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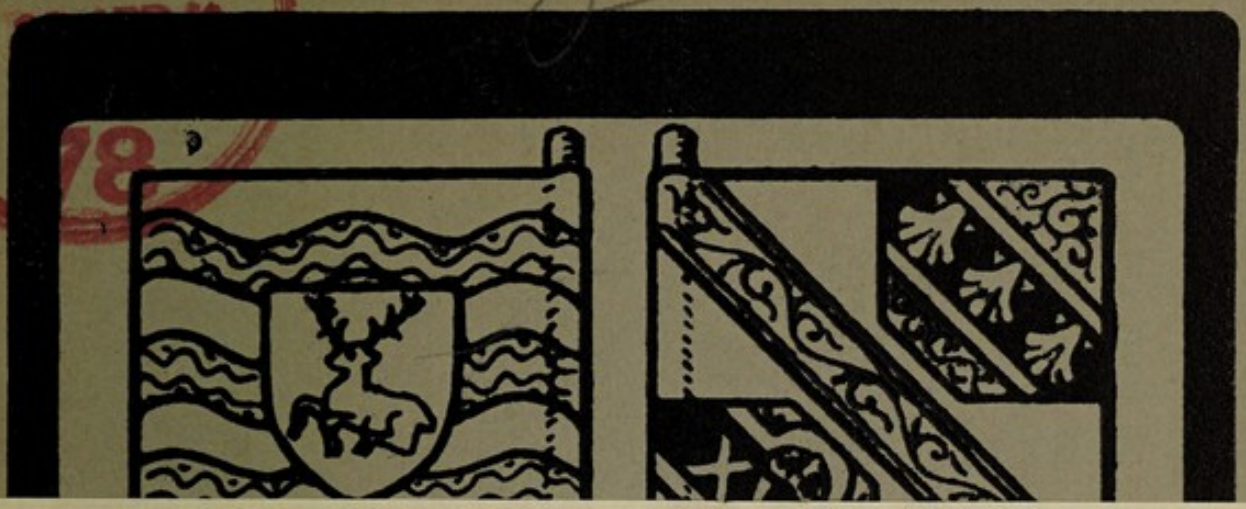

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(INCORPORATED)

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the above-named Association will be held at the Hospital on Thursday, the 15th day of May, 1941, at 11 a.m. for the transaction of General Business.

By order of the Council,

GWYNNETH LAMB,

Secretary.

17th April, 1941.

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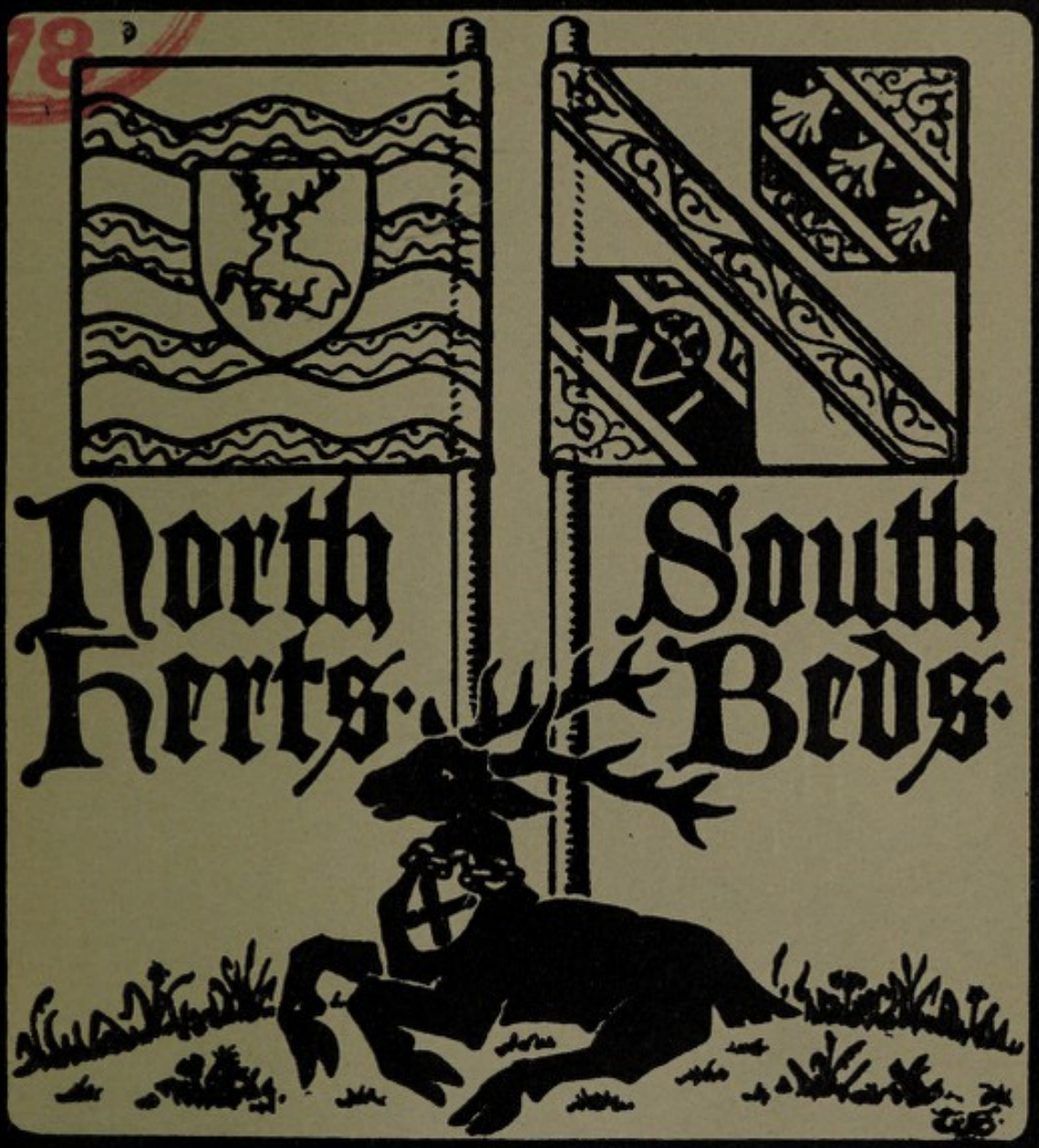

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ONE HUNDREDTH
ANNUAL REPORT

of the COUNCIL of the

North Herts. and South Beds. Hospital
(INCORPORATED)

REPORT

The Council of Management have pleasure in submitting their Report for the year 1940.

The year has been an eventful one and it would seem that the Hospital is entering upon its second century of service to the community in the same manner as it did its first. The long awaited Maternity block has been completed and temporarily handed over to the Hertfordshire County Council to provide them with facilities for maternity work for the mothers evacuated from the East End of London. Thus has the tradition established by Dr. Frederick Hawkins in 1840 been preserved.

The other outstanding event is the gift from the Workers' Hospital Fund of a Mobile X-Ray unit and a thoroughly up-to-date anæsthetising apparatus. Both these were urgently needed and are being put to full use and the Council wish to

record their grateful thanks to the Fund for their generous gift.

Dr. A. H. Foster has now retired from the Honorary Medical Staff. The Council wish to thank him for his great help for so many years and to welcome him to the Honorary Consultant Staff. His place as Senior Medical Officer has been taken by Dr. H. R. Grellet.

With regard to the financial position, the General Fund, as will be seen from the Accounts, has improved. As for the Building Fund, from recent calculation it is estimated that the cost of the extensions will be £37,200. Of this amount about £13,000 has been raised by the sale of securities (notably of the War Loan, given by the late Miss Hilda Seebohm) and by transfers from the General Fund, leaving an amount of £24,200 to be found. Arrangements are being made for this sum to be raised by a loan on the security of the agreement with the Herts. County Council under which the County Council makes annual payments to the Hospital which will be used to liquidate the loan over the period covered by the agreement.

When the Hertfordshire County Council terminate their present occupation of the Maternity Wards the cost of furnishing will have to be provided by the Hospital. The Council would, therefore, be grateful for donations for this purpose and also to help pay off the loan as quickly as possible.

The Council is more than grateful to all those who, in spite of the difficulties caused by the War, have continued to give the Hospital their generous support.

The number of In-patients admitted during 1940 was 1,332. Of these 72 were War Casualties and 56 were Road Accidents. The latter cost the Hospital £529 2s. 6d. and of this amount £117 16s. 7d. has been recovered while 21 cases are still unsettled. There were 616 operations in the Theatre and 311 patients were X-Rayed. The average weekly cost of each In-patient was £3 4s. 3d.

In the Out-patients Department 2,396 patients were treated, of whom 97 received Ophthalmic treatment; 56 were Road Accident Cases; and 184 were War Casualties. 227 minor operations were carried out in the Surgery and 1,042 patients were X-Rayed. The cost of each Out-patient was 7/-.

The Hospital has lost two old friends during the year. In February Miss Grace Hall, who was Matron of the Hospital from 1894 to 1918, passed away, and in the next month Mr. G. W. Russell, one of the oldest Vice-Presidents, died. Both will be very much missed.

1939 £ s. d.	ORDINARY INCOME	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	I. Voluntary Gifts.			
	1. **Subscriptions, Donations, etc.:**			
643 5 7	Annual Subscriptions ..	826 16 7		
980 7 11	Donations	829 19 11		
70 6 4	Box Collections	81 15 7		
250 17 3	Entertainments	157 4 6		
109 14 7	Gifts in Kind	108 18 10		
	Other Voluntary Gifts:			
108 13 5	Church Collections ..	124 9 10		
2163 5 1			2129 5 3	
	2. **Central Funds:**			
123 0 0	Stevenage Hospital Demonstration			
4 1 9	Stevenage Hospital Saturday Fund	80 10 0		
45 0 0	Other Central Funds: League of Mercy	45 0 0		
172 1 9			125 10 0	
				2254 15 3
	II. Receipts on account of Services rendered.			
	1. **Contributions on account of services to Patients:**			
	(a) From Patients and their Societies:			
2465 8 10	Patients	3131 2 1		
3717 16 8	Hospital Contributory Associations	3508 10 9		
—	Approved Societies	11 1 2		
21 8 3	Other sources	36 11 7		
6204 13 9		6687 5 7		
815 7 2	(b) From Public Authorities ..	1141 10 1		
1936 0 0	(c) From Ministry of Health (E.M.S.)	2098 13 10		
			9927 9 6	
	Note: Of this amount £1,235 14s. 6d. was received in 1939 but put to Suspense in that year's accounts.			
	2. **Fees:**			
—	Nurses' and Probationers' Fees		— — —	
	3. **Other Receipts**			
135 9 6	First Aid Post		94 14 6	
				10022 4 0
£11,426 17 3		Carried forward		12,276 19 3

for the year ended 31st December, 1940

1939 £ s. d.	ORDINARY EXPENDITURE	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
2154 10 5	**I. Provisions**		2572 18 2
	II. Surgery and Dispensary:		
526 3 1	Drugs, Chemicals, etc.	633 5 9	
176 4 3	Dressings, Bandages, etc.	254 16 1	
490 16 10	Instruments and Appliances	377 11 7	
15 6 0	Wines and Spirits	26 5 0	
116 18 9	Salaries and Wages of Dispensing Staff	168 16 0	
11 12 3	Sundries	13 3 11	
1317 1 2			1473 18 4
	III. Domestic:		
208 9 6	Renewal and Repair of Furniture, Bedding, Crockery, etc.	445 8 9	
615 19 9	Laundry	590 4 3	
110 5 11	Cleaning and Chandlery	112 10 3	
5 12 8	Water	5 12 8	
1045 0 11	Fuel and Lighting	1295 9 2	
69 10 0	Uniforms	103 1 7	
7 16 6	Sundries	7 4 2	
2062 15 3			2559 10 10
	IV. Salaries and Wages (Maintenance):		
99 11 5	National Health Insurance	112 17 3	
2385 6 9	Nursing	2463 15 7	
877 6 3	Other Officers and Employees	962 6 9	
25 0 0	Pensions	3 7 6	
3387 4 5			3542 7 1
	V. Miscellaneous:		
111 13 0	Printing, Stationery, Postage and Telephone	127 11 7	
19 11 5	Advertisements	9 1 3	
108 1 1	Insurance of Buildings, Equipment, Stores, etc.	132 6 1	
120 6 0	Garden	120 1 0	
116 15 1	Sundries	125 13 11	
476 6 7			514 13 10
9,397 17 10		Carried forward	10,663 8 3

Income and Expenditure Account (contd.)

INCOME—*continued.*

1939 £ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
11,146 14 3	Brought forward		12,276 19 3
	III. Invested Property.		
681 2 3	Interest, Dividends, etc. ..		505 5 10
12,107 19 6	Ordinary Income		12,782 5 1

EXTRAORDINARY

592 12 7	**I. Legacies**		
	II. Other Extraordinary Income	1 0 5 10	159 5 10
12,700 12 1			12,941 10 11

EXPENDITURE—*continued*

1939 £ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
9,397 17 10	Brought forward		10,663 8 3
	VI. Administration:		
392 4 10	Salaries	380 3 4	
49 1 9	Printing, Stationery, Postage and Telephone	45 2 4	
1 11 10	Advertisements	—	
10 14 8	Sundries	13 4 8	
5 6 6	Law Charges	—	
458 19 7			438 10 4
	VII. Establishment:		
266 7 2	Renewals and Repairs, Building and Plant		484 14 11
	VIII. Finance:		
10 17 7	Interest	—	
72 7 11	Rates and Taxes	81 5 0	
			81 5 0
	IX. Suspense Account:		
1235 14 6	Ministry of Health		—
11,442 4 7	Ordinary Expenditure		11667 18 6
	EXTRAORDINARY		
5 5 0	**I. Contributions to other Institutions** ..		5 5 0
11,447 9 7	Total Expenditure		11673 3 6
1253 2 6	Balance being excess of Total Income over Total Expenditure for the year		1268 7 5
£12,700 12 1			£12,941 10 11

1939 £ s. d.	LIABILITIES	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Sundry Creditors			— — —
	Loans to Hospital:			
	Being overdrawn balances at Bank on:			
	General Fund			
5251 13 9	Buildings Extension Fund ..			20903 6 1
	Suspense Account:			
1235 14 6	Ministry of Health			
	Workers' Hospital Fund donation for appliances to be bought in 1941			500 0 0
	Capital Account:			
3748 5 0	(a) Hospital Endowments:		3980 0 0	
68337 10 6	(b) Land, Buildings and Equipment Fund:			
	Balance 31st Dec., 1939 ..	68337 10 6		
	Donations during 1940 ..	23 5 0		
	Herts. County Council Grant	1664 0 0		
	Add transfer from General Fund	4724 8 10		
			74749 4 4	
11883 15 1	(c) General Fund:			
	Balance 31st Dec., 1939 ..	11883 15 1		
	Add Excess of Total Income over Total Expenditure for Year ..	1268 7 5		
	Book profit on sale of stocks in 1940	337 7 9		
		13489 10 3		
	Less Transfer to Land and Building Fund	4724 8 10		
			8765 1 5	
				87494 5 9
	Unexpended Income Account:			
	Balance of Special Funds—			
29 8 9	Federated Superannuation Scheme (Nurses) ..		25 3 2	
249 1 11	Ditto — (Probationers)		336 16 5	
				361 19 7
£90,735 9 6				£109,259 11 5

1939 £ s. d.	ASSETS	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Cash in Hand and at Bank:			
	Special Funds:			
29 8 9	Federated Superannuation Scheme (Nurses) ..	25 3 2		
249 1 11	Ditto — (Probationers) ..	336 16 5		
			361 19 7	
100 0 0	General Funds: (In hand)		150 0 0	
1465 14 3	(At Bank)		1948 7 2	
				2460 6 9
	Investments:			
3748 5 0	(a) Hospital Endowments		3980 0 0	
11553 15 4	(d) General Fund		7166 14 3	
				11146 14 3
	Note.—The value at this date, so far as can be ascertained from official quotations is £10,699 0s. 1d.			
	Land, Buildings and Equipment of the Hospital:			
62539 8 1	Balance, 31st December, 1939		73589 4 3	
11049 16 2	*Add* Expenditure for 1940		22063 6 2	
				95652 10 5
£90,735 9 6				£109,259 11 5

Note — The Hospital has entered into certain arrangements with the Ministry of Health and with the Herts. County Council, whereby grants towards Hospital upkeep are receivable. The Income and Expenditure Account attached takes into account only such amounts as have been received, as any further amounts receivable are a matter of final agreement.

I have examined the above Balance Sheet with the accompanying Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st December, 1940, with the Books and Vouchers of the Hospital and certify them to be in accordance therewith, and to the best of my knowledge and belief the Regulations of the Revised Uniform System have been followed.

(Signed)

ARTHUR B. LUCAS, F.C.A.
Honorary Auditor.

13th February, 1941.

STATISTICS

for the year ended 31st December, 1940, compared with those of the previous year.

I. IN-PATIENTS

A. Number of Beds and In-Patients.

	Nos. in 1940	Nos. to Aug. 1939	Nos. to Dec. 1939
1. Number of available Beds	133	76	133
2. Average number of Patients resident daily throughout the period	61.84	63.2	53.7
3. Number of In-patients in the Hospital at beginning of period	54	62	43
4. Number of Patients admitted during the period	1332	818	379
5. Number of Patients in Hospital at end of period	59	43	54
6. Average number of days each Patient was resident	17	18.4	17.8
7. Number of Patients admitted and discharged during the period who were resident for			
(i) only 1 day	79	41	13
(ii) 2 and 3 days	198	132	59

B. Annual Expenditure on In-Patients.

Apart from that on Out-Patients: Average cost of each In-Patient per week; and Average cost of each In-Patient.

	1940†	1940†		1939*	
	Expenditure on In-Patients.	Average Cost of each In-Patient per week.	Average Total Cost of each In-Patient.	Average Cost of each In-Patient per week.	Average Total Cost of each In-Patient
	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Provisions ..	2382	14 9	1 15 11	11 11	1 11 3
Surgery and Dispensary ..	1150	7 2	17 4	5 0	13 2
Domestic ..	2249	13 10	1 13 10	11 10	1 11 0
Salaries & Wages (Maintenance)	3247	1 0 1	2 9 0	18 1	2 7 3
Miscellaneous ..	483	3 0	7 3	2 9	7 3
Administration ..	359	2 3	5 5	2 2	5 7
Statistical Cost	9870	3 1 1	7 8 9	2 11 9	6 15 6
Establishment:					
Renewals and Repairs ..	443	2 9	6 8	1 9	4 8
Finance	71	5	1 1	6	1 4
Total Cost ..	10384	3 4 3	7 16 6	2 14 0	7 1 6

* For 8 months to 31st August, 1939, only.

† Deductions made for expenses not connected with patients.

STATISTICS

for the year ended 31st December, 1940, compared with those of the previous year.

II. OUT-PATIENTS

A. Numbers.

	Nos in 1940	Nos. to Aug. 1939	Nos. to Dec. 1939
1. Total number of new Out-patients ..	2396	1319	919
2. Total number of Out-patient attendances	4864	2541	1549
Number of Casualty Patients included in No. 1 above	1253	583	556

B. Annual Expenditure on Out-Patients.

and Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance; and of each Out-Patient.

	1940†	1940†		1939*	
	Expenditure on Out-Patients.	Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance.	Average Total Cost of each Out-Patient.	Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance.	Average Total Cost of each Out-Patient
	£	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Provisions	57	3	5	10	1 8
Surgery and Dispensary	324	1 4	2 9	2 4	4 6
Domestic	72	3	7	11	1 10
Salaries & Wages (Maintenance)	256	1 1	2 2	1 5	2 8
Miscellaneous ..	29	1	3	1	2
Administration ..	55	3	5	3	5
Statistical Cost .	793	3 3	6 7	5 10	11 3
Establishment: Renewals and Repairs	37	2	4	2	3
Finance	10	1	1	—	—
Total Cost ..	840	3 6	7 0	6 0	11 6

* For 8 months to 31st August, 1939 only.

† Deductions made for expenses not connected with patients.

IN-PATIENTS

admitted from the following districts during 1940

Almshoe	1
Arlesey	46
Ashwell	1
Aston	2
Ashbrook	1
Ayot S. Peter	1
Baldock	14
Bennington	1
Biggleswade	2
Breachwood Gn	1
Charlton	3
Clifton	2
Clothall	2
Cockernhoe	2
Codicote	5
Gosmore	14
Graveley	9
Gravenhurst	1
Henlow	26
Hexton	1
Higham Gobion	1
Hitchin	643
Holwell	2
Ickleford	23
Kimpton	3
King's Walden	5
Knebworth	15
Langford	2
Letchworth	22
Ley Green	1
Lilley	10
London	11
Luton	2
Meppershall	3
Ninesprings	1
Offley	22
Pirton	26
Preston	14
Radwell	2
Redcoats	2
Royston	3
Rushden	1
Rush Green	1
Shefford	6
Shillington	25
St. Ippolyts	24
St. Paul's Walden	2
Stevenage	107
Stondon	13
Stotfold	26
Symonds Gn.	1
Tea Green	5
Todds Green	1
Walsworth	40
Wellbury	2
Welwyn	4
Weston	13
Whitwell	5
Wymondley, Gt.	8
Wymondley, Lt.	13
Other districts	16
War casualties	71
Total	1332

	Men	Women	Children	Total
Cured or Benefited	338	447	400	1185
Transferred for further Treatment	12	10	7	29
In Statu Quo	6	12	2	20
Died (of whom 28 were admitted in a dying condition or died within 24 hours of admission)	38	31	24	93
In Hospital, Dec. 31st	27	22	10	59
Total	421	522	443	1386

STATISTICAL TABLES
Comparative Statement of Income and Expenditure

INCOME

Year.	Subscriptions.	Donations.	Entertainments.	Boxes.	League of Mercy.	Congregational Collections	Private Patients	Ward Patients.	Out-Patients	Public Authorities.	X-Ray Fees.	Approved Societies.	Workpeople's Collections.	Hospital Demonstrations	Invested Property	Other Receipts	Total Ordinary Income.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
*1931	522	353	752	57	245	148	515	399	3	201	112	197	1708	277	893	4	6569
1932	465	338	637	33	200	162	674	466	1	250	201	125	1597	359	880	63	6741
1933	521	599	723	46	250	157	643	360	1	381	155	123	1789	144	713	74	7036
1934	525	407	421	49	200	133	689	509	3	227	209	116	1953	355	721	4	6733
1935	515	605	368	60	200	121	786	486	5	358	311	102	2120	345	731	—	7316
1936	557	1783	392	70	200	141	1171	525	17	466	360	46	2224	90	733	—	8991
1937	726	582	275	72	50	147	1521	553	23	388	462	2	2536	124	697	—	8327
1938	820	924	407	56	50	136	1232	785	9	774	575	11	2441	118	728	—	9247
1939	643	980	250	70	45	109	1195	759	27	815	541	—	3718	127	681	—	10872
1940	827	830	157	81	45	108	1457	1124	40	1207	562	11	3508	80	505	—	12782

EXPENDITURE

Year	Provisions.	Surgery and Dispensary.	Domestic.	Establishment.	Wages and Salaries	Miscellaneous.	Rents, Rates & Taxes	Total Ordinary Expenditure.	Total Extraordinary Expenditure.		No. In-Patients during year.	Average No. of In-Patients per day.	No. of Patient Days.	Average Cost of In-Patients per week.	Average Cost of each In-Patient.	No. of Out-Patients.	Average cost of each Out-Patient.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£					£ s. d.	£ s. d.		s. d.
*1931	1079	765	1350	557	1746	374	50	6231	304		743	31	11406	3 10 1	7 12 3	1774	6 6
1932	1411	986	1475	114	2087	398	47	6868	7		991	44	15864	2 14 11	6 6 9	1933	6 0
1933	1448	1013	1548	184	2122	417	47	7149	6		988	45	16372	2 15 9	6 18 11	2515	4 10
1934	1471	880	1477	82	2220	469	47	7162	7		1043	45	17858	2 15 4	6 10 8	3041	4 7
1935	1523	958	1678	142	2317	443	47	7479	7		1030	49	18457	2 12 10	6 18 7	3267	4 7
1936	1854	1175	2195	115	2749	510	68	9093	5		1248	52	21255	2 19 1	6 14 6	3089	7 0
1937	2045	1120	1973	661	2939	502	67	9724	6		1273	59.5	21821	2 16 7	6 16 11	3092	6 6
1938	2185	1285	2138	320	3335	478	67	10258	6		1252	60.4	22047	2 19 6	7 16 9	2319	8 0
1939	2155	1317	2062	266	3387	476	72	10206	5		1259	58.5	21451	2 14 0	7 1 6	2238	11 6
1940	2573	1474	2559	485	3542	515	81	11668	5		1386	61.8	22568	3 4 3	7 16 6	2396	7 0

* Hospital closed for 15 weeks.

INVESTMENTS

A. HOSPITAL ENDOWMENTS:

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d
£1,019 13s. 1d. Commonwealth of Australia 4% Registered Stock 1943-48 (Alfred Ransom bed)	1030	0	0			
£1578 15s. 9d. Commonwealth of Australia 1945-75 5% Loan	1500	0	0			
£456 15s. 10d. 3½% War Loan 1952	450	0	0			
£1037 10s. 0d. Local Loans 3% Stock (Value at 31st December, 1940, £4,096 16s. 8d.)	1000	0	0	3980	0	0

D. GENERAL FUND.

London Midland & Scottish Railway:						
£700 Ordinary Stock						
£642 4% Debenture Stock ..	3075	15	10			
£1416 4% Guaranteed Stock ..						
£1560 4% Preference Stock ..						
London & North Eastern Railway:						
£705 4% First Preference Stock						
£770 4% Second Preference Stock						
£1866 3% Debenture Stock ..	3400	7	8			
£1470 4% First Guaranteed Stock						
£705 4% Second Guaranteed Stock						
£224 5% Preferred Ordinary Stock						
Southern Railway:						
£877 5% Preference Stock ..	690	10	9	7166	14	3
(Value at 31st December, 1940, £6,602 3s. 5d.)						
				£11,146	14	3

Total Value at 31st December, 1940, £10,699 0s. 1d.

Original Cost of the Hospital Estate, Building, Furniture, etc.

	£	s.	d.
Land, Building, Furniture	3478	2	7
Land Bought of Trinity College	50	0	0
Land Bought of C. W. Wilshere, Esq.	270	0	0
Additions to Buildings, 1882	1012	0	0
Wall Built, 1895	121	0	0
Cost of Additions and Alterations, 1901	2524	5	10
Cost of Ironwork and Iron Front Fence and Iron Gates, 1906	119	13	5
Cost of Extension of Isolation Ward, 1910	403	18	1
Installation of Electric Light, 1919	54	15	6
Cost of Additions and Alterations, 1920 and 1921	9464	0	9
Ditto, 1922, 1923, 1924	12900	0	6
Ditto, 1925	170	0	9
Ditto, 1926	171	9	6
Ditto, 1927	157	7	0
Ditto, 1928	3835	12	2
Ditto, 1929	3620	4	6
Ditto, 1930	102	13	2
Ditto, 1931	157	16	0
Ditto, 1932	92	1	9
Ditto, 1933	3795	19	3
Ditto, 1934	1298	8	6
Ditto, 1935	10362	18	4
Ditto, 1936	3823	12	5
Ditto, 1937	4080	6	9
Ditto, 1938	473	1	4
Ditto, 1939	11049	16	2
Ditto, 1940	22063	6	2
	£95,652	10	5

DONATIONS

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Allen		2	6
Anonymous per Dr. B. L. Skeggs	3	0	0
Mr. F. J. Armitage	2	2	0
Miss G. Bell	6	0	0
B.B.C. Combined Hospitals Appeal		12	6
Mr. Bird (for finding dog)		10	6
Mrs. Blow		10	0
British Legion Service	2	0	0
Mrs. H. E. Bull	5	5	0
Mrs. J. Cornett (sale of lavender bags) ...		18	6
Miss A. Cox		10	0
Miss Davies		13	0
Duria Bridge Club	1	0	0
Fair in Butts Close:—			
Mrs. Gale	3	12	3
Messrs. Harris & Sons	3	0	0
Other Tenants		18	0
Miss Fennell	1	0	0
Messrs. T. W. & P. Franklin	10	0	0
Miss D. Graham	2	2	0
Miss E. M. Grubb	1	1	0
P.H., per Dr. B. L. Skeggs	3	0	0
Captain Hall	1	0	0
Harvest Offering		10	0
Sheila and Pamela Hatton		3	6
Hertfordshire Football Association	10	10	0
Hitchin Bowling Club	10	6	4
Hitchin and District Homing Society	7	8	4
Hitchin and District Workers' Hospital Fund ...	700	0	0
Hitchin Urban District Council	20	0	0
Hospital Saving Association	5	0	0
Miss E. M. Ibberson	2	2	0
Mrs. Kelly	1	0	0
Mrs. Lennox-Boyd	1	11	2
Miss Lewin		7	6
Mrs. Marsh	1	0	0
Carried forward	£808	16	1

	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	808	16	1
Mr. R. W. Newland	1	1	0
Nightingale Road Sunday School		5	0
Poacher's Penalty		10	0
Priory Singers		14	0
Mrs. Pritchard	1	1	0
Mr. C. Rivett	5	0	0
Shephall United Charities	2	2	0
Mr. E. Smith	1	1	0
Stevenage Sunday School	1	4	3
Dr. A. W. Stott	1	1	0
Mr. A. H. Thake	1	1	0
Mr. F. R. Warren	2	2	0
Wedding Ring		12	6
Mrs. Williams (sale of lavender bags)		8	0
Christmas Stockings to 31st December, 1940 —			
J. Garrioch		4	1
Dr. W. P. Grellet's Surgery		5	3
Joan Parcell			7
Farthing Collections —			
P. Hailey		3	6
Pictorial Children's Corner	1	0	10
R. Willmott (4 years' collection)	1	0	10
Wilshere Dacre School Standard IIa ...		6	0
Gifts in kind	108	18	10
	£938	18	9

Entertainments

Herts. C.C. Sunday Entertainments Tax ...	139	7	5
Hitchin and District Youth Association	2	10	0
Miss Prime's Dance	14	6	1
Ye Olde English Waits	1	1	0
	£157	4	6

Hospital Contributory Associations

	£	s.	d.
H. Gentle		6	5
Hitchin and District Workers' Hospital Fund ...	3384	3	6
Kryn & Lahy (1928) Ltd., Employees of ...	124	0	10
	£3,508	10	9

Central Funds

	£	s.	d.
League of Mercy	45	0	0
Stevenage Hospital Saturday Fund ... ... (collected without procession)	80	10	0
	£125	10	0

Box Collections

	£	s.	d.
Mr. Kenneth Allen		11	0
Mr. Andrews	7	7	7
Anon. per Fence Box	2	0	0
Nurse A.A. Box	11	5	7
Mr. Bottom		8	10
Clement Clark, Messrs.		4	4
Cromwell Hotel	1	4	5
Mr. Freeman	1	0	1
Halsey & Son, Messrs.		11	8
Herts. & Beds. Bacon Factory		5	0
Mr. L. Hidgcock		2	11
Hobleys, Messrs.		3	1
Hospital Boxes	46	1	7
H. Huckle, Messrs.		6	0
Mr. Morgan			7
W. B. Moss & Sons, Ltd.		5	0
Mr. S. Nicholls		3	4
Mr. F. Nott	4	14	7
Paternoster and Hales		4	5
Miss Patterson		15	1
Red Hart Hotel		2	11
R. E. Sanders, Messrs.		4	8
S. D. Simpkins, Messrs.		3	1
Mrs. Sharp		7	3
Sun Hotel		1	5
Mrs. Thorogood	2	11	11
Mr. W. A. Warner		1	4
Mr. S. Waters		7	11
	£81	15	7

BENEFACTORS

Of £10 and under £25 (given at any one time)

	£	s.	d.
Mr. W. H. Fox	10	10	0
Sir Hildred Carlile, Bart.	21	0	0
Mrs. F. H. Anderson, Walsworth	10	10	0
Mr. P. A. Sharman	25	10	0
Mr. A. J. G. Lindsell, Pirton	20	10	0
Miss Alice Smyth, Hitchin	40	0	0
Sir Felix Cassel, Bart., K.C.	31	10	0
Dr. W. P. Grellet, Hitchin	31	10	0
Mr. Arthur Hill	10	0	0
Mrs. Bendixson	10	0	0
Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Grellet, Hitchin	41	0	0
Mr. W. H. Handscombe, Pirton Hall	20	0	0
Dame Margaret Tuke	10	0	0
Mr. Edgar J. Dennis	20	0	0
Mrs. J. Dunne Parker	10	10	0
Dr. A. H. Foster	10	10	0
Miss L. Hensley	10	0	0
Mr. F. R. Shillitoe	10	0	0
Dr. E. A. Gibb	22	0	0
Mr. S. Uridge	10	0	0
Mr. Hubert Blundell	15	0	0
Mrs. Hubert Blundell	10	0	0
Mrs. A. M. Gunner	10	10	0
Mr. H. K. King	21	0	0
Mrs. H. K. King	10	0	0
Major General C. H. Tindall-Lucas	20	0	0
Mr. G. L. Pyman	40	0	0
Rev. C. P. H. Reynolds	10	0	0
Mrs. C. P. H. Reynolds	10	0	0
Mr. John W. Smith	10	0	0
Miss Smyth	12	12	9
Mr. Arthur Warren	10	0	0
Mrs. Little	10	0	0
Miss Audrey Harrison	20	0	0
Mr. J. W. Skells	10	10	0

LIFE GOVERNORS

Donors of £25 (given at any one time) and upwards

	£	s.	d.
*Mr. E. Newton, Savona, Harrington Road, Brighton	50	0	0
Mrs. Waudby, Wavendon Old Rectory, Woburn Sands	55	0	0
Miss Cotton Browne, Walkern Hall	425	0	0
Sir H. Brent-Grotrian, Bart., K.C.	25	0	0
Viscount Hampden	383	0	0
Lord Brocket	100	0	0
Miss Pryor	112	10	0
Marquis of Salisbury, K.G.	50	0	0
Mrs. Theodore Ransom	25	0	0
Col. W. M. Pryor	221	0	0
Mr. R. H. J. Delmé-Radcliffe	471	0	0
Miss Seebohm	250	0	0
Major F. H. Anderson	270	0	0
Mr. H. E. Seebohm	325	0	0
Mr. S. T. Gresham	25	0	0
Mr. H. H. Wightman	25	0	0
Major T. Clemens Usher	277	10	0
Mrs. T. Clemens Usher	277	10	0
Major J. F. Harrison	8350	0	0
Mr. Ernest Bowman	150	0	0
Mr. W. E. Franklin	52	2	0
Mr. C. J. Widdows	50	0	0
Miss Marianna Lucas	142	0	0
Sir Philip Devitt, Bart.	67	0	0
Commander Clive Pinsent, R.N.	847	10	0
Mrs. Clive Pinsent	812	10	0
Miss Barclay	150	0	0
Sir Joseph Priestley, K.C.	75	0	0
Mr. J. H. Bowman	25	0	0
Mr. S. L. Day	50	0	0
Mrs. H. R. Foster	25	0	0
Mrs. W. M. Pryor	75	0	0
Mrs. Ernest Bowman	75	0	0
Mr. Charles Cannon	52	10	0
Miss Doris Bowman	25	0	0
Mr. J. Cecil-Bull	50	0	0
Mrs. J. Cecil-Bull	60	10	0
Mr. Terence Eden	60	10	0
Mrs. Terence Eden	50	0	0
Mr. J. Inns	250	0	0

Life Governors — continued

	£	s.	d.
Mr. J. W. Inns	250	0	0
Mr. H. O. Keysell	25	0	0
Mr. Thomas Morton	110	0	0
Mr. W. H. Pott	25	0	0
Lady Priestley	50	0	0
Mr. Peter Pryor	275	0	0
Mr. V. R. Stokes	25	0	0
Mr. Percy Blundell	25	0	0
Major W. O. Times	50	0	0
Mr. John Ray	400	0	0

†Mr. J. E. Thurnall, Royston.
‡Miss J. P. Craig, 275 Camden Road, London, N.
‡Mr. H. S. Scott, 20 Carlton Road, Tufnell Park, N.
¶Mr. George Perowne Roberts.
*a*Mr. Edward Perkins, Hill Morton, The Park, Peterborough.
*d*Mr. A. Græme-Smith, Stotfold.

* Mr. E. Newton is a Governor by reason of the Benefaction to the Hospital of the Surplus of the Jubilee Celebration Fund, 1887.

† On account of Mrs. Sarah Ellen Pyne's Bequest.

‡ On account of Mrs. Campbell's Legacy.

¶ On account of Mr. T. Priest's Benefaction.

a On account of Mr. Perkins' Legacy.

d On account of Benefactions from Stotfold Hospital Fund.

DECEASED BENEFACTORS

Of £50 and upwards

		£	s.	d.
1840	Thomas Wilshere	50	0	0
1842	J. M. Pierson, Hitchin	100	0	0
1843	W. Curling, Hitchin	50	0	0
1846	Sir James Seabright, Bart., Beechwood	100	0	0
1847	G. N. Edwards, Henlow Grange	121	0	0
1847	Rev. E. Wiles, Bath	100	0	0
1849	Vickris Pryor, Baldock	50	0	0
1851	Lord Dacre, first president (50 per annum for ten years)	—	—	—
1852	William Hale	100	0	0
1852	W. Blake, Danesbury	50	0	0
1852	J. Lucas, Tooting	150	0	0
1853	John Pryor, Baldock	50	0	0
1853	Miss Young, Rosenberg House	500	0	0
1853	William Wilshere	210	0	0
1854	H. O. Rowe, Baldock	1000	0	0
1855	T. A. Rainsford, Henlow Grange	100	0	0
1856	Mrs. Burroughs, Wellbury	120	0	0
1859	Abel Smith, Woodhall	250	0	0
1860	Miss A. E. Lucas	100	0	0
1861	John Izzard Pryor	50	0	0
1861	Miss M. Wilshere, Hitchin	67	10	0
1862	S. Unwin Heathcote, Shephall	110	0	0
1863	John Curling, Gosmore	192	10	0
1863	Mrs. Elizabeth Hailey, Hitchin	455	0	0
1863	Rev. J. Alington, Little Barford	100	0	0
1864	William Langford, Wymondley	50	0	0
1865	Colonel Sowerby, Putteridge Bury	100	0	0
1866	Miss Whittington, Stevenage	200	0	0
1867	William Wilshere, The Frythe	100	0	0
1867	Lady Salusbury, Offley House	50	0	0
1871	Richard Oakley, Lawrence End	50	0	0
1871	Joseph Sharples, Hitchin	125	0	0
1871	George Smythe, Stevenage	200	0	0
1871	Morris Pryor, Baldock	50	0	0
1872	Madame Linowski, Hitchin	50	0	0
1873	John Pendred, Baldock	100	0	0
1875	F. P. Delmé-Radcliffe, Hitchin	115	0	0
1877	John Hawkins, Hitchin	70	0	0
1878	Mrs. Pryor, Baldock	50	0	0
1879	T. Blackburn, Clothall	52	10	0
1879	Miss Mary Carter's Legacy (less duty)	50	0	0
1880	Miss Hurst	500	0	0
1880	James Smyth, Stevenage	1000	0	0
1881	Thomas Veasey, Baldock	375	0	0
1882	F. W. T. Drake, Hitchin	100	0	0
1884	J. G. Hawkins, Hitchin	100	0	0
1887	Miss E. Pryor, Baldock	150	0	0
1887	Miss Cox, Cottered	50	0	0
1887	Robert Newton, Hitchin	50	0	0
1888	James Trustram	50	0	0
1889	Mrs. C. H. Law French	50	0	0
1890	C. H. Lattimore, Wheathampstead	90	0	0
1890	Lord, Dacre, The Hoo	100	0	0

		£	s.	d.
1894	Robert Curling	279	0	0
1896	James Hack Tuke (Treasurer for 40 years)	400	0	0
1896	Miss Waby, Whitwell (less duty)	500	0	0
1896	J. C. Priest (less duty)	200	0	0
1896	Francis Lucas	115	0	0
1896	Rev. W. R. P. Waudby	100	0	0
1897	The Hon. Mrs. L. W. Denman	50	0	0
1898	W. Watson, Shefford	100	0	0
1902	Mrs. Isabella Campbell, West Hampstead	100	0	0
1903	Mrs. Sarah Ellen Pyne, Royston	2,500	0	0
1904	Rev. A. C. Haviland, Lilley	50	0	0
1904	Miss Sarah Lines, Stondon	150	0	0
1904	Thomas Folbigg	200	0	0
1904	Mrs. Ilott, Codicote (less duty)	300	0	0
1905	Mrs. Holesgrove, Henlow	50	0	0
1905	Earl Cowper	300	0	0
1906	Rev. E. C. Hawkins	75	0	0
1906	C. W. Wilshere	70	10	0
1908	Thomas Perkins	185	0	0
1909	Thomas Dashwood	75	0	0
1910	Francis Gosling, Wellbury	85	10	0
1910	John Hare, Henlow	50	0	0
1910	Charles Hilton, Hitchin	50	0	0
1911	Miss Susanna Groom, Hitchin (less duty)	100	0	0
1911	John Dear, Baldock	50	0	0
1911	Alfred Ransom, Hitchin (Bed endowed by his Trustees, 1913)	1000	0	0
	Ditto	3313	11	2
1912	Frederic Seebohm, Hitchin	185	0	0
1912	A. E. C. Trotter, Bush, Milton Bridge	100	0	0
1913	Miss Miriam T. Smith, Graveley (less duty)	50	0	0
1914	Thomas Priest, Ickleford	1050	0	0
1914	William Ransom, Hitchin	1890	0	0
1915	Mrs. Cotton Browne, Walkern Hall	100	3	0
1916	Mrs. Mary Ann Brown, Henlow	100	0	0
1916	F. A. Delmé-Radcliffe, Hitchin	250	0	0
1916	T. Fenwick Harrison, King's Walden	500	0	0
1916	H. G. Moulden, Hitchin (less duty)	100	0	0
1919	Samuel Lucas, Hitchin	50	0	0
1919	Lord Peckover of Wisbech	100	0	0
1919	Lawson Thompson, Hitchin (Hon. Secretary for 30 years)	500	0	0
1919	G. M. Bates, Stevenage	50	0	0
1920	M. R. Pryor	600	0	0
1920	Captain John Ransom, M.C.	50	0	0
1920	Charles Watson, Weston	200	0	0
1920	Herbert Jones, Bishop of Lewes	100	0	0
1922	Lt.-Col. C. E. Johnston, Little Offley	100	0	0
1922	Henry Obré, Knebworth	50	0	0
1922	Francis Newton	100	0	0
1923	Mrs. Ellen Smyth	55	0	0
1924	James Clare	72	3	3
1927	William B. Moss	100	0	0
1927	Lady Nall-Cain	200	0	0
1927	Theodore Lucas	280	10	0
1928	Mrs. Sarah Smithson	100	0	0
1928	Richard Henry Pedder (less duty)	100	0	0
1928	Miss Jessie M. Hunter	50	0	0

		£	s.	d.
1928	Miss E. E. M. Wilshere	100	0	0
1929	Mrs. Watson Grace	60	0	0
1929	Miss Mary Thompson	500	0	0
1929	Mrs. Emily Crawley	100	0	0
1930	Roderick Pryor	100	0	0
1930	Mrs. M. E. Lindsell	100	0	0
1930	Mrs. R. E. Cooper	100	0	0
1930	Miss H. M. Seebohm	5185	0	0
1930	Frederick Cannon	100	0	0
1930	James Flack	1000	0	0
1931	George Moules	100	0	0
1932	Matthew H. Foster	100	0	0
1932	Mrs. Abernethy	150	0	0
1932	Theodore Ransom	5392	0	6
1932	Miss L. M. Newton	100	0	0
1932	William Jeeves	500	0	0
1933	G. E. Spurr	70	0	0
1933	W. English Harrison, K.C.	71	19	0
1933	J. T. Chalkley	151	0	0
1933	Alfred Eastway, William	100	0	0
1934	Lord Brocket	975	0	0
1934	W. Onslow Times	1220	0	0
1934	Miss E. I. Dove	169	6	3
1934	T. S. E. Plowman	275	0	0
1934	Canon L. H. Postgate	103	12	3
1934	Miss Priscilla Ransom	2993	14	7
1935	Francis Ransom	3825	0	0
1936	Sir James Hill, Bt.	100	0	0
1936	A. C. Bonner	80	0	0
1936	W. A. Bugden	94	15	0
1936	Mrs. Noyes	339	16	5
1936	Mrs. Mary White	50	0	0
1937	W. Tindall Lucas (Treasurer for 41 years)	275	0	0
1937	Mrs. Chambers	515	4	2
1937	H. G. Roworth	90	0	0
1937	Ernest W. Hart	100	0	0
1937	Douglas Vickers	200	0	0
1937	Mrs. Mary Jane Hill	100	0	0
1938	Miss Elizabeth Smyth	55	0	0
1938	James H. Stephens	100	0	0
1938	Mrs. Agnes Foster	100	0	0
1938	Daniel Crawford	500	0	0
1938	Rev. P. E. Gatty	460	0	0
1939	Miss Fanny Hyde	58	19	2
1939	Colonel H. C. M. Woods	50	0	0
1939	Frederick Allwood (less duty)	50	0	0
1939	Miss Alice M. Lucas	200	0	0
1939	H. N. Barclay	150	0	0
1940	G. W. Russell, J.P.	300	0	0

LINEN GUILD (1939 - 40)

The following is the list of Subscriptions and Collections for 1939 - 1940

	£	s.	d.
Anderson, Mrs. F. H. (donation)	2	0	0
Ashby, Mrs. Paul		2	6
Barclay, Miss		10	0
Blundell, Mr. Eric H.		2	6
Blundell, Mrs. Hubert		5	0
Butterfield, Mrs.		10	6
Caldwell, Mrs.		10	6
Carter, Mrs. Howard	1	1	0
Cooper, Mrs. Ashley	1	1	0
Deschamps, Mrs. (for 1939 and 1940)	2	2	0
Doughty, Mr. W. Vere	1	1	0
Farr, Miss		10	0
Fletcher, Miss	1	1	0
Foster, Mrs. A. S.		5	0
Franklin, Mrs. (Pirton)		10	0
Flint, Miss		10	0
Fellowes, Mrs.		10	6
Gunner, Mrs.	1	1	0
Gilham, Mrs.		2	6
Hampden, Viscountess	1	1	0
Hine, Mrs. R. L.	1	0	0
Hirst, Mrs.		10	0
Hirst, Mrs. (special donation per Mrs. Titmuss)	5	0	0
Hale, Mrs. C.		2	6
Hall, Miss		5	0
Harrison, Mrs. H. English		5	0
Higgins, Mrs.		2	0
Lucas, Miss (in memory of her mother)		5	0
Lucas, Miss Marianna		10	0
Moore, Mrs. R.		10	6
Pritchard, Mrs. J. B.	1	1	0
Pollard, Mrs., Holwell Bury	1	0	0
Pryor, Mrs. Peter	1	1	0
Ransom, Mrs.		10	0
Sowerby, Mrs. T. G.		10	6
Sowerby, Mrs. J. H.		10	6
Sowerby, Miss Lilian		10	6
Sheppard, Mrs. Gurney	1	1	0
Shillitoe, Mrs. F. R.	1	1	0
Smyth, Miss Alice		10	6
Tomkys, Dr. L. S.		10	6
Usher, Mrs. T. Clemens	1	1	0

	£	s.	d.
Widdows, Mrs.		2	6
Wright, Mrs. Lance		2	0
Waterlow, Lady		10	0
White, Mrs. Colvin		10	6
Wilson, Mrs. G. Thorp		10	6
Yates, Mrs.		5	0
Yates, Mrs. E. C. C.		5	0
Donation from W.A.		4	0
	£35	6	6

The Collections during 1939 were as follow —

Almshoe, Little, per Mrs. Titmuss		14	9
Gosmore and St. Ippollitts, per Mrs Shipton ...	1	11	3
Graveley, per Miss Dixon Spain	2	17	6
Holwell, per Mrs. Pollard	2	2	6
Hitchin —			
Per Miss Alice Smyth	2	13	0
Per Mrs. F. R. Shillitoe	1	19	6
Per Mrs. Kirby	1	17	0
Per Miss E. Sale	1	4	0
Per Miss D. Allingham, 1939-40		17	6
Per Mrs. Beck	1	3	0
Per Mrs. G. Thorp Wilson		18	6
Langridge Estate, per Mrs. P. Gray		11	3
Meppershall, per Mrs. Long	3	10	0
Offley, per Mr. Gurney Sheppard	3	7	0
Pirton, per Mrs. Jesse Walker	2	1	9
Redcoats and The Greens, per Mrs. Butterfield		12	6
Waterdale Estate and London Road, per Mrs. Yates		17	0
Snailswell and Cadwell, per Mrs. Pollard ...		7	6
Wymondley, Great, per Mrs. Day		17	0
Wymondley, Little, per Miss Smith and Mrs. G. Thorp Wilson	1	4	7
	£30	18	10

ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTIONS

	£	s.	d.
Ancient Order of Foresters, Stevenage	2	12	6
Acland, Mr. A. W., Offley Place	10	10	0
Allwood, Miss A. W., Shefford	1	1	0
Amos, Mrs., St. Ibbs	2	2	0
Anderson, Major F. H., Walsworth House ...	2	2	0
Anderson, Mrs. F. H., Walsworth House	2	2	0
Arlesey Industrial and Provident Society, Ltd. ...	5	5	0
Ashby, Mrs. E. M., Hitchin	1	1	0
Baden, Miss, Stevenage	1	1	0
Barclay, Miss, Whitney Wood	4	4	0
Barclays Bank, Ltd.	2	2	0
Barker, Mr. F.		10	6
Barnicot, Mrs., ...	1	1	0
Bloom, Mr. E. F. D., Hitchin	1	1	0
Blow Miss G.	3	3	0
Blundell, Miss G., Hitchin	1	1	0
Blundell, Mr. H.	1	1	0
Boothby, Mrs. W. R. J.	1	1	0
Bowes-Lyon, the Hon. David	2	0	0
Bowman, Jas. & Sons, Ltd.	2	2	0
Boyd, Mr. A. Lennox, M.P., Henlow Grange ...	2	2	0
Broad, the late Mr. W. H., Hitchin	2	2	0
Brooker, T. & Sons, Ltd., Hitchin	2	2	0
Buchanan, Mr. W. H.	2	2	0
Bulleid, Mr. W. A., Stevenage	1	1	0
Burrows, Mr. H., Stevenage	1	1	0
Burrows, Miss M. F. Stevenage	1	1	0
Cannon, Mr. Charles, Hitchin	2	10	0
Carling, Wm. & Co., Ltd.	2	2	0
Carter, Mr. J. Howard, Ardeley Bury	3	3	0
Cassel, Sir Felix, Putteridge Park	5	5	0
Cook, Mrs. S. W.	1	1	0
Cooke, Mr. H., Hitchin	2	2	0
Cooper, Mr. P. Ashley, Hexton Manor	5	0	0
Cox, Mrs., Hitchin		10	0
Crabb, Mr. R. Y., Hitchin	3	3	0
Curry, Mr. George	1	1	0
Davis, Mrs. H. W.	1	1	0
Davis, Miss Helen J., Hitchin	3	3	0
Delmé-Radcliffe, Mr. R. H. J., Hitchin Priory ...	10	10	0
Demetriadi, Mr. E. C., Offley Chase	5	0	0
Dewar, Mr. M. B. U., Stagenhoe	3	0	0
Dobinson, Mr. T. E., Graveley	1	1	0
Doughty, the late Mr. W. V., Ickleford	5	5	0
Total carried forward	£113	11	0

	£	s.	d.
Total brought forward	113	11	0
Dyer, Miss E. B., Stevenage		10	0
Dyer, Miss F. W., Stevenage		10	0
Eden, Mrs. Terence, Baldock	2	2	0
Eden, Mr. Terence, Baldock	5	5	0
Ellis & Everard, Hitchin (1939-1940)	2	2	0
Eve, J. R. & Son, Bedford	1	1	0
Fellowes, Lady Butler, Blackmore End		10	6
Fletcher, Miss M. V., Ickleford	1	1	0
Flint, Mr. and Mrs. W. P.	2	0	0
Foster, Mr. A. S., Lt. Wymondley	1	1	0
Francis, Mrs. G. L., Hitchin	2	2	0
Franklin, Messrs. T. W. & P., Hitchin	2	2	0
Freeman, Hardy & Willis, Ltd., Hitchin		10	6
Game, Mr. L.	2	0	0
Gatward, Mrs. E. M.	1	1	0
Gatward, Mr. J. W., Hitchin	2	2	0
Goold, Mrs. W., Hitchin	1	1	0
Gosling, Mr. A. H., Stondon	1	1	0
Gosling, Miss V. M., Stondon	1	1	0
Grammar School Sports Club (Boys), Hitchin ...		10	6
Green, Mrs. A. R., Stevenage	3	0	0
Green, J. W., Ltd.	2	2	0
Grubb, Miss E. M., Hitchin	1	1	0
Guinness, Mrs. H. M.	1	1	0
Gunner, Mrs., Gosmore	3	3	0
Hailey, Mr. Hubert, Wymondley	1	1	0
Hall, the late Miss Grace	1	1	0
Hampden, the Rt. Hon. the Viscount, Codicote, 1939-1940	10	10	0
Hanscombe, Miss A. F., Pirton Hall	1	1	0
Hanscombe, Mr. W. H., Pirton Hall	2	2	0
Harding, Mrs. E. A., Hitchin	1	1	0
Hare, the late Mr. John, Henlow	2	2	0
Harriott, Mr. G. M., Stevenage	1	1	0
Harrison, Major J. F., King's Walden Bury ...	10	10	0
Harrison, Mr. H. English, Gosmore	5	0	0
Henlow H.A.D. Sergeants' Mess	5	5	0
Henry, Miss M. A., Offley	2	2	0
Hensley, Miss, Hitchin	1	1	0
Heriot, Miss E. M.	1	1	0
Herts. and Beds. Bacon Factory, Ltd.	3	3	0
Hewitt, Rev. G. H., Pirton		10	6
Hine, Mr. R. L., Willian Bury	1	1	0
Hitchin and District P.O. Staff	6	0	0
Hitchin and District Workers' Hospital Fund ...	100	0	0
Hitchin Laundry	3	3	0
Holland, Mr. F. E.	2	2	0
Holmes, Mr. H. R., Graveley	2	2	0
Total carried forward	£316	11	0

	£	s.	d.
Total brought forward	316	11	0
Huckle, Messrs. H. & Sons	1	1	0
Hughes, Mr. G. S., Offley	3	3	0
Ibberson, Miss E. M., Hitchin	1	1	0
Izzard, Mr. A., Hitchin	1	1	0
Jackson & Son, Messrs. George, Hitchin	1	1	0
Jackson, Mr. J. A. Hitchin	1	1	0
James, Mr. D. L., Letchworth		10	6
Jeeves, Mr. G. M., Hitchin	3	3	0
Jeeves, Miss Lizzie, Hitchin	1	1	0
Jones, Mr. T. E., Hitchin	1	1	0
Jepps, Mr. and Mrs., Hitchin	1	1	0
Kenworthy-Browne, Mr. B. E., Wellbury ...	2	2	0
Keysell, Mrs. E. J., Stevenage	1	1	0
Kindersley, Major G. M., St. Paul's Walden ...	1	1	0
King, G. W., Ltd., Hitchin	10	10	0
Knight, Miss E. A., Hitchin	2	2	0
Lee, Mr. S., Hitchin	1	1	0
Leete, Messrs. E. & Sons, Hitchin	1	1	0
Letchworth and Hitchin Co-operative Society ...	1	1	0
Lewis, Mrs E. F., Hitchin	2	2	0
Lindsell, Mr. A. J. G., Hitchin	3	3	0
Little, Mrs., Hitchin	1	1	0
Little, Miss K.		10	6
Lloyds Bank, Ltd., Hitchin	2	2	0
London Brick Co., Ltd.	3	3	0
London and North Eastern Railway	5	0	0
Long, Captain R. A.	1	1	0
Lucas, In memory of Mrs. A. B., Hitchin ...	1	1	0
Lucas, Major General C. H. Tindall-	2	2	0
Lucas, Miss Marianna, Hitchin	2	2	0
Lucas, Mrs. R. B., Shillington	1	1	0
Lucas, Mr. Stephen, Letchworth	1	1	0
Lucas, Mrs. Stephen, Letchworth	1	1	0
Lytton, the Rt. Hon. the Earl of, Knebworth ...	5	0	0
Manser, Rev. W., Hitchin	1	1	0
Markwell, Mr. W. A.		10	6
Maypole Dairy Co., Ltd., 1939-1940	2	2	0
McMurtrie, Mr. D. S. A., St. Ibbs	2	2	0
Midland Bank, Ltd.	2	2	0
Morriss, Mr. C. J., Hitchin	2	2	0
Morriss, Mr. C. W., Hitchin	2	2	0
Moss, W. B. & Sons, Ltd., Hitchin	10	10	0
Newton, Miss F. M., Hitchin	1	1	0
Nicholls, Mr. S., Hitchin	1	1	0
Nicolls, Mrs., 1939-1940	1	1	0
Total carried forward	£408	19	6

	£	s.	d.
Total brought forward	408	19	6
Oakley, Lt.-Col. R., Lawrence End	2	0	0
Oddfellows, Loyal Albert Lodge of, Hitchin ...	2	2	0
Officers' Benevolent Fund, R.A.F., Henlow ...	5	5	0
Oldham, Mr. R. D., Hitchin	1	1	0
Parker, Miss E. A., Benington	1	1	0
Passingham, Mr. A. E., Westmill	5	5	0
Paternoster & Hales, Messrs., Hitchin	2	2	0
Payne, Mr. William, Hitchin	1	1	0
Pearl Assurance Co.	2	2	0
Pearman, Mrs., Walkern	1	1	0
Pepper, Miss, Hitchin		10	0
Phillips, F. W., Ltd., Hitchin	1	1	0
Pilkington, Mr. H. C.	3	3	0
Pinsent, Commander Clive	5	5	0
Pinsent, Mrs. Clive	5	5	0
Pollard, the Misses, Highdown 1939-1940 ...	3	3	0
President, St. Michael's College, Hitchin	1	1	0
Priestley, Sir Joseph, K.C., King's Hill	5	5	0
Pritchard, Mr. J. B., Hitchin	2	2	0
Prudence, Mr. and Mrs., Hitchin	1	1	0
Pryor, Miss	1	1	0
Pryor, Peter, Weston	50	0	0
Pryor, Lieut.-Col. W. M., Lannock Manor ...	5	5	0
Puxley, Mr. H. W. L.	2	2	0
Pyman, Mr. G. L., Willian	10	0	0
Ransom, Mrs. Francis, Hitchin	5	5	0
Ransom, Mr. R. F., Lt. Wymondley	1	1	0
Ransom, W. & Son, Ltd., Hitchin	2	2	0
Ray, Mr. John, Letchworth	100	0	0
Reynolds, Rev. C. P. H. and Mrs., Stevenage ...	1	1	0
Richardson, Miss F., Hitchin	1	10	0
Rivett, Mr. J,. Hitchin	1	1	0
Roberts, Mr. J. C., Hitchin	1	1	0
Roberts, Mrs. J. C., Hitchin	1	1	0
Rose, Mrs., Stevenage	2	2	0
Rowe, Miss, Hitchin	1	1	0
Royal London Mutual Insurance Society	5	5	0
Ruscoe, Mr. and Mrs. A. P., Hitchin	1	1	0
Russell, Mr. A. and Miss D., Hitchin	1	1	0
Russell, Mr. A. L., Hitchin	1	1	0
Russell, G. W. & Sons, Ltd., Hitchin	1	1	0
Sainsbury, Mr. C. H.	1	1	0
Sale, Mr. William, Baldock	1	1	0
Sayer, Mr. H. S., Hitchin	4	0	0
Seebohm, Mr. H. E Poynders End	5	5	0
Total carried forward	£666	4	6

	£	s.	d.
Total brought forward	666	4	6
Seebohm, Miss, Hitchin	5	5	0
Selby, Mrs., St. Leonards	2	0	0
Shackelford, Rev. G. S., King's Walden	2	2	0
Sharman Engineering Co., Ltd.	2	2	0
Shaw, Mrs. Bernard, Ayot St. Lawrence	3	3	0
Sheaf, Miss	1	0	0
Shillitoe, Mr. F. R., Hitchin	1	1	0
Simpson & Co., Messrs., Baldock	5	5	0
Smith, Mr. J. W., Stevenage	1	1	0
Smith, Mr. W. G., Crouch End	1	1	0
Smyth, Miss	2	2	0
Smyth, Miss Alice, Hitchin	2	2	0
Smyth, Miss A. E., Baldock	1	1	0
Smyth, Miss Mary, Stevenage	1	1	0
Spain, Mrs. Dixon		10	6
Spencer, Mr. C. F., Hitchin	1	1	0
Spurr, G., Ltd., Hitchin, 1939-1940	2	2	0
Stevenage Club and Institute	10	10	0
Stevenage District Nursing Association	1	1	0
Stokes, Mr. V. R., St. Ippollitts	1	1	0
Sworder, Mrs. E. M., Hitchin	1	1	0
Tetley, Mr. M. H., Stevenage	5	5	0
Times, Major W. O., Gosmore	2	2	0
Tomson, Mr. M., Hitchin	2	2	0
Tottenham & District Gas Co.	7	7	0
Trehean, Mr. E. C. M.	2	2	0
Trinity College, Cambridge	5	0	0
Tubbs, Mr. L. G.	1	1	0
Tunnard, Mrs., Shillington	1	1	0
Underhill, Mr. H. D.	1	10	0
Usher, Major T. Clemens, Blakemore End ...	5	5	0
Usher, Mrs. Clemens, Blakemore End	5	5	0
Van Koughnet, Lady Jane, Aston	1	1	0
Wakenell, the Misses, Hitchin	1	1	0
Wallace Bros., Hitchin	2	2	0
Wallace, Messrs. W. and R., Knebworth	2	2	0
Warner, Mrs., Stevenage	2	2	0
Warren, Mr. A., Stevenage	1	0	0
Waterlow, Sir Edgar, Bart.	2	2	0
Waters, Mr. A., Hitchin	1	1	0
Webb, G., Ltd., Hitchin	1	1	0
West, Miss — In memory of Miss Stephens ...	1	1	0
Westminster Bank, Ltd.	2	2	0
White, Mrs. Colvin, Hitchin	1	1	0
White, Mr. Stanley, Harpenden	1	1	0
Total carried forward	£770	14	0

	£	s.	d.
Total brought forward	770	14	0
Whiting, Mr. Walter, Hitchin	1	1	0
Widdows, Mr. C. J., Hitchin	2	2	0
Widdows, Mrs. C. J., Hitchin	1	1	0
Williams, Messrs. J. and Sons, Hitchin	2	0	0
Willmott, J. & Sons (Hitchin), Ltd.	2	2	0
Wilson, Mrs. Thorp, Hitchin	1	1	0
Wilson, the Misses, Hitchin	1	1	0
Woakes, Mr. E. R.	2	2	0
Wren, Rev. A., Hitchin	1	1	0
Wright, Mrs. F. A., Hitchin	2	2	0
Wright, Miss M. V., Hitchin	1	1	0
Wright, Miss Q., Hitchin		10	0
Wright, Miss M. E., Hitchin		10	6
Wright & Mills, Hitchin	1	1	0
Yates, Mr. L. A., Knebworth	1	1	0
Income Tax repayment on Covenants	36	6	1
	£826	16	7

Please help by obtaining a new Subscriber.

Collections in Churches and Chapels

		£	s.	d.
Arlesey Churches	Rev. J. B. J. Bevan	4	15	0
Cockernhoe Church	Rev. A. T. S. Henry	1	0	0
Codicote Church	Rev. G. W. H. Davies ..	2	0	0
Graveley Church	Canon Jebb	5	0	0
Henlow	Canon Williams	2	5	0
Hexton Church	Rev. H. A. Richings ..	3	2	6
Higham Gobion Church ..	Rev. R. F. Cory	5	0	0
Hinxworth	.. ..	1	14	6
Hitchin Congregational Church	Rev. F. Brockis	5	1	9
„ Baptist Church (Walsworth Rd.) ..	Rev. R. Gordon Brown ..	2	2	0
„ Our Lady and St. Andrew	Rev. Wilfrid Manser ..	3	5	3
„ St. Mary's	Rev. W. L. Mackennal ..	20	0	10
„ St. John's	„	1	8	2
„ St. Mark's	.. ..	1	17	11
„ Chalkdell House ..	.. ..		1	7
„ St. Saviour	.. ..	5	3	7
„ Free Churches ..	.. ..	1	18	10
Holwell Church	Rev. F. H. Jeayes	2	0	0
King's Walden Church ..	Rev. G. S. Shackelford ..	3	7	5
Knebworth St. Martin and St. Mary	Rev. L. D. Sayers	1	14	2
Langley Church	Rev. W. L. Mackennal ..		5	10
Lilley Church	Rev. R. B. le B. Janvrin ..	2	0	0
Meppershall Church	Rev. S. E. Sears	5	10	0
Offley Church	Rev. A. T. S. Henry ..	1	10	0
Pirton Church	Rev. G. Henry Hewitt ..	3	3	2
Preston Church	Rev. W. L. Mackennal ..	1	3	10
St. Ippolyts Church	Rev. A. A. Symington ..	2	12	0
Shillington Church	Rev. F. Kettlewell ..	7	0	0
Stevenage Methodist Church	Rev. J. Heaven	1	1	0
„ Albert Street Chapel	.. ..	3	3	0
„ Churches	Canon Morgan Smith ..	5	11	2
Stondon Church	Rev. G. J. S. Sherrell ..	1	11	6
Walkern Church	Rev. W. D. W. Greenham ..	4	0	10
Wallington Church	Rev. V. W. A. Rossborough	1	1	0
Weston Church	Rev. R. F. S. Abbott	3	0	0
„ Methodist Chapel ..	Mr. C. E. Farr	1	0	0
Wymondley (Great) Church	Rev. A. A. Symington ..	4	9	0
(Little) Church	Rev. C. E. Thomas		14	0
Baptist Chapel	Mr. A. S. Foster	2	10	0
		£124	9	10

This Deed of Covenant made the

day of One thousand nine hundred and

forty Between

of

in the County of of the one

part and THE NORTH HERTS. and SOUTH BEDS. HOSPITAL Incorporated whose office is at Hitchin in the County of Hertford (hereinafter called "the Hospital") of the other part WITNESSETH as follows: —

The said COVENANTS

with the Hospital that he will during the term of seven years from the date hereof or during his life whichever is the shorter period pay to the Hospital annually from his taxed income such a sum as will after deduction of Income Tax at the rate current at the date of payment leave to the Hospital the sum of net the first

payment to be made on the day of

and subsequent payments on the

day of in each year.

IN WITNESS whereof the said

has hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED
by the above named in the presence
of

FORM OF BEQUEST.

The proper Form by which any Legacy may be given to this Institution, to prevent doubt or mistake, is as follows :—

I bequeath to the North Herts. and South Beds. Hospital the sum of .....Pounds, and I declare that the receipt of the Treasurers for the time being of the said Hospital shall be a good discharge for the same ; and further, that the said Legacy shall be paid free from all Death Duties.

Contributions of Knitting Wool, Old Linen, Clothing, Clean Empty Bottles, etc., for the use of the Hospital will be thankfully received by the Matron.

Donations and subscriptions may be paid to the Treasurer's Account at Barclays Bank, Ltd., Hitchin, or to the Secretary at the Hospital.

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