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## REPORT AND STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS

For Year Ending 31st MARCH, 1946.

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### TRUSTEES' REPORT.

S INCE the publication of the last Annual Report many important changes have taken place both inside and outside the Hospital.

Two new Trustees have been appointed, Major-General Sir Colin Jardine, Bart., and Mr. Gerald Coke, and their knowledge and experience will be of great value to the administration of the Hospital and of the College.

An appointment of special importance is that of Mr. E. Stanley Evans, F.R.C.S., as Medical Superintendent. Mr. Evans has come to us with excellent experience in the treatment of crippled children and the training of the disabled, and the Trustees of the Hospital are glad to have secured his services.

In April, 1946, Miss Jean Walker was appointed Matron.

While welcoming these new members of the staff, the Trustees desire to express their gratitude to the previous Matron, Miss D. Holborow, who gave many years of untiring and devoted work until her retirement in December, 1945, on account of ill-health; also to Sister Brown, who as Assistant Matron for over 11 years, and as Acting Matron until her retirement in September, 1946, gave unstinted and invaluable service.

A word of special thanks is also due to Dr. K. A. Butler, who was temporarily in charge of the medical work of the Hospital during the period between Dr. Jones' death and Mr. Evans' appointment as Medical Superintendent. Dr. Butler is now in the Services, and we wish him well.

It was with great regret that the Trustees and the staff of the Hospital said good-bye to the Rev. J. R. S. Stranack, who resigned his position as Chaplain to the Hospital when he left Alton to take up a post elsewhere. The Trustees are deeply grateful for the devoted service given by Mr. Stranack during the past thirteen years.

The Rev. W. Guy Sanderson has taken Mr. Stranack's place as Chaplain to the Hospital, and the Trustees extend to him a hearty welcome.

As mentioned in the last Report, a ward was named in June, 1945, in honour of our late Medical Superintendent, Sir Henry Gauvain. In January, 1946, a splendid portrait painted by Mr. Frank Salisbury was unveiled at the Hospital by Sir Alfred Webb Johnson, President of the Royal College of Surgeons. Both the Henry Gauvain Ward and the portrait in the entrance hall of the Treatment Block are permanent memorials to our late Medical Superintendent. The work of the Hospital during this year of great changes has been carried on as efficiently as ever. Reference to the statistics on page 20 shows that 310 beds were occupied daily, while details on this and the previous two pages indicate that the work of the various special departments and the clinics was continued with every success.

It is with very much pleasure that the Trustees are able to report that, as a result of the all-round hard work of the staff, it was possible to reopen the Branch at Hayling Island in May, 1946, thus increasing the number of beds available by 55. This was an achievement reflecting credit on all concerned, and especially on Sister White and her staff at Hayling, who worked splendidly to re-establish our seaside branch. The laying out of the grounds is now proceeding at a good pace and will form a splendid background to the new buildings when these can be erected.

Staffing difficulties continue, especially as regards domestic staff. The Trustees have adopted the recommendations of the National Joint Council, which represent a great advance for this section of the staff. This, together with the already excellent residential accommodation, provide first-class conditions for our women domestic workers.

National scales for other members of the staff have also been adopted, as a result of which expenditure on salaries has been greatly increased. Expenditure on many other items has also materially increased, and the cost incurred in treating each patient during the year was approximately £4 10s. per week.

The Queen Alexandra League of Service continues to carry on its work most efficiently for the Hospital and the College. The Trustees have given careful thought to the matter of subscriptions and donations, as they may be affected by the proposed National Health Service, and while at the moment it appears to be clear that the Hospital will be included in the new National scheme, the College will, it is hoped, continue as an independent unit.

Plans for rebuilding the College which were part of the pre-war reconstruction scheme are again being considered, and have the support of the Ministry of Education. Nevertheless the Trustees, as Managers, will be called upon to provide a large proportion of the money required for these new buildings. All subscribers, whether direct or through collectors of the Queen Alexandra League, are therefore earnestly asked to consider giving their donations specifically to the College in the future.

Whatever the outcome of the present changes envisaged under the National Health Scheme, Treloars will still carry out its work of treating and curing the crippled and disabled in the Hospital and training them in the College. The Trustees have special pleasure in thanking the Entre Nous Club, the organisers of the Stock Exchange and Banks Special Appeal, the Naval and Service Depots, and friends from Basingstoke for their excellent financial support. A special fund, known as the Patients' Comforts Fund, was inaugurated by Basingstoke supporters, and this will be extremely useful for the provision of special comforts which the Government under the proposed National Health Service would not be able to supply. Further donations to add to this fund will be most welcome.

The Trustees once more desire to express their very real appreciation of the splendid way in which all members of the staff have continued to serve the Hospital; medical, nursing, administrative, domestic and maintenance staff, all have shown a spirit of co-operation which has been keenly appreciated, and without which the work of the Hospital could not have been efficiently carried out.

To all friends and supporters of the Hospital and College the Trustees desire to express their continuing debt of gratitude for all the support so freely and generously given ; and with this support they look forward confidently to the further development of the work for the benefit of crippled and disabled children.

#### BURNHAM,

Chairman.

### LORD MAYOR TRELOAR CRIPPLE

Income and Expenditure Account for

INCOME.					
£	8.	d.	£	8.	d.
ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS			5,119	1	9
DONATIONS			3,921	10	5
QUEEN ALEXANDRA LEAGUE (Grants received out of the income of the League) ALEXANDRA ROSE DAY (per H.R.H. Duchess of			7,500	0	0
Kent) 175 Do. (per Stockbridge and District Collection) 5	0	0			
Do. (per Stockbridge and District Collection) 5	4	2	180	4	2
INVESTED PROPERTY-				-	-
Dividends and Interest :					
From Investments 11,672	7	0			
From Loans and Mortgages 3,339 From The Edward and Lillian Emily Budgen	2	6			
of Egham-Benefaction 13	3	2			
15,024	12	8			
Rents (less outgoings) 1,029	12	0			
Income Tax refunded 6,276	0	11			
22,330	5	7			
Less Annuities, etc., charged £ s. d. on Dividends 36 9 6 War Damage Contribu- tions 74 16 0 111	5				
THE JOSEPH BROWN MEMORIAL FUND FOR		2	22,219	0	1
CRIPPLED AND CONVALESCENT POOR BOYS (per the Charity Commissioners)			289	11	4
CONTRIBUTIONS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES TO PATIENTS					
<ul> <li>(a) From Parents and others 1,504</li> <li>(b) From County and Borough</li> </ul>					
Councils            27,305           (c) From Education Committees          13,764					
(d) From Ministry of Health (Emergency					
Hospital Scheme) 5,893 (Relating to more than one year)	5	1			
	-	- 4	8,468	0	4
GOVERNMENT GRANT TOWARDS RUSHCLIFFE RATES OF SALARIES FOR NURSES			1,537	0	0
BOARD OF EDUCATION-EDUCATIONAL AND MEDICAL GRANTS-					
Hospital 676		0			
College 96	0	1	772	10	1
Carried forward		£9	0,006		-

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### HOSPITAL AND COLLEGE.

the year ended 31st March, 1946.

laintenance,							£	8.	d.	£	8.	d.
PROVISIONS										12,159	11	5
SURGERY AN	ND DI	SPENS	ARY-									
Drugs, Ch	emica	ls, Disi	infectar	nts, &c.			557	13	1			
Dressings	, Band	ages,	&c.				644	18	1			
Instrumen	nts and	I Appl	iances				1,508	11	2			
Sundries							17	0	0			
						blogg	H 12 11			2,728	2	4
Domestic-	1 2.											
Renewals		Repair	s of Fu	irniture	, Be	dding	8.8		11			
and Lin	2.2						1,633	12	10			
Renewals Brushe			s of Ha	rdware,	Croo	ckery,	311	6	7			
Cleaning							174		10			
Water							342	0	2			
Coal, Oil,		1.					6.598		4			
Electric I		and the second second					100		10			
Electricit							897	-	-			
Uniforms							663	0	3			
Patients'							849	16	11			
Sundries							348	18	1			
							The Party	0110	-	11,920	4	6
						P						
LAUNDRY-												
Material							241	7	3			
Wages							952	14	0			
						- 121			-	1,194	1	3
ESTABLISHM	IENT-	24 0092										
Insurance	e						484	8	2			
Repairs a	nd Re	newals	s, and H	qualisa	tion	Fund	4,472	13	3			
Garden-							457		10			
Equipme							512		0			
Televin	24			an Alera						5,927	10	3
						1. menous			-	0,021	10	0

### Income and Expenditure Account for the

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	INCOME.			
	Decust forward	£	s.	d. £ s. d. 90,006 18 2
T no como /	Brought forward			50,000 18 2
	including income from deceaseds' estates)	500	0	0
	Mrs. Alice Andrews	500	0	0
""	Miss Julia Bastard	188	12	7
,, ,,	C. D. Baynes, Esq. (final payment)	25	12	0
,, ,,	Mrs. Clara L. Bell	100	0	0
,, ,,	Mrs. Julia Betteridge	660	0	0
,, ,,	Mrs. J. C. Blumfield (further on account) Rowland Bruce, Esc.	10	0	0
,, ,,	Rowland Bruce, Esq	298	2	2
,, ,,	Mrs. I. M. P. Campbell-Wyndham		ő	0
,, ,,	A. E. G. Chamberlain, Esq	100	0	0
""	Mrs. Helen Colquhoun	5 100	0	0
""	Miss Matilda Cotton Mrs. E. M. E. Dale	22	9	3
,, ,,		15	0	11
,, ,,	Lady H. S. Dalziel	39	0	0
,, ,,	A. J. Dunton, Esq	212	7	4
" "	Dr. F. W. J. Goodhue	81	13	4
" "	Mrs. Elizabeth Green (final payment) Wallace W. Hammond, Esq	900	0	0
»» »»	Mrs F M Hanaak	9	9	1
""	William (1 Hameld Eas	135	0	0
""	G. W. Hayes, Esq. (further on account)	46	7	3
,, ,,	Mrs M F Hoam	50	ó	0
,, ,,	Mrs Samh F Haddanly	9	9	4
,, ,,		1,222	2	5
,, ,,	Mrs. E. E. Hoskins (final payment)	1,222	3	5
,, ,,	Miss Jone Anne Howarth	200	0	0
""	William James Humphrice Fee	44	15	9
""	Mrs Marry Hundle (on account)	750	0	0
""	Mrs A S Johnson	300	0	0
""	D D D Ishaan Ess	9	0	0
""	Sin William F Turry (on account)	750	0	0
""	Mrs Iossia Kaningler	50	0	0
,, ,,	A F Lacor Fac	112	1	6
,, ,,	Coorgo Lowie Feg	450	õ	Ő
,, ,,	F. Longden, Esq	25	Ő	Ő
33 33		1,142	2	9
»» »» » »		1,126	2	0
>> >> >> >>		2,891	9	5
,, ,,	Miss G. Ollerenshaw (on account)	300	0	0
,, ,,	Ernest Owers, Esq	2,153	1	11
** **		1,500	0	0
** **	G. Payne, Esq	604	11	5
,, ,,	Mrs. Caroline Pollitzer	100	0	0
,, ,,	Sir Frank Pollitzer	200	0	0
,, ,,	J. B. Pratt, Esq	62	16	5
,, ,,	Mrs. Helena Prescott	2,805	14	2
,, ,,	Mrs. L. J. Ramsden	509	15	4
,, ,,	Mrs. Elizabeth Ellen Rees	223	14	1
,, ,,	Mrs. A. Rutter	85	0	4
,, ,,	Mrs. A. M. Rylands (final payment)	43	8	6
<b>33</b> 33	Henry Shane, Esq	900	0	0
,, ,,	Miss Marianne Sheffield	7	4	5
* ** **		5,000	0	0
,, ,,	Miss R. S. M. Smart (final payment)	0	7	11
,, ,,	Miss Agnes Stansfell	600	0	0
,, ,,	Miss E. Starr (on account)	125	0	0
,, ,,	Mrs. F. L. Strickland (further on account		17	6
»» »»	Miss E. M. Solten Symonds	215	13	2
»» »»	Miss E. G. Thomas	50	0	0
,, ,,	Mrs. F. E. Thomas (final payment)	738	13	10
»» »»	Edward J. Walker, Esq	50	0	0 7
»» »»	Miss E. M. Waind	481	16	7
<b>33</b> 31	H. W. Young, Esq	3,710	3	11
	Carried forward3	3,919	8	0 90,006 18 2

#### Carried forward

	E	XPENI	DITU	RE.							
	Brou	ght for	vard			£	8.	d	. £ 33,929	<b>s.</b> 10	d
SALARIES, WAGES, &											
Medical						3,826	8	2			
Dental						249	13	0			
Dispensing						521	9	5			
Technicians	0.00					810	9	10			
Nursing						10,353	6	7			
Other Officers						1,644	1	4			
Mechanics, &c						3,788	10	11			
Porters						2,674	13	8			
Domestic Servants						2,567	13	3			
					•				26,436	6	2
MISCELLANEOUS-											
Printing and Static	onery					180	9	5			
Postage, Telephone	, &c					498	8	6			
Sundries and Trave	elling Exp	penses				227	8	1	000	0	~
					-			_	906	6	0
dministration—											
MANAGEMENT-						0.070	~				
Salaries and Wages						3,052	0	0			
Printing and Statio						334	12	3			
Postages and Teleg						160	8	7			
Law Charges and A			c			140	0	0			
Sundries and Trave	ling Exp	penses		-		973	3	4			
FINANCE-					d.						
Appeals											
Contributions to oth	her Instit	utions	10	Ð	0	138	4	3			
							-	_	4,798	8	5
ates and Taxes-											
Rates, &c., London	o Office					181	9	2			
Rates and Taxes,						2,145					
		J A	0						2,326	10	10

Carried forward

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#### Income and Expenditure Account for the

INCOME.					12.97		
E W HIL		£	8.	d.	£	8.	d.
Brought forward	3	3,919	8	09	0,006	18	2
Less War Damage Contribution in resp of Tom Grose Legacy	bect	0	6	10			
	3	3,919	1	2			
In Memoriam Gifts as per Schedule (p. 27)		221	8	6			
Donations received for investment		50	0	0			
	3	4,190	9	8			
Amount invested	3	4,190	9	8			

Total Ordinary Income ...

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	Broug	tht for	ward		£	8.	d	£ 68,397	s. 1	d
College-	Prode	,							-	
Wages					986	0	10			
Clothing Materials					150 930		4			
Lake a rate for the second		111		-		-				
Less Produce sole	l or use	ed			2,066 665	13	1 6			
				-		A.	10-02	1,401	4	7
College School-										
Salaries					541	8	1			
Materials					14	6	3	555	14	4
								000	-	
HOSPITAL SCHOOL-										
Salaries Materials					4,861 119	0	29			
Materials							-			
Less Produce sold	OF 1150	h			4,980	13 15	11 2			
Jobs Frouder Sold	or use					10		4,916	18	9
SUBGICAL APPLIANCES SE	IOP-									
Wages					689	1	4			
Materials					293	13	7			
					982					
Less Appliances,	&c., so	ld or u	sed		638	6	6	344	8	5
A	-							011	0	
AMBULANCE SERVICE ANI Wages					577	7	,			
Motor Ambulance Ser	rvice				577 383	7 15	17			
							-	961	2	8
Total Ord	linary I	Expend	liture					76,576	10	2
ALLOCATED TO PENSION	Fund							13,000	0	0
BALANCE								430	8	0

#### year ended 31st March, 1946-continued.

We have examined the Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st March, 1946, above set forth with the books, counterfoil receipts and vouchers of the Hospital and find it to be in accordance therewith.

PANNELL CREWDSON & HARDY

Chartered Accountants.

9, Basinghall Street, E.C.2.

28 Aug. 1946.

#### MINISTRY OF

#### LORD MAYOR TRELOAR CRIPPLES'

Revenue Account for the Year

n 1 moter line			
IN	COME.		
	HOSPITAL	COLLEGE	CONTINUATION
	SCHOOL.	SCHOOL.	COURSES.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
GRANT FROM MINISTRY OF EDUCATION	765 4 0	49 13 1	54 17 3
GRANTS FROM OTHER GOVT. DEPTS	100 1 0	10 10 1	
CONTRIBUTIONS IN RESPECT OF-			
	0.050 0 5	004 0 4	1 908 0 0
Local Education Authorities	9,678 2 7	884 6 4	1,206 0 0
Other Local Authorities	22,146 9 0	250 8 9	341 10 3
Other Government Departments			
(Ministry of Health)	3,928 16 9		-
Voluntary Bodies and Private	1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 - 1999 -		
Persons	1,199 8 0	24 10 8	33 9 0
OTHER INCOME :		_	-
Sale of Work produced in School and			
C1 11	63 15 2	281 10 6	383 18 0
		201 10 0	000 10 0
Sale of Surgical Appliances	529 4 0		ales -
SUPPLIED BY GENERAL FUNDS OF THE			Make
HOSPITAL	23,159 6 11	608 0 7	841 16 2

TOTALS					£61,470	6	5	2,098	9	11	2,861	10	8
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WE HEREBY CERTIFY that we have examined the above Statement of Accounts, accordance with the instructions. As the schools form part of a larger organisation, number of Children attending the Schools and in part on the basis of other information

30th October, 1946.

#### EDUCATION RETURNS 32 D. HOSPITAL SCHOOL AND COLLEGE.

#### ended 31st March, 1946.

EXPENDITURE.

SALARDS OF TEACHING STAFF— <ul> <li>(a) Head Teachers in Full Time</li> <li>Employment</li> <li>(b) Assistant Teachers in Full Time</li> <li>Employment</li> <li>(c) Instructors</li> <li>(c) Upplementary Payments</li> <li>(c) Excluding Interest</li> <li>(c) Excluding Interest (if any)</li> <li>(c) Excluding Interest (if any)</li> <li>(c) Excluding Interest (if any)</li> <li>(c) Address of Non-Teaching Staffs—</li></ul>	the way and the the manual West	Hospital School. £ s. d.	College C School, £ s. d.	COURSES. £ s. d.
	SALARIES OF TEACHING STAFF- (a) Head Teachers	553 16 0	28 0 6	38 3 6
Employment         4,171       0       2       195       8       0       266       12       0         (c)       Instructors            321       0       437       10       10         (d)       Supplementary Payments        18       1       7		000 10 0	20 0 0	00 0 0
(d) Supplementary Payments        18       1       7       -       -         EMPLOYERS' CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER       TEACHERS' (SUPERANNUATION) ACTS       (a) Excluding Interest        236       4       10       11       3       4       15       4       10         (b) Interest (if any)         236       4       10       11       3       4       15       4       10         (b) Interest (if any)          236       4       10       11       3       4       15       4       10         (c) Interest (if any)           236       4       10       11       3       4       15       4       10         (d) Medical Officers, Matrons and             25       184       0       251       0       0       (c) All other Officers	Employment	4,171 0 2		
EMPLOYEES' CONTRIBUTIONS UNDER TEACHERS' (SUPERANNUATION) ACTS (a) Excluding Interest		Rong - noith	321 0 0	437 10 10
TEACHERS' (SUPERANNUATION) ACTS       (a) Excluding Interest		18 1 7	alici nospitale	orthopa
(a) Excluding Interest         236       4 10       11       3       4       15       4 10         (b) Interest (if any) </td <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>				
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PANNELL, CREWDSON & HARDY.

Chartered Accountants.

### MEDICAL REPORT

# For YEAR APRIL 1st, 1945, to MARCH 31st, 1946.

IN the last Annual Report a tribute was paid to the memory and work of Sir Henry Gauvain, who by his international reputation and leadership in light therapy and in the treatment of children suffering from non-pulmonary tuberculosis, brought to this hospital a renown and position almost unique amongst the open-air orthopædic hospitals of this or any other country. Those who are privileged and proud to follow him have not only the task of maintaining this position and the high standard of work achieved, but also the responsibility of upholding and enhancing the traditions which he did so much to establish.

However, no written tribute to his memory can be so vivid or so fitting as the very fabric of this hospital and the happy and friendly atmosphere which is still so evident. His portrait by Mr. Frank O. Salisbury, in the main hall of the Treatment Block to which he had given so much time and thought, provides for us and future generations a glimpse of the kindly and charming personality, which instilled enthusiasm and loyalty in those who worked with him. Without the constant and loyal support of able lieutenants far less could have been achieved, and foremost among them was his successor, Dr. C. E. M. Jones. For twenty-six years he laboured unobtrusively in this hospital amongst the children he loved, and who loved him so dearly. His personality was ideally complementary to that of his Chief, to whom, without thought of favour or reward, he gave unswerving loyalty and support. His dry wit and his genial hospitality attracted and cemented many lasting friendships. He had great practical experience and a wide knowledge of all forms of non-pulmonary tuberculosis, and his opinion was eagerly sought. By his untimely death on the 3rd August, 1945, within a few months of his appointment as Medical Superintendent, the hospital and all the children treated within its walls suffered a grievous loss.

The task of the medical administration of the hospital for the remainder of the year under review was continued by the appointment of Dr. K. A. Butler as Resident Surgical Officer in Charge, supported by the Chairman and other members of the Honorary Medical Board.

The demands made on the hospital were met so far as the available accommodation permitted, but at the end of the year there was still a substantial waiting list.

Plans were formulated to increase the accommodation by re-opening the Observation Ward (on the 27th March, 1946), and the Marine Hospital at Hayling Island (on the 16th May, 1946), which had been requisitioned during the war by the Admiralty. The value of the Observation Ward, where children are "isolated " for a fortnight on admission, in limiting the introduction of infectious diseases into the General Wards of the Hospital, cannot be overestimated. In a Children's hospital certain infectious diseases are not only a menace to the individual patient, but tend to dislocate the routine work and treatment and provide special administrative problems. Diphtheria, one such formidable disease, has for all practicable purposes been eliminated as a result of routine immunisation. Measles and whooping cough now constitute the greatest danger to the infants and younger patients and any prophylactic and therapeutic measure for their elimination and control must be embraced whole-heartedly.

It is unnecessary to do more than merely mention the obvious merits of the seaside branch in providing marine therapy, an outlet for the more convalescent patient and the beneficial effect of open air and helio-therapy for those likely to respond. Is it too much to hope that in the fullness of time the plans already made for the erection of a magnificent seaside hospital on the existing ideal site, worthy of the curative natural amenities available and of the clamant needs of children suffering from poliomyelitis, may not be implemented ?

There is practically no waiting list of children suffering from non-pulmonary tuberculosis, for in view of the potential ravages of this dread disease they are very properly given priority and admitted with as little delay as possible. The same applies to those suffering from poliomyelitis and certain acute orthopaedic conditions such as osteomyelitis. In all such cases early and adequate treatment not only tends to limit the extent of the disease, but also curtails the length of treatment necessary.

The treatment of children suffering from non-pulmonary tuberculosis with the exception of one condition has proceeded along the well-known and generally accepted lines. Compared with the position some years ago, there are now few patients in this hospital suffering from that potentially disfiguring and dreaded disease, Lupus Vulgaris. Treatment by Calciferol, i.e. massive doses of vitamin D (first started in this country by Dr. Dowling of St. Thomas's Hospital), has so far produced spectacular improvement in the small number of cases. It is probable that the best results will be obtained in conjunction with the use of local actinotherapy, and the combination will not only reduce materially the period of treatment necessary, but will also be productive of far better results. The controlled use of calciferol in other tuberculous lesions is being pursued. In the main operations have been carried out on those suffering from non-tuberculous orthopædic conditions by the consulting and resident staff and on those requiring treatment by plastic surgery. Reference was made in last year's Annual Report to the measures proposed to speed up the turnover of patients in the latter group, and these have now been implemented. The waiting list of patients requiring treatment in the plastic surgery unit is still very long, and it is further proposed to increase the number of cots available and the number of operation sessions. Professor Kilner has achieved an international reputation in the treatment of cleft lip and palate and this hospital has become the Mecca of plastic surgeons from many parts of the world to see him and his team at work.

Many of the children treated in this hospital remain for long periods, and routine care of the eyes and teeth is therefore provided. In the Dental Department special attention is paid to conservative treatment, and as a result the general standard of oral hygiene throughout the hospital is good. The excellent pathological work carried out by Dr. E. M. Martland, of Dr. Thornton's Laboratory at Salisbury, has satisfied our requirements and has been of incalculable service so far as the diagnosis and treatment of the patients is concerned.

The volume and high standard of work achieved in the hospital could only have been obtained with the loyal co-operation, zeal and skill of the Matron, Miss Brown (who acted as Matron for some months) and the nursing staff generally. In spite of shortages of staff, particular attention has been paid to the teaching and training of the student nurses in preparation for the Preliminary State Examination of the General Nursing Council, and of the Orthopædic Nursing Certificate of the Joint Examination Board of the British Orthopædic Association and Central Council for the Care of Cripples. Only by insistence on the importance of such measures will the recruitment of satisfactory nursing personnel in adequate numbers be forthcoming.

#### Hospital School.

The importance of education and of the school in minimising the potentially harmful effects of prolonged treatment in hospital and the interruption of normal school life cannot be over-estimated. "School" is provided for all those over two years of age and the excellent standard of work is only maintained by the harmonious co-operation and understanding of the nursing and teaching staffs.

#### Orthopædic Clinics.

Major Orthopaedic Clinics under the direction of Mr. H. H. Langston, the surgeon in charge of Clinics, were held regularly at Portsmouth, Southampton, Bournemouth, Poole, Newport (I.O.W.), Christchurch, Andover, Totton, Eastleigh, Winchester, Fareham, Havant, Basingstoke, Farnborough and Alton. 146 clinic sessions were attended by a surgeon from the hospital.

5,509 patients were seen and the attendances at the physiotherapy and remedial exercises sessions were 31,685.

It may truly be said that the orthopædic services provided by this hospital are comprehensive so far as the child and adolescent are concerned. The Orthopædic Clinics and Remedial Classes are largely responsible for the prevention of severe disability and deformity, early and adequate treatment and education of the crippled child is provided at Alton and Hayling Island, after-care supervision of the majority of the patients is carried out at the orthopædic clinics and out-patient department at the hospital, and vocational training is available for adolescent lads in the college. Attention is now being focussed on the rebuilding of the college and on the provision of a wider range of training facilities.

In concluding this brief Annual Report, I must express my personal gratitude to the Trustees, the Honorary Medical Board and the Hospital Staff, particularly the Medical Staff, for the warm welcome, encouragement and loyalty extended to me in following in the footsteps of those who did so much for the hospital and the patients committed to their care.

#### E. STANLEY EVANS,

MEDICAL SUPERINTENDENT

#### SPECIAL DEPARTMENTS.

The work in the special departments of the Hospital cannot adequately be dealt with in this Report, and can only be summarised briefly :--OPERATING THEATRE. Operations performed-Non-pulmonary tuberculosis 95 ... ... 274 Non-tuberculous orthopaedic ... ... ... ... ... 149 Plastic surgery ... ... ... ... .... ... ... 29 Other ... ... .... ... ... ... ... ... ... 81 Aspirations ... ... ... .... .... .... ... ... Total 628 ... ... ... PLASTER ROOM AND SPLINT DEPARTMENT. Plasters applied ... 276 ... ... ... ... ... Celluloid splints ... 26 ... ... ... ... ... Other splints made and repaired 3,498 .... ... ... ... Total 3,800 .... PHYSIOTHERAPY DEPARTMENT. Number of patients treated ... 331 .... .... Number of treatments given ... 12.376 .... .... .... ... Treatments in the pool 845 ... .... .... ... Total 13,552 .... ... X-RAY DEPARTMENT. 1,195 Number of patients examined .... 3,585 Number of skiagrams ... ... ... .... ... ... 4,780 Total .... .... ... DENTAL DEPARTMENT. Number of patients examined 1.312 ... ... ... .... Number of extractions... ... 267 .... .... ... ... Conservative treatments performed ... 677 ... ... ... Total 2.256 .... ... .... PATHOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT. Bacteriological examinations ... 343 ... ... ... ... Blood examinations ... 729 ... ... ... ... ... Histological specimens 18 ... ... ... ... ... Other examinations ... 47 ... .... .... ... .... Total 1,137 .... .... ... GENERAL LIGHT TREATMENT. Patients. Treatments. (a) Carbon arc 128 4,011 ... ... .... (b) Mercury vapour ... 56 1,209 ... ... ... LOCAL LIGHT TREATMENT. (a) Finsen-Reyn 6 33 ... ... ... (b) Tungsten arc 32 736 ... .... ... .... (c) Kromayer lamp 7 102 ... ... ... ... RADIANT HEAT 14 267 .... .... ... .... .... Total 243 6.358 ....

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Spine Hip Knee Other Non-T.B	 	24 28 13 68 336	20 26 10 56 359	  -     	19 26 10 56 358	18 25 10 56 356	1 1  2	94.7 96.1 100.0 100.0 99.5	549.3 754.8 606.2 198.9 171.5
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Table I. Statistics of In-patients treated during the year.

Table II. Statistics of In-Patients treated since the opening of the Hospital.

Lesion.	approximated	Total admitted.	Total discharged.	Total removed or transferred.	Total completed treatment.	Total disease arrested.	Total died.	Percentage completed treat- ment with disease arrested.	Average stay in days.
Spine            Hip            Knee            Other            Non-T.B.		1,934 2,162 908 1,937 5,074	1,879 2,075 855 1,836 5,071	178 109 37 89 57	1,701 1,966 818 1,747 5,014	1,624 1,908 804 1,714 4,980	77 58 14 33 34	95.5 97.0 98.3 98.2 —	789.2 574.1 487.1 242.1 173.4
Totals		12,015	11,716	470	11,246	11,030	216	_	386.1

#### Table III. Hospital Bed Statistics for year ended 31st March, 1946.

Average daily number of beds available during the year	 330
Average daily number of beds occupied during the year	 310
Number of patient days during the year	 113,194
Number of days Hospital was open during the year	 365

#### OUT-PATIENTS' ORTHOPÆDIC CLINICS.

<b>CI</b>	Date.	Surgeons	Cases E	Examined	Remedial	Remedial Treatments.		
Clinic.		Visits.	New.	Old.	Sessions.			
Portsmouth	1945-46	20	124	525	572	9,600		
*Southampton	1945	11	769	1,454	184	5,091		
Bournemouth	1945-46	14	144	236	442	2,210		
I.O.W	1945-46	6	100	126	184	1,533		
Poole	1945-46	10	65	235	157	2,145		
Alton	1945-46	15	59	134	52	649		
Andover	1945-46	6	63	97	104	976		
Basingstoke	1945-46	13 5	70	183	104	870		
Christchurch	1945-46	5	41	70	52	556		
Eastleigh	1945-46	6	46	100	104	1.257		
Fareham	1945-46	11	142	191	572	2,168		
Gosport	1945-46		_	-	52	712		
Farnborough	1945-46	11	71	113	52	502		
Havant	1945-46	6	37	69	104	1,101		
†Netley	1945-46	_	_		52	165		
Petersfield	1945-46	_	_	_	52	372		
‡Romsey	1945-46	-	-	_	52	4		
Totton	1945-46	6	43	83	52	612		
Winchester	1945-46	6	48	71	156	1,162		

\* Southampton statistics are from 1st January, 1945, to 31st December, 1945.

† Netley commenced 8th October, 1945.

‡ Romsey discontinued 27th January, 1945.

#### REPORT OF THE

### QUEEN ALEXANDRA LEAGUE OF SERVICE AND LOCAL ASSOCIATIONS

#### From 1st April, 1945, to 31st March, 1946

#### President :

#### H.R.H. PRINCESS ARTHUR OF CONNAUGHT.

#### Vice-Presidents :

H.R.H. PRINCESS ALICE, COUNTESS OF ATHLONE, THE DUCHESS OF PORTLAND, THE MARCHIONESS OF CARISBROOKE, THE COUNTESS OF MALMESBURY, C.B.E., THE BARONESS RAVENSDALE, LADY BURNHAM, LADY MACLEAN, LADY EATON, MISS FLORENCE TRELOAR.

#### Organising Secretaries :

MR. CHARLES D. PENKETH MISS CECIL D. SLAUGHTER (Headquarters). (Travelling).

It is with profound gratitude that the Trustees, in presenting this brief account, are able to report another very successful year's work, resulting in an increase of the total income contributed to the Funds of the Hospital and College or collected by our many friends and supporters. This result is all the more remarkable in view of the special difficulties with which all have had to contend during the past year, and is, we feel, a great tribute to the loyal service and keen interest of those whose help has never failed the Hospital, even during the anxious years of war.

In the past year over £26,000 was raised by the Queen Alexandra League and by local appeals made in different parts of the country, and to all who by their hard work and generosity have made possible this very generous support, the Trustees desire to express their sincere thanks. They hope that in the knowledge of the continued success of the work at Alton and Hayling Island these friends will feel in some way recompensed for all their help on behalf of those who have benefited by treatment and training in the Hospital and College.

It is not possible to refer in detail to the numerous individual efforts of Branches, or to single out for special mention the many local collectors whose kind endeavours have yielded such good results. We appreciate, however, all the patient work that is entailed, especially in trying to obtain new subscribers at the present difficult time so as to keep up the totals of local collections. We have again received very welcome help from a large number of Schools and Colleges, and also from Sunday Schools of all denominations. It is encouraging that so many children have been anxious to aid their less fortunate brothers and sisters at Alton.

From "Uncle Mac's" Children's Hour Appeal at Christmas we were allotted the splendid sum of £1,000. We are very grateful to know that we have the continued interest and support of our good friends of the B.B.C.

Various Service Depots in all parts of the country have again helped us most generously, contributing over £1,000 during the year. We greatly value their interest in the cripple children and for their kind remembrance of them at Christmas-time with gifts of books and toys. It has been a great pleasure to welcome many of these friends to Alton and we hope, before long, to have the opportunity of inviting many others to pay a visit to the Hospital and see for themselves the work which their gifts have made possible.

We owe to the Civic Heads of many Boroughs in the country our thanks for continuing the annual appeals made for so many years past. Their influence and support has been of great assistance as well as an encouragement to all connected with the Hospital.

We have also received very generous support from a large number of Lodges of the Manchester Unity of Oddfellows and Courts of the Ancient Order of Foresters. These friends have been most loyal in contributing to the Hospital for very many years. We are grateful for their continued interest.

It is sad to have to record the loss by death or removal of some of our most regular collectors, others have had to give up their work of collecting owing to the increased demands now being made upon them. The Trustees especially desire to convey to all of these their grateful appreciation and thanks for the help which they have given to the Hospital for so many years, and which we shall remember with gratitude. We are much indebted to those who have so kindly come forward to take their place, and to serve the children in their stead.

Whilst, in the future, the Hospital is to come directly under the National Health Service Administration, the Cripples' Training College will be exempt, and the Trustees hope that our good friends will be willing to continue their efforts on behalf of the College. The work of training and educating cripples is most essential, and it is proposed to enlarge and extend the College as soon as possible. It is very gratifying to hear from so many that we have their strong approval of this proposal and to know that we can be assured of their continued support.

#### FLORENCE TRELOAR,

Trustee.

#### RULES FOR ADMISSION TO HOSPITAL

Application for admission must be made on a special form which will be supplied on request. This form, when completed and signed by a medical practitioner, should be immediately sent to The Secretary, The Cripples' Hospital, Alton, Hants.

Boys and girls crippled from any cause whatever and who would be likely to be benefited by treatment are admitted up to the age of 16 years. The term "crippled" may be widely interpreted. Priority is given to children crippled by tuberculous infections or deemed to be suffering from orthopædic conditions, but cases suffering from medical forms of crippling, as, for example, rheumatoid arthritis, the sequelæ to rheumatic fever, and chronic diseases generally, who might be benefited by treatment, are eligible for admission if vacancies occur.

Should surgical treatment become necessary it is to be understood that such will be carried out under the direction of the Medical Officers.

Cases with signs of active tuberculous disease of the lungs are not eligible for admission.

Patients found eligible for admission will be registered, and in due course orders of admission will be sent.

Patients will not be admitted unless clean in their persons and habits.

Patients are admitted for any period up to two years which the Trustees deem advisable, at the end of which time all cases shall be examined and reported upon by a Visiting Member of the Medical Board. If thought desirable, the period may then be extended on the recommendation of the Medical Board.

Patients on admission will be tested as to their susceptibility to diphtheria and if susceptible will be immunised.

Patients will be treated either at Alton or at the Seaside Branch at Sandy Point, Hayling Island, as their condition indicates, Patients will always be admitted to and discharged from ALTON save in exceptional circumstances. Parents will at once be notified of the transference of children from one Branch to the other.

A weekly charge towards the maintenance, treatment and education of patients is made to parents, friends or philanthropic societies in respect of children admitted to the Hospital.

The guarantee at foot of the form of application for admission must be completed by filling in the sum that parents or friends are able to contribute, and the signature of a responsible householder must be obtained.

The Trustees will give sympathetic consideration to any special case of need, and, if full enquiry warrants such a course, may receive a patient at a reduced rate or without charge.

For cases admitted through County Councils, Education Committees and Poor Law Authorities special rates are charged.

Parents and adult friends may visit patients between 2 and 3.30 p.m. on the first Sunday in each month on presentation of visiting card, except during the months of January, February and March, when visiting is not permitted.

#### RULES FOR ADMISSION TO THE COLLEGE

1.- Application for admission must be made on a special form which will be supplied on request. This form when completed should be immediately sent to The Secretary.

- 2.-Candidates for admission must attend for a preliminary examination by the Medical Superintendent.
- 3.-Final decision as to admission rests in all cases with the Trustees of the College.
- 4.-Successful candidates for admission will be registered, and in due course orders of admission
- 5.-Crippled boys, between the ages of fourteen and sixteen years of age, who would be likely to be benefited by technical training, are eligible for admission.
- 6.-The blind, the deaf and dumb or mentally deficient, or those without the full use of both hands, are ineligible.
- 7.—Candidates suffering from pulmonary tuberculosis, or from any condition which makes it undesirable that they should associate with other lads, are ineligible.
- 8.—Should medical or surgical treatment be required while in residence it is understood that such will be carried out under the direction of the Medical Officers.
- 9.—Candidates requiring surgical appliances or special surgical boots can obtain these after admission at lowest Hospital rates. Renewal or repair of these instruments, when required, will be undertaken on the same terms,
- 10.—Boys are trained at the College in tailoring, and shoemaking. The selection of a trade for each lad is decided by the College authorities after admission. While undergoing training the general education of the lads receives special attention by means of classes designed to meet their individual requirements. The Syllabus is approved by classes designed to meet their individual requirements, the Ministry of Education.
- 11 .- All boys come for a probationary period of three months. The full period of training is three years. Persistent bad conduct or uncleanliness in person or habits render a boy liable to expulsion.
- 12.-Each boy when admitted must bring : 2 pairs of boots ; 1 pair of slippers ; hair-brush and comb ; tooth-brush. Other necessary articles of Clothing are supplied as required, but boys having any serviceable
  - ciothing should bring this with them.
  - Should boots be required during the stay of the boys at the College, these are supplied at cost price from the College workshops.
- 13 .- A weekly charge towards the maintenance of boys admitted to the College is made to parents, friends
  - or philanthropic societies. The guarantee at foot of form of application for admission must be completed by filling in the sum that parents or friends are able to contribute, and the signature of a responsible householder must be obtained.
  - The Trustees will give sympathetic consideration to any special case of need, and, if full enquiry warrants such a course, may receive a candidate at a reduced rate or without charge. For cases admitted through County Councils, Education Committees and Poor Law Authorities, special rates are charged.
- 14.-The College is closed for a week or ten days at Easter and Christmas, and during the month of August. Boys going home must provide their return fare a week before the holidays commence.
- 15.-Boys will be promoted as monitors (with special privileges), according to their good conduct and diligence. A bonus is given to boys for good conduct and diligence shown at their trade. This, in the case of successful boys, is usually sufficient to meet the cost of an outfit of tools when a boy has completed his training. Boys withdrawn before completion of training forfeit claim to bonus.
- 16 .- Every effort will be made to place boys in situations on the expiration of training, but no guarantee to this effect can be given.

## FORM OF BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to the Lord Mayor Treloar Cripples' Hospital and College, to be applied in and towards carrying on the charitable objects of the Institution,

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