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Pershore Cottage Hospital  
and  
Nursing Home.



Thirty-third Annual Report,  
1928.



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**Committee and Officials for the Year ending December 31st, 1929.**

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Mr. A. W. Smith

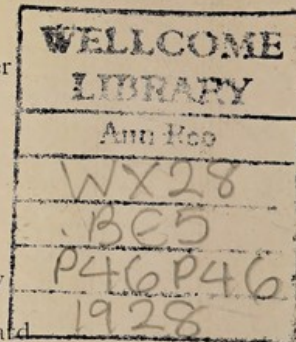
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ht Nurse—Miss Sherford. Probationer—Miss Evans.



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# Report.

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*To the Governors and Subscribers of the Pershore Cottage Hospital.*

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

The Committee present their Thirty-third Annual Report and Balance Sheets with General Lists.

During the year 144 patients have been treated in the Hospital; 121 were cured; 11 were relieved; 5 were transferred to other Institutions; 7 died, and 4 remained under treatment on December 31st. There have been 118 operations performed. The total number of patients who have been attended in the Hospital since its foundation now reaches 3,774.

The cost of each patient is approximately £11 8s. and the average length of stay in the Hospital is between 15 and 16 days which makes the cost of each patient per week about £5 4s.

In perusing the Balance Sheets for the past year it must be remembered that owing to the alteration in the Rules as to the date of closing the Financial Year of the Hospital on December 31st instead of October 31st the year which is past contained 14 months. The expenditure for this period shows an increase of about £1 per week in excess of the expenditure for the previous year. The Committee are fully aware of the urgent need for economy and have this matter under consideration and are exploring every possible channel with a view to keeping the expenses down consistent with doing the necessary work of the Hospital. Unfortunately the receipts show a reduction in actual figures as compared with last year when allowance is made for the 2 years' returned Income Tax which is credited in this year's account and all the main sources of income are below last year, the subscriptions being nearly £30 down, so it is hoped that further help may be forthcoming in this direction both from old and new subscribers.

In last year's Report attention was called to the position which would arise if the payments by patients were reduced, and in the past year, notwithstanding having 14 months in the year, the receipts from this source have

diminished by £65. The Committee do not altogether regret the diminution of payments by private patients as they feel that the Hospital is serving its purpose better by being able to look after the poorer patients sent in with a Letter of Recommendation from a subscriber, but obviously more support must be forthcoming financially to enable them to do this.

The Worcester Hospital Contributory Scheme referred to in last year's Report has been in force during the past year and the question of joining in this Scheme has exercised the minds of the Committee and has been fully considered in all its bearings. A Sub-committee appointed specially for the purpose has had a number of meetings and some of its members have personally visited hospitals in the Oxfordshire district under a similar scheme. Many questions have had to be carefully gone into and the position up to a certain point was put before a Special Meeting of Subscribers, but eventually acting upon a resolution passed at such Special Meeting, the Committee have decided that it was not possible for the Pershore Cottage Hospital to join the Scheme, and it appears that only one other hospital in the County, namely, the Tenbury Cottage Hospital, has joined forces with the Worcester General Hospital in this matter.

During the year the Institution has lost a very devoted friend and helper in the death of Dr. H. L. Askham. For many years he acted as an Honorary Surgeon to the Hospital and to all those with whom he came in contact he endeared himself by his kindness and consideration in every way, and the Committee desire to express their sympathy with Mrs. Askham and Mrs. Whiteley in the great loss sustained by them.

During the year a legacy has been received, namely, one of £10 less duty from the late Mrs. F. P. Caldwell.

The Committee once again wish to express their thanks to the Flower Show Committee for allowing the annual collection to be taken in the grounds and to the Nurses who once again so kindly made the collection; to the Hospital Football Competition Committee for their valuable financial assistance; also to Mrs. Risher, Miss Checketts and Mrs. Kennedy and their willing helpers in organising and carrying out respectively Hospital Saturday, Pound Week and Alexandra Rose Day, and to Mrs. Browning for her work connected with the Linen League. Thanks are also due to the Officers for their work throughout the year.

The whole of the Committee retire on the day of the Annual Meeting but are eligible for re-election.

A. H. HUDSON, Chairman.

## List of Benefactors to the Hospital Building and Endowment Fund.

|                                     | £   | s. | d. |  | £   | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------------|-----|----|----|--|-----|----|----|
| Mr. Charles Ganderton, the late ..  | 500 | 0  | 0  | 1898                                   | 150 | 0  | 0  |
| 1895                                |     |    |    | Anonymous .. .. .                      | 150 | 0  | 0  |
| Ecclesiastical Commissioners ..     | 50  | 0  | 0  | 1901                                   |     |    |    |
| Mrs. J. Hilditch Evans, the late .. | 50  | 0  | 0  | Mrs. Hinshaw .. .. .                   | 500 | 0  | 0  |
| Mr. R. Hinshaw, the late ..         | 50  | 0  | 0  | Legacy, Mr. Geo. Martin, the late ..   | 50  | 0  | 0  |
| Mr. A. R. Hudson, the late ..       | 50  | 0  | 0  | Mr. S. Onions, the late ..             | 50  | 0  | 0  |
| Mrs. Marriott, the late ..          | 50  | 0  | 0  | Family of late Mrs. M. A. Ball ..      | 25  | 0  | 0  |
| Misses Marriott .. .. .             | 50  | 0  | 0  | Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hudson, the late    | 25  | 0  | 0  |
| Miss Martin, the late ..            | 50  | 0  | 0  | Mr. and Mrs. W. Pearce, the late ..    | 25  | 0  | 0  |
| Mrs. Martin, the late ..            | 50  | 0  | 0  | The late Rev. N. Shelmerdine,          |     |    |    |
| Mr. S. Onions, the late ..          | 50  | 0  | 0  | " In Memoriam " .. .. .                | 25  | 0  | 0  |
| Mr. C. Whitaker, the late ..        | 50  | 0  | 0  | Miss Martin, the late .. .. .          | 20  | 0  | 0  |
| Mr. Henry Webb, the late ..         | 25  | 0  | 0  | Mrs. J. H. Evans, the late ..          | 10  | 10 | 0  |
| Mr. H. R. M. Porter, the late ..    | 10  | 10 | 0  | Major Marriott, the late ..            | 10  | 0  | 0  |
| Mrs. Carden, the late ..            | 10  | 0  | 0  | Miss Marriott .. .. .                  | 10  | 0  | 0  |
| Lieut-Colonel Hudson ..             | 10  | 0  | 0  | 1902                                   |     |    |    |
| Miss Martin, " In Memoriam " ..     | 160 | 0  | 0  | Mr. A. R. Hudson, the late ..          | 100 | 0  | 0  |
| 1897                                |     |    |    | 1903                                   |     |    |    |
| The late Mr Henry Webb bequeathed   |     |    |    | Mr. and Mrs. Tainsh .. .. .            | 20  | 0  | 0  |
| to the Hospital 135 Shares in the   |     |    |    | 1904                                   |     |    |    |
| Pershore Gas and Lighting Co. ...   | 675 | 0  | 0  | Relatives of the late Mrs. J. Hilditch |     |    |    |
| Mrs. A. G. Allen, New Year's Gift   | 200 | 0  | 0  | Evans .. .. .                          | 206 | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1898                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | Mrs. Hugh Robinson .. .. .             | 25  | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1905                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | The late Mr. George Martin (less       |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | Legacy duty) .. .. .                   | 200 | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1906                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | In Memory of Arthur Frederick          |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | Robarts (by his widow) .. ..           | 200 | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1907                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | The late Rev. N. Shelmerdine ..        | 100 | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1908                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | The late Miss Martin .. .. .           | 100 | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1909                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | In memory of Hilda M. F. Taylor        |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | (by her mother) .. .. .                | 100 | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | In memory of Major H. Marriott, by     |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | his daughters, Mrs. Wynne Marriott     |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | and Miss Edith Marriott, cost of       |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | New Kitchen .. .. .                    | 70  | 0  | 0  |
|                                     |     |    |    | 1911                                   |     |    |    |
|                                     |     |    |    | Mr. W. D'A. Amery, the late ..         | 100 | 0  | 0  |



## Capital Account.

| DR.                                     | RECEIPTS. | £ s. d.  | PAYMENTS.  | £ s. d.   | CR. |
|---|-----------|----------|--|-----------|-----|
|   |           |          |  |           |     |
| To Value of Investments brought forward | ...       | 8809 2 8 | By 135 Shares in the Pershore Gas and Lighting Co.                 | 675 0 0   |     |
| „ Legacy from Mrs. F. P. Caldwell       | ... ..    | 9 0 0    | „ £100 Guinness & Co., 6 p.c. Preference Stock                     | 192 7 0   |     |
|   |           |          | „ £100 Gordon Hotels Co., 4 p.c. Perpetual Debentures              | 124 3 3   |     |
|   |           |          | „ £200 London County Council, 3 p.c. Inscribed Stock               | 193 16 0  |     |
|   |           |          | „ £200 Cheltenham Corporation, 3 p.c. Redeemable Stock             | 176 0 6   |     |
|   |           |          | „ Cost of Freehold Land adjoining Hospital and fencing             | 98 10 0   |     |
|   |           |          | „ £96 London and North-Eastern Rly. 4 p.c. first Preference Stock  | } 208 0 2 |     |
|   |           |          | „ £96 London and North-Eastern Rly. 4 p.c. second Guaranteed Stock |           |     |
|   |           |          | „ £222 Canadian Northern Rly. 4 p.c. Debentures                    | 204 6 8   |     |
|   |           |          | „ Cost of Freehold Land adjoining Hospital                         | 53 3 0    |     |
|   |           |          | „ £350 Canadian Northern Railway 4 p.c. Perpetual Debenture Stock  | 292 15 0  |     |
|   |           |          | „ Expenses connected with Capital for Structural Alterations, etc. | 70 13 7   |     |
|   |           |          | „ £632 5s. 1d., 5 p.c. War Stock                                   | 671 15 3  |     |
|   |           |          | „ £3000 Local Loans 3 p.c. Stock                                   | 1511 9 0  |     |
|   |           |          | „ £978 9s. 4d. Portsmouth Corporation, 6 p.c. Stock                | 974 18 0  |     |
|   |           |          | „ £978 9s. 4d. Plymouth  | 974 18 0  |     |
|   |           |          | „ Purchase Price of Land and expenses of same                      | 462 0 0   |     |
|   |           |          | „ Purchase Price of £1000 5 p.c. War Stock £1010 3s.               |           |     |
|   |           |          | „ Less price realised on Sale, 20th March, 1925, £1009 17s.        | 0 6 0     |     |
|   |           |          | „ Payments made in 1925 on A/c of cost of Nurses' cottage          | 959 5 6   |     |
|   |           |          | „ Ditto for Heating, etc., at the Hospital                         | 231 17 6  |     |
|   |           |          | „ Espley & Co, balance of A/c for Nurses' cottage                  | 196 17 0  |     |
|   |           |          | „ Rowe & Son, for Architects fees, etc.                            | 73 3 0    |     |
|   |           |          | „ Abell & Smith, for Electric Lighting                             | 84 5 9    |     |
|   |           |          | „ Cheque Book  | 0 2 0     |     |
|   |           |          | „ Purchase price of £348 19s. New South Wales 5¼ p.c. Stock        | 350 0 0   |     |
|   |           |          | „ Balance at Bank  | 38 10 7   |     |
|   |           | 8818 2 8 |  | £8818 2 8 |     |

Audited and certified as correct,  
**ARTHUR J. FEEK, F.S.A.A.,**  
 Incorporated Accountant, Auditor,  
 Pershore, Worc.  
 18th February, 1929.



## LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS, 1927—8.

|                                | £  | s. | d. |                                  | £  | s. | d. |                            | £  | s. | d. |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|----------------------------------|----|----|----|----------------------------|----|----|----|
| Andrews, Mr. H. ...            | 1  | 1  | 0  | Davies, Gen. Sir F., K.C.B., and |    |    |    | Godfrey, Mr. L. H. ...     | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Atlas Works Hospital Fund ...  | 3  | 3  | 0  | Lady Davies ...                  | 3  | 3  | 0  | Gresson, Mr. W. J. ...     | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Bagnall, Mr. J. ...            | 1  | 1  | 0  | Davies, Major H. W., D.S.O. ...  | 1  | 1  | 0  | Grice, Mr. J. ...          | 1  | 0  | 0  |
| Bagnall, Mrs. J. ...           | 1  | 1  | 0  | Day, The Misses ...              | 10 | 6  |    | Haines, Mr. F. ...         | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Baker, Mr. J. G. ...           | 1  | 1  | 0  | Defford Church Charities ...     | 2  | 0  | 0  | Harrison, Mr. H. B. ...    | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Blyth, Mr. and Miss ...        | 1  | 1  | 0  | Dowson, The Misses ...           | 2  | 2  | 0  | Hall, Mrs. Gresley ...     | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Bloxham, Mr. R. N. ...         | 10 | 6  |    | Dowson, Mr. J. B. ...            | 1  | 1  | 0  | Hemming, Miss ...          | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Brown, Mr. W. L. ...           | 1  | 1  | 0  | Duke, Miss ...                   | 2  | 2  | 0  | Hewlett, Mr. C. ...        | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Browning, Mrs. ...             | 1  | 1  | 0  | East, Miss Mary ...              | 1  | 1  | 0  | Holland, Mrs. E. ...       | 5  | 0  | 0  |
| Brown, Mrs. ...                | 10 | 6  |    | Ecclesiastical Commissioners ... | 10 | 0  | 0  | Holland, Miss M. ...       | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Coventry, the Countess of ...  | 1  | 1  | 0  | Edwards, Mr. R. C. ...           | 1  | 1  | 0  | Hooper, Mr. G. F. ...      | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Chapman, Mr. W. T. ...         | 1  | 1  | 0  | Elkerton, Mrs. ...               | 10 | 6  |    | Hudson, Lt.-Col. A. H. ... | 3  | 3  | 0  |
| Checketts, Lt.-Col. F. ...     | 1  | 1  | 0  | Elkington, Capt. G. ...          | 1  | 1  | 0  | Hudson, Rev. C. H. B. ...  | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Checketts, The Misses... ..    | 10 | 6  |    | Emerson, Mrs. ...                | 1  | 1  | 0  | Huntington, Miss ...       | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Cholmondeley, Mr. E. C. ...    | 1  | 1  | 0  | Farncombe, Dr. W. T. ...         | 2  | 2  | 0  | Ismay, Miss ...            | 10 | 6  |    |
| Clemens, Mr. C. ...            | 1  | 1  | 0  | Fearnside, Mr. W. ...            | 1  | 1  | 0  | Clarke-Jones, Miss ...     | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Clifford, Rev. H. ...          | 10 | 6  |    | Feek, Mr. A. J. ...              | 1  | 1  | 0  | Kennedy, Mrs. ...          | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Clive, Mrs. ...                | 1  | 1  | 0  | Fletcher, Mrs. ...               | 1  | 1  | 0  | Lawson, Rev. F. R. ...     | 10 | 6  |    |
| Cole, Mr. F. ...               | 1  | 1  | 0  | Flood, Miss Hanford ...          | 1  | 1  | 0  | Lawson, Miss ...           | 10 | 6  |    |
| Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. ... | 10 | 6  |    | Fowler, Rev. H. ...              | 1  | 1  | 0  | Lechmere, Capt. A. H. ...  | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Davis, Mr. F. ...              | 1  | 1  | 0  | Francis, Mrs. ...                | 2  | 2  | 0  | Lees, Mrs. ...             | 1  | 1  | 0  |
| Davies, Mrs. ...               | 2  | 2  | 0  | Gardner, Mr. W. J. ...           | 1  | 1  | 0  | Lloyds Bank, Ltd. ...      | 2  | 2  | 0  |
| Davies, Miss ...               | 2  | 2  | 0  | Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. D. ...       | 10 | 0  | 0  | Marriott, Miss ...         | 1  | 1  | 0  |

### List of Subscribers (continued).

|                                   | £   | s. | d. |   | £                             | s.  | d. |   | £ | s.                                 | d.  |    |   |
|-----------------------------------|-----|----|----|---|-------------------------------|-----|----|---|---|------------------------------------|-----|----|---|
| Marriott, Mrs. Wynne ...          | ... | 2  | 2  | 0 | Prothero, Mrs. ...            | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Summerton, Messrs. ...             | ... | 5  | 0 |
| Maxfield, Mr. R. H. ...           | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Righton, Mr. E. G. ...        | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Swift, Mr. Geo. ...                | ... | 5  | 5 |
| Monsell, Mrs. Eyres ...           | ... | 5  | 0  | 0 | Robarts, Miss ...             | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Swift, Mrs. ...                    | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Moore, Mr. H. ...                 | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Robarts, Mr. C. B. ...        | ... | 2  | 2 | 0 | Swift, Mr. W. ...                  | ... | 3  | 0 |
| Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. G. ...      | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Robinson, Mrs. Hugh ...       | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Taylor, Major W. H., M.F.H. ...    | ... | 5  | 0 |
| Mumford, Mr. C. A. ...            | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Gilkie ... | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Wagstaff, Mr. J. W. ...            | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Mumford, Mrs. C. A. ...           | ... | 10 | 6  |   | Rowley, Mr. and Mrs. ...      | ... | 2  | 2 | 0 | Whitaker, Mr. G. ...               | ... | 2  | 0 |
| Nash, Mr. J. G. ...               | ... | 10 | 0  |   | Rusher, Mrs. J. G. ...        | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Willis, Miss ...                   | ... | 1  | 0 |
| Nutting, Mr. and Mrs. ...         | ... | 5  | 0  |   | Salsbury, Mr. W. A. ...       | ... | 10 | 6 |   | Willes, Mrs. ...                   | ... | 10 | 6 |
| Oakes, Mr. L. ...                 | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Shenton, Mr. T. ...           | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | White, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. ...      | ... | 10 | 0 |
| Parkins, Mr. H. T. ...            | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Smith, The Lady Barbara ...   | ... | 2  | 2 | 0 | Whitehouse, Mr. & Mrs. John B. ... | ... | 2  | 2 |
| Partridge, Mr. G. ...             | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. ... | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Winnington, Mrs. ...               | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Pershore Guardians ...            | ... | 8  | 8  | 0 | Smithin, Mr. S. Phipps ...    | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Wood, Mr. W. ...                   | ... | 10 | 6 |
| Pershore Lodge, Nat. Insurance    | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Smyth, Capt. and Mrs. ...     | ... | 2  | 2 | 0 | Woodward, Mrs. F. Ff. ...          | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Phillips, Messrs. G. ...          | ... | 1  | 11 | 6 | Spiers, Messrs. M. ...        | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Woodward, Miss ...                 | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Porter, Lt.-Col. H. C. M., D.S.O. | ... | 3  | 3  | 0 | Stafford, Mrs. ...            | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Woodward, Miss L. E. ...           | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Porter, Mrs. ...                  | ... | 1  | 1  | 0 | Stafford, Mrs. J. ...         | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Woodward, Miss E. C. ...           | ... | 1  | 1 |
| Post Office Staff ...             | ... | 1  | 0  | 0 | Stevens, Mr. E. ...           | ... | 1  | 1 | 0 | Woodward, Mr. W. H. ...            | ... | 2  | 2 |

### Collections in Churches.

|   | £     | s. | d. |
|---|-------|----|----|
| Besford—per Rev. J. Willis ... ..                               | 1     | 9  | 0  |
| Birlingham—per Col. F. Checketts ... ..                         | 1     | 6  | 3  |
| Bishampton—per Rev. G. Gurney Coombs ... ..                     | 2     | 2  | 0  |
| Bricklehampton (half of)—per Rev. H. Fowler                     | 1     | 12 | 6  |
| Broughton—per Com. F. D. Nind. R.N. ... ..                      | 1     | 10 | 5  |
| Charlton—per Mr. S. G. Waters ... ..                            | 3     | 0  | 0  |
| Comberton, Little—per Rev. W. Lowndes ... ..                    | 6     | 2  | 6  |
| Crothorne—per Mr. H. Parkins ... ..                             | 2     | 2  | 0  |
| Defford—per Mr. F. D. Bott ... ..                               | 4     | 8  | 1  |
| Fladbury, Moor, Throckmorton and Wyre—<br>per Mr. Bayley ... .. | 6     | 14 | 2  |
| Grafton Flyford—per Mr. Houghton ... ..                         | 2     | 0  | 0  |
| Naunton Beaubhamp—per Mr. G. D. Hunt ... ..                     | 17    | 3  |    |
| North Piddle (part of)—per Mr. Cowley ... ..                    | 1     | 0  | 0  |
| Peopleton (part of)—per Rev. T. Davies ... ..                   | 1     | 11 | 6  |
| Pershore—per Mr. G. F. Hooper ... ..                            | 4     | 19 | 3  |
| Pinvin (part of)—per Mr. Boucher ... ..                         | 1     | 10 | 0  |
| Wick—per Col. A. H. Hndson ... ..                               | 2     | 11 | 10 |
|   | <hr/> |    |    |
|   | £44   | 16 | 9  |
|   | <hr/> |    |    |

### Payments of Private and Insured Patients,

|  | £     | s. | d. |
|--|-------|----|----|
| Worcester Hospital Saturday Fund ... ..          | 3     | 3  | 0  |
| G. W. Railway Hospital Saving Association ... .. | 2     | 0  | 0  |
| Prudential Approved Society ... ..               | 25    | 0  | 0  |
| Birmingham Contributory Scheme ... ..            | 2     | 2  | 0  |
| County Fire Office ... ..                        | 10    | 10 | 0  |
| Per Mr. Feek ... ..                              | 287   | 13 | 9  |
|  | <hr/> |    |    |
|  | £330  | 8  | 9  |
|  | <hr/> |    |    |

## Donations.

| Dr. | RECEIPTS.   | £ s. d.   | PAYMENTS. | Cr.                                       |           |
|-----|---|-----------|-----------|---|-----------|
|     |   |           |           | £ s. d.                                   |           |
| To  | Proceeds of Bowling Week, Bell Inn, Eckington, per Mr. Payne          | 2 2 0     | By        | Amount transferred to Maintenance Account | 150 0 0   |
| „   | Dance at Crophorne, per Mr. S. Dyer                                   | 1 10 0    | „         | Cash in Bank, December 31st, 1918         | 333 15 6  |
| „   | Malvern District Workers' Hospital Saturday Fund, per Mr. R. O. Allen | 2 2 0     |           |   |           |
| „   | Mr. J. Knox   | 2 2 0     |           |   |           |
| „   | Mr. Cobb, for use of Bath Chair                                       | 10 0      |           |   |           |
| „   | Mrs. Workman, Moor...   | 10 6      |           |   |           |
| „   | Alexandra Day, per Mrs. Kennedy                                       | 5 17 9    |           |   |           |
| „   | Pound Week  | 10 0 0    |           |   |           |
| „   | Hospital Football Cup, per Dr. Emerson                                | 12 12 0   |           |   |           |
| „   | Church Army Collection, per Capt. Haines                              | 1 4 9     |           |   |           |
| „   | Part proceeds Radford Football Cup, per Mr. Ewin                      | 1 0 0     |           |   |           |
| „   | Flower Show Gates   | 14 0 0    |           |   |           |
| „   | Sale of Fruit and Vegetables at Central Market                        | 2 16 5    |           |   |           |
| „   | Mr. Moore   | 1 0 0     |           |   |           |
| „   | Anonymous   | 5 0 0     |           |   |           |
| „   | Cash in Bank, October 31st, 1927...                                   | 421 8 1   |           |   |           |
|     |   | £483 15 6 |           |   | £483 15 6 |

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 Incorporated Accountant, Auditor.  
 Pershore, Worcs.,  
 February 1st, 1929,

### Hospital Saturday, 1928.

| District Boxes :—                     | £               | s. | d. | Private Boxes :—                  | £  | s. | d. |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------|----|----|-----------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Abberton and Flyford—Miss Rea ...     | 2               | 0  | 0  | Hospital Box ...                  | 4  | 2  | 11 |
| Besford—Mrs. Harris ...               | 0               | 15 | 2  | Smith, Mr. A. W. ...              | 0  | 15 | 4  |
| Birlingham—Miss Duke ...              | 5               | 8  | 10 | Watts, Mr. H. ...                 | 0  | 16 | 0  |
| Bishampton—Mrs. Gurney Coombs ...     | 1               | 11 | 1  | <u>£5 14 3</u>                    |    |    |    |
| Bricklehampton—Miss Stephens ...      | 1               | 14 | 1  | Pershore Town ...                 | 12 | 19 | 5  |
| Broughton—Miss Bourne ...             | 2               | 15 | 6  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Charlton—Miss Ballard ...             | 2               | 2  | 1  | District Boxes ...                | 65 | 10 | 0  |
| Comberton, Great—Miss Carter ...      | 1               | 16 | 7  | Pershore Town ...                 | 12 | 19 | 5  |
| Comberton, Little—Miss Winwood ...    | 3               | 4  | 1  | Private Boxes ...                 | 5  | 14 | 3  |
| Crothorne—Mrs. Cornell ...            | 4               | 3  | 3  | Plough Inn, Elmley—Mrs. Smith ... | 0  | 4  | 6  |
| Defford—Miss Matthews ...             | 3               | 13 | 4  | Crown Inn, Peopleton ...          | 0  | 3  | 0  |
| Eckington—Miss Lewin ...              | 7               | 18 | 5  | Boot Inn, Flyford ...             | 0  | 2  | 4  |
| Elmley Castle—Mrs. Fowler ...         | 3               | 5  | 9  | Pershore Hotels ...               | 5  | 1  | 6  |
| Fladbury—Mrs. Neate ...               | 3               | 18 | 8  | <u>£89 15 0</u>                   |    |    |    |
| Moor—Miss Willis ...                  | 1               | 3  | 1  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Naunton Beauchamp—Miss E. Hunt ...    | 1               | 1  | 6  |                                   |    |    |    |
| North Piddle—Miss Cowley ...          | 0               | 16 | 4  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Pensham—Miss P. Woodward ...          | 0               | 18 | 1  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Peopleton—Miss Allsopp ...            | 1               | 1  | 7  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Pinvin—Miss Palin and Miss Harris ... | 2               | 17 | 11 |                                   |    |    |    |
| Stoulton—Miss Smithin ...             | 1               | 18 | 10 |                                   |    |    |    |
| Throckmorton—Miss Rimell ...          | 0               | 17 | 6  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Upton Snodsbury—Miss Tomlinson ...    | 2               | 15 | 3  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Wadborough—Mrs. Harris (Besford) ...  | 1               | 2  | 10 |                                   |    |    |    |
| White Ladies Aston—Miss Wilks ...     | 0               | 11 | 8  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Wick—Mrs. Hancock ...                 | 2               | 4  | 7  |                                   |    |    |    |
| Wyre—Miss Partington ...              | 3               | 14 | 0  |                                   |    |    |    |
|                                       | <u>£65 10 0</u> |    |    |                                   |    |    |    |

## Maintenance Account, Year ending 31st December, 1928.

| DR.  | RECEIPTS. | £ s. d.  | £ s. d.  |  | EXPENDITURE.  |           | CR.        |
|--|-----------|----------|----------|--|---|-----------|------------|
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           |            |
| To Subscriptions ...   | ...       | 183 9 6  |          |  | By Housekeeping Expenses :-                                 |           |            |
| „ Patients' Payments ...   | ...       | 330 8 9  |          |  | Bread ...   | 34 2 3    |            |
| „ Church Collections ...   | ...       | 44 16 9  |          |  | Meat ...  | 115 19 10 |            |
| „ Queen's Jubilee Fund (2 years) ...   | ...       | 2 5 4    |          |  | Fish ...  | 33 8 4    |            |
| „ Hospital Saturday ...  | ...       | 89 15 0  |          |  | Groceries ...   | 175 12 1  |            |
|  |           |          | 650 16 4 |  | Milk, Butter and eggs ...                                   | 124 10 0  |            |
| „ Dividends, less Tax ...  | ...       | 325 2 6  |          |  | Fruit and Vegetables ...                                    | 34 3 4    |            |
| „ Returned Income Tax (2 years) ...  | ...       | 142 13 0 |          |  | Medical Requisites ...                                      | 2 0 4     |            |
| „ Allen Trust, for Cot ...   | ...       | 30 0 0   |          |  | Laundry ...   | 74 8 11   |            |
| „ Interest on Capital Account ...  | ...       | 6 13 1   |          |  | Wages ...   | 150 0 8   |            |
| „ „ „ Donations Account ...  | ...       | 8 7 7    |          |  | Insurance Stamps ...  | 29 0 10   |            |
|  |           |          | 512 16 2 |  | Fares, carriage, postage & advertisements ...               | 3 10 4    |            |
| „ Donations Account, transfer from ...   | ...       | 150 0 0  |          |  | Repairs and Renewals ...                                    | 8 16 3    |            |
| „ Rent of Garden ...   | ...       | 4 0 0    |          |  | Garden ...  | 14 16 1   |            |
| „ „ „ Allotments ...   | ...       | 15 4 10  |          |  |   |           | 800 9 3    |
| „ „ „ Hockey Ground ...  | ...       | 9 11 9   |          |  | „ Surgical and Medical Requisites ...                       |           | 177 12 11  |
|  |           |          | 178 16 7 |  | „ Salaries ...  | 259 8 8   |            |
| „ Pershore District Nursing Association for<br>Board, Lodging and Laundry (2 nurses) | ...       | 198 0 0  |          |  | „ Additional Nurses ...                                     | 27 18 6   |            |
| „ Cash in Matron's hands, 31st October, 1927   | ...       | 12 0 0   |          |  | „ Uniform ...   | 22 10 0   |            |
| „ Cash in Bank, 31st October, 1927   | ...       | 129 2 11 |          |  |   |           | 309 17 2   |
|  |           |          | 141 2 11 |  | „ Coal, Coke and Wood ...                                   | 133 6 9   |            |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Gas and Electricity ...                                   | 80 4 2    |            |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | 213 10 11  |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Rates and Insurance ...                                   |           | 39 12 10   |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Repairs and Renewals ...                                  | 50 19 0   |            |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Printing and Stationery ...                               | 22 18 2   |            |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | 73 17 2    |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Wireless ...  |           | 4 19 10    |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Telephone ...   | 11 4 2    |            |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Postage and Sundries ...                                  | 6 13 6    |            |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | 17 17 8    |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Auditor's Fee ...   | 2 2 0     |            |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Fee for collecting Patients' Payments,<br>and Postage ... | 2 14 6    |            |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | 4 16 6     |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Cash in Matron's hands, Dec. 31st, 1928...                | 12 0 0    |            |
|  |           |          |          |  | „ Cash in Bank, December 31st, 1928 ...                     | 26 17 9   |            |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | 38 17 9    |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | £1681 12 0 |
|  |           |          |          |  |   |           | £1681 12 0 |

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 Pershore, Worcs.,  
 February 1st, 1929.



### Linen League.

| Dr.                             | RECEIPTS. |  | PAYMENTS.                                 | Cr.       |
|---------------------------------|-----------|--|---|-----------|
|                                 | £ s. d.   |  |   | £ s. d.   |
| To Balance, December 31st, 1927 | 0 4 11½   |  | By Mr. R. C. Edwards                      | 3 14 9    |
| „ Cash collected:               |           |  | „ Mr. H. Moore                            | 7 16 0    |
| per Mrs. Browning               | 9 13 6    |  | „ Mrs. Sparrow                            | 1 3 0     |
| „ Mrs. Gammon                   | 3 9 6     |  | „ Balance in hand, 31st December, 1928... | 0 14 2½   |
|                                 | 13 3 0    |  |   | 13 7 11½  |
|                                 | £13 7 11½ |  |   | £13 7 11½ |

Number of Articles given 49.

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 Pershore, Worcs., 11th February, 1929.

### Convalescents' Fund, 1927—28.

| Dr.                                | RECEIPTS. |  | PAYMENTS.                                  | Cr.     |
|------------------------------------|-----------|--|--|---------|
|                                    | £ s. d.   |  |  | £ s. d. |
| To Balance in Bank, December, 1927 | 21 9 6    |  | By Freda Haines to Malvern Open-air School | 1 0 0   |
| „ Allen Trust Fund                 | 10 0 0    |  | „ Balance at Bank, December, 1928          | 30 9 6  |
|                                    | £31 9 6   |  |  | £31 9 6 |

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 Incorporated Accountant, Auditor.  
 4th February, 1928.



## BYE-LAWS.

1. No person suffering from an infectious or incurable disease can be received into the Hospital.
2. Every patient must bring decent clothing, and a sufficient supply of personal linen. All patients shall have their personal linen properly washed at their own homes or elsewhere at their own expense, so often as the Medical Officer or Matron shall require.
3. Patients' friends shall be allowed to visit them on Sundays and Wednesdays, between the hours of 2.30 and 4.30 o'clock p.m., but on no other day of the week without leave of the Medical Officer or Matron, and not more than three persons can be allowed to visit the same patient in one day.
4. Patients shall strictly observe the hours appointed for all arrangements of the Hospital.
5. No patient shall go beyond the garden without the special leave of the Matron.
6. No male patient shall enter the female wards, and no female shall enter the male wards, without the special permission of the Matron.
7. No smoking shall be allowed within the House, except with the special permission of the Medical Officer.
8. No patient shall use bad language.
9. All patients whom the Medical Officers deem able shall assist in the work of the Hospital.
10. Each patient must strictly obey the directions of the Medical Officers and the Matron on pain of instant dismissal.
11. General visitors shall be admitted on Tuesdays and Fridays, between the hours of 2.30 and 4.30 o'clock p.m.
12. Patients, except in cases of accident or acute illness, shall be admitted only on Mondays and Tuesdays, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 11 a.m.
13. In cases requiring prolonged treatment at the Hospital, patients must apply to the House Committee for their names to be re-entered on the registers after each period of eight weeks.

N.B.—Donors of Letters of Recommendation are requested to make careful enquiries before recommending any patient for admission to the Hospital, that such patient has not been in recent contact with any case of infectious disease.

## PAYMENTS FOR PATIENTS.

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Each Patient or nearest relative will be asked to sign a Form of Admission.

The fees for Patients shall be as follows :—

Patients with a Letter of Recommendation will be charged 10/6 per week.

Private Patients in the General Ward will be charged £2 2s. per week.

Private Patients in a Ward with 2 beds (if available) will be charged £4 4s. per week.

Private Patients in the Private Ward will be charged £4 4s. per week. The above charges for Private Patients do not include the cost of stimulants, dressings, or special nurse if case necessitates. The House Committee have the power to vary these charges.

The charges for Private Patients in either Ward are in addition to their Medical Attendant's usual fees.

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## RULES.

Copies of the Rules of the Institution may be obtained upon application to the Hon. Secretaries.

### List of Gifts and Donors.

Lady Davies  
 Mrs. Gammon  
 Mrs. Fletcher  
 Mrs. Feek  
 Miss Duke  
 Mrs. Mumford  
 Mrs. Browning  
 Mr. Hooper  
 Mr. Grice  
 Miss Lawson  
 Mrs. Browne  
 Mr. Bomford  
 Mrs. Workman  
 Mrs. Ellis Holland  
 Mrs. Neate  
 Mrs. Pitcher  
 Mrs. Smith  
 Mrs. Smyth  
 Mrs. Rusher  
 Mrs. Emerson  
 Miss Woodward  
 Mr. Harrison  
 Mrs. Simpkin  
 Mrs. Clarke  
 Mrs. Askham  
 Col. Hudson  
 Mr. Field

Mr. Boswell  
 Mrs. P. Hall  
 Mrs. A. Smith  
 Mrs. Kennedy  
 Mrs. Clifford  
 Mr. Summerton  
 Mr. D. Gibbs  
 Mr. Coates  
 Mrs. Mayers  
 Mr. Bott  
 Mrs. Taylor  
 Miss H. Flood  
 Mrs. Elkington  
 Miss Handy  
 Mrs. Watkins  
 Mrs. Haines  
 Mrs. Brook  
 Miss Huntington  
 Mrs. Swift  
 Mr. Bick  
 Mrs. Wynne Marriot  
 Mrs. Lees  
 Mr. Blythe  
 Mr. Goodall  
 Mrs. Willis  
 Miss Wagstaff  
 Mrs. Cholmondeley

Mrs. Whitaker  
 Mrs. Knox  
 Mr. Collett  
 Mrs. Grinnell  
 Mrs. D. Bell  
 Mrs. Beard  
 Mr. A. Smith  
 Mrs. Woodward

Birlingham  
 Defford  
 Pershore  
 Pinvin  
 Little Comberton  
 Great Comberton  
 Wick  
 Flyford Flavel  
 Bishampton  
 Throckmorton

Harvest Festivals.

From Miss Wyley's  
 School Children  
 „ Moor, per Mrs.  
 Workman  
 „ Pershore Sunday  
 School, per Miss  
 Handy

Gifts of Fruit, Vegetables, Eggs Periodicals and Linen.

## LADY VISITORS.

THE Committee meet on the second Wednesday in February, May, August, and November, except when the second Wednesday in February is Ash Wednesday, in which case the meeting is held on the following Wednesday.

The House Committee meet on the same days as the Committee, and upon the second Wednesday in every month. Notices of the meetings are sent to the members by the Secretaries.

The Lady Visitors visit the Hospital week by week.

|                              |                                 |                                   |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Mrs. Derrington Bell, Wick   | Mrs. Fletcher, Eckington        | Mrs. S. G. Parkes, Pinvin         |
| Mrs. Brown, Gt. Comberton    | Mrs. Gammon, Pershore           | Mrs. E. Pitcher, Little Comberton |
| Mrs. Browning, Pershore      | Miss Hanford-Flood, Woollas     | Mrs. H. C. M. Porter, Birlingham  |
| Miss Checketts, Birlingham   | Hall                            | Mrs. Rusher, Pershore             |
| Mrs. Cholmondeley, Eckington | Mrs. Ellis Holland, Crophorne   | Mrs. Smyth Fladbury               |
| Mrs. Clifford, Pershore      | Miss Huntington, Bricklehampton | Mrs. Swift, Crophorne             |
| Lady Davies, Elmley Castle   | Mrs. Kennedy, Pershore          | Mrs. Taylor, Birlingham           |
| Miss Dowson, Lower Hill      | Miss Lawson, Pershore           | Miss Wagstaffe, Wyre              |
| Miss Duke, Birlingham        | Mrs. Lees, Pershore             | Mrs. G. Whitaker, Caldwell        |
| Mrs. Elkington, Pershore     | Mrs. Wynne-Marriott, Avon Bank  | Mrs. Whiteley, Pershore           |
| Mrs. Farncombe, Wick         | Mrs. R. H. Murray, Pershore     | Mrs. Willis, Defford              |
| Mrs. A. J. Feek, Pershore    |                                 | Miss Woodward, Pershore           |

## FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to the Pershore Cottage Hospital and Nursing Home the sum of .....  
and I declare that the receipts of the Hon. Treasurer for the time being shall be a sufficient discharge for the same, and I direct the same legacy to be paid out of my personal estate, applicable by law, to the payment of Charitable Bequests.

