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Matron :

Miss E. L. LONG.

General Superintendent and Secretary :

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Royal Infirmary, Huddersfield.

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Pathologist.

DENTON GUEST, M.D., Ch.B. (Sheffield).

Resident Surgical Officer and Registrar.

F. W. SHEPHERD, M.A., B.Sc., M.D., B.Chir., F.R.C.S. (Eng.).

*Serving with H.M. Forces.

†Temporary.

*At the Annual General Meeting of the Governors of the
Huddersfield Royal Infirmary, held at the Infirmary, on
Wednesday, 22nd February, 1945.*

1. Resolved :—That the Report and Accounts, as presented and explained by the President, be adopted and printed for circulation amongst the Governors.
2. That Colonel Gilbert P. Norton be re-elected Honorary Treasurer
3. That Mr. Arnold Mellor be re-elected Honorary Secretary.
4. That the following gentlemen be elected to fill the vacancies on the Monthly Board :—Major W. N. Dawson, Mr. G. B. Jones, Mr. R. Nelson, Mr. A. Robertshaw, Mr. A. Stewart, Mr. A. Thwaites.
5. That the thanks of the Governors be accorded to the Honorary Medical Staff, the Honorary Anæsthetists, the Honorary Dentist and the Ladies' Committee.
6. That the thanks of the Governors be accorded to the public who have supported the Hospital so generously and assisted in its continued progress.
7. That the thanks of the Governors be accorded to the retiring members of the Board for their generous service during the past three years.
8. That the thanks of the Governors be accorded to Messrs. H. V. Wood & Co. for their excellent services in connection with the accounting of the Hospital and that they be appointed Auditors during the current year.
9. That the following gentlemen be elected and re-elected to the Elective Committee :—The Vicar of Huddersfield, The President of the Free Church Council, The President of the Huddersfield Chamber of Trade, Mr. Waldo R. Briggs, O.B.E., Mr. Edward Brook, Mr. F. I. Butterworth, J.P., Mr. P. D. Crowther, Capt. H. Fisher, M.C., Mr. W. H. Heywood, J.P., Rev. Father Grogan, Mr. Charles H. Kaye, Mr. Victor Kaye.

LAWRENCE CROWTHER, President.

Huddersfield Royal Infirmary.

Report of the Board of Management 1944.

TO THE GOVERNORS,

The Board of Management has pleasure in submitting to the Governors the One hundred and Thirteenth Annual Report of the Infirmary.

The invasion of the Continent by Forces based on this Island in the middle of the year gave rise to a justifiable hope that the present state of War was drawing towards a stage when its early conclusion could be foreseen through more confident eyes than a year ago. As with the majority of Hospitals in the Emergency Hospital Scheme your Board again answered the Ministry of Health's call to reserve a big proportion of beds in order that "D Day" casualties might be adequately catered for. Your Board again made drastic reservation in the knowledge that it would mean a reduction in service available to the civilian population. That casualties amongst the armed forces were relatively light is a matter for which we are grateful, but the lengthened list of civilian patients awaiting admission for treatment has been, and still is, a cause for anxiety and close attention on the part of the Board and Medical Staff.

For some years your Board has been desirous of establishing an Appointment System whereby the waiting time of those patients referred to the Out-patient Department for consultation may be reduced and towards the end of the year such a system was initiated. It does not, and cannot, eliminate waiting entirely, but in most cases the period is so reduced as to become negligible. At the present time over 90% of the patients referred to the Out-patient Clinics come by appointment and, after so short a period of operation, is a tribute to the co-operation of the General Practitioners in the district and Honorary Medical Staff of the Hospital. Appointments are made, too, for patients re-attending after their initial consultation, but a severe handicap is met in this connection by the reduced number of Resident Medical Officers we are entitled to employ and due to the strict system of recruitment to the Forces of medical personnel.

In the light of modern tendencies and forward strides in health service your Board has appointed a Future Policy Committee to examine the facilities of the Hospital and the demands which must be met. So far as the deliberations of that Committee have already gone, it is evident that as soon as conditions permit your Board will require to give serious consideration to schemes of reconstruction.

Your Board is pleased to report an excess of income over expenditure on the year's working. Ministry of Health payments for reservation of beds and treatment of Service sick again reached a high level, but with the relaxing to some extent of the restrictions on the use of beds, the amount payable by the Ministry must necessarily fall and it is anticipated that the coming year will shew a reduction in income from this source.

Your Board is appreciative of the services which have again been given by the Huddersfield Law Society in obtaining costs in connection with the treatment of patients for injuries resulting from motor accidents. The Society's work is of inestimable value in difficult cases. To the Clergy and Ministers who organise the Sunday Services and the Choirs who provide so much joy for the patients your Board is most grateful and records its warm thanks.

The interest in the Hospital work which has continued to be shewn and which has been manifested by the financial help of our friends is noteworthy and your Board, in emphasising the need for this continued help and interest, assures its friends of its sincere appreciation.

WORK OF THE YEAR.

The number of patients treated in all Departments of the Infirmary was 34,089, a decrease of 1398 over the figure for 1943. In-patients totalled 4770 and Out-patients 29,319. The number of beds equipped was 302, but of these an average of 288 was available owing to the closing of Wards for infectious diseases, etc. The average number of beds occupied daily was 214.76 and the average number of days each patient was resident was 16.48. Deaths occurring from all causes during the year totalled 271, but of this number 90 took place within 48 hours of admission. The percentage of deaths to the total number of In-patients was 5.68, but deducting those deaths occurring within 48 hours of admission the percentage was reduced to 3.79. During the year 74 patients were transferred under the arrangement to St. Luke's Emergency Hospital.

The work of the Massage Department shews little change from the previous year. A total of 89,558 treatments were given compared with 95,586 during the previous year. The number of patients totalled 3,825 and the attendances were 67,314. In the X-Ray Department

9,641 X-Ray examinations were made involving the use of 20,736 films and 1,362 barium investigations. In the Therapy Department 400 patients made 2,977 attendances and 5,460 treatments were given.

The total number of specimens examined in the Pathological Department was 14,524 and the Pathologist conducted 89 Post Mortem examinations. In addition he examined 2,802 specimens for the Dewsbury and District General Infirmary under the arrangement with that Hospital.

The following figures relate to cases admitted as a result of motor accidents :—

	1944	1943
Number of Motor Accident Cases	124	84
Cost of treatment	£922	£561
Received towards cost of treatment	£428	£271

Of the total receipts £272 was the amount received from Insurance Companies during the year.

FINANCIAL.

Income.

The total income was £71,870/3/4 which exceeded the expenditure of £68,569/15/0 by £3,300/8/4. Voluntary gifts under most headings shewed consistent increases and the receipts from Rose Day, whilst not equalling the previous year's record figure, shewed the excellent total of £829/18/3. The allocation from the Huddersfield and District Hospitals Contributory Scheme totalled £28,475/16/6—a figure slightly less than in 1943. Your Board reiterates its grateful thanks to the Management Committee for the major part it plays in aiding the Hospital finances. Payments from the Ministry of Health under the Emergency Hospital Scheme increased from £7,594/17/0 in 1943 to £11,727/5/0 for the year under review. Previous reference has been made to the reason for this increase. Donations section included the proceeds of the "Examiner Inter-Club Tennis Tournament" amounting to £51 and the Board accords its best thanks to the Proprietors of the Huddersfield Examiner and the Committee of the Tournament for this help and interest in the Hospital.

Legacies and Special Gifts have been credited during the year.

Executors of Mrs. Penelope Winder	Free	7942	13	8
Executors of Mr. Ben Haigh	"	3197	12	8
Executors of Mrs. Hannah Fisher	For Endowment	1000	0	0
Executors of Mr. S M Balmford	"	1000	0	0

Executors of Mrs. Elizabeth Lucas	For Endowment	1000	0	0
Mrs. G. H. Fox	„	500	0	0
Executors of Mrs. Fanny Watkinson	Free	500	0	0
Executors of Mrs. Mary Brunton	„	172	1	11
Executors of Mr. J. W. Duckworth	„	159	16	0
Executors of Mrs. Hannah Fisher	„	103	10	10
Executors of Mr. Herbert Hirst	„	100	0	0
Executors of Mrs. Hebe A. North	„	100	0	0
Executors of Miss Hilda Sadler	„	100	0	0
Executors of Mr. Stanhope Firth	„	73	7	8
Executors of Mr. Hubert D. Groves	„	50	0	0
Executors of Miss Emily Brook	„	50	0	0
Executors of Mrs. Eliza Macqueen	„	50	0	0
Executors of Miss Ann Kaye	„	30	0	0
Executors of Mr. Philip H. Lee	„	25	0	0

Donations to Endowment Instalments Account.

Misses Brier and Pupils of Greenhead Park High School	24	0	0
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Expenditure.

The total expenditure of £68,569/15/0 exceeded the 1943 figure of £64,302/18/2 by £4,266/16/10. The full increased cost consequent upon the adoption of the Rushcliffe and Hetherington scales of salary for Nurses and Domestic Staff respectively, has been manifest during the current year. These two items alone account for £3,530/8/3, but against Nursing salaries must be off-set the State grant which has been received and which appears on the Income side of the Account of £1,249/16/8.

Building and Extension Fund.

The debt to the General Purposes Fund has been reduced during the year by £2,495/14/0 leaving £10,657/7/8 outstanding.

Private Patients' Department.

The following table shews briefly the work of the Department :—

No. of available beds	...	...	...	...	19
Average number of patients resident daily	...	...	...	...	16
Number of patients at the beginning of the year	...	...	...	...	15
Number of admissions during the year	...	...	...	...	427

Number of patients remaining at the end of the year	...	...	...	...	13
Average number of days each patient was resident	...	...	...	...	13.54
Total number of operations performed	...	...	...	...	389

THE LADIES' COMMITTEE.

Once more your Board expresses its gratitude to the Ladies who have worked with such enthusiasm during the year in providing comforts for the patients and organising the Library service. In all, 548 garments were made for the use of the patients in the Wards and the facilities afforded by the Library were most appreciated.

THE NURSING STAFF.

In the Preliminary State Examination for 1944, 34 Nurses entered and all passed. 25 Nurses entered for the Final State Examination and 17 passed. Medals for general efficiency following the Final Hospital Examination were awarded as follows :—

Gold Medallist	...	...	Nurse M. J. McMaster
Silver Medallist	...	...	Nurse B. M. Bosomworth
Bronze Medallist	...	...	Nurse A. A. Gregory

Senior Probationer B. Harrison was awarded the Book Prize.

The special prizes given by the Honorary Medical Staff for the best practical Nurses were awarded as follows :—

Senior Prize	Nurse A. A. Gregory
Junior Prize	Senior Probationer Mary Wootton

During the past twelve months 34 Pupils were admitted to the Preliminary Training School of whom 22 passed forward to take up their duties in the Wards.

The free time of the Nurses has been fully occupied by their participation in Handicrafts which maintains its popularity from year to year. The Student Nurses displayed much talent in the production of a Nativity Play at Christmas which was enjoyed by a large audience. The local branch of the Royal College of Nursing organised a Study Day at the Hospital which proved to be full of interest to the excellent number who attended. Films, Lectures, Musical Evenings and a visit to the Bluebell Woods followed by tea all had their places in providing relaxation for the members of the Nursing Staff. Very sincere thanks are extended to all those persons who have entertained the Nurses, or who have otherwise contributed to their enjoyment.

The congratulations of the Board are extended to Miss I. Walton who, at the end of the year, resigned her post as Assistant Matron to take the post of Matron at the Rotherham Hospital. Miss M. T. Highcock, who has been Home Sister at the Infirmary for some years, has been appointed to succeed Miss Walton.

THE BOARD.

The following members retire in accordance with the Rules and the Board records its sincere thanks for the work which has been performed by those members on behalf of the Infirmary :—

Miss Irving, Miss M. Shires, Messrs. T. E. Field, D. M. Henshaw, R. Rippon, and F. Rowcliffe.

The best thanks of the Board are accorded to the Honorary Medical Staff, the Nursing Staff and the General Staff for the way in which they have so ably assisted in the administration of the Hospital.

LAWRENCE CROWTHER, President.

H. J. JOHNSON, General Supt. & Secretary.

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INCOME and EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

1943		INCOME.	1944	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
		ORDINARY.		
		I. VOLUNTARY GIFTS.		
		1. SUBSCRIPTIONS, DONATIONS, Etc.—		
3676	1 5	Annual Subscriptions	3906	19 5
2386	9 7	Donations	2836	11 11
		Box Collections—		
23	12 1	Clubs, Hotels, etc.	47	18 11
42	4 6	Ward Boxes	43	9 7
192	5 5	Visitors' Boxes	193	13 7
811	1 8	Congregational Collections	858	4 9
920	19 11	Workpeople's Collections	1338	9 10
916	7 10	Rose Day Collections	829	18 3
2	17 7	Egg Powder Collection	15	0
8972	0 0			10056 1 3
		II. RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES RENDERED—		
		1. CONTRIBUTIONS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES TO PATIENTS—		
		(a) From Patients and their Societies—		
2268	19 11	In-Patients	2036	18 10
195	10 9	Out-Patients	245	7 1
752	1 6	Massage Patients	691	18 0
140	9 7	X-Ray Patients	143	6 11
10	18 3	Electro-Cardiograph Patients	17	1 3
55	3 0	Approved Societies	54	19 10
84	10 6	Huddersfield Insurance Committee	93	2 0
1000	0 0	Private Patients' Department Account	1000	0 0
30183	0 0	Huddersfield & District Hospitals Contributory Scheme	28475	16 6
542	4 0	Huddersfield & District Hospitals Contributory Scheme (Payments from other Schemes)	790	4 5
35232	17 6		33548	14 10
1343	0 1	(b) Public Authorities	1240	9 0
12	16 0	Venereal Diseases Department	50	8 0
36588	13 7		34839	11 10
		(c) Government Emergency Hospital Service		
7594	17 0	Contributions towards cost of Casualty Service	11727	5 0
44183	10 7		46566	16 10
		2. FEES—		
46	4 6	Private Nurses... ..	9	9 0
1482	17 11	Pathological Department	1466	4 8
		3. OTHER RECEIPTS—		
317	1 6	Baths Fees	369	13 0
4	1 0	Hire of Radium	18	3 0
46033	15 6			48430 6 6
		III. INVESTED PROPERTY—		
		Interest, Dividends, etc.	9852	14 1
		Less Amount carried to Convalescent Fund Account	50	0 0
			9802	14 1
		Add Huddersfield War Memorial Trust	1475	0 0
		Huddersfield Building Society—Interest on Deposit	10	19 5
			11288	13 6
		Less Income Tax	5377	16 3
55005	15 6	Carried forward	5910	17 3
				58486 7 9

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1943		EXPENDITURE.		1944	
£	s. d.			£	s. d.
		ORDINARY.			
		I. PROVISIONS—			
		1. Meat	1492 4 11		
		2. Fish, Poultry, etc.	931 15 1		
		3. Butter, Bacon, etc.	959 11 3		
		4. Eggs	184 13 2		
		5. Milk	2348 14 5		
		6. Bread, Flour, etc.	493 15 10		
		7. Grocery	2455 16 9		
		8. Vegetables and Fruit	949 0 2		
		9. Malt Liquors	162 9 11		
10725	11 10	10. Aerated Waters and Ice	315 4 2		
				10283	5 8
		II. SURGERY AND DISPENSARY—			
		1. Drugs, Chemicals, Disinfectants, etc. ...	3191 19 6		
		2. Dressings, Bandages, etc.	2382 3 8		
		3. Instruments and Appliances	3229 17 10		
		4. Wines and Spirits	10 10 0		
		5. Dispensary Salaries, etc.	796 11 9		
9528	3 10	6. Sundries	256 12 3		
				9867	15 0
		III. DOMESTIC—			
		1. Furniture, Bedding, Crockery, etc. ...	1677 17 8		
		2. Cleaning and Chandlery	473 3 9		
		3. Laundry	519 3 1		
		4. Water... ..	711 18 4		
		5. Fuel and Lighting—			
		(a) Coal and Coke	3186 14 4		
		(b) Gas	218 0 11		
		(c) Electric Current	763 16 4		
		6. Uniforms	626 11 7		
7374	12 8	7. Sundries	182 9 8		
				8359	15 8
		IV. SALARIES AND WAGES (MAINTENANCE)—			
		1. Medical	3223 17 11		
		2. Nursing	13067 5 2		
		3. Other Officers	3564 3 2		
		4. Mechanics, etc.	1461 17 0		
		5. Porters	3414 5 9		
		6. Domestic Servants	4317 2 4		
		7. Scrubbers	2634 0 3		
		8. National Health and Unemployment Insurance	797 16 6		
		9. Superannuation Contributions	1483 0 6		
29247	9 1	10. Pensions	89 0 0		
				34052	8 7
		V. MISCELLANEOUS—			
		1. Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephones, etc.	700 12 11		
		2. Rose Day Expenses	65 9 9		
		3. Advertisements	326 5 6		
		4. Insurance of Buildings Equipment, Stores, etc.	412 19 9		
		5. War Damage Insurance Contributions ...	136 16 10		
		6. Garden	121 8 4		
1715	11 9	7. Sundries	116 15 8		
				1880	8 9
		VI. ADMINISTRATION—			
		1. Salaries	1083 6 8		
		2. Printing, Stationery, Postages, Telephones, etc.	262 7 6		
		3. Advertisements	- - -		
		4. Auditors' Fee	12 12 0		
1320	14 0	5. Sundries	91 3 2		
				1449	9 4
59912	3 2	Carried forward		65893	3 0

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INCOME and EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

1943		INCOME—continued.				1944	
£	s. d.					£	s. d.
55005	15 6	Brought forward ...				5910	17 3
		Bank Interest...	...	...	...	55	12 3
		Rents ...	...	...	...	264	9 2
10897	2 0	Income Tax Returned	...	...	...	5155	3 4
		IV. State Grant towards Rushcliffe Rates—					
		Nursing Salaries	...	...	...		11386 2 0
		V. SUNDRY RECEIPTS—					
20	15 2	1 Sale of Tinfoil, etc.	...	...	...	44	9 7
	12 0	2 Sundries	...	...	...	7	10 0
		ORDINARY INCOME ...					51 19 7
65974	5 6	EXTRAORDINARY.					
		1. Legacies	...	...	...	578	7 8
580	0 0	2. Emergency Fund	...	...	...	66	17 10
		3. Crippled Children's Account	...	...	...	50	11 10
							695 17 4
66604	17 4	TOTAL INCOME ...					71870 3 4

We have examined the above Statement with the Books, Accounts and

Huddersfield,
7th February, 1945.

from 1st January to 31st December, 1944—continued.

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1943		EXPENDITURE—continued.	1944	
£	s. d.		£	s. d.
59912	3 2	Brought forward		65893 3 0
		VII. ESTABLISHMENT—		
		1. Renewals and Repairs to Buildings and Plant	519 1 9	
		2. Property Repairs	5 3	
825	6 6	3. Annual Cleaning	367 17 9	887 4 9
		VIII. FINANCE—		
		1. Appeals	15 5 11	
185	19 6	2. Rent, Rates and Taxes	180 10 6	195 16 5
60923	9 2	ORDINARY EXPENDITURE		66976 4 2
		EXTRAORDINARY.		
42	17 0	1. Contributions to other Institutions... ..	58 12 0	
4	9 8	2. Air Raid Precautions	5 13 10	
3307	3 6	3. Maintenance of Patients transferred to St. Luke's	1086 15 0	
24	18 10	4. Emergency Fund	- - -	
		5. Architect's Fees in connection with Deferred Scheme	442 10 0	1593 10 10
64302	18 2	TOTAL EXPENDITURE		68569 15 0
2301	19 2	BALANCE, being excess Total Income over Total Expenditure for the year		3300 8 4
£66604	17 4			£71870 3 4

Vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be correct.

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CONVALESCENT FUND ACCOUNT

Dr	1st January to 31st December, 1944.	Cr.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
To Balance at 1st Jan., 1944	477 9 8	By Cost of Patients to Convalescent Homes	440 0 3
„ Patients' Contributions	445 3 0	„ Balance	532 12 5
„ Interest on £1,000 Endowment	50 0 0		
	£972 12 8		£972 12 8

We have examined the above Statement with the Books, Accounts and Vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be correct.

Huddersfield,
7th February, 1945.

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CASH (CAPITAL) ACCOUNT

Dr.	1st January to 31st December, 1944.	Cr.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
To Balance at 1st January, 1944—		By £1350 Manchester Corporation 3% Redeemable Stock ...	
General Purposes Fund ...	8885 14 5	1952'5	1363 13 0
„ Balance at 1st January, 1944—		„ £1000, Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1914'54... ..	1008 18 0
Endowment Instalments Fund	356 0 0	„ £4,000 Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1952'55	4033 8 6
„ Endowment Instalments Fund—		„ £3400 Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock 1956'58	3428 18 6
Donations	24 0 0	„ £4200 Huddersfield Corporation 3% Stock, 1956'58	4237 3 0
„ Endowment Fund	3500 0 0	„ £800 Blackpool Corporation 3% Stock, 1957	808 2 0
„ General Purposes—Legacies and Donations	12218 15 1	„ £3000 Nottingham Corporation 3% Stock, 1957	3014 13 6
„ Repayment — 5% Conversion ...		„ £1000 Nottingham Corporation 3% Stock, 1920'60	1002 12 0
Loan	1000 0 0	„ £9000 2½% National War Bonds 1952'51	9048 12 6
„ Proceeds of Pensions Policies ...	83 16 0	„ Balance—General Purposes A/c. Endowment Instalments Fund	237 18 6
„ Building Extensions Fund ...	2495 14 0		
	£28563 19 6		£28563 19 6

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Dr.	CAPITAL FUNDS.			Cr.
ENDOWMENT FUND				
	£	s.	d.	
To Balance at 1st January, 1944	112879	8	4	
„ Legacies and Donations ...	3500	0	0	
„ Transfer from General Purposes Fund ...	29	13	4	
	£116409 1 8			
ENDOWMENT INSTALMENTS FUND				
	£	s.	d.	
To Balance at 1st January, 1944 ...	356	0	0	
„ Donations ...	24	0	0	
	£380 0 0			
GENERAL PURPOSES FUND				
	£	s.	d.	
To Balance at 1st January, 1944 ...	300465	8	8	
„ Legacies and Donations ...	12218	15	1	
„ Proceeds of Pensions Policies ...	83	16	0	
„ Building Extensions Fund ...	2495	14	0	
	£315263 13 9			
				£ s. d.
				By Loss on Conversion Loan
				repayment
				„ Balance
				...116397 3 9
				£116409 1 8
				£ s. d.
				By Balance on Deposit, Huddersfield
				Building Society
				380 0 0
				£380 0 0
				£ s. d.
				By Transfer to Endowment Fund ...
				„ Balance
				...29 13 4
				...315234 0 5
				£315263 13 9

We have examined the above Statements with the Books, Accounts and Vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be correct.

Huddersfield,
7th February, 1945.

H. V. WOOD & CO.,
Chartered Accountants,

Auditors

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1944.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS—						
Endowment Instalments Fund ...	380	0	0		4418	8 6
Endowment Fund ...	116397	3	9		1103	10 8
General Purposes Fund ...	298576	12	9		5521	19 2
Emergency Contingencies Fund ...	6000	0	0		532	12 5
Add: Loan to Building Ex- tensions Fund ...	10657	7	8		380	0 0
	315234	0	5		6434	11 7
UNEXPENDED INCOME BALANCES OF SPECIAL FUNDS—						
Convalescent Fund ...			432011	4	76469	10 7
Income and Expenditure Account— Excess at 1st January, 1944 ...				532	24282	4 7
Add Excess Income over Expenditure to 31st Dec., 1944 ...	2221	10	10		15645	8 7
	3300	8	4		116397	3 9
			5521	19		
					185095	8 1
					3717	2 2
					188812	10 3
					126421	10 2
					315234	0 5
					£438065	15 9
CASH AT BANK AND IN HAND—						
Maintenance Account ...						
Cash in Secretary's hands ...						
SPECIAL FUNDS—						
Convalescent Fund ...						
Endowment Instalments Fund ...						
INVESTMENTS—						
Endowments for Beds and Cots ...						
Endowments—King Edward VII. Ward ...						
Endowments for other Capital purposes ...						
GENERAL PURPOSES FUND—						
Investments ...						
Investments Emergency Contin- gencies Fund ...						
Cash ...						
Leasehold House Property ...						
LAND, BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT OF THE HOSPITAL—						
(N.B.—Nothing is included in the Balance Sheet in respect of Buildings, Furniture and Appliances of the Main Hospital prior to 1932). ...						
Extensions since 1932 ...						
Green Lea Annexe ...						
Alpha House ...						
Radium and Containers ...						

We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books, Accounts and Vouchers relating thereto, and certify the same to be correct. The Custodian Trustee (Lloyds Bank, Ltd., Threadneedle Street, E.C.), has verified the Investments on Capital Account as at December 31st, 1944.

Huddersfield,
7th February, 1945.

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Huddersfield Royal Infirmary. Investments as valued at 31st December, 1944.

SECURITY.	Nominal Amount.			Cost Price			Dividends		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
"A" REPRESENTING ENDOWMENTS.									
(1) Endowed Beds (60) & Gots (32):									
Sheffield Corporation 3½% Consolidated Stock, 1968 ..	4000	0	0	3874	18	0	140	0	0
Huddersfield Corporation 3% Stock, 1960 ..	1000	0	0	851	12	0	30	0	0
Huddersfield Corporation 3½% Mortgage ..	20000	0	0	20000	0	0	700	0	0
Derby Corporation 3½% Redeemable Stock 1953/63 ..	986	6	9	1000	0	0	34	10	6
Nuneaton Corporation 3% Redeemable Stock, 1953—1956 ..	1500	0	0	1488	18	0	45	0	0
Oxford Corporation 3% Stock, 1951 ..	1000	0	0	1007	13	0	30	0	0
London Passenger Transport Board 5% "B" Stock ..	5194	14	5	5194	14	5	259	14	9
Rotherham Corporation 3½% Mortgage ..	25000	0	0	25000	0	0	875	0	0
Huddersfield Corporation 3½% Redeemable Stock, 1958/63 ..	1200	0	0	1212	0	0	42	0	0
Ossett Corporation 3% Mortgage ..	2500	0	0	2500	0	0	87	10	0
2½% National War Bonds 1945/47 ..	3000	0	0	3032	2	10	75	0	0
3% Defence Bonds ..	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	30	0	0
Sheffield Corporation 3% Redeemable Stock, 1956/58 ..	1000	0	0	998	17	0	30	0	0
Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1952/55 ..	3788	0	0	3788	0	0	113	12	10
Manchester Corporation 3% Stock, 1958/63 ..	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	30	0	0
Bradford Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58 ..	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	15	0	0
Cardiff Corporation 2% Stock, 1956/58 ..	1500	0	0	1512	15	3	22	10	0
Nottingham Corporation 3% Stock, 1920/60 ..	1000	0	0	1002	12	0	15	0	0
2½% National War Bonds, 1952/54 ..	1000	0	0	1005	8	1	..	..	..
	£76669	1	2	76469	10	7	2574	18	1
(2) King Edward VII. Ward:									
Province of Nova Scotia 3½% Sterling Debentures, 1945 (Bearer) ..	1000	0	0	954	8	6	35	0	0
Province of Ontario 3½% Registered Stock, 1946 ..	1000	0	0	965	13	6	35	0	0
City of Montreal 4% Sterling Registered Stock, 1950 ..	1000	0	0	967	12	0	40	0	0
Bradford Corporation 3% Debenture Stock, 1954, Inscribed ..	1250	0	0	1009	10	6	37	10	0
City of Toronto 4½% General Consolidated Loan Debentures, 1948 (Bearer) ..	1000	0	0	1000	2	0	45	0	0
London, Midland & Scottish Rly. 4% Debenture Stock ..	4376	0	0	4307	5	1	175	0	10
Manchester Corporation 3½% Loan ..	8000	0	0	8000	0	0	300	0	0
Bournemouth Corporation 5% Redeemable Inscribed Stock, 1947—1967 ..	5000	0	0	5068	15	0	250	0	0
Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1914/54 ..	1000	0	0	1008	18	0	15	0	0
5% Conversion Loan, 1944—1964, Registered ..	—	—	—	—	—	—	25	0	0
3½% Conversion Loan, 1961, Registered ..	1326	6	0	1000	0	0	46	8	2
	£24952	0	0	24282	4	7	1003	19	0
(3) General Infirmary Endowments:									
Great Western Railway Co. 4% Debenture Stock ..	5000	0	0	4241	8	9	200	0	0
Great Western Railway Co. 5% Debenture Stock ..	5000	0	0	5322	19	10	250	0	0
Liverpool Corporation 3½% Mortgage ..	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	97	10	0
Manchester Corporation 3½% Loan ..	3081	0	0	3081	0	0	115	10	10
	£16081	0	0	15645	8	7	663	0	10
B" INFIRMARY GENERAL PURPOSES FUND.									
Buckleys Brewery, Limited, 4½% 1st Mortgage Debenture Stock ..	1000	0	0	1000	0	0	45	0	0
Great Western Railway Co. 5% Consolidated Guaranteed Stock ..	2000	0	0	2803	12	9	100	0	0
Great Western Railway Co. 5% Redeemable Preference Stock ..	1000	0	0	947	19	9	50	0	0
Huddersfield Corporation 3% Inscribed Stock 1956-58 ..	4039	13	6	4000	0	0	121	3	10
Great Central & Midland Joint Committee 3½% Guaranteed Stock ..	6800	0	0	4694	19	3	238	0	0
Birmingham Canal Navigation 4% Consolidated Stock, ..	2500	0	0	2053	8	6	100	0	0
London, Midland & Scottish Rly. 4% Preference Stock ..	6445	0	0	6112	10	10	257	16	0
do. do. 4% Guaranteed Stock ..	912	0	0	999	10	0	36	9	8
Southern Railway Co. 4% 1st Debenture Stock ..	1312	0	0	..	..	..	52	9	6
do. 5% Guaranteed Preference Stock ..	210	0	0	..	..	..	10	10	0
do. 5% Preference Stock ..	3280	0	0	..	..	..	164	0	0
London & North Eastern Railway Co. 3% Debenture Stock ..	3000	0	0	2418	6	6	90	0	0
do. do. 4% 1st Preference Stock ..	12524	0	0	..	..	..	500	19	2
do. do. 4% 2nd Preference Stock ..	675	0	0	..	..	..	18	11	3
do. do. 4% 2nd Guaranteed Stk. ..	8000	0	0	..	..	..	320	0	0
4% Consolidated Loan, Registered ..	828	6	8	788	5	0	33	2	8
3½% War Stock, 1952 (subject to life interest of a beneficiary) ..	309	17	0	306	12	10	..	..	..
London Passenger Transport Board 5% "B" Stock ..	1381	5	7	1381	5	7	69	1	3
2½% Consolidated Registered Stock ..	300	0	0	300	0	0	7	10	0
2½% National War Bonds 1945/47 ..	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	125	0	0
Ossett Corporation 3% Mortgage ..	7500	0	0	7500	0	0	262	10	0
Batley Corporation 3½% Loan ..	10000	0	0	10000	0	0	375	0	0
Carried forward ..	79017	2	9	74335	12	7	2977	3	4

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward	79017	2	9	74835	12	7	2977	3	4
Crewe Corporation 3% Mortgage	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	150	0	0
3½% War Loan 1952	6000	0	0	5939	16	3	210	0	0
3½% War Loan 1952	2000	0	0	2036	9	0	70	0	0
Liverpool Corporation 3% Mortgage	3000	0	0	3000	0	0	93	15	0
Do do 3½% do	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	175	0	0
3% Savings Bonds 1955/65	850	0	0	850	0	0	25	10	0
2½% National War Bonds 1946/48	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	125	0	0
Do do 1949/51	10000	0	0	10000	0	0	250	0	0
Rochdale Corporation 3% Redeemable Stock 1956/58	4000	0	0	3993	8	9	120	0	0
2½% National War Bonds 1946/48	4500	0	0	4505	10	1	112	10	0
3% Savings Bonds 1955/65	90	0	0	90	0	0	2	14	0
Government of Australia 5% Loan, 1945/75	100	0	0	100	0	0	5	0	0
London, Midland & Scottish Rly. 4% Preference Stock	100	0	0	100	0	0	4	0	0
Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1952/55	8612	0	0	8644	7	6	252	7	2
Manchester Corporation 3% Stock, 1958/63	2000	0	0	2007	3	6	60	0	0
On Deposit—Post Office Savings Bank	10500	0	0	10500	0	0	259	7	6
Dundee Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	1000	0	0	1007	13	0	30	0	0
Bradford Corporation 3% Stock, 1954	1000	0	0	1005	3	0	30	0	0
Sheffield Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	1000	0	0	1006	8	0	30	0	0
Salford Corporation 3% Stock, 1954/56	3000	0	0	3018	8	6	90	0	0
Nottingham Corporation 3% Stock, 1957	2000	0	0	2012	14	0	60	0	0
Carlisle Corporation 3% Stock, 1953	5000	0	0	5000	0	0	95	19	2
Bradford Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	1000	0	0	1005	4	0	15	0	0
Leeds Corporation 3% Stock, 1955/58	2000	0	0	2005	4	0	30	0	0
Sheffield Corporation 3% Stock, 1954	1650	0	0	1664	12	9	49	10	0
Huddersfield Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	500	0	0	502	12	0	7	10	0
Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1914/54	1300	0	0	1306	13	0	19	10	0
Birmingham Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	800	0	0	804	2	0	12	0	0
Manchester Corporation 3% Redeemable Stock, 1952/55	1350	0	0	1363	13	0	40	10	0
Huddersfield Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	2200	0	0	2219	9	0	33	0	0
Do do do	2000	0	0	2017	14	0	30	0	0
Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1952/55	4000	0	0	4033	8	6	60	0	0
Blackpool Corporation 3% Stock, 1957	800	0	0	808	2	0	12	0	0
Cardiff Corporation 3% Stock, 1956/58	1900	0	0	1916	3	3	28	10	0
Nottingham Corporation 3% Stock, 1957	3000	0	0	3014	13	6	45	0	0
2½% National War Bonds, 1952/54	8000	0	0	8043	4	5	—	—	—
	18269	2	9	184857	9	7	5610	16	2
Cash				237	18	6			
				£185095	8	1			

SUMMARY.

(1) Endowed Beds & Cots	76669	1	2	76469	10	7	2574	18	1
(2) King Edward VII. Ward	24952	0	0	24282	4	7	1003	19	0
(3) General Infirmary Endowments	16081	0	0	15645	8	7	663	0	10
(4) General Purposes Fund	189269	2	9	184857	9	7	5610	16	2
	£306971	3	11	301254	13	4	9852	14	1

The market value of these stocks amounted to £307451 10s. 0d. as at 31st December, 1944
Examined by the Trustees and found correct, H. TRAVIS CLAY, Chairman of the Trustees

ENDOWED BEDS AND COTS

MAIN HOSPITAL.

Ward I.

- "King Edward the Seventh Beds."—(Twenty-four)
- | | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| "Joseph Crowther Bed." | "Thomas Simpson Wilson Bed." |
| "William Dale Shaw Bed." | "Albert Henry Wilson Bed." |
| "James Bottomley Bed." | "John Priestley Bed." |
| "John William Day Bed." | "Law Beaumont Bed." |
| "Senior's Bed." | "Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Thornton Bed." |
| "Hanson Lockwood Bed." | "Mrs. M. A. Beaumont Bed." |
| "J. Brooke & Sons, Ltd., Bed." | "Mr. and Mrs. F. W. T. Beaumont Bed." |
| "Peter Macgregor Bed." | "Foxton Bed (Stamper and Sarah Foxton)." |
| "Rangeley Bed." | "G. P. Norton Bed." |
| "George Wilson Bed." | "Outlane Welfare Committee Bed." |
| "George Hobson Wilson Bed." | "Tom Platts Bed." |
| "Harry and Elizabeth Lucas Bed." | "James Samuel Balmford Bed." |

Ward II.

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|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| "Mary Alice Sykes Beds" (Two). | "C. E. Field Bed." |
| "Sarah A. Lumb Bed." | "William Storey Bed." |
| "Alice H. Pilling Bed." | "Harriet Ann Haigh Bed." |
| "Alice Maude Smith Bed." | "Ellen Hardcastle Bed." |
| "Mr. and Mrs. Francis Goodall Bed." | "Elizabeth Porter Bed." |
| "W. B. Quarmby Bed." | "Edith Crowther Lockwood Bed." |
| "John Fisher Bed." | "Alice Shires Bed." |
| "James Brierley Bed." | "Walter and Emily Armitage Bed." |
| "Mary Ann Wilson Bed." | "Kate Thornton Bed." |
| "George William Shaw Bed." | |

Ward IV.

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| "Isaac Dewhurst Bed." | "Lawrence Crowther Bed." |
| "Wimpenny Bed." | "W. A. Crowther Bed." |

Ward V.

- "Reginald Hirst Ward."

Ward VI.

- "George F. Ormerod Bed."

Ward VII.

- "James and Susannah Pilling Bed."

Ward X.

- "Joseph Henry and Emily Kaye Bed."
"Laura Crowther Bed."

GREEN LEA ANNEXE.

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|--------------------------|-------------------------------|
| "Norman Liversedge Bed." | "Marsden Carnival Bed." |
| "Mary Alice Sykes Bed." | "Happy Valley (Meltham) Bed." |
| "Denby Dale Pie Bed." | |

CHILDREN'S WARD.

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|---|---|
| "Kathleen Clayton Cot." | "Hannah Dawson Brook Cot." |
| "Robert Bower Cot." | "Brighthouse Amateur Operatic Society Cot." |
| "Mr. and Mrs. William Shires Cots" (Two). | "Emma Woodcock Cot." |
| "Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bruce Cots" (Two). | "Thomas Henry Ramsden Cot." |
| "Greenhead Park High School Cots" (Two). | "George Lewis Brook Cot." |
| "British Dyes Cot." | "C. G. Brotherton Cot." |
| "Elizabeth H. Scholes Cot." | "W. Gordon Sykes Cot." |
| "Dr. John Irving Cot." | "William Edward Crowther Cot." |
| "Joan Elizabeth Field Cot." | "Elizabeth A. Kaye Cot." |
| "Mary Doreen Field Cot." | "Benjamin Langrick Memorial Cot." |
| "George Henry Fox Cot." | "Oliver and Gertrude Whiteley Cot." |
| "Mary Broadbent Cot." | "W. H. and J. E. Sutcliffe Cot." |
| "Wm. Broadbent Cot." | "Waverley School Cot." |
| "Lottie Fisher Cot." | "Ann Elizabeth Copley Cot." |
| "Mary J. Fox Cot." | |

Statistics Relating to In-Patients for 1944.

DISEASES AND CONDITIONS.	Cases in Hospital 31st Dec., 1943	Admissions 1944	Died	Remaining 31st Dec., 1944	Discharged 1944	Operations
General Infections	5	139	4	9	131	89
Diseases due to Physical Agency ..	—	18	—	—	18	—
Tumours, Benign or Malignant (not of special systems)	4	72	2	—	74	61
Poisonings and Intoxications ..	—	21	1	2	18	—
Diseases of Metabolism	5	66	5	3	63	—
Diseases of Children	1	24	3	—	22	—
Deformities	1	47	4	—	44	46
Diseases of Skin	1	55	1	3	52	36
Injuries	17	321	15	17	306	132
Fractures	27	238	20	13	232	76
Diseases of Bones, Joints, Muscles, Tendons and Fascia	2	121	1	5	117	74
Diseases of Circulatory System ..	10	103	18	6	89	47
Diseases of the Blood and Blood- forming Organs	1	24	4	—	21	—
Diseases of the Ductless Glands ..	—	22	—	—	22	14
Diseases of the Lymphatic System..	3	41	2	—	42	31
Diseases of the Nervous System ..	7	144	33	3	115	—
Diseases of the Eye	5	266	1	12	258	146
Diseases of the Ear	10	68	1	8	69	40
Diseases of the Throat, Nose and Accessory Sinuses	—	1001	5	1	995	994
Diseases of the Alimentary System	37	795	76	37	719	780
Diseases of the Respiratory System..	8	105	25	6	82	21
Diseases of the Urinary System ..	5	163	16	7	145	110
Diseases of Generative Organs (male)	6	110	18	4	94	97
Diseases of Generative Organs (female)	10	269	8	7	264	263
Obstetrical Conditions and Diseases	18	364	7	15	360	194
Diseases of the Breast	2	76	1	2	75	61
Miscellaneous Diseases	—	72	—	—	72	33
Totals	185	4745	271	160	4499	3345

General Statistics of In-Patients.

Number of Beds equipped	302
Average number daily available.. ..	288
Average number daily occupied	214.76
Percentage of available Beds constantly occupied	74.57%
Average stay in days of each patient.. ..	16.48
Percentage of deaths to total number of patients	5.68%
Number of deaths within 48 hours of admission	90

STATISTICS OF OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENTS, 1944.

DEPARTMENT.	No. of Patients	Total No. of all attendances
Dispensary	7,179	154,743
Casualty	10,815	
Massage	2,432	
X-ray... ..	7,940	
Sunlight	242	
X-ray Treatment	317	
Dental	394	
	29,319	154,743

RESIDENCES OF IN AND OUT PATIENTS

1st January to 31st December, 1944.

Districts.	Numbers		Districts.	Numbers	
	In	Out		In	Out
Barnsley	6	15	Normanton... ..	1	—
Batley	—	9	Oldham	2	6
Blackburn	1	—	Ossett	1	1
Bradford	2	14	Penistone	3	5
Brighouse	102	220	Rastrick	36	88
Brockholes	10	23	Rotherham... ..	1	3
Darlington	1	—	Scammonden	3	9
Denby Dale & Cumberworth... ..	79	128	Scissett	13	28
Dewsbury	7	17	Shepley and Shelley	51	147
Diggle	—	2	Sheffield	5	5
Elland & West Vale	28	90	Skelmanthorpe and Clayton West ...	63	139
Emley	31	42	Slaithwaite	85	216
Farnley Tyas	—	1	Sowerby Bridge ...	—	2
Fenay Bridge	3	—	Stainland	5	9
Flockton & Grange-moor	48	124	Thurstonland	3	11
Golcar	155	407	Todmorden... ..	1	—
Halifax & Greetland	15	35	Wakefield	15	26
Heckmondwike	—	7	Wyke	—	6
Hepworth	6	3	Total from Out-districts	1529	3641
Holmfirth	84	203			
Honley	56	162			
Kirkburton... ..	88	208			
Kirkheaton... ..	57	192			
Leeds	2	5			
Lepton	53	133			
Linthwaite	77	208			
Liverpool	—	2			
Liversidge	1	4			
London	1	1			
Manchester... ..	—	7			
Marsden	138	326			
Meltham	112	167			
Mirfield	61	180			
New Mill	17	5			

MEDICAL.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

1st January, 1944 to 31st December, 1944.

Total number of Medical Admissions.....	530
Total number of Medical cases in wards Jan. 1st, 1944	36
Total number of Medical cases discharged	439
Total number of deaths	98
Total number of Medical cases in wards Dec. 31st, 1944	29

SURGICAL.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS.

1st January, 1944 to 31st December, 1944.

Total Number of Surgical Admissions	4,215
Total Number of Surgical Cases in Wards, January 1st, 1944 ...	149
	————— 4,364
Total Number of Surgical Cases Discharged	4,060
Total Number of Surgical Deaths	173
(Post-operative 82, Non-operative 91).	
Total Number of Surgical Cases in Wards, December 31st, 1944	131
	————— 4,364
Total Number of Operations on In-Patients.....	3,345
Operations performed in Casualty Department—	
Tonsils and Adenoids (included in above)	657
Circumcisions	174
Varia (including manipulations of fractures, treatment of accidents, etc.)	1,178
Total Operations performed in Casualty Department.....	————— 2,009

F. W. SHEPHERD, M.A., M.D., F.R.C.S.,
Registrar.

ALMONER'S REPORT, 1944.

During the year the Almoner has seen all the patients sent to her by the medical staff requiring Convalescence, Surgical Appliances, Special Diets, Extra Nourishment or Home Nursing. She has also helped with advice patients in difficulties with National Health Insurance or Pension claims and those needing assistance in applying for compensation under the Road Traffic Act for injuries received in motor accidents. Temporary homes have been found for children whose mothers have had to come into the Infirmary and fares have been raised and escorts provided for patients who have been sent to Hospitals in other parts of the country requiring specialised treatment for plastic or brain surgery.

One hundred and twenty-six patients have been sent away for convalescence to Homes at Ilkley, Southport, Scarborough, Harrogate, Buxton and West Kirby. In order to raise the necessary money for the cost of the Convalescent treatment the Almoner has enlisted the co-operation of the Huddersfield and District Hospitals Contributory Scheme, Approved Societies, the Clergy, the Public Assistance Committee, the Cripples' Guild and from private friends. Two little girls who were in need of prolonged convalescence were sent to a delightful Home in West Kirby and the whole cost of their stay was met by the Contributory Scheme Convalescent Fund.

Seventy-one Surgical Appliances have been supplied this year at a total cost of £165 1s. 9d. The patients pay what they can afford and the rest is raised from other sources.

The National Society for Cancer Relief has been very generous in giving weekly grants to help those of our patients who are suffering from malignant disease to obtain fluid diets, dressings and extra comforts which they could not otherwise afford.

The British Legion has given most useful help to the wives and families of ex-servicemen who have had to give up their work temporarily owing to sickness and the Soldiers', Sailors' and Airmen's Families Association have been unfailing in their response to requests from the Almoner for various kinds of assistance needed for the wives and children of serving men. The Red Cross Society has also kindly undertaken to visit patients who have been discharged from the wards so that they can still be kept in touch with after they have left the Infirmary.

Our thanks are due to these voluntary Societies and also to the District Nurses in Huddersfield and the surrounding areas, to the Huddersfield Law Society, the Colne Valley Loom Fund, the Women's Voluntary Services and to private friends of the Infirmary who have given such willing help to our patients.

STATISTICAL

For Year ended

I. IN-PATIENTS.

(a) Number of Beds and In-Patients.

	Numbers in 1944
1. Total Number of available beds on 31st December ...	302
2. Average number of available beds during the year (as counted and recorded daily)	288
3. Average number of patients resident daily through- out the year (as counted and recorded daily) ...	214.76
4. Number of In-Patients in Hospital at beginning of year	185
5. Number of In-Patients admitted during year ...	4,745
6. Number of In-Patients in the Hospital at the end of the year	160
7. Average number of days each patient was resident...	16.48
8. Number of In-Patients who have died during the year	271

(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.

The following figures are based on the Ordinary Expenditure.

	1944						
	Expenditure on In-Patients	Average Cost of each In-Patient per week			Average Total Cost of each In-Patient		
	£	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1. Provisions (including Board of Officials)	9,919		17	8	2	1	7
2. Surgery & Dispensary	6,686		11	11	1	8	0
3. Domestic	6,895		12	3	1	8	11
4. Salaries & Wages (Maintenance) ...	28,259	2	10	4	5	18	6
5. Miscellaneous	1,527		2	9		6	5
6. Administration	1,178		2	1		4	11
Statistical Cost	54,464		4	17	11	8	4
7. Establishment	721		1	4		3	0
8. Finance	159			3			8
Total Cost	£55,344	£4	18	7	£11	12	0

TABLES

31st December, 1944.

II. OUT-PATIENTS.

(a) Numbers.

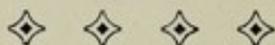
	Numbers in 1944
1. Total number of New Out-Patients	29,319
2. Total number of Out-Patient attendances	154,743
(a) Number of Casualty patients included in No. 1 above	10,815
(b) Number of Casualty Attendances included in No. 2 above	39,536

(b) Annual Expenditure on Out-Patients and Average Cost of each Out-Patient Attendance and of each Out-Patient.

The following figures are based on the Ordinary Expenditure.

	1944		
	Expenditure on Out-Patients	Average Cost of each Out-Patient attendance	Average Total Cost of each Out-Patient
	£	Pence.	Pence.
1. Provisions (including Board of Officials)	364	.56	2.98
2. Surgery & Dispensary	3,182	4.94	26.05
3. Domestic	1,465	2.27	11.99
4. Salaries & Wages (Maintenance) ...	5,793	8.98	47.42
5. Miscellaneous	353	.55	2.89
6. Administration	272	.42	2.22
Statistical Cost	11,429	17.72	93.55
7. Establishment	166	.26	1.36
8. Finance	37	.06	.30
Total Cost	£11,632	1s. 6.04d.	7s. 11.21d.

Specimen Form of Order to Banker for Annual Payment.



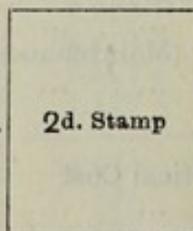
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To the.....Bank.

Gentlemen,

Please pay on receipt hereof to Lloyds Bank, Ltd.,
Huddersfield Branch, in my name, to the Credit of the
Huddersfield Royal Infirmary, the sum of £.....
and make them a similar payment on the 1st of.....
in every year until further notice.

Signature..... 2d. Stamp



CHRISTMAS FUND, 1944.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
To Balance at Bank ...	67	16	3	By Expenditure : Patients			
„ Donations as per List ...	230	12	6	and Staff ...	202	7	5
„ Bank Interest ...		5	3	„ Balance at Bank ...	96	6	7
	<u>£298</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>		<u>£298</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>

We have examined the above Statement with the Books and Vouchers relating thereto and certify the same to be correct.

Huddersfield,
24th March, 1945.

H. V. WOOD & CO.,
Chartered Accountants, } Auditors.

Recovery of Income Tax on Annual Subscriptions.

*By filling up a Form Similar to the One below
You add value to*

*Your present Subscription
and you*

WILL BENEFIT THE HOSPITAL
TO THE EXTENT OF ANOTHER

£1 1s. 0d. on each Annual Subscription

of One Guinea.

*You still pay the same amount—but by executing a DEED OF
GIFT you enable the Hospital to claim Income Tax thereon.*

**Deed of Covenant for Payment to the Huddersfield Royal Infirmary by an
Individual of an Annual Subscription for Seven Years (Ceasing on Death).**

I
of

.....
hereby covenant with the Honorary Treasurer for the time being of the
Huddersfield Royal Infirmary, that for a period of seven years from the
day of one thousand

nine hundred and , or during my life (whichever
shall be the shorter period), I will pay annually to the Honorary Treasurer of
the said Infirmary, such a sum as will after the deduction of Income Tax leave
in the hands of the Huddersfield Royal Infirmary, a net sum of

pounds shillings pence,

which sum shall be charged on and payable out of my general fund of taxed
income, so that I shall receive no personal or private benefit during the
aforesaid period from the said sum or any part thereof. Provided always, that
if at any time after the execution of this deed I shall not be permitted to deduct
the said annual sum from my total income for the purpose of assessment to
Sur-Tax or any similar Tax hereafter imposed, then this deed shall become
absolutely void and inoperative from such time as aforesaid.

Given under my hand and seal this day of
one thousand nine hundred and

Signed, sealed and delivered by the }
said in }
the presence of }

Signature of witness

Address

.....

Occupation

The General Superintendent and Secretary will gladly forward further
information and prepare a Deed upon request.

CONDITIONS.

IN-PATIENTS. Persons requiring treatment must attend the Out-patient Department, if able to do so, and consult a Member of the Honorary Medical Staff, who will, if necessary, make arrangements for admission. Those who are too ill or physically unable to carry out the foregoing arrangement should get their own Medical Adviser to communicate with the Resident Surgical Officer, who will arrange for admission if necessary.

On no account should patients arrive at the Hospital (except in the case of accident) without having been notified to do so.

OUT-PATIENTS. Out-patients must attend the Physician or Surgeon who first received them under his care, on the day of his attendance at the Hospital. Bottles or containers for the medicines or lotions are supplied by the Hospital at a small charge.

ENQUIRIES. Enquiries by telephone respecting In-patients should be made between 10 and 12 a.m. Not more than one enquiry should be made on any day, unless the Patient is notified as being in a critical condition. Telephone No. 2866.

VISITORS. Visiting days are:—Tuesday, 2-30 to 3-30 p.m. Saturday 2-30 to 3-30 p.m., Sunday 2-30 to 3-30 p.m. Only two friends are permitted at the bed-side at one time, and not more than four visitors on one visiting day. Visiting Cards are granted to relatives and must be produced when visiting.

SPECIAL NOTICE. The Hospital is entirely dependent on voluntary support, and the Board of Management strongly urges and invites Patients to contribute towards their maintenance and attention, such sums as they feel able to give. Such contributions, large or small, from those who can give assistance, are the means of helping others less fortunately situated to recover their health and strength. The right to refuse admission on financial grounds is reserved to the Board of Management.

MASSAGE TREATMENT OR X-RAY EXAMINATIONS. Treatment in these cases is provided on the recommendation of the Honorary Medical Staff, or in case of persons not being Hospital Patients, on payment of the small fees arranged. Information relating to these fees may be obtained from the Secretary or in the case of massage at the Orthopædic Clinic.

PRIVILEGES OF SUBSCRIBERS AND DONORS.

AN Annual Subscription of two guineas or more shall qualify the subscriber to be a Governor during the period for which the subscription is paid.

The Clergyman or representative of any place of worship wherein a collection of not less than four guineas is taken for the Infirmary shall be a Governor for one year following payment.

A Corporate Body, Society, or other Collective Body subscribing not less than five guineas annually shall be entitled to nominate in writing a representative as a Governor during the period for which the subscription is paid.

A donor of forty guineas or more at one time shall be a Governor for life.

A Testator who shall bequeath a sum of at least one hundred pounds to the Infirmary may by his Will nominate some person to be a Governor for life from the date of payment of the legacy. In the absence of any such nomination the Executor or Executors may, with the approval of the Board of Management, nominate some person to be a Governor for life.

A Corporate Body, Society, or other Collective Body making a donation of one hundred pounds or more at one time shall be entitled to nominate in writing a representative to be a Governor and to change such nomination from time to time by notice in writing provided that no such Corporate Body, Society, or other Collective Body shall have more than one such representative at any time.

All donors making a personal gift of five hundred pounds and upwards shall be Honorary Vice-Presidents for life.

A donor of one thousand pounds to the Infirmary's Endowment Fund shall have the right to affix a name to one of the beds for adults in perpetuity, and a donor of five hundred pounds to the same Fund shall have the right similarly to name a cot in the Children's Ward.

All the annual subscriptions are considered as becoming due on the first of January in each year at which time the current year commences.

Attendance of Honorary Medical and Surgical Officers.

Physicians—		Morning	Afternoon
DR. HIRST	TUESDAY ...	9-0	
do. Diabetic Clinic	FRIDAY ...		3-0
DR. AFFLECK ...	THURSDAY	8-30	
Dermatologist—			
DR. BARLOW ...	TUESDAY ...	8-30	
Surgeons—			
MR. A. L. WALKER	WEDNESDAY	9-0	
„ GALLOWAY ...	MONDAY ...	8-30	
„ BARCLAY ...	WEDNESDAY		2-30
do. Fracture Clinic	THURSDAY ...		2-0
„ THOMPSON ...	TUESDAY ...		2-30
„ BOLTON ...	THURSDAY ...	9-0	
„ KENNEDY ...	FRIDAY ...	9-0	
Eye and Ear Surgeon—			
MR. F. GAMM	MONDAY AND FRIDAY ...		2-0
Dentist—			
MR. FRANK LODGE	WEDNESDAY AND FRIDAY	9-0	
Electro-Therapeutic Clinic—			
DR. NIVEN	WEDNESDAY		2-0
Urological Clinic—			
MR. KENNEDY	MONDAY ...		3-0
Obstetrical Clinic—			
MR. GALLOWAY ...	FRIDAY ...		12-30
DR. DICKSON ...	FRIDAY ...	11-45	

Summary of Statistics for 1944.

Total number of beds equipped—Main Hospital	302
" " " " —Private Patients	19
	321

MAIN HOSPITAL.

Average number of beds available daily	288
Total Ordinary Income	£71,174
" Extraordinary Income	£696
" Ordinary Expenditure	£66,976
" Extraordinary Expenditure	£1,594
Surplus on year's working	£3,300
Average number of beds occupied daily during the year	215
Average length of stay of each In-Patient	16.48 days
Total number of new Out-Patients	29,319
" " Casualties (included in above)	10,815
" " Out-Patient attendances	154,743
Average cost of each Out-Patient	7/11
" " " In-Patient per week	£4 : 18 : 7

The Infirmary Expenses are £7 : 16 : 2 an hour,
or 2/7¼ a minute.