but I have seen all the other patients and spoken to many of them.

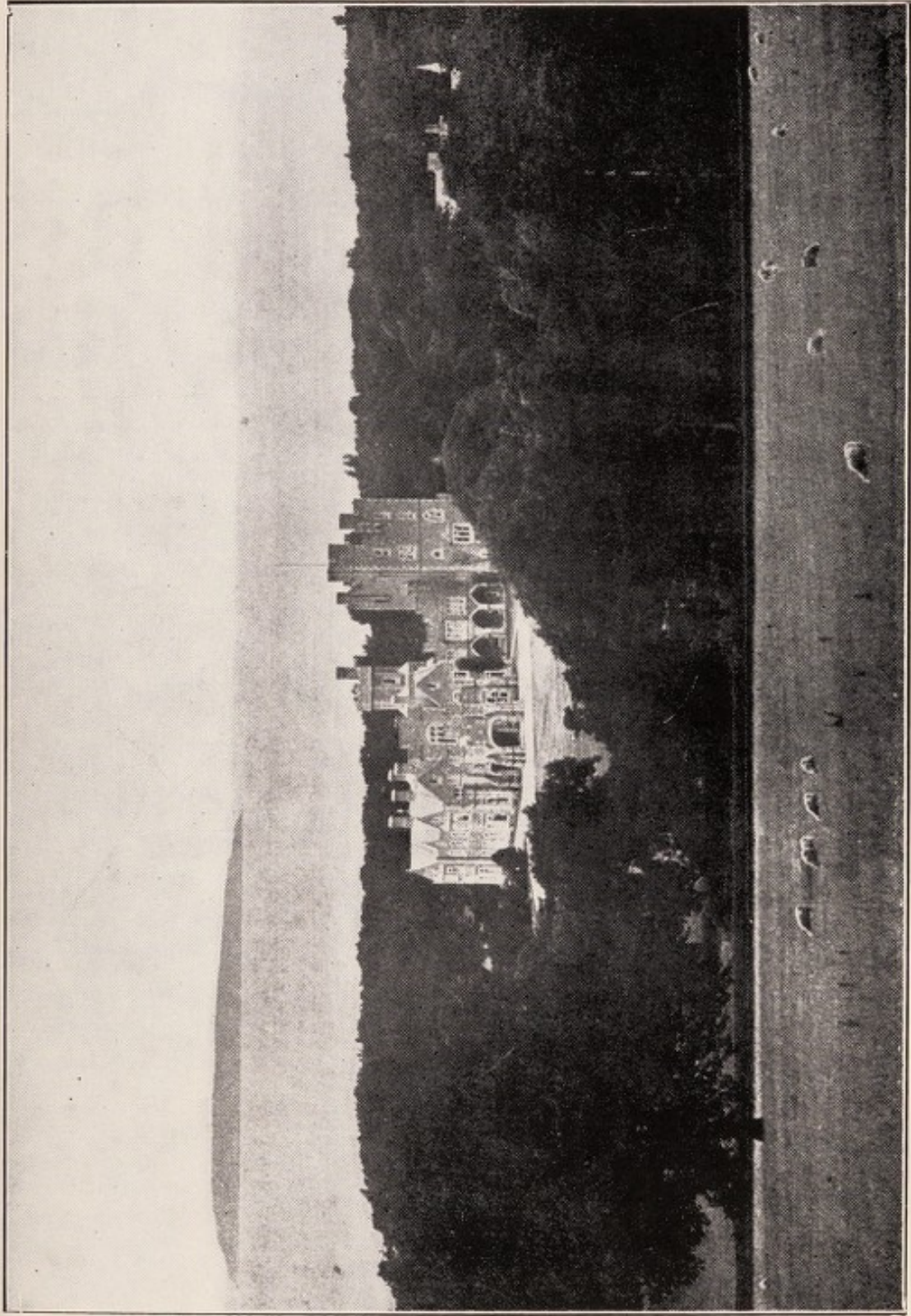
The custom here is that twenty-one gentlemen are permanently resident at the Annexe. The Hall acts as a holiday home, and is open from April to October, accommodating forty ladies during the first four of these months and forty gentlemen during the latter three.

Both the Hall and the Annexe are in excellent order and most comfortably furnished. The dining-room at the Hall has recently been redecorated. Cooking for each house is done in that particular house and, to facilitate these arrangements at the Annexe, the kitchen there has been enlarged and re-tiled.

I found practically all the patients out-of-doors enjoying the sunshine in the large and lovely grounds here. Many of them expressed pleasure in their surroundings and appreciation of the treatment they receive here. It seemed to me that a very great deal of personal care and attention is paid to everyone and that the nursing and medical care is efficient.

Dr. Starkey accompanied me on my round and gave me every possible assistance.

*(Signed)* FLORA CALDER,  
*Commissioner of the Board of Control.*



VIEW OF WELSH SEASIDE BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT.





THE REPORT OF  
The Medical Superintendent,  
FOR THE YEAR 1939.

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ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL,  
NORTHAMPTON.

MY LORDS, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to present to you my annual report for the year 1939.

In spite of the state of emergency, which has operated during a great part of the year under review, the work of the Hospital, as shown by the following statistics, has continued uninterruptedly. During the year, 46 certified patients have been admitted—29 ladies and 17 gentlemen. Of this number, 3 ladies and 6 gentlemen were transferred from other Institutions or from Single Care. One hundred-and-fifteen voluntary patients—55 ladies and 60 gentlemen, and 5 temporary patients—1 lady and 4 gentlemen, have also been admitted, making a total of 166 admissions during the year. This total number, 166, does not include 6 patients who were already in the hospital and were regraded.

Thirty-eight certified patients have been discharged—25 ladies and 13 gentlemen. One lady temporary patient has also been discharged; 89 voluntary patients—46 ladies and 43 gentlemen—have left. During the year 2 voluntary patients have been certified, one certified patient became a voluntary patient, and one was made a temporary patient, and 2 temporary patients became voluntary patients.

Thirty-nine certified patients have died—18 ladies and 21 gentlemen. Three temporary patients—2 ladies and 1 gentleman—and 8 voluntary patients—4 ladies and 4 gentlemen—have died, making a total of 50 deaths. Post mortem examinations were held in 12 cases.

The total number of patients under treatment during the year was :—

	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Certified patients .....	207	266	473
Temporary patients .....	5	2	7
Voluntary patients .....	93	108	201
Totals ...	305	376	681

The average daily number of certified patients resident during the year was 406—232 ladies and 174 gentlemen ; the average number of voluntary patients was 91—52 ladies and 39 gentlemen ; and that of the temporary patients was 3—1 lady and 2 gentlemen.

The numbers remaining on the books of the Hospital on 31st December, 1939, were :—

	Males.	Females.	Totals.
Certified patients .....	172	224	396
Temporary patients .....	2	—	2
Voluntary patients .....	49	56	105
Totals ...	223	280	503

The Statistical Tables will be found at the end of this report.

During the year, 27 patients—21 ladies and 6 gentlemen—who were admitted had been previously under treatment in this Hospital. Of these, 8 were certified patients, and 19 were voluntary patients.

The number of certified patients discharged—38—includes 19 patients transferred to other care. Of the other 19 patients who left, 13 were discharged recovered—10 ladies and 3 gentlemen.

The proportion per cent. of recoveries of certified patients to the direct certified admissions was :—ladies 38·45, gentlemen 27·27 ; taken together, 35·15. The proportion per cent. of voluntary patients who had recovered was :—ladies 40·00, gentlemen 23·33 ; taken together, 31·30.

The proportion per cent. of deaths of certified patients to the total number of certified patients under treatment was :—ladies 6·76, gentlemen 10·14 ; taken together, 8·24. The proportion per cent. of deaths of temporary patients

to the total number of temporary patients under treatment was:—ladies 100·00, gentlemen 20·00; taken together, 42·85. The proportion per cent. of deaths of voluntary patients to the total number of voluntary patients under treatment was:—ladies 3·70, gentlemen 4·30; taken together, 3·98.

Of the 50 deaths, 39 were certified patients, 3 were temporary patients, and 8 were voluntary patients. The average age at death of the 50 patients was 72·10 years. Forty of the deaths occurred in patients of 65 years and upwards; 34 of these were aged 70 years and upwards, of whom 10 were 80 years of age and over. All the deaths were due to natural causes.

The number of certified patients admitted during the past year was greater by 11 than in 1938; the number of voluntary patients was greater by 24, and the temporary patients were less by 2—a total increase of 33 when compared with the year 1938.

The average daily number of patients resident has been less by 4 than in 1938.

The total number of patients—certified, temporary and voluntary—under treatment was greater by 30 than in 1938.

The usual arrangements regarding the parties to our Seaside Home were considerably modified during the year. Nevertheless, one hundred and forty patients visited Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall between March and September for periods of one, two, three or four months. It was considered that this area was one of the safest in the Country, and that our accommodation there should be utilized as much as possible in the event of the outbreak of hostilities. Consequently, when this seemed inevitable, the arrangements for seventy-seven ladies to go there were carried out. The progress of events since War began is by no means what was anticipated. Furthermore, Northampton is an area to which large numbers of children have been evacuated so that it may be considered reasonably safe. It is probable, therefore, that the arrangements regarding the future use of Bryn-y-Neuadd will be revised at an early date. I consider that, if possible, it should continue to be used as a holiday home, during the Summer, as I am convinced of its value as such to those who are in the Hospital for long periods. In addition, there is no doubt that the patients greatly enjoy their holiday there.

At the Hospital, considerable air raid precautions have been made. Underground shelters have been provided and various wards have been set aside and appropriately protected for those patients confined to bed. A large number of the Nursing Staff, both male and female, have been instructed in anti-gas measures and they have had both theoretical and practical training in dealing with incendiary bombs.

The following alterations, repairs, additions, improvements and re-decorations have been carried out during the year 1939 :—

#### MAIN HOSPITAL :—

There has been a re-arrangement of rooms, to minimize labour in the main kitchen, and the whole has been re-decorated throughout. A new Hobart mixer has been installed there.

Pasteurization of the milk to the Hospital has been provided and a new cold storage room installed adjacent to the kitchen.

At the Laundry a large room, formerly used as a dormitory for the domestic staff, has been adapted as a Linen Room. It has been re-wired for electric light, and central heating installed. Additional dormitory space there has been divided to make five bedrooms for the domestic staff. All of these rooms have been re-decorated.

Considerable extensions have been made to the male patients' workshop. The whole has been re-wired for electric light, central heating installed and re-decoration carried out.

#### LADIES' SIDE.

Ward 1—Bedrooms re-decorated.

Ward 2—Bedrooms re-decorated.

Ward 3—Extensive alterations to day-rooms—new fireplaces installed, concealed steam radiators fitted, re-wired for electric light and completely re-decorated.

#### GENTLEMEN'S SIDE.

Ward 1—Bedrooms re-decorated.

Ward 3—New fireplaces installed in day-rooms, concealed steam radiators fitted, re-wired for electric light and completely re-decorated.

Ward 4—Staircase re-decorated.

## WANTAGE HOUSE.

Corridors and bedrooms on both Ladies' and Gentlemen's sides re-decorated.

Dormitory on Ladies' side re-decorated.

## VILLAS AND HOUSES.

Ivy Cottage—Central heating installed and re-decorated.

Cedars—Central heating installed, re-wired for electric light and re-decorated.

Fernside—Central heating installed.

All outside painting at Wantage House, Merchiston, The Rowans, Boughton Lodge, the Laundry and 80 Billing Road has been done during the year. Most of this work has been completed by Hospital labour; some of the paintwork was carried out by contract.

## MOULTON PARK :—

The additional accommodation provided at Ladies' House has proved of great value to both the patients and staff.

It seemed advisable to have accommodation at Moulton Park reserved for gentlemen patients who were convalescing from their nervous or mental illness. Consequently, Red House was re-decorated and re-furnished and it is now utilized for this purpose. The stabilizing effect of life on the farm, prior to a return home, has been appreciated by many throughout the year.

## BRYN-Y-NEUADD :—

The enlargement of the kitchen at the Annexe has now been completed, increasing enormously the facilities for work there.

The Main Dining Room and various bedrooms in the Hall have been re-decorated.

## OCCUPATION OF PATIENTS :—

Occupational and recreational facilities continue to play a large part in the Hospital regime. I have referred elsewhere to the therapeutic value of the work on the farm and need not recapitulate this. At the Hospital gardening continues to be popular, and those plots managed by the ladies and gentlemen are a source of great pleasure. These methods provide an outlet for those willing to co-operate, but there remain a large proportion of the patients for whom

these forms of therapy are unsuitable. Much ground has been covered by Miss Parry, with the assistance of the Ladies' Companions, in dealing with this aspect of the problem. This work continues to be carried out in the wards and sitting rooms, and all of us long for the provision of adequate structural facilities. I know that I have your support in this, and had conditions been normal I had hoped to press for this building. In spite of these difficulties, considerable progress has been made, and there is an average daily attendance of sixty-two ladies at the occupational classes. The constructional ability of individual patients has improved to a remarkable extent, and the stimulus to greater effort is readily apparent. On the gentlemen's side we are much more fortunate. It has been possible to enlarge considerably the Carpenters' shop provided a few years ago. The completion of this was delayed by the A.R.P. work, but I am glad to report that work there has been resumed and should be completed early next year.

An exhibition of work was held in December ; the exhibits including many types of embroidery, basketry, leather work, felt work, soft toys, knitting, stool seating, drawing and painting. The quality of the work was of a fairly high standard, and the exhibition was a great success.

#### OUTDOOR GAMES AND AMUSEMENTS :—

Tennis, on hard and grass courts, cricket, hockey, football, bowls and golf have been played in their respective seasons. The golf lessons given by the Professional continue to be popular and their value apparent in the standard of play. Plans were prepared during the summer by Colonel S. V. Hotchkin, M.C., D.L., for the extension of the golf course, but this work has had to be postponed meantime. The Annual Sports were held in July and were much appreciated by both patients and staff. Throughout the summer season motor coach drives were arranged each week both here and at Bryn-y-Neuadd. Facilities were also available for patients who wished to take such drives by motor car. When the weather was favourable the weekly bathing and boating parties on the river Nene were arranged, and were greatly enjoyed by the gentlemen patients.

Those patients who were fortunate enough to visit Bryn-y-Neuadd, Llanfairfechan, during the Summer appeared to enjoy their holiday. Practically without exception all of them improved physically and slept much better during

their stay there. The weather in the latter part of the summer was very good, and the bathing facilities were appreciated then to the full. Every advantage was taken by the patients to visit the various beauty spots in North Wales and many parties were organised for this purpose.

#### INDOOR PASTIMES :—

In Appendix I. of this report is the calendar of entertainments for the year, which is very varied, and includes dances, plays, cinema entertainments, lectures, concerts, whist drives, bridge drives, table tennis, chess matches, smoking concerts and billiards tournaments. The Hospital chess team, composed of both patients and staff, had a very successful season and carried off the Manningham Buller Trophy of the Central Northamptonshire Chess League. During the Winter months weekly choral classes were held for both lady and gentlemen patients under the direction of Mr. Cyril Davis (the Musical Director) and the Ladies' Companions. The members of these classes produced the usual cafe Chantants with great success. Reference must be made also to a very successful farcical comedy, "Baa, Baa, Black Sheep," presented by the staff in the early part of the year. The high quality of the production was merely the expression of the thoroughness with which the cast undertook the work and were prepared to sacrifice so much of their time for this purpose. Their efforts were greatly appreciated by all and we look forward to further productions.

#### WANTAGE HOUSE :—

In my previous report I advocated that this department of the Hospital should return to discharge the threefold function for which it was originally intended. I am satisfied that this is being achieved so far as its reservation for the investigation and treatment of acute and recoverable patients is concerned, and of its value in the investigation of patients in other parts of the Hospital. In the original conception of the unit, research was to play its part and structural provision was made for this. During the past year various investigations have commenced, some of which will be referred to later. I cannot feel, however, that this plays a sufficiently important part in our regime. I know that it is a matter of concern to some of you whether or not this work should figure in our Budget. Personally, I can conceive of no better way in which part of our resources

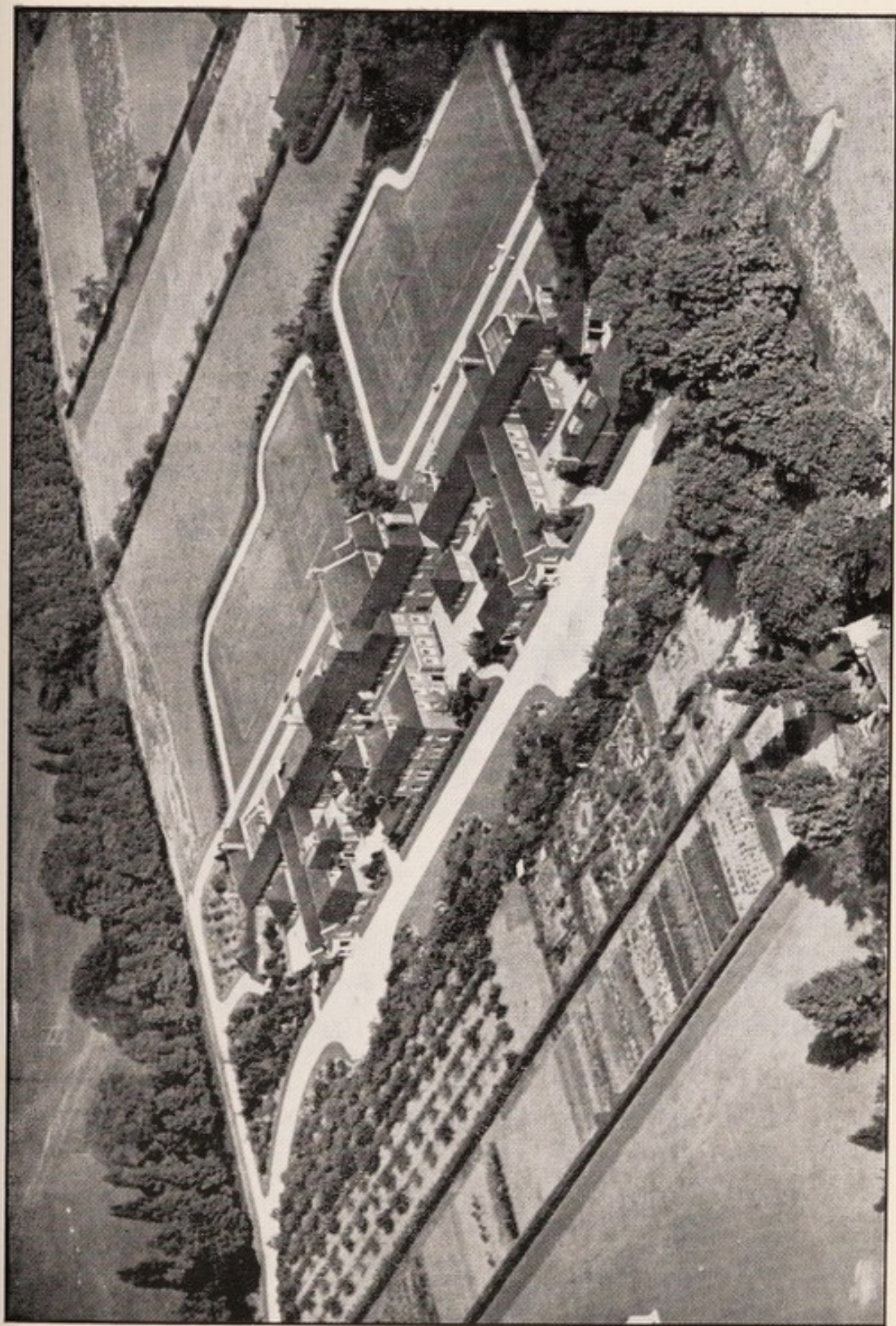


can be spent, than in endeavouring to procure some means whereby the offspring or relations of a patient shall be prevented from spending the ten, twenty, fifty or more years in hospital, which their predecessors have had to do.

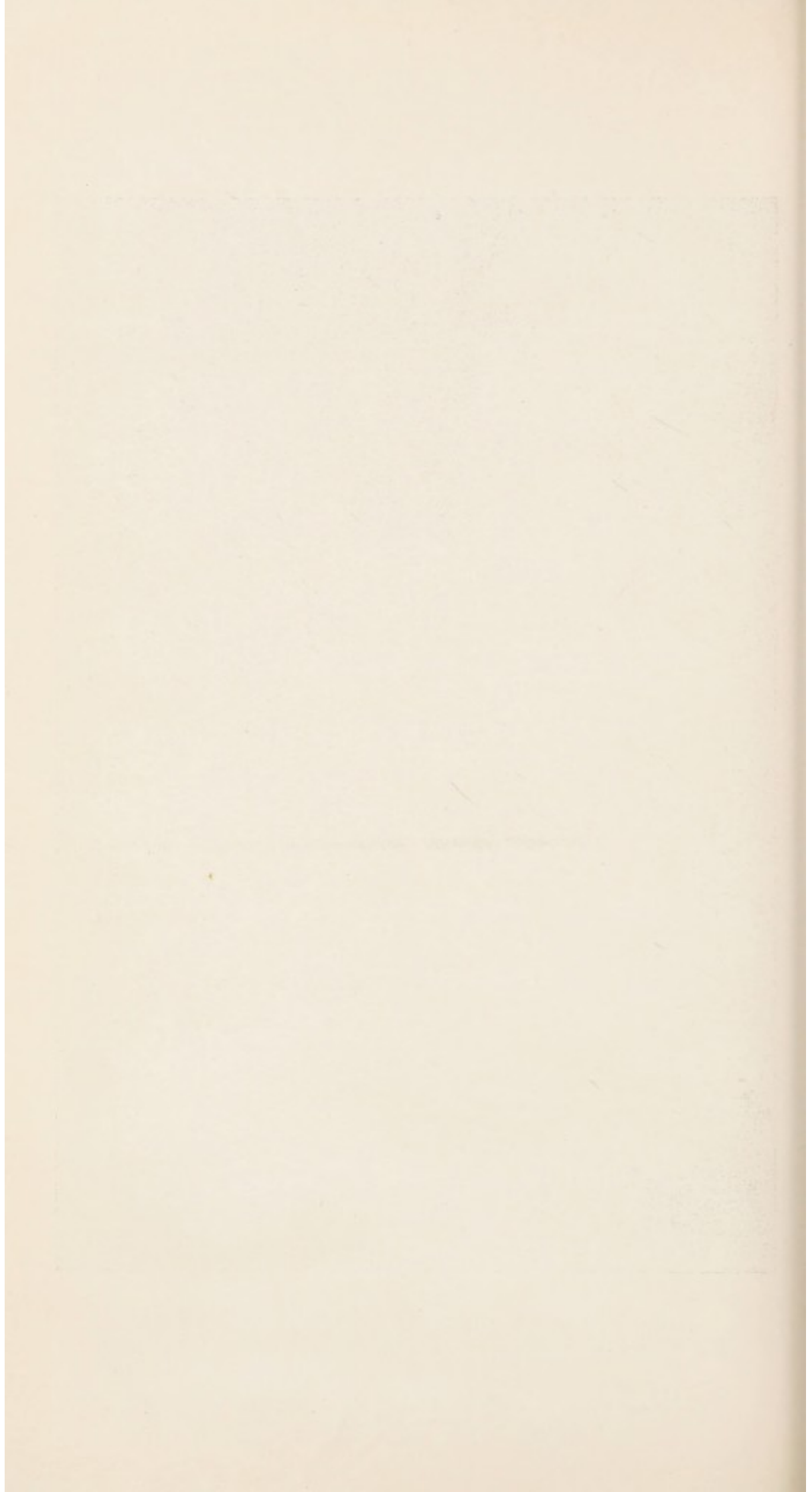
During the year 102 patients were admitted into Wantage House—of these 45 were ladies and 57 gentlemen. This is the largest number of patients ever admitted to this unit in one year, and is more than two-and-one-half times the number admitted five years ago. Of these patients, no less than 73 were admitted on a voluntary basis; of the others, 6 were temporary patients and 23 were certified patients. During the year 66 patients were discharged—a number of these completed their convalescence in our villas.

In my former report I referred to the therapeutic work being carried out by Insulin and Cardiazol on cases of schizophrenia. Treatment by Insulin was introduced here in August, 1938, and since then twenty patients have received a full course of treatment. The variation in response to dosage of Insulin was noteworthy; in one gentleman the method was abandoned as 1,000 units of Insulin failed to produce coma. Of the twenty patients who received a full course of treatment, eight have improved clinically so that it has been possible for them to return home. The remainder showed some degree of improvement, though in some cases this was only of a temporary nature. Considerable improvement was shown in the general physical health of these patients. Obviously many more patients will have to be treated by this method and results observed over a long period, before a true evaluation can be made.

Up to date, forty patients suffering from schizophrenia have received one or more courses of Cardiazol; of these, twenty have improved clinically so that it has been possible for them to leave hospital and the most recent reports show that their improvement is being maintained. The others remain in hospital, quite a number of them having been here for several years. The majority appear to benefit while undergoing treatment but, unfortunately, in some cases there is a tendency to relapse when the injections have been discontinued for some time. It has been found possible to raise the social level of these patients very considerably by periodic injections. Although originally introduced in the treatment of schizophrenia, this method is now being employed in other forms of mental illness. It has been our experience that it is even more beneficial in the treatment



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of manic depressive psychoses, and I am of the opinion that by its use in these cases the duration of the illness can be considerably shortened.

Various lines of research are being conducted in connection with both of these forms of treatment, the results of which will be published when further data has been collected.

#### HYDROTHERAPEUTIC DEPARTMENT :—

The beneficial effects of hydrotherapy in the alleviation of such symptoms as insomnia, anxiety, states of excitement and depression are generally accepted. We are exceedingly fortunate in the excellent facilities for this available here and they are extensively utilized. All methods are employed, but the continuous bath remains that in most frequent and almost daily use. The Turkish and Russian baths continue to be popular and efficacious in certain types of illness, more especially of the depressive variety.

#### RADIOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT :—

During the year, 243 patients have been examined in this department. The routine initial investigation includes stereoscopic examination of the skull for possible sinus infection, and this is carried out in each case. There were 46 dental X-ray examinations, and the other examinations included such special examinations as X-rays of chest, alimentary tract, kidneys and spinal column. In view of recent reports we are now carrying out an X-ray examination of the spinal column before and after treatment by Cardiazol. The results of these will be published elsewhere ; so far they are essentially negative, and suggest, at the moment, that the dangers have been over emphasized.

#### ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT :—

The electrocardiographic apparatus obtained during the past year has proved exceedingly valuable, and up to date 95 electrocardiographic records have been made. Its use enables us to establish, with a greater degree of accuracy, the nature of certain cardio-vascular disorders. This examination is carried out now as a routine measure before the employment of treatment by hypoglycæmia or cardiazol already referred to. Other forms of treatment carried out in this department were artificial sunlight, either for its general stimulant effect or for local treatment of the skin, infra-red treatment and diathermy. During the year, altogether 492 treatments were given in this department.

## OPERATING THEATRE :—

Four major operations were carried out during the year. These were herniotomy, amputation of breast, excision of tumour and excision of glands. Two operations were performed under local anæsthesia; in the other cases a general anæsthetic was administered by a member of the medical staff.

## REPORT OF THE PATHOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT :—

During 1939, the number of examinations made was 5,490. This is just under twice the number made in the previous year. These examinations may be classified thus :—

## BLOOD CHEMICAL EXAMINATIONS—

Bromide	...	...	...	...	170
Sugar	...	...	...	...	83
Glucose Tolerance	...	...	...	...	55
Calcium	...	...	...	...	4
Van den Bergh Reaction	...	...	...	...	156
Cholesterol...	...	...	...	...	5
Urea	...	...	...	...	163
Icterus Index	...	...	...	...	155
Potassium	...	...	...	...	3
Phosphatase	...	...	...	...	4
Corpuscle Chloride	...	...	...	...	64

## BLOOD EXAMINATIONS—

Total Counts	...	...	...	...	243
Leucocyte Counts	...	...	...	...	41
Malarial Films	...	...	...	...	21

## BLOOD SEROLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS—

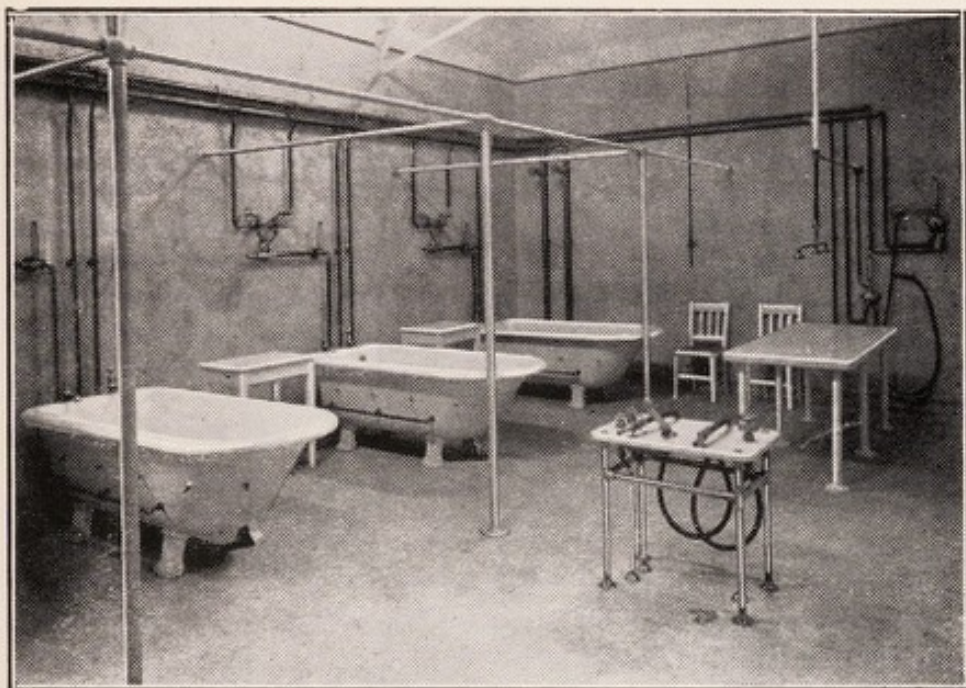
Kahn Reaction	...	...	...	...	8
Meinicke Reaction	...	...	...	...	160
Sedimentation Rate	...	...	...	...	200
Group Determination	...	...	...	...	53
Agglutination Test	...	...	...	...	19
Hanganatziu-Deicher Reaction	...	...	...	...	2

## CEREBRO-SPINAL FLUID EXAMINATIONS—

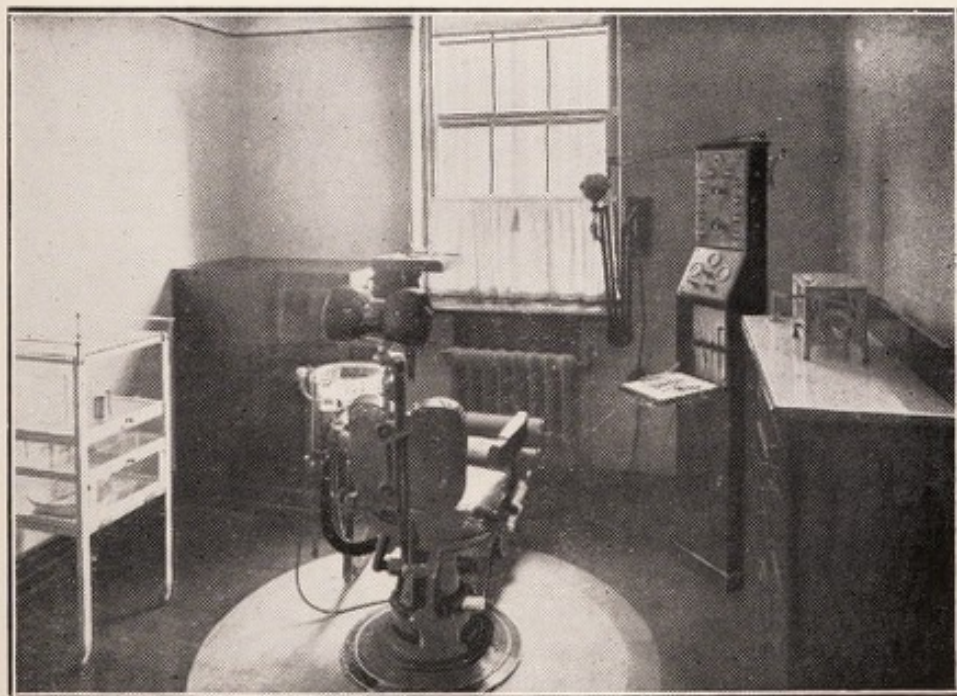
General	...	...	...	...	18
Kahn Reaction	...	...	...	...	16

## URINE EXAMINATIONS—

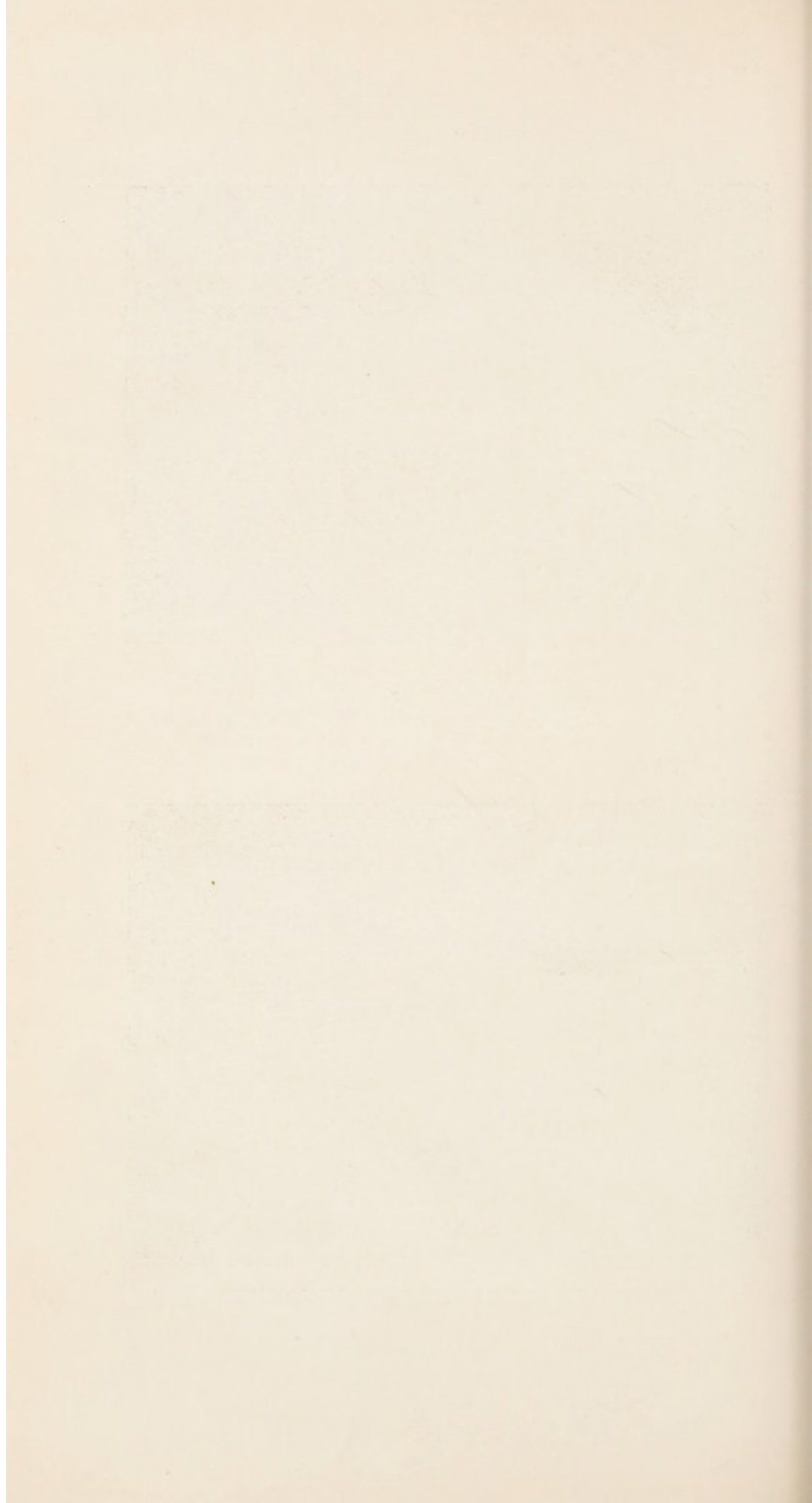
General	...	...	...	...	2,741
Special (various)	...	...	...	...	50



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## FÆCES EXAMINATIONS—

Bacteriological	...	...	...	...	678
Chemical	...	...	...	...	162

## BACTERIOLOGICAL EXAMINATIONS—

Throat Swabs	...	...	...	...	21
Pus	...	...	...	...	22
Blood Culture	...	...	...	...	3
Sputum	...	...	...	...	12
Skin	...	...	...	...	1
Test Meals	...	...	...	...	2
Examination of Vomit	...	...	...	...	8
Examination of Sputum	...	...	...	...	15
Friedman Pregnancy Test	...	...	...	...	2
Histological Specimens prepared	...	...	...	...	130

The investigation of the chloride content of the red blood corpuscles in various psychiatric conditions, referred to in last year's report, is still being pursued by Dr. Ashby.

The investigation of the conditions necessary for the continued stability of the brain when considered in terms of cell-function, has been continued during the year. The brain, when considered as a system of cells is, normally, not only stable but is self-stabilizing. Only systems of certain types can be self-stabilizing, and investigation of the conditions necessary is likely to advance our knowledge of the essential physiology of the brain. A preliminary report of the work has been prepared.

## OFFICIAL VISITORS :—

Dr. I. G. H. Wilson, Mr. J. C. Rawlinson and Dr. T. R. Forsythe, Commissioners of the Board of Control, visited the Hospital during the year. Dr. F. H. M. Calder, a Commissioner of the Board of Control, visited Bryn-y-Neuadd. The Chancery patients were all visited and examined by the Lord Chancellor's Visitors.

## NURSING STAFF :—

Sixteen of our nurses—6 male and 10 female—have been successful in obtaining the Certificate of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association during the year 1939. Two female nurses were successful in passing the Final Examination of the General Nursing Council. I am very grateful to the Medical Staff and to Miss Catterick, the Sister Tutor, for their work in training these candidates. The success of these nurses is due, in no small measure, to the tuition that they received.



## STAFF :—

I referred, in my last report, to the illness of Dr. Phillips. He returned to duty at the end of February and, although recovered from the immediate effects of his operation, he felt unable to discharge his duties to his own satisfaction. Accordingly, he tendered his resignation and retired on pension in May of this year. He had given very valuable service to the Hospital for the long period of 32 years, and we wish him many years in which to enjoy his retirement. Dr. D. J. O'Connell was appointed to fill the vacant position of Deputy Medical Superintendent, and I am very grateful to him for his valuable help. Dr. J. Gibson, who had previously had experience at Canterbury Mental Hospital, was appointed first Assistant Medical Officer, and took up his duties here in July. The other members of the Medical Staff (Drs. Ashby, Davy, Morgan Jones and Starkey), and the Chaplain (the Rev. J. T. Stevens) continue to render most valuable service and constant loyalty. My grateful thanks are also due to the Matron, the Chief Male Nurse, and all the members of the Nursing Staff, for their continued enthusiasm, sympathy and care; without such, the success of the Hospital would be much less evident.

During the year, the Hospital lost the services of three servants who had served it loyally for many years. They were Miss Amy Watson, Housekeeper, 40 years service; Mr. G. Griffin, Head Gardener, 45 years service; and Mr. F. G. Twist, Foreman of Works at Bryn-y-Neuadd, 39 years service. No one can deny that their retirement was well earned, and we wish them many happy years to enjoy this.

Messrs. Baker, Cæsar and Clarke continue to discharge the work of their respective departments with marked efficiency. I am most grateful for their assistance to me.

I should like to express my gratitude to the Chairman (Sir Kenneth Murchison), the Committee of Management, and the other Governors of the Hospital for their sympathetic consideration of my many requests, and for their advice, encouragement and support throughout the year.

I have the honour to be,  
My Lords, Ladies and Gentlemen,  
Your obedient Servant,

THOS. TENNENT,  
*Medical Superintendent.*

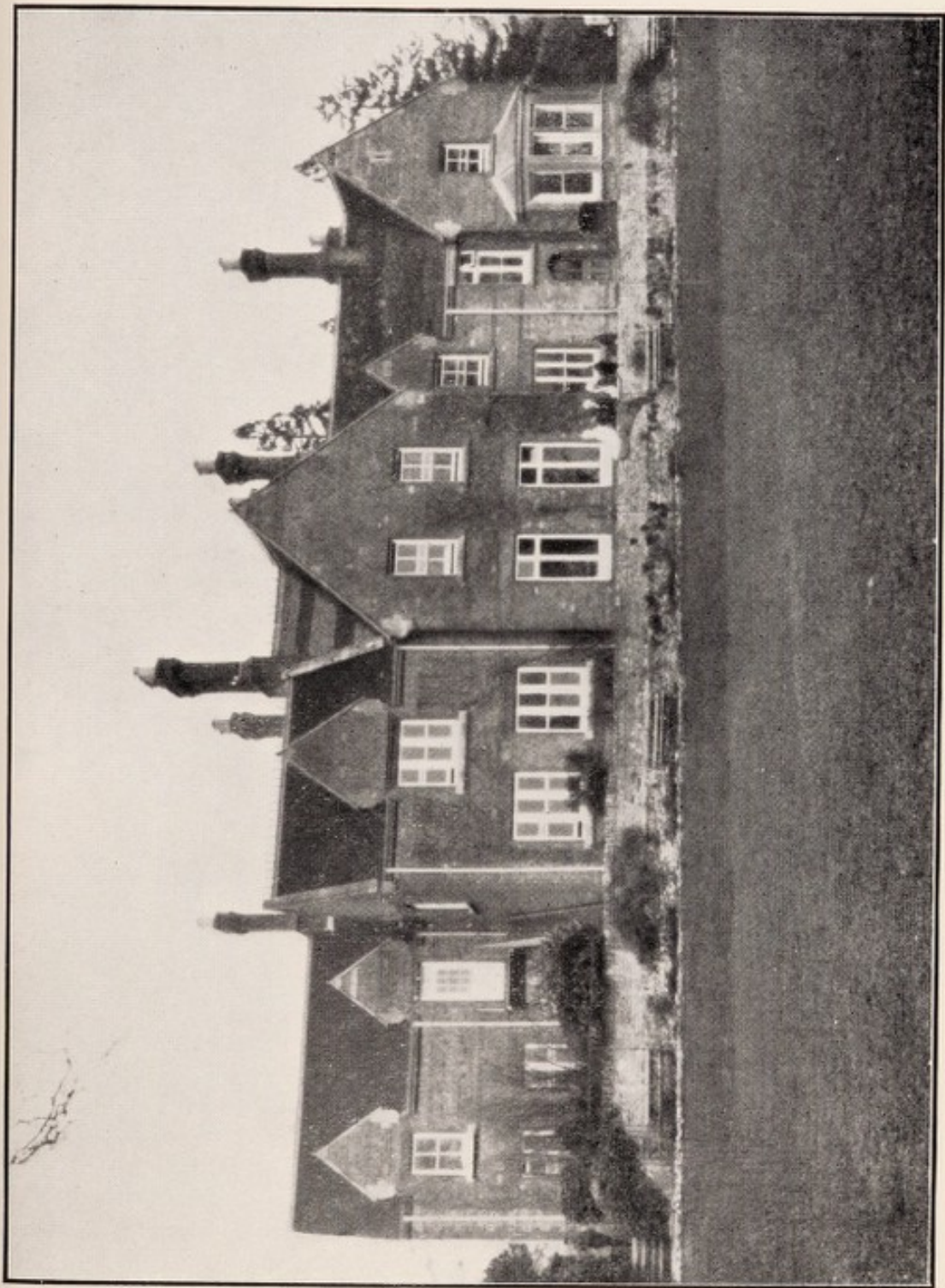
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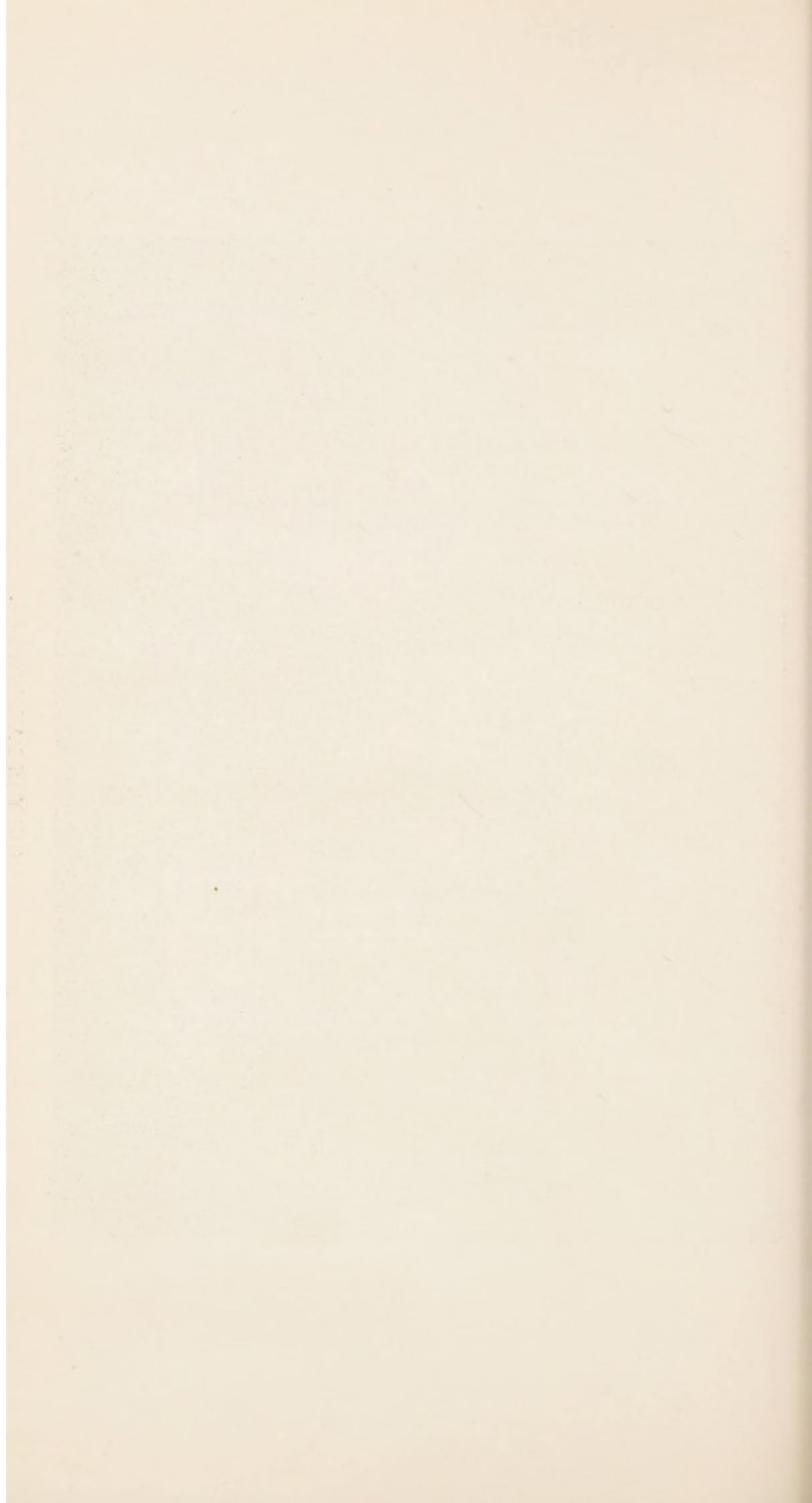
## CALENDAR OF ENTERTAINMENTS FOR THE YEAR 1939.

- Jan. 2—Nurses' Hockey Practice.  
 „ 2—Smoking Concert at Moulton Park.  
 „ 3—Party for Daily Women Workers.  
 „ 3—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 4—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 5—Football Match, *v.* Rugby Police.  
 „ 5—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Take my Tip," etc.  
 „ 6—Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 6—Cinematograph, etc.  
 „ 7—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Miss Harris' Team.  
 „ 7—Hockey Match, *v.* Leicester Westleigh.  
 „ 7—Staff Supper.  
 „ 9—Nurses' Hockey Practice.  
 „ 9—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 9—Snooker Match, *v.* Foresters.  
 „ 10—Christmas Party in Dining Hall for Wards 3, 5 and 6.  
 „ 10—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 8—11 p.m.  
 „ 11—Hockey Match, *v.* R.A.F., Henlow.  
 „ 11—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 11—Cafe Chantant.  
 „ 12—Football Match, *v.* Borough Police.  
 „ 12—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Parkside Ladies.  
 „ 12—Cinematograph Entertainment—"One Night of Love," etc.  
 „ 13—Golf Competition (Mixed Putting).  
 „ 13—Cinematograph Entertainment—"One Night of Love," etc.  
 „ 14—Hockey Match, *v.* Bedford.  
 „ 16—Nurses' Hockey Practice, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 16—Chess Match, *v.* Northampton Chess Club (League).  
 „ 16—Smoking Concert.  
 „ 17—Staff Ball.  
 „ 18—Football Match, *v.* Rugby Corinthians.  
 „ 18—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 19—Hockey Match, *v.* Peterborough.  
 „ 19—Snooker Match, *v.* County Players.  
 „ 20—Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 21—Hockey Match, *v.* Peterborough.  
 „ 21—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Northampton School for Girls.  
 „ 21—"Charity Begins" by Bancroft, D. C.  
 „ 23—Nurses' Hockey Practice, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 23—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 24—"At Home" at Merchiston House, Tea at 4 p.m.  
 „ 24—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 8—11 p.m.  
 „ 25—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.

- Jan. 26—Hockey Match, *v.* Bedford Thursday.  
 „ 26—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Kettering Ladies.  
 „ 26—Snooker Match, *v.* Town Football Club.  
 „ 27—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 „ 28—Football Match, *v.* Royal Dental and Charing Cross Hospitals.  
 „ 30—Nurses' Hockey Practice, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 30—Chess Match, *v.* Kettering Chess Club (at Kettering).  
 „ 31—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.
- Feb. 1—Hockey Match, *v.* Depot.  
 „ 1—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 2—Football Match, *v.* Rugby Police.  
 „ 2—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Stevenage Ladies.  
 „ 2—“ Baa, Baa, Black Sheep ” by St. Andrew's Hospital Dramatic Society.  
 „ 3—Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 3—“ Baa, Baa, Black Sheep ” by St. Andrew's Hospital Dramatic Society.  
 „ 4—“ Baa, Baa, Black Sheep ” by St. Andrew's Hospital Dramatic Society.  
 „ 6—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 6—Smoking Concert at Moulton Park.  
 „ 7—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 8—11 p.m.  
 „ 8—Hockey Match, *v.* R.A.F., Wittering.  
 „ 8—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 9—Snooker Match, *v.* The Saints.  
 „ 9—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Storm in a Teacup.”  
 „ 10—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 10—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Storm in a Teacup.”  
 „ 11—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* N.C.A.A. Ladies.  
 „ 11—Hockey Match, *v.* Quorn.  
 „ 13—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 13—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 14—Men's House Hockey Match.  
 „ 14—Entertainment by Mr. Walter Wilkinson, at 8 p.m.—“ The Peep Show.”  
 „ 15—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 15—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 8—11 p.m.  
 „ 16—Football Match, *v.* Central Y.M.C.A.  
 „ 16—Snooker Match, 2nd Team *v.* Burton's.  
 „ 16—Chess Match, *v.* Rushden Chess Club (Home).  
 „ 17—Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 18—Football Match, *v.* Wellingborough Park St. Methodist.  
 „ 18—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Raunds' Ladies.  
 „ 20—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 20—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 21—House Football Match.



MOULTON PARK HOUSE.



- Feb. 21—"At Home" at Merchiston House, Tea at 4 p.m.  
 ,, 22—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 ,, 22—Cafe Chantant.  
 ,, 23—Football Match, *v.* Rangers F.C.  
 ,, 23—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Brackley Ladies.  
 ,, 23—Snooker Match, *v.* Whitworth Road Conservative Club.  
 ,, 24—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 ,, 25—Hockey Match *v.* Northampton.  
 ,, 25—"Housemaster" by Wyndham D.C.  
 ,, 27—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 ,, 27—Smoking Concert.  
 ,, 28—Snooker Match, 2nd Team *v.* Claire.
- March 1—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 ,, 1—Cafe Chantant.  
 ,, 2—Football Match, *v.* Burton's F.C.  
 ,, 2—Cinematograph Entertainment—"When Love is Young," etc.  
 ,, 3—Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 ,, 3—Cinematograph Entertainment—"When Love is Young," etc.  
 ,, 4—Hockey Match, *v.* Leicester Harlequins.  
 ,, 4—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Enigma Ladies.  
 ,, 6—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 ,, 6—Snooker Match, *v.* Monks' Park Club.  
 ,, 7—"At Home" at Merchiston House.  
 ,, 7—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 8—11 p.m.  
 ,, 8—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 ,, 8—Chess Match (Northants League), *v.* Wellingborough (away).  
 ,, 9—Football Match, *v.* P. Phipps & Co.  
 ,, 9—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Northampton Ladies.  
 ,, 9—Billiards Match, 2nd Team *v.* Foresters.  
 ,, 10—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 ,, 11—Hockey Match, *v.* Rugby.  
 ,, 11—"Laburnum Grove" by London Rotary Players.  
 ,, 13—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Wellingborough Ladies.  
 ,, 13—Smoking Concert at Moulton Park.  
 ,, 14—House Football Match.  
 ,, 14—Whist Drive.  
 ,, 15—Hockey Match, *v.* Henlow (at Henlow).  
 ,, 15—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 ,, 15—Nurses' Fancy Dress Dance.  
 ,, 16—Football Match, *v.* Northampton Nomads.  
 ,, 16—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Aren't Men Beasts," etc.  
 ,, 17—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 ,, 17—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Aren't Men Beasts," etc.  
 ,, 18—House Hockey Match.  
 ,, 20—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.

- March 20—Snooker Match, *v.* Monks' Park Club 2nd Team.  
 „ 21—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 8—11 p.m.  
 „ 22—Hockey Match, *v.* Depot.  
 „ 22—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 23—Football Match, *v.* Northants County Police.  
 „ 23—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Rushden Ladies.  
 „ 23—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ The Sky's the Limit,” etc.  
 „ 24—Golf Competition (Mixed Foursome).  
 „ 24—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ The Sky's the Limit,” etc.  
 „ 25—House Football Match.  
 „ 27—Nurses' House Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 27—Smoking Concert.  
 „ 27—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 28—Men's House Hockey Match.  
 „ 28—Choirmen's Social, and Billiards Match.  
 „ 29—Football Match, *v.* Rugby Wednesday.  
 „ 29—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 30—Hockey Match, *v.* Leicester Thursday.  
 „ 30—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Higham Ferrers Ladies.  
 „ 30—Billiards Match, *v.* Rangers.  
 „ 31—Golf Competition (Bogey).
- April 1—Hockey Match, *v.* Nuneaton.  
 „ 1—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 1—“ Painted Sparrows ” by Delphic Dramatic Society.  
 „ 3—First Party of Ladies went to Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 5—Football Match, *v.* Berrywood F.C.  
 „ 6—Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 8—Hockey Match, *v.* St. Neots.  
 „ 8—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 10—Party to Towcester Races.  
 „ 11—Whist Drive, 8 p.m.  
 „ 12—Hockey Match, *v.* R.A.F., Wittering.  
 „ 13—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ As Good as Married,” etc.  
 „ 14—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 „ 14—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ As Good as Married,” etc.  
 „ 15—Hockey Match, *v.* Hinckley.  
 „ 15—“ The Wind and the Rain ” by Mr. Stanley Ford's D.S.  
 „ 17—Smoking Concert at Moulton Park.  
 „ 17—Bridge Match.  
 „ 19—Table Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 21—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 25—“ At Home ” at Merchiston House.  
 „ 27—House Bowls Match.  
 „ 28—Golf Competition (Mixed Foursomes).  
 „ 29—House Cricket Match.

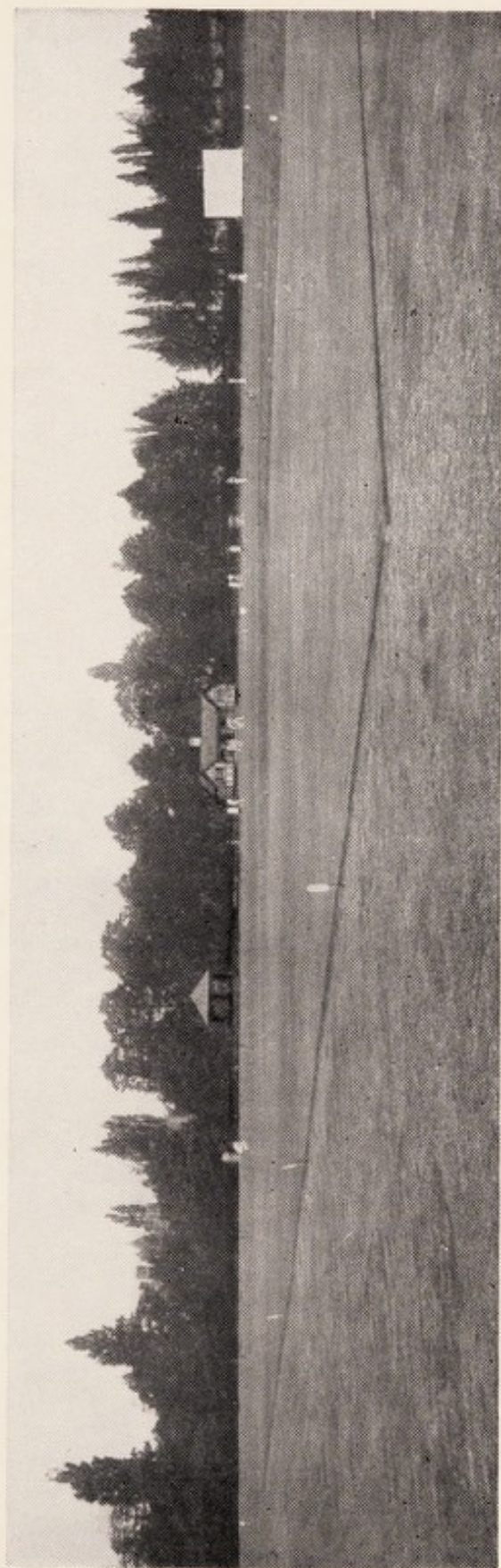
- May 1—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Northants County XI. (Day Match).  
 „ 1—First Party of Ladies returned from Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 2—Second Party of Ladies went to Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 3—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Castle Ashby, Grendon, etc.  
 „ 3—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 4—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Old Northamptonians.  
 „ 4—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Castle Ashby, etc.  
 „ 5—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 5—Nursing Staff Lawn Tennis Practice.  
 „ 5—Bowls Match, *v.* St. Michael's.  
 „ 6—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Compton.  
 „ 6—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Ecton Hall C.C.  
 „ 6—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 8—Boating Party on the River Nene.  
 „ 8—Bowls Match, *v.* Nondescripts.  
 „ 9—House Cricket Match.  
 „ 10—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Brixworth, Spratton, etc.  
 „ 10—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 11—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Brixworth, etc.  
 „ 11—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Northampton Taxes.  
 „ 11—Golf Tournament (Mixed Foursomes).  
 „ 12—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 „ 12—Bowls Match, *v.* Nelco.  
 „ 13—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Clarence.  
 „ 13—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 13—Lawn Tennis. Men's County Trials.  
 „ 15—Boating Party to Billing Bridge.  
 „ 16—House Cricket Match.  
 „ 16—Bowls Match, *v.* Express.  
 „ 17—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Brafield, Denton, etc.  
 „ 17—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 18—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Regent.  
 „ 18—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Brafield, etc.  
 „ 19—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 19—Nursing Staff Lawn Tennis Practice, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 19—House Bowls Match, 2—4 p.m.  
 „ 20—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Old Northamptonians.  
 „ 20—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Inland Revenue.  
 „ 20—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 20—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* Miss Bishop's Team, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 22—Boating Party to Clifford Hill.  
 „ 22—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 23—Cricket Match, 3rd XI. *v.* Moulton Park.  
 „ 24—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Corby, etc.  
 „ 24—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 25—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Corby, etc.



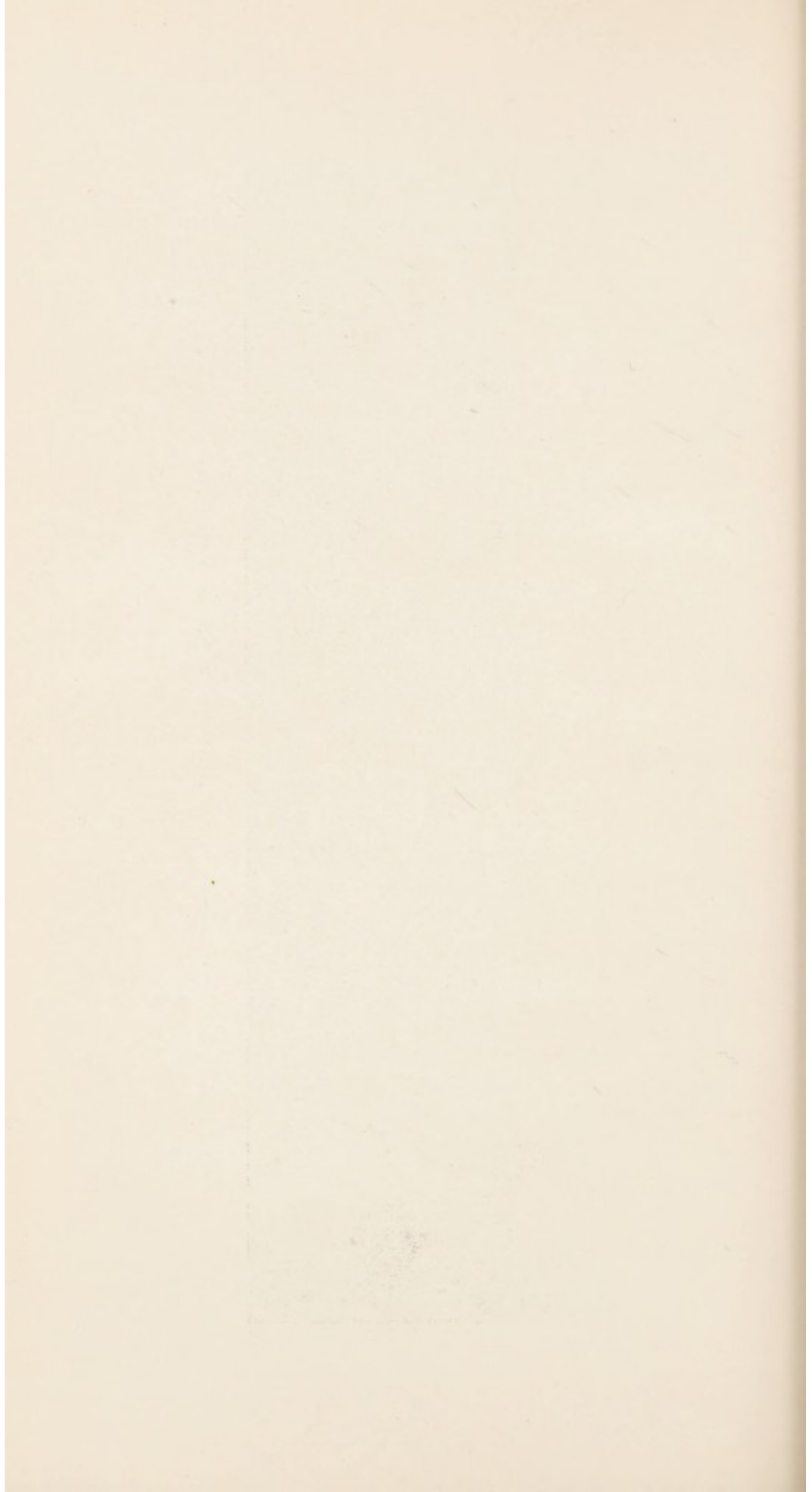
- May 25—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Phipps' C.C.  
 „ 26—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 26—Bowls Match, *v.* Brington.  
 „ 27—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Rugby.  
 „ 27—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 27—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* Abington Club, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 29—Boating Party on the River Nene.  
 „ 29—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 30—House Cricket Match.  
 „ 30—Second Party of Ladies returned from Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 31—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Roade, Castlethorpe, etc.  
 „ 31—Third Party of Ladies went to Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 31—Lawn Tennis Tournament.
- June 1—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Roade, Castlethorpe, etc.  
 „ 1—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Old Northamptonians.  
 „ 2—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 2—Bowls Match, *v.* Birdsall & Sons.  
 „ 3—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Northampton Town & County School  
 „ 3—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Institute of Agriculture.  
 „ 3—Lawn Tennis Practice, 10.45 a.m.  
 „ 3—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* The United Club (Mixed Doubles),  
 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 5—Boating Picnic on the River Nene.  
 „ 5—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 6—House Cricket Match.  
 „ 6—Bowls Match, *v.* Doddridge.  
 „ 7—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Pitsford, Brixworth, etc.  
 „ 7—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 8—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Pitsford, Brixworth, etc.  
 „ 8—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Wellingborough.  
 „ 9—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 „ 10—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Market Harborough.  
 „ 10—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Milton.  
 „ 10—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 10—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* Rushmere Club (Mixed Doubles),  
 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 12—Boating Party to Billing Bridge.  
 „ 12—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 12—Bowls Match *v.* Master Butchers.  
 „ 13—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Hospital 3rd XI. at Moulton  
 Park (Day Match).  
 „ 14—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Bozeat, Grendon, etc.  
 „ 14—Cricket Match, Mr. Ince Jones' School *v.* Northampton Town  
 and County School 2nd XI.  
 „ 14—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 15—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Bozeat, etc.

- June 15—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Pitsford.  
 „ 16—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 16—Nurses' Lawn Tennis Practice, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 16—Bowls Match, *v.* Chronicle and Echo.  
 „ 17—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Leicester.  
 „ 17—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 17—Lawn Tennis County Match, Northants. *v.* Notts.  
 „ 19—Boating and Bathing Party to Clifford Hill.  
 „ 19—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 20—Party of Gentlemen to Whipsnade Zoological Gardens.  
 „ 20—Bowls Match, *v.* Enterprise.  
 „ 21—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Wicksteed Park, etc.  
 „ 21—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 22—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Wicksteed Park, etc.  
 „ 22—Christ Church Garden Party.  
 „ 23—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 23—Nurses' Lawn Tennis Practice, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 24—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Wellingborough School (Day Match).  
 „ 24—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Claire.  
 „ 24—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 24—Lawn Tennis Match, Northampton (Junior Men) *v.* Leicester.  
 „ 26—Boating Picnic on the River Nene.  
 „ 26—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 27—House Cricket Match.  
 „ 27—Lawn Tennis Party at Merchiston House.  
 „ 28—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Denton, Yardley Hastings, etc.  
 „ 28—Third Party of Ladies returned from Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 28—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 28—Bowls Match, *v.* West Haddon.  
 „ 29—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Denton, etc.  
 „ 29—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Northampton Taxes.  
 „ 29—Fourth Party of Ladies went to Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 30—Bowls Match, *v.* Kettering Road.
- July 1—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Leicester Ivanhoe.  
 „ 1—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Sywell.  
 „ 1—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 1—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* Rushmere Club (Mixed Doubles),  
 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 3—Boating Party to Billing Bridge.  
 „ 3—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 3—Bowls Match, *v.* Doddridge Memorial.  
 „ 4—House Bowls Match, 2—4 p.m.  
 „ 5—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Blisworth, Roade, etc.  
 „ 5—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 6—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Blisworth, etc.

- July 6—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Wellingborough Town.  
 „ 7—Golf Foursomes with the Professional (W. G. Saunders).  
 „ 8—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* B.T.H., Rugby.  
 „ 8—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Temperance 2nd XI.  
 „ 8—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 8—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* Abington (Mixed Doubles), 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 10—Boating Party to Weston Mill.  
 „ 10—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 10—Bowls Match, *v.* L.M.S. Railway.  
 „ 10—Cricket Match, Leather Trades Athletic Association Final,  
 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 11—House Cricket Match.  
 „ 11—Party of Ladies to Whipsnade Zoological Gardens.  
 „ 12—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Brington, etc.  
 „ 12—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 13—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Brington, etc.  
 „ 13—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Castle.  
 „ 14—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 14—Bowls Match, *v.* Manfield & Sons.  
 „ 15—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Doddridge Memorial.  
 „ 15—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Inland Revenue.  
 „ 15—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 15—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* Mr. Mellor's Team (Mixed Doubles),  
 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 17—Boating Party on the River Nene.  
 „ 17—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 17—Bowls Match, *v.* "White Horse."  
 „ 18—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Northants Amateurs (Day Match).  
 „ 19—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Moulton, Overstone, etc.  
 „ 19—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 20—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Moulton, etc.  
 „ 21—Golf Foursomes (Mixed).  
 „ 21—House Bowls Match, 2—4 p.m.  
 „ 22—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Wollaston.  
 „ 22—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Postal Sports.  
 „ 22—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 22—Lawn Tennis Match, *v.* National Provincial Bank (Mixed  
 Doubles), 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 24—Boating Party to Clifford Hill.  
 „ 24—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 24—Bowls Match, *v.* Park Avenue.  
 „ 25—Annual Sports.  
 „ 26—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Denton, Yardley Hastings, etc.  
 „ 26—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 27—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Denton, etc.  
 „ 27—Cricket Match, 2nd XI. *v.* Regent.



THE SPORTS GROUND, WITH BOWLS GREEN IN THE FOREGROUND.



- July 27—Fourth Party of Ladies returned from Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 28—Single Club Competition (Golf).  
 „ 28—Bowls Match, *v.* Corporation Transport.  
 „ 29—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* St. Ebba's Hospital, Epsom  
 (Day Match).  
 „ 29—Lawn Tennis Practice (Hard Court).  
 „ 31—Boating Party to Billing Bridge.  
 „ 31—Lawn Tennis Club Day.

- August 1—First Party of Gentlemen went to Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 1—Bowls Match, *v.* Kislingbury.  
 „ 2—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Earls Barton, Finedon, etc.  
 „ 2—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 3—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Earls Barton, etc.  
 „ 3—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Old Northamptonians.  
 „ 4—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 5—Lawn Tennis Match (Mixed Doubles), 2.30 p.m. *v.* Mr. Mellor's  
 team.  
 „ 7—Boating and Bathing Party to Weston Mill.  
 „ 7—Tennis Club Day. Tea at 4.30 p.m.  
 „ 8—House Bowls Match, 2—4 p.m.  
 „ 9—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Kettering, etc.  
 „ 9—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 10—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Kettering, etc.  
 „ 10—Bowls Match, *v.* Stony Stratford.  
 „ 11—Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 12—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Northampton Town League XI.  
 „ 12—Cricket Match, Moulton Park *v.* Claire.  
 „ 14—Boating Party to Clifford Hill.  
 „ 14—Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 15—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Northants Club and Ground  
 (Day Match).  
 „ 16—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Weedon, Daventry, etc.  
 „ 16—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 17—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Weedon, etc.  
 „ 17—Bowls Match, *v.* Borough Police.  
 „ 18—Golf Competition (Ladies).  
 „ 19—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Health.  
 „ 19—Lawn Tennis Match (Mixed Doubles). 2.30 p.m. *v.* Mr.  
 Hipwell's team.  
 „ 21—Cricket Match, 3rd XI. *v.* Moulton Park (Day Match at  
 Moulton).  
 „ 21—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 22—Bowls Match, *v.* Post Office Engineers.  
 „ 23—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Brixworth, Pitsford, etc.  
 „ 23—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 24—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Brixworth, etc.

- Aug. 24—House Bowls Match, 2—4 p.m.  
 „ 25—Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 26—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Primitives.  
 „ 26—Lawn Tennis Match (Mixed Doubles), 2.30 p.m. *v.* County Club.  
 „ 28—Boating and Bathing Party to Weston Mill.  
 „ 28—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 28—Bowls Match, *v.* Rovers.  
 „ 30—First Party of Gentlemen returned from Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 30—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Castle Ashby, Grendon, etc.  
 „ 30—Croquet Tournament. Mr. Tysoe's Band, 3—5 p.m.  
 „ 31—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Castle Ashby, etc.  
 „ 31—House Cricket Match.
- Sept. 1—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 1—Party of Ladies to Bryn-y-Neuadd Hall.  
 „ 1—Bowls Match, *v.* The Foresters.  
 „ 2—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Wolverton.  
 „ 4—Boating Picnic on the River Nene.  
 „ 4—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 5—Party of Gentlemen to Whipsnade Zoological Gardens.  
 „ 6—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Corby, etc.  
 „ 6—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 7—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Corby, etc.  
 „ 7—Lawn Tennis—Inter-Hospital Competition for Nurses for Cup presented by Stephen Schilizzi, Esq.  
 „ 8—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 9—Cricket Match, 1st XI. *v.* Vauxhall Motors, Luton.  
 „ 11—Boating Party to Weston Mill.  
 „ 11—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 13—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Overstone, Sywell, etc.  
 „ 13—Croquet Tournament.  
 „ 14—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Overstone, etc.  
 „ 15—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 16—House Hockey Match.  
 „ 18—Boating Party to Billing Bridge.  
 „ 18—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 20—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Milton, Towcester, etc.  
 „ 20—Lawn Tennis Tournament.  
 „ 21—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Milton, etc.  
 „ 21—Nurses' Hockey Practice, 3 p.m.  
 „ 22—Single Club Competition (Golf).  
 „ 23—Men's County Hockey Tournament.  
 „ 25—Boating Party to Clifford Hill.  
 „ 25—Lawn Tennis Club Day.  
 „ 26—House Football Match.

- Sept. 27—Motor Coach Drive (Gentlemen) to Creaton, Lamport, etc.  
 „ 27—Croquet Tournament.  
 „ 28—Motor Coach Drive (Ladies) to Creaton, etc.  
 „ 29—Golf Foursomes (Mixed).  
 „ 30—Hockey Match, *v.* Nuneaton.

October 2—Open Snooker Handicap commenced.

- „ 3—House Football Match.  
 „ 5—Nurses' Hockey Practice, 2.45 p.m.  
 „ 5—Cinematograph Entertainment—"The Drum," etc.  
 „ 6—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 6—Cinematograph Entertainment—"The Drum," etc.  
 „ 9—Whist Drive, 7.30 p.m.  
 „ 10—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 7.30—10 p.m.  
 „ 12—Hockey Practice, 2.45 p.m.  
 „ 12—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Pygmalion," etc.  
 „ 13—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 13—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Pygmalion," etc.  
 „ 13—Golf Foursomes with Professional—W. G. Saunders.  
 „ 14—Hockey Match, *v.* Bedford.  
 „ 17—Hockey Match, Bacchanalians *v.* Cambridge University.  
 „ 19—Nurses' Hockey Match, 2.30 p.m.  
 „ 19—Football Match, *v.* Burton's F.C.  
 „ 19—Cinematograph Entertainment—"That Certain Age."  
 „ 20—Golf—Single Club Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 20—Cinematograph Entertainment—"That Certain Age."  
 „ 21—Hockey Match, *v.* Rugby.  
 „ 23—Bridge Drive.  
 „ 24—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 7.30—10 p.m.  
 „ 25—Hockey Match, R.A.F., Henlow.  
 „ 26—Nurses' Hockey Match.  
 „ 26—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Call it a Day."  
 „ 27—Golf Foursomes (Mixed).  
 „ 27—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Call it a Day."  
 „ 28—Football Match, *v.* Wellingborough Victoria.  
 „ 30—Whist Drive.

- Nov. 1—Snooker Match, *v.* Claire Club.  
 „ 2—Nurses' Hockey Practice.  
 „ 2—Football Match, *v.* Postal Sports F.C.  
 „ 2—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Professor Beware," etc.  
 „ 3—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Bogey).  
 „ 3—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Professor Beware," etc.  
 „ 4—Hockey Match, *v.* Quorn H.C.  
 „ 4—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Stewarts & Lloyds.  
 „ 6—House Hockey Match.



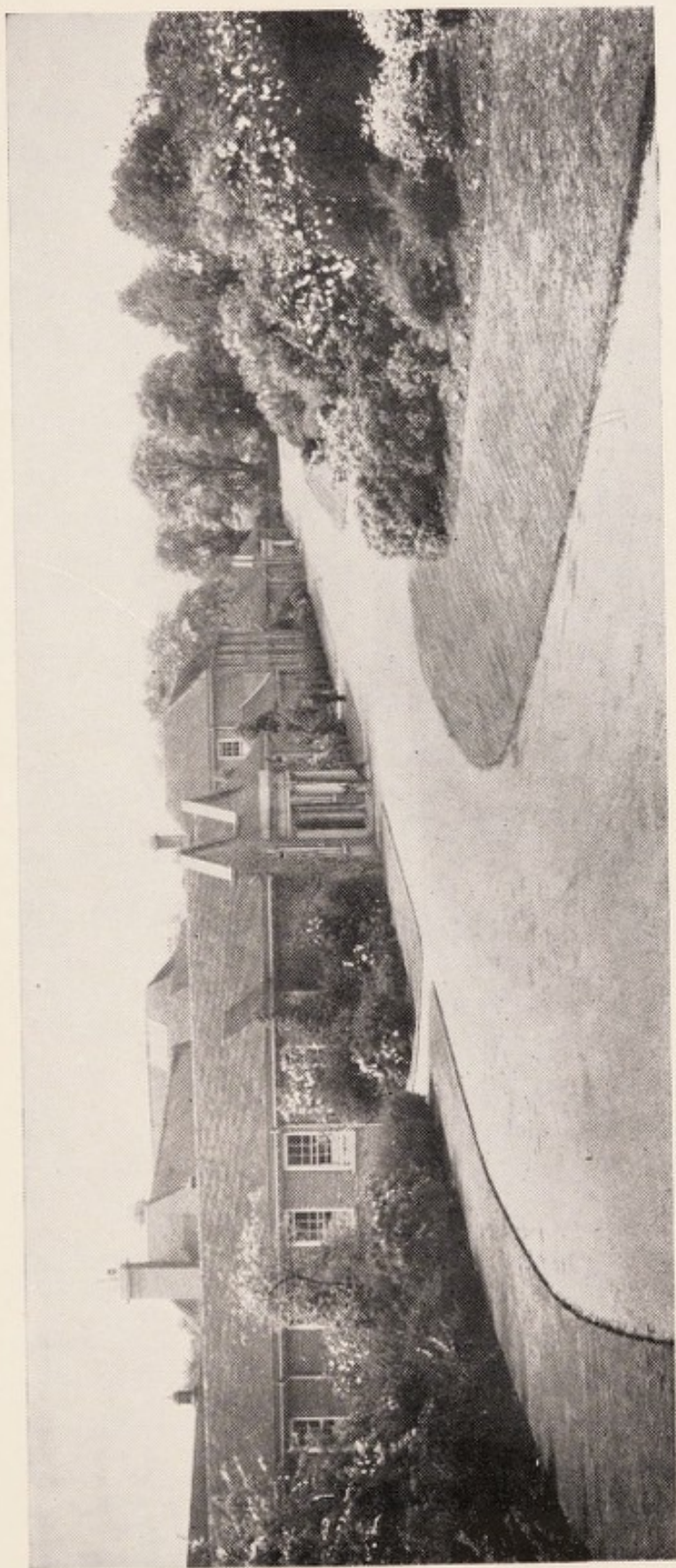
- Nov. 7—Chess Tournament began.  
 „ 8—Choral Class, 5.30 p.m.  
 „ 8—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 7.30—10 p.m.  
 „ 9—Football Match, *v.* Borough Police.  
 „ 9—Hockey Practice.  
 „ 9—Snooker Match, *v.* County Club.  
 „ 9—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Goldwyn Follies,” etc.  
 „ 10—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 10—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Goldwyn Follies,” etc.  
 „ 11—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Enigmas.  
 „ 11—Ladies' County Hockey Match. Northants. *v.* Middlesex.  
 „ 13—Whist Drive, 5 p.m.  
 „ 14—House Football Match.  
 „ 15—Choral Class, 5.30 p.m.  
 „ 16—Football Match, *v.* Spantonians F.C.  
 „ 16—Nurses' Hockey Practice.  
 „ 16—Snooker Match, *v.* Montburr's.  
 „ 16—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ The Rage of Paris,” etc.  
 „ 17—Golf Foursomes with the Professional (W. G. Saunders).  
 „ 17—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ The Rage of Paris,” etc.  
 „ 18—Hockey Match, *v.* Leicester Harlequins.  
 „ 18—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Manfield's.  
 „ 20—Snooker Match, *v.* Monk's Park Club.  
 „ 21—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 7.30 to 10 p.m.  
 „ 22—Choral Class, 5.30 p.m.  
 „ 23—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Parkside.  
 „ 23—Football Match, *v.* Central Y.M.C.A.  
 „ 23—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Pride of the West.”  
 „ 24—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 24—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Pride of the West.”  
 „ 25—Hockey Match, *v.* Leicester Westleigh.  
 „ 27—Whist Drive, 5 p.m.  
 „ 28—House Football Match.  
 „ 29—Choral Class, 5.30 p.m.  
 „ 30—Football Match, *v.* P. Phipps & Co.  
 „ 30—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Higham Ferrers.  
 „ 30—Snooker Match, *v.* Whitworth Road Club.  
 „ 30—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Carefree,” etc.
- Dec. 1—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed).  
 „ 1—Cinematograph Entertainment—“ Carefree,” etc.  
 „ 4—Nurses' Hockey Practice.  
 „ 4—Snooker Match, *v.* Florence C.C.  
 „ 6—Arts and Crafts Exhibition, Opening 3 p.m.  
 „ 6—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 6—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 7.30—10 p.m.

- Dec. 7—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Brackley Ladies.  
 „ 7—Arts and Crafts Exhibition.  
 „ 7—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Men with Wings," etc.  
 „ 8—Gentlemen's Golf Competition (Stroke).  
 „ 8—Cinematograph Entertainment—"Men with Wings," etc.  
 „ 9—Football Match, *v.* Berrywood F.C.  
 „ 11—Nurses' Hockey Practice.  
 „ 11—Whist Drive, 5 p.m.  
 „ 12—House Hockey Match.  
 „ 13—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 14—Nurses' Hockey Match, *v.* Rushden Ladies.  
 „ 14—Football Match, *v.* Rangers F.C.  
 „ 14—Cinematograph Entertainment—"St. Martin's Lane," etc.  
 „ 15—Golf Foursomes with the Professional (W. G. Saunders).  
 „ 15—Cinematograph Entertainment—"St. Martin's Lane," etc.  
 „ 16—Hockey Match, *v.* Rugby B.T.H.  
 „ 18—House Football Match.  
 „ 18—Whist Drive, 5 p.m.  
 „ 19—Dance—Syncopated Players' Dance Orchestra, 7.30—10 p.m.  
 „ 20—Hockey Match, *v.* R.A.F., Wittering.  
 „ 20—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 22—Golf Putting Competition (Mixed)  
 „ 27—Choral Class, 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.  
 „ 28—Cinematograph Entertainment—"The Awful Truth," etc.  
 „ 29—Golf Foursomes (Mixed).  
 „ 29—Cinematograph Entertainment—"The Awful Truth," etc.  
 „ 30—Hockey Match, *v.* Stewarts & Lloyds.

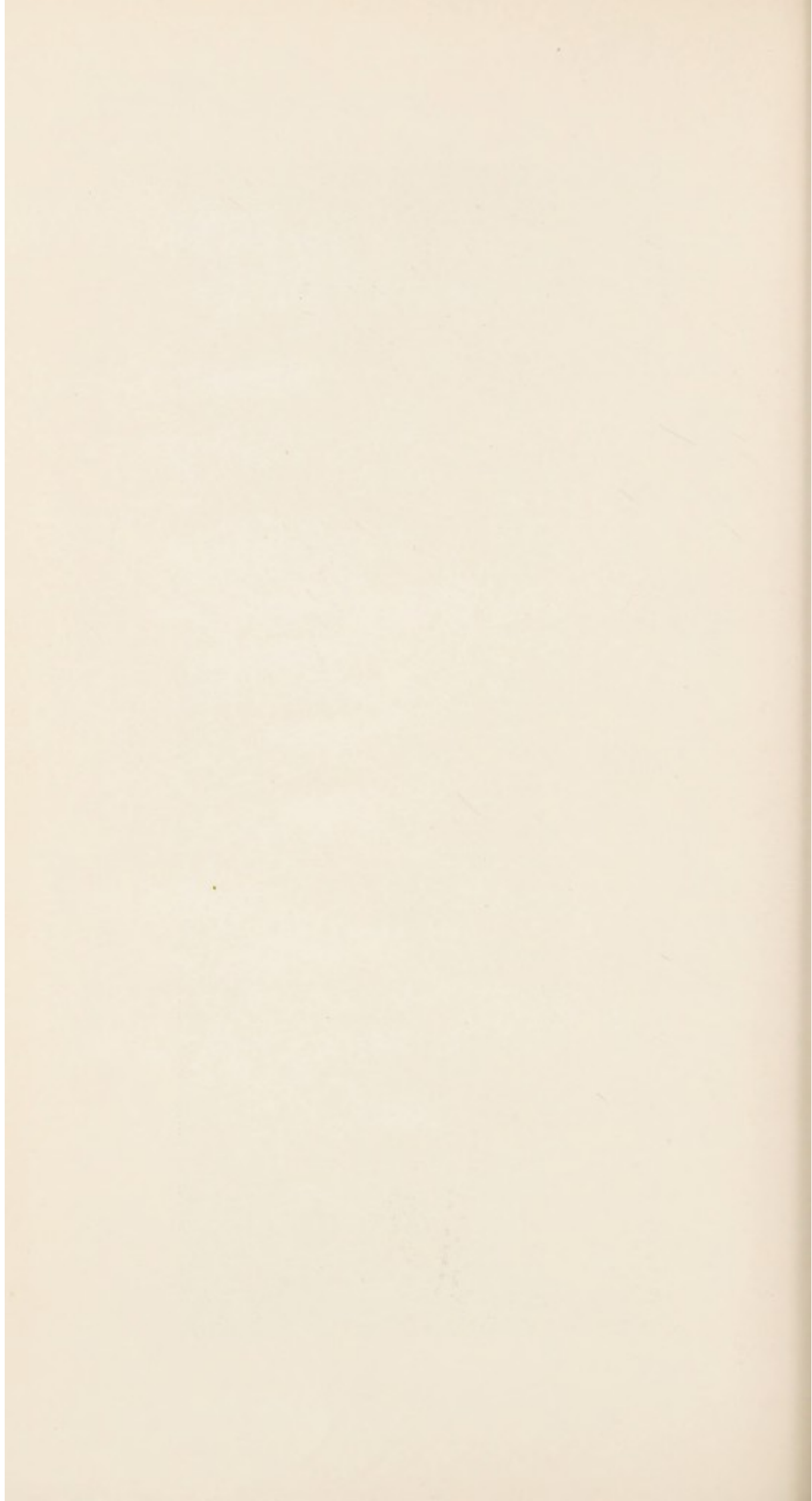
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APPENDIX 2.  
RECREATIONS AND EXCURSIONS.

	GENTLEMEN.	LADIES.
Charabanc Drives .....	8	34
Private Motor Drives.....	51	110
Bathing Parties .....	9	60
Excursions .....	30	74
Cricket Matches—		
Played.....	11	
Won.....	6	
Lost .....	3	
Drawn.....	2	
Bowls Tournament .....	1	—
Attended Cinemas and Concerts .....	42	65
Golf on the Llanfairfechan and Conway Links by several of the Gentlemen.		
Fishing Excursions by several of the Gentlemen during the season.		



WANTAGE HOUSE.



## APPENDIX 3.

PRESENT MEMBERS OF THE MALE NURSING STAFF  
of St. Andrew's Hospital, who have passed the Final  
Examination of the Royal Medico-Psychological Association.

Andrews, T. L.  
Bamforth, W. E.  
Bartlett, H. G.  
Brophy, J.  
Buckley, W.  
Bull, E. E.  
Bullock, C. G.  
Burbidge, A.  
Busby, J.  
Cayton, F.  
Clarke, G.  
Collett, F.  
Collins, B. E.  
Consitt, R.  
Cossins, G. R.  
Crake, G. H.  
Davies, R. T.  
Dawson, G. H.  
Dutton, W.  
Edmonds, W.  
Ellerton, H. C.  
Faulkner, J.  
Gardner, B.  
Gardner, F. A.  
Gillet, L.  
Graham, J.  
Grieve, T. P.  
Griggs, E.  
Harris, R.  
Hawker, C. R.  
Henson, S. H.  
Heritage, H. F.  
Higginson, E.  
Hillyer, H.  
Holland, P.  
Holloway, F. R.  
Horne, E.  
Howells, A.  
Hughes, T.  
Hutchins, E. A.  
Irving, E.  
Jones, H.  
Jones, R. T.  
Lambert, I. W.  
Lunn, J.  
Marriott, G.

Martin, W. J.  
Meredith, W. P.  
Miles, C. (*Chief Male Nurse at  
Seaside Branch*)  
Morgan, T. A.  
Morris, D. J.  
Neale, G. J.  
Noden, J.  
Norman, E.  
Osborne, F.  
Oxley, S. H.  
Oxley, W. A.  
Palmer, S.  
Parkin, W. H.  
Pateman, J. A.  
Pickerill, B.  
Pinney, P. A.  
Ratledge, R. A. D.  
Reed, H.  
Rickard, A.  
Rickerd, L. (*Chief Night  
Male Nurse*)  
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Roberts, S.  
Rowbotham, S.  
Sales, L.  
Slinn, J.  
Smith, B.  
Stafford, W.  
Taylor, A. L.  
Taylor, R. S.  
Thompson, W. P.  
Thomson, F.  
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Tomalin, J. W. G.  
Tranmer, E.  
Valentine, W. F.  
Wagland, F. W.  
Wakefield, F.  
Walton, H. H.  
Watson, E.  
Whitehead, T.  
Whiting, A. H.  
Whiting, T. L.  
Williams, J. H.  
Wyman, W. W.

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Garvey, M. M.

Grieve, E. M.

Gunn, B.

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McMordie, A.

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Millard, J.

Moloney, B.

Murphy, K.

Murphy, N.

Murray, M. S.

Phelps, E. M.

Pirie, E. A.

Poynton, E. W.

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Stanley, M. B.

Trenier, K.

# STATISTICAL TABLES.

For the Year ending 31st December, 1939.



TABLE A1.—General Table, showing the movement of the Hospital Population during the year 1939.

	CERTIFIED PATIENTS.						TEMPORARY PATIENTS.						VOLUNTARY PATIENTS.					
	M.		F.		T.		M.		F.		T.		M.		F.		T.	
On the Hospital Registers, Jan. 1st, 1939	190	237	427															
Total cases admitted during the year ...	17	31	48				1	1	2									
Total cases under treatment during the year	207	268	475	207	268	475	5	3	8	5	3	8	96	108	204	96	108	204
Cases discharged or transferred during the year— ...																		
By regrading of status ...	1	1	2				2	—	2				—	2	2			
Recovered ...	3	10	13				—	—	—				14	22	36			
Relieved ...	3	5	8				—	1	1				17	19	36			
Not improved ...	7	10	17				—	—	—				12	5	17			
Died during the year ...	21	18	39				1	2	3				4	4	8			
Total cases discharged, transferred, and died during the year ...				35	44	79				3	3	6				47	52	99
On the Hospital Registers, Dec. 31st, 1939				172	224	396				2	—	2				49	56	105
Average daily number on the Registers during the year ...				174	232	406				2	1	3				39	52	91

	M.	F.	T.
Number of Persons ( <i>i.e.</i> , separate persons in contradistinction to "cases," which may include the same individual more than once) under care during the year ...	305	376	681
"    "    " admitted ...	80	82	162
"    "    " recovered ...	17	31	49

TABLE A 2.—General Table, showing the movement of the Hospital Population during each year since the year 1859, together with the Recovery and Death Rates

Table with columns for Year, Admissions (Direct, Indirect, Total), Total Number under Treatment, Discharged or Transferred (Recovered, Relieved, Not Improved), Died, Remaining on Register, Average Daily Number on Registers, and various percentages (Total Recoveries, Direct Admissions, Recoveries yielded by Direct Admissions, Daily Number on Registers).

\*Prior to 1935 only certified patients were included in this table

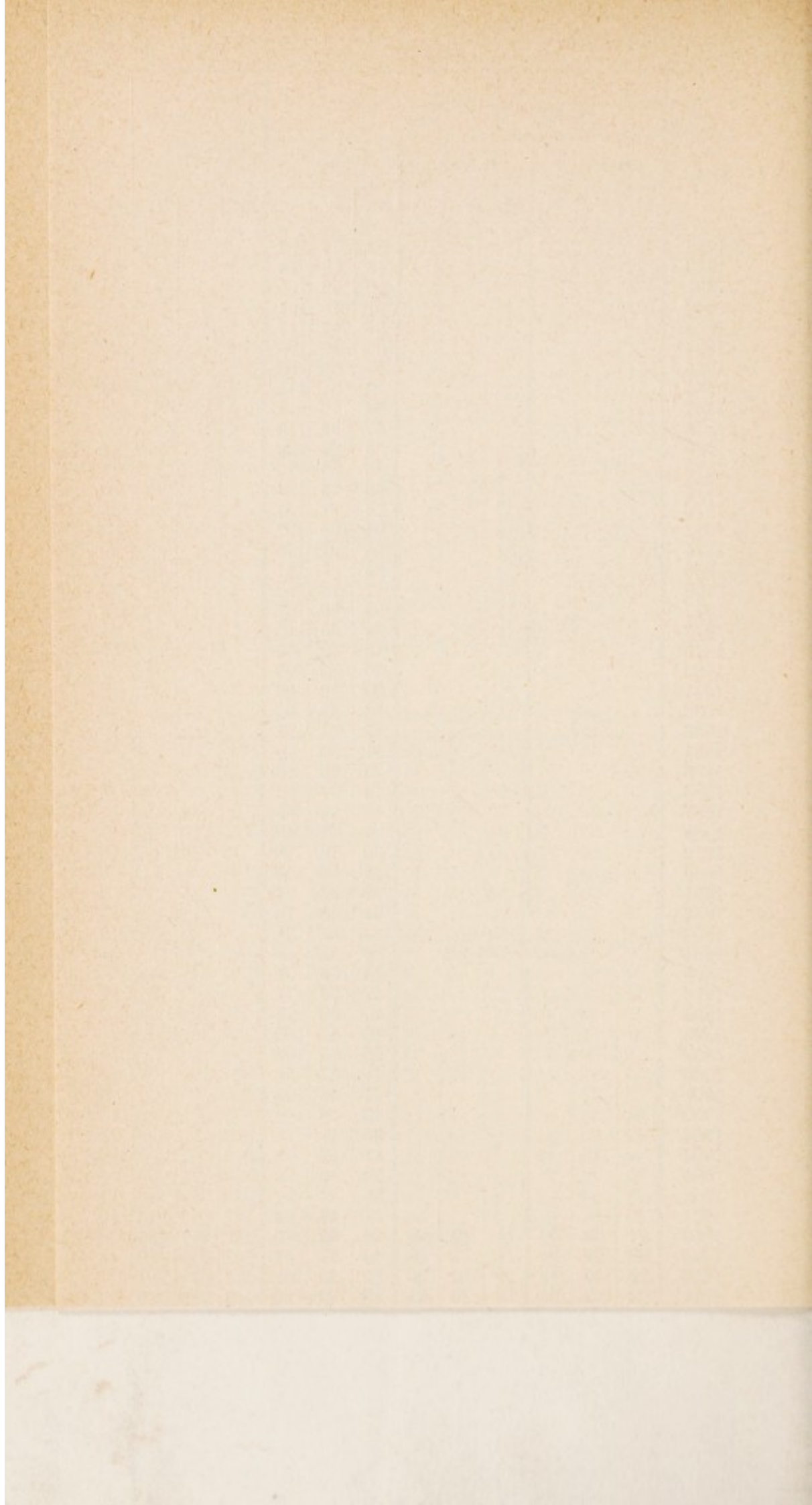


TABLE B I.—Analysis of the Admissions during the year 1939  
(including Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients).

CLASSES OF ADMISSIONS.	Congenital.			ACQUIRED.									Total.		
				First attack.			Not first attack.			Unknown whether first attack or not.					
				M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.			
Direct ... ..	1	5	6	49	45	94	25	32	57	...	...	...	75	82	157
Indirect { Transfers ... ..	1	...	1	3	...	3	2	3	5	...	...	...	6	3	9
Statutory re-admissions...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Regrading of Status ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	6
Total Admissions ... ..	2	5	7	52	45	97	27	35	62	...	...	...	84	88	172

TABLE B 2.—Showing the Duration of the present attack of Mental Disorder on Admission in the Direct Admissions during the year 1939, and stating (in those not congenital) whether First Attack or not (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

DURATION OF MENTAL DISORDER PRIOR TO ADMISSION.	DIRECT ADMISSIONS.											
	First attack.			Not first attack.			Unknown whether first attack or not.			Total.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
Less than 2 weeks	6	4	10	2	11	13	...	...	...	8	15	23
2 weeks and less than 1 month	2	3	5	4	3	7	...	...	...	6	6	12
1 month	10	10	20	6	6	12	...	...	...	16	16	32
3 months	6	9	15	3	3	6	...	...	...	9	12	21
6 "	6	3	9	3	2	5	...	...	...	9	5	14
9 "	1	1	2	3	1	4	...	...	...	4	2	6
12 "	7	4	11	...	1	1	...	...	...	7	5	12
18 "	4	...	4	1	1	2	...	...	...	5	1	6
2 years	2	4	6	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	5	7
3 "	2	2	4	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	3	5
5 "	2	1	3	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	3	5
10 "	1	2	3	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	3	5
15 "	...	2	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	3
and over	...	2	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	3
Duration unknown	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1
Congenital cases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6
Totals	49	45	94	25	32	57	...	...	...	75	82	157



TABLE B 4—Showing in the Direct Admissions during the year 1939, excluding the Congenital Cases and the cases "Unknown whether First Attack or not"—

(a) The age at commencement of the Present Attack of mental disorder in both the First-Attack and Not-First-Attack cases, respectively arranged according to their civil state; (b) The age on First-Attack in the Not-First-Attack cases; and (c) A statement of the number of Previous Attacks in the Not-First-Attacks, known to have been treated to recovery in an institution or elsewhere. (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

FIRST-ATTACK CASES.	THE AGES AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE PRESENT ATTACK.	CIVIL STATE.	AGES IN QUINQUENNIAL PERIODS.																											
			10-14		15-19		20-24		25-29		30-34		35-39		40-44		45-49		50-54											
			M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.										
FIRST-ATTACK CASES.	The Ages at Commencement of the Present Attack.	Single ...	1	1	2	8	1	9	3	7	10	3	4	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	2									
		Married ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
		Widowed ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
		Divorced ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
Totals ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
NOT-FIRST-ATTACK CASES.	The Ages on First-Attack in the Not-First-Attack Cases.	Single ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1									
		Married ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
		Widowed ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
		Divorced ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								
Totals ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
Totals of First-Attack and Not-First-Attack Cases ...		...	1	1	2	9	1	10	4	14	18	6	9	15	3	3	6	2	7	9	5	6	11	8	6	14	8	4	12	
The Ages on First-Attack in the Not-First-Attack Cases ...		...	2	3	5	3	7	10	1	4	5	1	1	2	5	3	8	1	1	2	3	5	8	2	3	5	8	2	3	5

TABLE B 4 (continued)

CIVIL STATE.	AGES IN QUINQUENNIAL PERIODS.												Totals.									
	55-59			60-64			65-69			70-74			75-79			80 and over			Age un- known.	M.	F.	T.
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.				
Single ...	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2				19	23	42	
Married ...	3	3	5	1	6	2	2						1	1	1	1	1	1	22	14	36	
Widowed ...				1	3	4	1	1	3	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	8	16	
Divorced ...																						
Totals ...	3	4	7	7	6	13	4	4	3	2	5	1	2	3	1	1	2	1	49	45	94	
Single ...	3	3	3	2	2	2													9	20	29	
Married ...	3	1	4	3	3	1	2	3	2	2	2	1	1	1	1				13	11	24	
Widowed ...	1	1	1				1	1	1	1	1	1							2	1	3	
Divorced ...																			1		1	
Totals ...	3	5	8	3	2	5	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	1	1				25	32	57	
Totals of First-Attack and Not-First-Attack Cases ...	6	9	15	10	8	18	5	2	7	4	4	8	2	2	4	1	1	2	74	77	151	
The Ages on First-Attack in the Not-First-Attack Cases ...				2	1	3	2	2	2										5	2	7	
Number of Previous Attacks, in the Not-First-Attack Direct Admissions, known to have been treated to recovery in an Institution or elsewhere—																						
Have had 1 previous attack ...																			20	24	44	
Have had 2 previous attacks ...																			2	3	5	
Have had 3 or more previous attacks ...																				3	3	
Not the first attack, but number of previous attacks unknown ...																			3	2	5	

THE AGES AT COMMENCEMENT OF THE PRESENT ATTACK.

FIRST-ATTACK CASES.

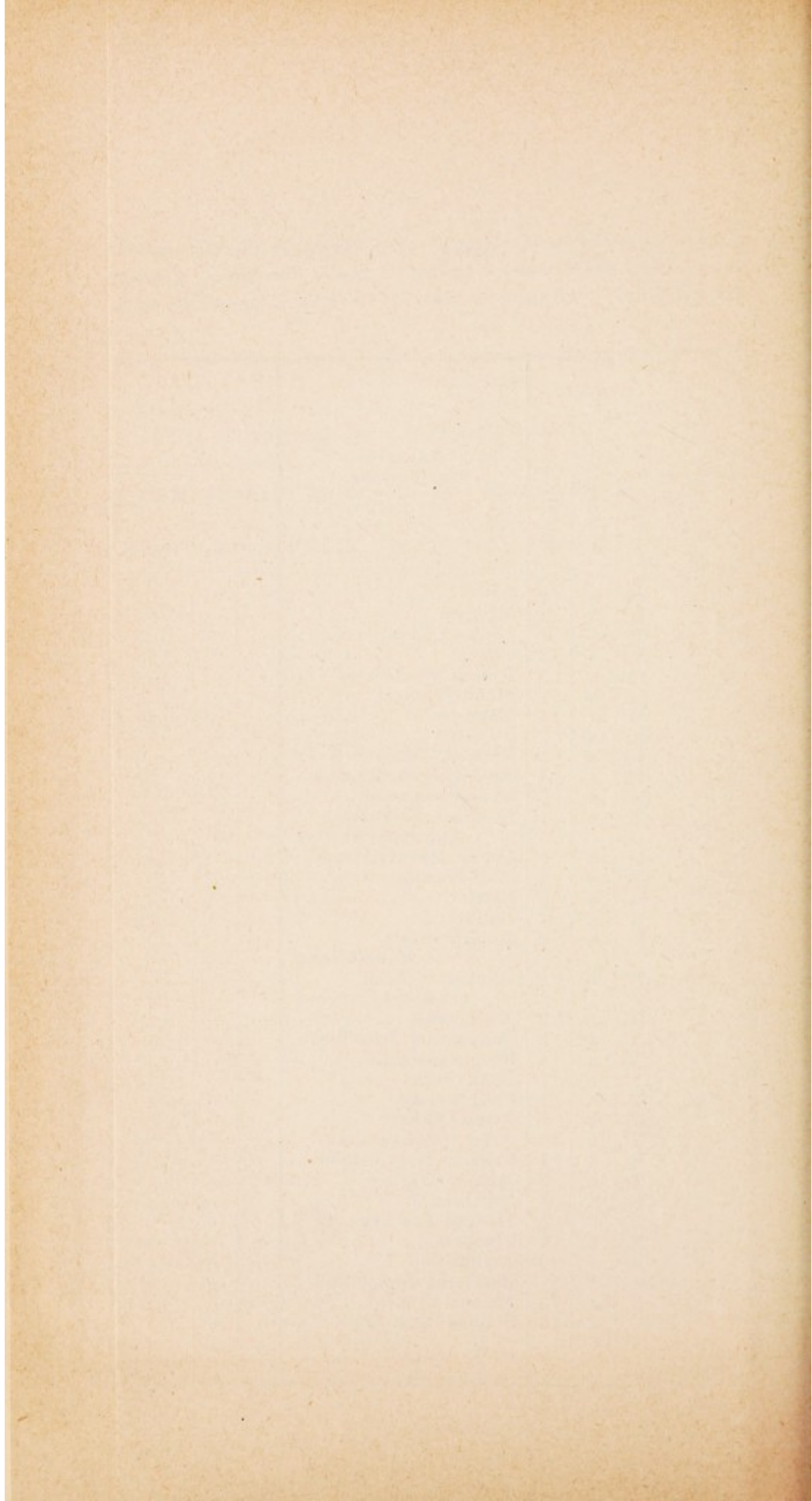
NOT-FIRST-ATTACK CASES.



TABLE B 5.—Showing the Form of Mental Disorder on admission in the Direct Admissions and Transfers during the year 1939 (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

FORMS OF MENTAL DISORDER.	Direct Admissions.			Transfers.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
	<p>*CONGENITAL—  <sup>b, g</sup> 1. Intellectual { <i>a.</i> With epilepsy ...  <sup>e</sup> <i>b.</i> Without epilepsy ...            2. Moral ...</p> <p>INSANITY OCCURRING LATER IN LIFE—            1. Insanity with epilepsy ...            2. General paralysis of the insane ...            3. Insanity with grosser brain lesions ...            4. Acute delirium ...            5. Confusional insanity ...            6. Stupor ...            7. Primary dementia { <i>a.</i> Recent ...  <sup>b</sup> <i>b.</i> Chronic ...  <sup>c</sup> <i>c.</i> Recurrent ...            8. Mania { <i>a.</i> Recent ...  <sup>b</sup> <i>b.</i> Chronic ...  <sup>c</sup> <i>c.</i> Recurrent ...            9. Melancholia { <i>a.</i> Recent ...  <sup>b</sup> <i>b.</i> Chronic ...  <sup>c</sup> <i>c.</i> Recurrent ...            10. Alternating insanity ...            11. Delusional insanity { <i>a.</i> Systematised ...  <sup>b</sup> <i>b.</i> Non-systematised ...            12. Volitional insanity { <i>a.</i> Impulse ...  <sup>b</sup> <i>b.</i> Obsession ...  <sup>c</sup> <i>c.</i> Doubt ...            13. Moral insanity ...            14. Dementia { <i>a.</i> Senile ...  <sup>b</sup> <i>b.</i> Secondary ...</p>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals ...	75	82	157	6	3	9	81	85	166







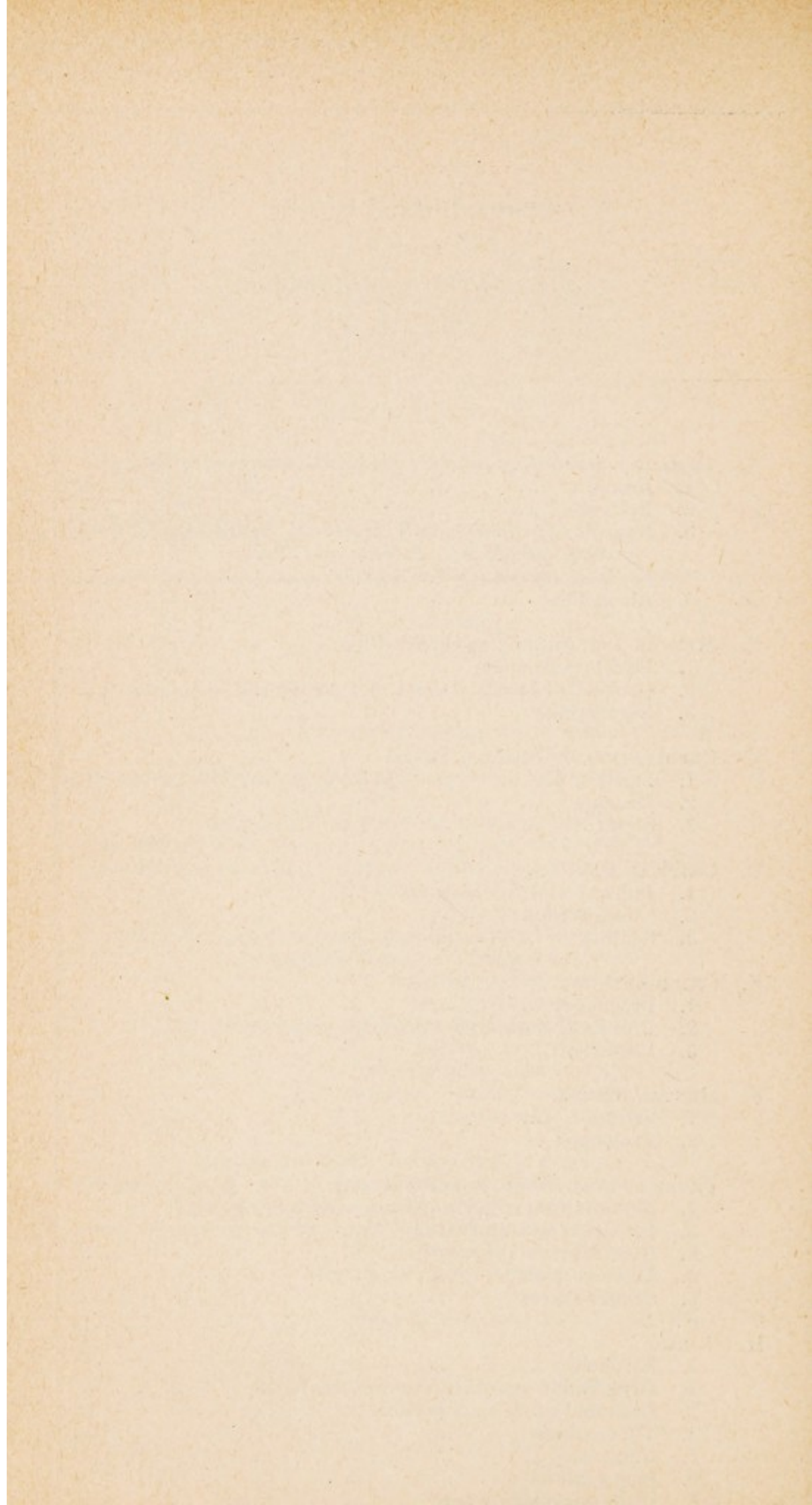




TABLE C I.— An Analysis of the Discharges and Transfers during the year 1939 (Voluntary and Temporary Patients included).

	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	T.
DISCHARGED AS RECOVERED—									
From Direct Admissions—									
First-Attack Cases ... ..	6	14	20						
Not First-Attack Cases ... ..	11	16	27						
Cases unknown whether First Attack or not ... ..	...	...	...						
Total from Direct Admissions	...	...	...	17	30	47			
From Transfers—									
First-Attack Cases ... ..	...	2	2						
Not First-Attack Cases ... ..	...	...	...						
Cases unknown whether First Attack or not ... ..	...	...	...						
Total from Transfers ... ..	...	...	...	...	2	2			
Total Discharged as Recovered	...	...	...	17	32	49			
DISCHARGED (NOT RECOVERED) AS—									
Relieved ... ..	18	24	42	18	24	42	Not Improved.		
Not Improved ... ..	12	6	18	...	...	...	12	6	18
Total ... ..	30	30	60						
REASONS FOR SUCH DISCHARGE—									
To go to care of friends ... ..	30	30	60						
Total ... ..	30	30	60						
TRANSFERRED AS—									
Relieved ... ..	2	1	3	2	1	3			
Not Improved ... ..	7	9	16	...	...	...	7	9	16
Total ... ..	9	10	19						
DESTINATIONS OF SUCH TRANSFERS—									
To other mental hospitals, reg. hospitals, and licensed houses	8	9	17						
To "single care" ... ..	1	1	2						
Total ... ..	9	10	19						
TOTAL DISCHARGED AND TRANSFERRED AS—									
Relieved ... ..				20	25	45			
Not Improved ... ..							19	15	34





TABLE C 3.—Showing the Form of Mental Disorder, on admission, in those Discharged Recovered during the year 1939 (Voluntary and Temporary Patients included).

Forms of Mental Disorder (on Admission).	M.	F.	T.
1. *CONGENITAL—			
1. Intellectual—			
<i>a.</i> With Epilepsy ... ..	...	...	...
<i>b.</i> Without Epilepsy ... ..	...	...	...
2. Moral ... ..	...	...	...
2. INSANITY OCCURRING LATER IN LIFE—			
1. Insanity with Epilepsy ... ..	...	...	...
2. General Paralysis of the Insane ... ..	...	...	...
3. Insanity with the grosser brain lesions ... ..	...	...	...
4. Acute Delirium (acute delirious mania) ... ..	...	...	...
5. Confusional Insanity ... ..	2	2	4
6. Stupor... ..	...	...	...
7. Primary Dementia ... ..	4	8	12
8. Mania—			
<i>a.</i> Recent ... ..	1	4	5
<i>b.</i> Chronic ... ..	...	...	...
<i>c.</i> Recurrent ... ..	...	2	2
9. Melancholia—			
<i>a.</i> Recent ... ..	5	8	13
<i>b.</i> Chronic ... ..	...	1	1
<i>c.</i> Recurrent ... ..	1	2	3
10. Alternating Insanity ... ..	3	3	6
11. Delusional Insanity—			
<i>a.</i> Systematised ... ..	...	...	...
<i>b.</i> Non-Systematised ... ..	...	1	1
12. Volitional Insanity—			
<i>a.</i> Impulse .. ..	...	...	...
<i>b.</i> Obsession ... ..	...	...	...
<i>c.</i> Doubt ... ..	...	1	1
13. Moral Insanity ... ..	...	...	...
14. Dementia—			
<i>a.</i> Senile ... ..	1	...	1
<i>b.</i> Secondary or Terminal ... ..	...	...	...
Totals ... ..	17	32	49

\*Congenital or infantile mental deficiency (idiocy or imbecility) occurring as early in life as it can be observed.



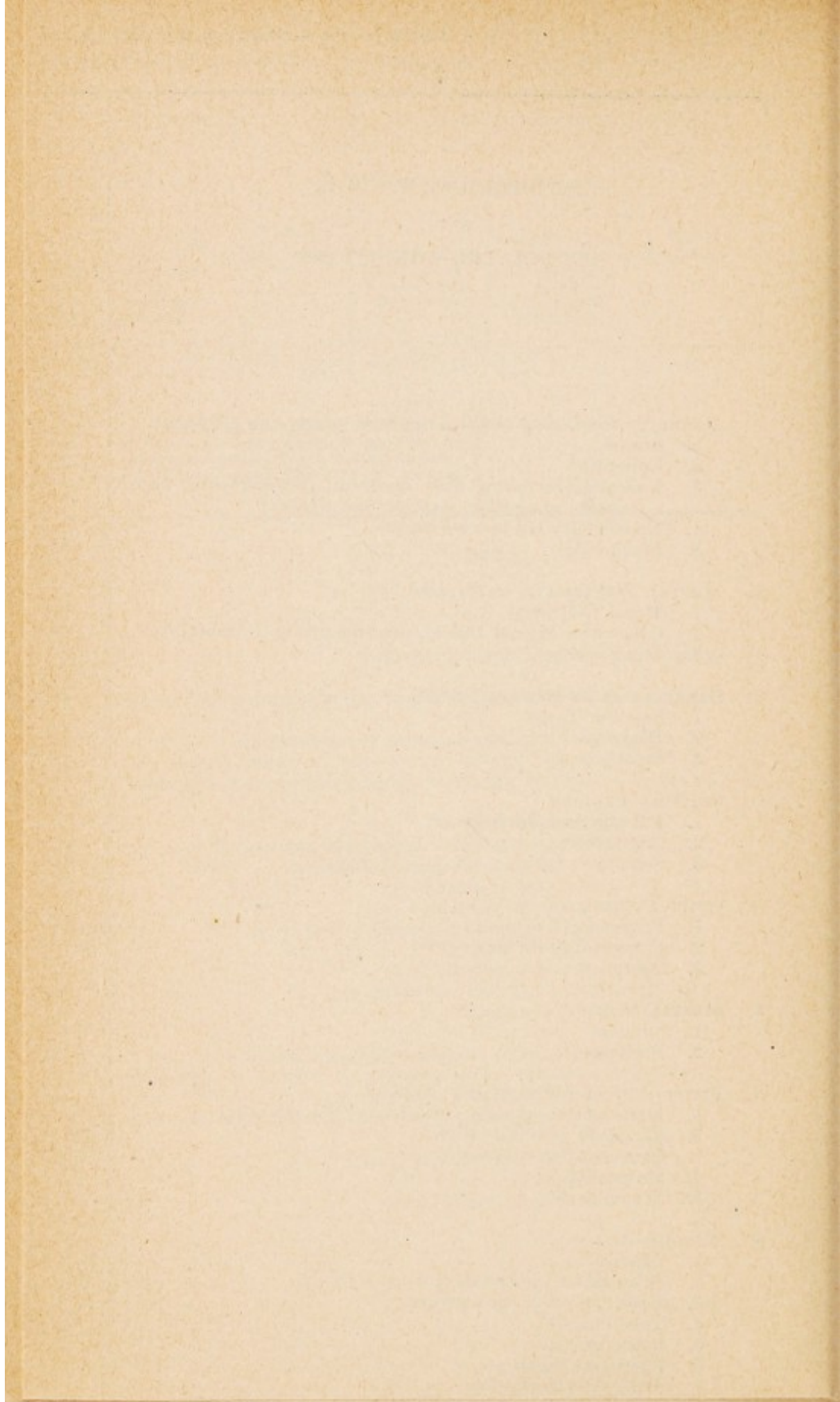


TABLE C 6.—Showing in the Recoveries during the Year 1939 the duration of the present attack previous to admission, either direct to this Institution or to any other Institution under the existing Reception Order, and also the Duration of Residence (including absence "on leave") in this and any other Institution from which the patient may have been transferred, arranged according to whether the attack is the "First," "Not First," or "Unknown whether First or not" (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

Duration of this Attack Previous to Admission either to this Institution or to any other Institution under the existing Reception Order.	DURATION OF RESIDENCE (including any absence "on leave" in this, and any other Institution from which the patient may have been transferred here.														Total.		
	First Attack Cases.																
	Under 1 month.	1 month and under 3 months.		3 months and under 6 months.		6 months and under 9 months.		9 months and under 1 year.		1 year and under 2 years.		2 years and under 3 years.		3 years and over.			
M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	T.	
Within 2 weeks ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 weeks and within a month ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1 month ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 months ...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 " ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9 " ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18 " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 years ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
and over ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Duration unknown ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals ...	...	2	2	2	5	1	2	4	3	...	...	1	...	6	16	22	



TABLE D 2.—Showing the Principal cause of death in each death during the year 1939, together with the ages at death in quinquennial periods (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

PRINCIPAL CAUSES OF DEATH.	AGES AT DEATH IN QUINQUENNIAL PERIODS.													TOTAL.				
	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70 & over.	M.	F.	T.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	T.	
Aneurism, Ruptured Abdominal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	
Biliary Obstruction ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	
Bronchitis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	
Broncho Pneumonia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	3	
Carcinoma of Colon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3	2	3	7	8	10	18
" Stomach ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Cardio Vascular Degeneration ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Cerebral Haemorrhage ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
" Thrombosis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Dementia Paralytica ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Mesenteric Thrombosis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Pericarditis, Acute ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Phthisis, Fibroid ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Pulmonary Embolism ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Totals ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3	3	4	2	15	19	26	24	50

TABLE D 3 --Showing the Total Duration of the Present Attack of Mental Disorder in the Deaths during the year 1939, arranged according to the Form of Mental Disorder on admission (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

FORM OF MENTAL DISORDER (on Admission).	TOTAL DURATION OF PRESENT ATTACK OF MENTAL DISORDER.																				
	Less than 1 m.		1 m. and less than 3 m.		3 m. and less than 6 m.		6 m. and less than 9 m.		9 m. and less than 12 m.		12 m. and less than 2 years.		2 yrs. and less than 3 yrs.		3 yrs. and less than 5 yrs.		5 yrs. and less than 10 yrs.		10 yrs. and less than 15 yrs.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
*Congenital—																					
1. Intellectual { <sup>a</sup> . With epilepsy <sup>b</sup> . Without epilepsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Moral ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Insanity Occurring Later in Life—																					
1. Insanity with epilepsy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. General paralysis of the insane ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Insanity with grosser brain lesions ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Acute delirium ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Confusional insanity ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Stupor ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Primary dementia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Mania { <sup>a</sup> . Recent <sup>b</sup> . Chronic <sup>c</sup> . Recurrent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Melancholia { <sup>a</sup> . Recent <sup>b</sup> . Chronic <sup>c</sup> . Recurrent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Alternating insanity ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Delusional insanity { <sup>a</sup> . Systematised <sup>b</sup> . Non-systematised	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Volitional insanity { <sup>a</sup> . Impulse <sup>b</sup> . Obsession <sup>c</sup> . Doubt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Moral insanity ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Dementia { <sup>a</sup> . Senile <sup>b</sup> . Secondary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

\* Congenital or infantile mental deficiency (idiotcy or imbecility) occurring as early in life as it can be observed

TABLE D 3 (continued).

FORM OF MENTAL DISORDER (on Admission).	TOTAL DURATION OF PRESENT ATTACK OF MENTAL DISORDER.														TOTALS.				
	15 yrs. and less than 20 yrs.		20 yrs. and less than 25 yrs.		25 yrs. and less than 30 yrs.		30 yrs. and less than 35 yrs.		35 yrs. and less than 40 yrs.		40 yrs. and less than 45 yrs.		45 and less than 50 yrs.		50 and over.		M.	F.	T.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	T.
*Congenital—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1. Intellectual { <i>a.</i> With epilepsy <i>b.</i> Without epilepsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Moral ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Insanity Occurring Later in Life—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1. Insanity with epilepsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. General paralysis of the insane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Insanity with grosser brain lesions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Acute delirium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Confusional insanity	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Stupor ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Primary dementia	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Mania { <i>a.</i> Recent <i>b.</i> Chronic <i>c.</i> Recurrent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Melancholia { <i>a.</i> Recent <i>b.</i> Chronic <i>c.</i> Recurrent	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Alternating insanity	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Delusional insanity { <i>a.</i> Systematised <i>b.</i> Non-systematised	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Volitional insanity { <i>a.</i> Impulse <i>b.</i> Obsession <i>c.</i> Doubt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Moral insanity	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Dementia { <i>a.</i> Senile <i>b.</i> Secondary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	1	1	2	1	1	...	1	3	3	3	...	1	2	2	2	26	24	50	

\*Congenital or infantile mental deficiency (idiotcy or imbecility) occurring as early in life as it can be observed.



TABLE E 1.—Showing the ages (In quinquennial periods) of those on the Registers on the 31st December, 1939, arranged according to the Total Duration of present Attack of Mental Disorder (Voluntary Patients and Temporary Patients included).

Total duration of present attack of mental disorder.	AGES on 31st December, 1939, of those on Registers at that date.																		
	10—14		15—19		20—24		25—29		30—34		35—39		40—44		45—49		50—54		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Congenital	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Less than 3 months	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 months and less than 6 months	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6 "	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
25 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
35 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Over 35 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	...	...	1	...	13	5	13	13	10	9	14	11	19	19	22	18	26	36	...

TABLE E 1 (continued)

Total duration of present attack of mental disorder.	AGES on 31st December, 1939, of those on Registers at that date.												Totals.		
	55—59		60—64		65—69		70—74		75—79		80 and over.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	T.
Congenital	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Less than 3 months	1	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	8	21
3 months and less than 6 months	1	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	19
6 "	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	13	9
12 "	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	19
18 "	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	11
2 years	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
3 "	1	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	26
5 "	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	32
10 "	1	7	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	92
15 "	...	7	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	56
20 "	2	5	...	...	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	55
25 "	4	4	...	...	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	43
30 "	2	4	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	37
Over 35 years	5	1	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	28
	2	...	...	...	8	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	53
Totals...	21	34	21	37	25	30	15	32	11	19	12	17	223	280	503

TABLE E 2.—Showing the Form of Mental Disorder on 31st December, 1939, of those on the Registers at that date (Voluntary and Temporary Patients included).

FORMS OF MENTAL DISORDER ON DEC. 31st.	M.	F.	T.
*CONGENITAL—			
1. Intellectual { <i>a.</i> With Epilepsy ... ..	5	...	5
{ <i>b.</i> Without Epilepsy ... ..	7	8	15
2. Moral ... ..	1	...	1
INSANITY OCCURRING LATER IN LIFE—			
1. Insanity with Epilepsy ... ..	2	1	3
2. General Paralysis of the Insane... ..	6	...	6
3. Insanity with grosser brain lesions ... ..	3	1	4
4. Acute Delirium ... ..	...	...	...
5. Confusional Insanity ... ..	1	2	3
6. Stupor ... ..	...	...	...
7. Primary Dementia ... ..	89	61	150
8. Mania { <i>a.</i> Recent ... ..	...	1	1
{ <i>b.</i> Chronic ... ..	3	10	13
{ <i>c.</i> Recurrent ... ..	2	4	6
9. Melancholia { <i>a.</i> Recent ... ..	7	14	21
{ <i>b.</i> Chronic ... ..	8	19	27
{ <i>c.</i> Recurrent ... ..	3	7	10
10. Alternating Insanity ... ..	18	25	43
11. Delusional Insanity { <i>a.</i> Systematised ... ..	9	12	21
{ <i>b.</i> Non-Systematised ... ..	18	53	71
12. Volitional Insanity { <i>a.</i> Impulse ... ..	...	...	...
{ <i>b.</i> Obsession ... ..	...	1	1
{ <i>c.</i> Doubt ... ..	...	3	3
13. Moral Insanity ... ..	1	...	1
14. Dementia { <i>a.</i> Senile ... ..	14	4	18
{ <i>b.</i> Secondary ... ..	26	54	80
Totals ... ..	223	280	503
Prospect of Mental Recovery { Favourable... ..	24	25	49
{ Doubtful ... ..	24	35	59
{ Unfavourable ... ..	175	220	395

\*Congenital or infantile mental deficiency (idiccy or imbecility) occurring as early in life as it can be observed

# The Report of the Chaplain

## FOR THE YEAR 1939.

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ST. ANDREW'S HOSPITAL,  
NORTHAMPTON,  
*January, 1940.*

MY LORDS, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to submit my report for the year 1939.

The following services are held in the Hospital Chapel :—

### HOLY COMMUNION.

Celebrations at 8 a.m. have been held every Sunday morning, and at the same hour weekly on some morning other than Sunday.

In addition to these, a Choral Celebration is held once a month at 10.0 a.m. This provides an opportunity for communion to patients unable to attend the early services.

Special celebrations are arranged for members of the nursing staff at the great festivals.

The Holy Communion is administered from time to time in the hospital wards, and the communion of the sick is arranged for whenever necessary or desirable.

The number of communicants for the year was 1,352.

### MORNING AND EVENING PRAYER.

Choral Services are held every Sunday morning and afternoon (or evening during the summer months). The Chapel choir, under an efficient organist and choirmaster, maintains a high standard of singing.

Morning Prayer is said daily at 10.0 a.m., with the Litany on Fridays, and extra services are held in Lent.

Special musical services are arranged from time to time.

The attendance in Chapel has been affected by the evacuation of a large number of patients to Llanfairfechan. On Sundays, an average of sixty-six men and sixty women ; and on week-days, of eight men and five women has been maintained.

At Moulton Park, a Choral service is held every Sunday ; and the Holy Communion is celebrated once a month.

The Wards and Villas are visited regularly, and the Chaplain can be seen by patients individually whenever they wish to do so.

The circulation of books from the Hospital Library forms an important part of the recreational life of the Hospital ; and care is taken to keep patients supplied with books suitable to their needs and tastes. Many of the newest books from Messrs. Boots' Library are always available.

There is an adequate supply of magazines, periodicals and newspapers.

I have to thank the Medical Superintendent, the Assistant Medical Officers, and the other Officials and Nursing Staff for their kindness and help.

I have the honour to be,

My Lords, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

J. T. STEVENS,

*Chaplain.*

BRYN-Y-NEUADD,

LLANFAIRFECHAN,

*January 15th, 1940.*

MY LORDS, LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

I have the honour to submit my report as Chaplain for the year 1939.

A service—in which an address is given—has been held every Sunday during the year and the Holy Communion has been celebrated on the Greater Festivals and on other occasions. These services have been well attended and I believe are much valued by the patients and the members of the staff.

During the early part of the year we were without a regular accompanist—though we were helped occasionally by some of the patients—but Mrs. Williams, The Rectory, has now kindly promised to attend all the services to help us with the singing and to accompany the hymns and chants on the piano. This has made my work much easier.

This year, at Christmastide, a carol service was held. The Altar and the room in which the service was held had been decorated by the staff with flowers and evergreens for the occasion. A party of nurses—and other members of the staff sang several carols, the service gave much pleasure to those who attended it.

Patients have been visited regularly.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the Medical Superintendent for his unfailing courtesy and great helpfulness to me and also to the members of the staff for their friendliness and reverent attention during the services.

I have the honour to be,

My Lords, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

HENRY WILLIAMS,

*Rector of Llanfairfechan.*

## I.

## ABSTRACT OF BENEFACTIONS

and Legacies towards the Erection and Establishment  
of the Hospital.

£ s. d.

The Donation from the Surplus of the Fund for raising and maintaining the late Regiment of NORTHAMPTONSHIRE YEOMANRY CAVALRY, £336 2s. 9d. Long Annuities, standing in the Names of the Right Hon. George John (2nd) EARL SPENCER, K.G., the highly respected Colonel of the late Corps; and Captain the Right Hon. the LORD VISCOUNT ALTHORP, M.P., sold out and re-invested in the same names in £7,000 Three per cent. Reduced Annuities; which, with Dividends accrued thereon, amounted to.....	7,848	12	7
Benefactions and Legacies .....	16,340	18	6
The Proceeds of Two Concerts, given under the direction of the late Mr. C. MCKORKELL, for which he was appointed an Honorary Director .....	105	13	9
The Northamptonshire Agricultural Society...	10	10	0
Congregational Collections .....	565	9	4
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Total received to 31st December, 1851 ...	24,871	4	2
Benefactions and Legacies received between Jan. 1st, 1851, and Dec. 31st, 1857; and also Legacies up to Dec. 31st, 1861, including Dividends on an invested portion thereof ( <i>see</i> the Report for 1860, page 33).....	1,695	17	0
Subscriptions received towards the erection of a Chapel between the 1st January, 1858, and the 31st December, 1862 .....	2,147	0	10
Proceeds of a Flower Show at Blisworth for the Benefit of the Chapel Fund, by the late H. O. NETHERCOTE, ESQ., 1859 .....	145	0	0
Benefactions and Legacies in the years 1862 to 1937 .....	2,469	10	10
Benefaction in memory of the 6th DUKE OF GRAFTON, from his Widow, 1864 .....	1,000	0	0
£2,500 Five per cent. War Loan Bonds, 1929—47, from the late Dowager DUCHESS OF GRAFTON .....	2,500	0	0
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Total Benefactions and Legacies .....	£34,828	12	10

