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ANNUAL REPORT**

For the Year ended 31st December, 1946

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Royal Manchester Children's Hospital

PENDLEBURY

118 YEARS OF SERVICE

THE Royal Manchester Children's Hospital had a very modest beginning, though it is believed to have been the first General Hospital for Children in the British Isles.

It was founded in 1829, by several benevolent men, among whom was a physician, Dr. John Alexander, a 30 year old surgeon, Walter Barton Stott, and Daniel Grant, one of the Cheeryble brothers immortalised by Charles Dickens, when a small dispensary was established in Back King Street, Manchester, for the free treatment of sick children. Though resources were strictly limited, the income barely reaching £60 a year, upwards of 1,500 cases were treated annually, without any change of organisation, until the year 1852.

In that year a new era in the history of the Institution commenced when a small Hospital, with accommodation for six patients, was established in North Parade for the treatment of urgent cases; a venture which proved so successful that in 1858 it was decided to transfer the Hospital to Bridge Street, where there was accommodation for 25 beds. Ten years later, in 1868, a suitable building was erected in Gartside Street for Out patients, and soon the two establishments were dealing with 350 In patients and 7,000 Out patients annually.

By 1870 the scope and importance of the Hospital was such as to permit of the consideration of still more ambitious plans. This year six acres of land were bought in Pendlebury, on a "bright and airy hillside," and the first portion of the present Hospital to be erected was opened in 1873 with 84 beds.

There were obvious advantages in selecting Pendlebury as a suitable site, though at the time many disagreed with the proposal to place the Hospital at so great a distance as four miles from the city simply to give patients the benefit of more pleasant surroundings.

The completion of the original plans took place in 1878 and, with subsequent extensions, accommodation was thus increased to 180 beds.

It is interesting to note, in passing, that after examining the plans about this time, Florence Nightingale thought that the Hospital must be one of the best constructed in Europe.

A notable addition to the scope of the Hospital was made in 1897, when the Convalescent Home at St. Annes-on-Sea was opened with accommodation for 30 children.

In 1907, a new Out patients Department was established in Gartside Street, on the original site, at a cost of £32,000, to which extensions were added in 1922.

The value of the Hospital's work received well deserved recognition in 1923, when its title was altered, by Royal Command, to the Royal Manchester Children's Hospital.

In 1924 a new Nurses' Home was built to which a large extension was made in 1937. This separate building in the Hospital grounds provides very modern accommodation for the Nursing Staff. Each Nurse has her own bedroom, and there is a large recreation room where a Nurse may entertain her own friends on occasion.

Two other additions within recent years, which have enabled the Hospital to increase its already notable services, are the Zachary Merton Convalescent Home, in 1936, with accommodation for 40 semi-convalescent children, and the Isolation Block in 1937, with 12 beds, making the present total number of beds available 262.

A Preliminary Training School for Nurses was established in 1943.

The number of Patients admitted to Hospital, and attending the Out Patients' Department in 1946, make an interesting comparison with the figures for 1868, viz. :—

	1868	1946
In patients	350	3,538
Out patients Attendances ..	7,000	82,353

The aim of the Hospital now, as in 1829, is to give sick children the best medical and nursing treatment and every possible means is employed to ensure their safe and speedy return to normal life.

In all the years of its existence, the Hospital has trained thousands of Sick Children's Nurses, and has provided instruction to a great many Medical Students.

A walk through the wards of the Hospital will convince the reader of the importance and essential nature of the work we have been doing for so long. It is the intention of the Board of Governors to continue to make every effort to provide the finest possible service for sick children, and they are ready to co-operate fully with all agencies concerned in any new scheme of re-organisation of medical services.

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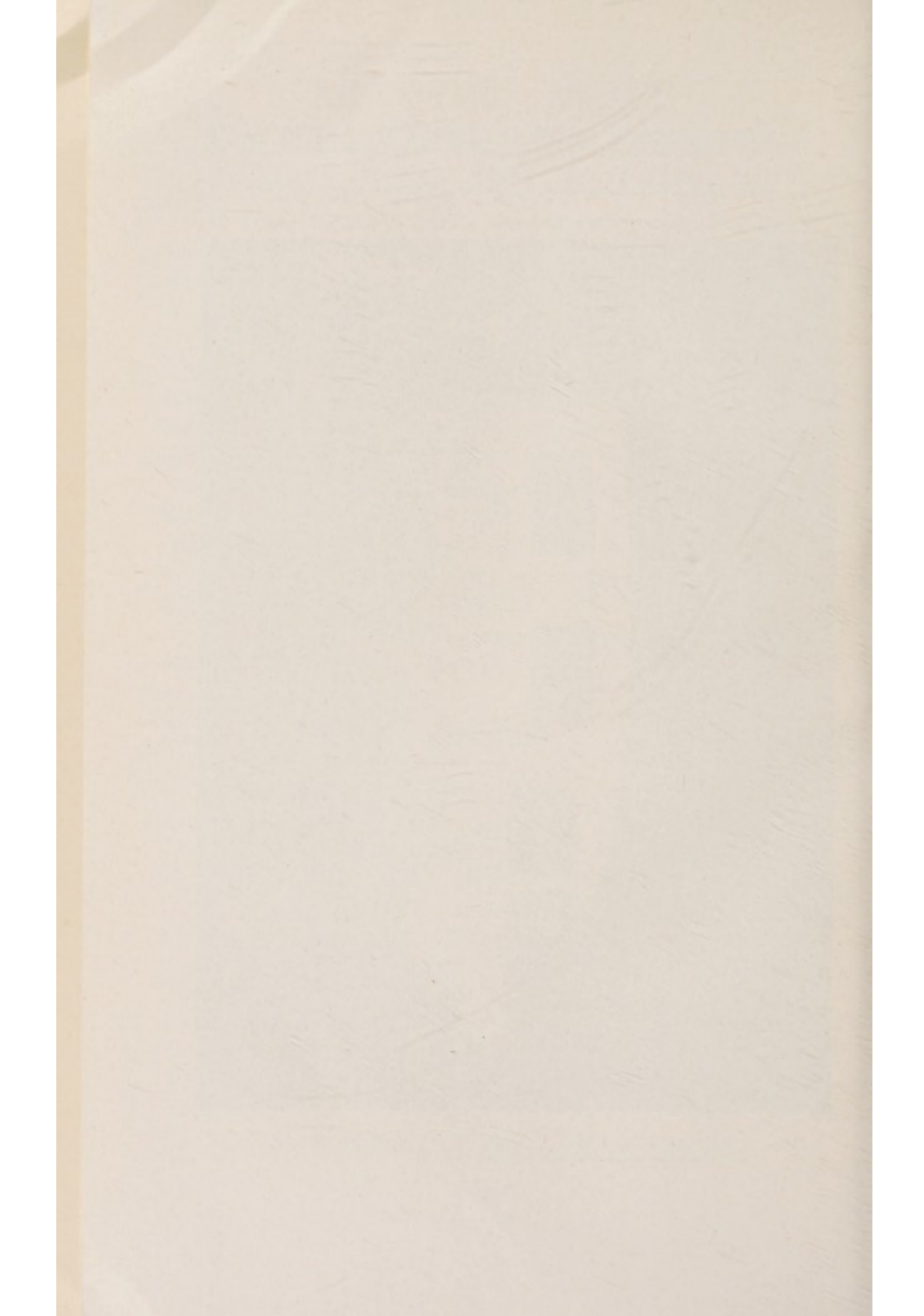
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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 1947

The One Hundred and Eighteenth Annual General Meeting of the Governors, Subscribers and Friends of the Hospital was held on Monday, March 24th, 1947, at 3-30 p.m. in the Recreation Room of the Nurses' Home at the Hospital.

The Lord Mayor of Manchester (Alderman T. H. Adams, J.P.) presided, and he was supported by the Lady Mayoress, Professor Sir Leonard Parsons, M.D., F.R.C.P., F.R.C.O.G., Professor Robert Platt, M.D., F.R.C.P., Mr. Charles Swinglehurst, O.B.E., M.A. (Chairman of the Manchester & Salford Hospital Saturday & Convalescent Homes Fund), Mr. F. S. Stancliffe, B.A. (Chairman of the Board of Governors); Mr. R. J. Garrard (Vice-Chairman); Mr. James Sillavan (Hon. Secretary); The Hon. H. Con. Smith, J.P. (Hon. Treasurer); and Dr. John F. Ward (Chairman of the Medical Board).

Other members of the Board and Medical Board present were :— Dr. H. T. Ashby, Mr. C. A. Bickmore, Mr. N. W. Bolton, Mr. C. W. E. Cary, Mrs. F. Cavanagh, Dr. H. W. Dalton, Dr. T. N. Fisher, Mr. C. T. Gerrard, Mr. A. Grayson, Mr. C. F. Harwood, Mr. J. M. Hollis, Mr. A. L. Kenyon, Dr. C. P. Lapage, Mr. J. F. Linney, Sir Kenneth D. Stewart, Mr. W. E. Thompson, Dr. M. L. Thomson, Mr. Neville A. J. Young and about 150 Subscribers and Friends.

The notice convening the meeting was taken as read.

The Hon. Secretary referred to letters of apology from Subscribers and Friends who were unable to attend.

It was unanimously agreed to send a telegram of greetings and friendship to The Right Hon. Lord Derby from all present at the Meeting.

The Minutes of the last Annual General Meeting held on March 18th, 1946, as printed in the previous Annual Report, were taken as read.

Mr. James Sillavan (Hon. Secretary) presented the General Report.

The Hon. H. Con. Smith presented the Statement of Accounts.

Dr. J. F. Ward presented the Report of the Medical Board.

At this stage in the proceedings, the Lord Mayor of Manchester addressed the meeting, drawing attention to the importance of this

Hospital. He stated, in reference to the new Health Service, that if ever there was a time when everyone should pull together, that time was now.

On moving the adoption of the Annual Report, Mr. F. S. Stancliffe gave an outline of the structure of the National Health Service Act in so far as it affected Hospitals generally, and this Hospital in particular. It was essential, he said, that voluntary effort and local interest should not now be curtailed. The challenge was for a continuance of voluntary work in the Health Service of the future, when the scope would be as wide as it had been in the past. It was the duty of the present Voluntary Hospitals to extend the spirit of the old Voluntary System throughout the new Hospital Service.

FIRST RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. F. S. Stancliffe, B.A., Chairman of the Board, seconded by Mr. R. J. Garrard, Vice-Chairman, and resolved unanimously :—

“ That the Reports of the Board of Governors, Hon. Treasurer, and the Medical Board, be adopted, and that in the opinion of this Meeting there is an urgent call, not only for the retention of voluntary assistance and local interest in the management of what are now voluntary hospitals, but for their extension throughout the Hospital Service under the new National Health Scheme.”

Sir Leonard Parsons, on being invited to address the meeting, recalled that the names of “ Pendlebury ” and “ Ashby ” were among his earliest recollections of Children’s Hospitals, and indicated his appreciation of the views expressed in the Report of the Board of Governors relative to the National Health Service Act. He then proceeded to give an interesting survey of the work of the Pædiatric Committee of the Royal College of Physicians, and of the recommendations contained in their Report published in October, 1946.

SECOND RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. Charles Swinglehurst, O.B.E., M.A., seconded by Dr. Catherine Chisholm, C.B.E., of the Duchess of York Hospital for Babies, Manchester, and resolved unanimously :—

“ That the following Gentlemen and Firms be elected to office.

Vice-Presidents :

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Alan V. Sugden, J.P.

James Sillavan

G. A. T. Tuchet-Jesson, M.B.E.

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Honorary Secretary : James Sillavan.

- Honorary Solicitors :* Messrs. Sale, Lingards & Co.
Honorary Auditors : Messrs. Halliday, Pearson & Co., Chartered Accountants.
Board of Governors : The re-election of all Members of the Board of Governors to serve for a period of three years or until relieved of responsibility by the implementation of the National Health Service Act."

THIRD RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. J. M. Hollis, seconded by Mr. C. T. Gerrard, Chairman of the House Committee, and resolved unanimously :—

"That the hearty thanks of this meeting be accorded to the Members of the Ladies' Council and the District Committees for their valuable services during the year."

FOURTH RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. C. W. E. Cary, M.B.E., B.Sc., seconded by Mr. C. F. Harwood, M.C., and resolved unanimously :—

"That the thanks of this meeting be accorded to the Honorary Medical Staff and Salaried Staff of the Hospital and its Branches for their valuable services during the year."

FIFTH RESOLUTION :

Moved by Dr. John F. Ward, Chairman of the Medical Board, seconded, by Dr. Hugh T. Ashby, and resolved unanimously :—

"That a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to Professor Sir Leonard Parsons for his attendance and interesting address."

SIXTH RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. J. F. Linney, seconded by Mr. W. E. Thompson, F.C.A., and resolved unanimously :—

"That the best thanks of this Meeting be accorded to the Lord Mayor for presiding."

ROYAL MANCHESTER CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
PENDLEBURY

118th Annual Report

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1946

This has been a momentous year in the history of the Voluntary Hospitals. The National Health Service Bill, about which there has been so much anxious speculation, received the Royal Assent on 6th November, 1946, and is now an Act of Parliament.

The friends and supporters of Pendlebury will, we feel, be interested to be briefly informed as to the manner in which our Hospital will be controlled, managed and financed in the future.

The Minister of Health is to be responsible for the whole Health Service of England and Wales.

All existing Hospitals, voluntary and otherwise, will be taken over by the State, and the Voluntary System, as we have known it, is no more.

This does not mean, however, that the Voluntary Hospitals will immediately cease to exist, for the State will not take over until what is known as the Appointed Day, which has been fixed as 1st April, 1948. Until that day, therefore, the Voluntary System continues to exist and Pendlebury needs your support more than ever.

During the passage of the Bill through Parliament, with devoted champions of the Voluntary System contesting every step of the way, many important concessions were obtained and valuable alterations made before the Bill finally became law. The shadow of remote and impersonal control has largely been removed, nor does the same fear exist that there will be any serious loss of that personal interest in a particular Hospital which has been, for so many years, the peculiar pride of localities and a strong spur to local patriotism. This will depend however to a great extent on whether there is any change of attitude in our friends and subscribers.

Pendlebury will still be Pendlebury, the opportunity to serve it will continue to exist as in the past 118 years, and the management of the Hospital will remain in local hands. The Minister has stated that Management Committees are the vital element in the administration; these Committees will have the duty of controlling and managing their individual Hospital, or group of Hospitals, and will be composed of local people with local knowledge. Furthermore, Management Committees will possess legal corporate identity which means many things of value into which it is perhaps not necessary to enter here.

The Management Committees will be under the control of Regional Boards on which it is hoped that the Voluntary Hospitals will be represented by men of wide experience in the Voluntary Hospital world. The Regional Boards are under an obligation to consult with the present governing bodies of each of the Voluntary Hospitals concerned. This will be of inestimable value in the interests of

Patients and Staff, and will help to keep alive in the future, the incentive to serve that has existed in the past under the Voluntary System.

All Voluntary Hospitals are still to be allowed to conduct Medical Research, a most valuable concession. The Voluntary Hospitals have chiefly been responsible for Research in the past, and it has been this stimulus to original thought that has attracted to them the best Medical men.

Voluntary Hospitals will continue to exercise control over the spending of moneys in their Hospitals, and, when their budgets have been agreed, will receive lump sum payments for the expenditure of which they will be responsible.

On the Appointed Day the capital assets of Voluntary (non-teaching) Hospitals will be transferred to a national pool, the Hospital Endowment Fund, and from this Fund the Minister will redistribute to the Management Committees. The amount of each share will be in the Minister's discretion, but Management Committees will have full discretion in the expenditure of the money they receive, subject to the observance of trusts, and the managing body of any Hospital will be free to assess its own needs and priorities and to create and possess a nucleus for the purpose of improvements, renovations, and Research.

The Hospital Endowment Fund moneys will not be taken by the Treasury nor offset against Treasury payments, but will form discretionary funds to be reallocated once and for all on the day when the State takes over and it is intended that the observance of particular conditions, designed to preserve the memory of any person, or class of persons, shall not be prejudiced.

Perhaps the most important of all concessions obtained is that all gifts made to a particular hospital after 6th November, 1946, will not be pooled, but will be transferred to the appropriate Management Committees concerned, provided they are made upon trusts which provide capital funds (apart from the general funds of the Hospital) for specific objects involving expense of a capital nature.

It will not be necessary to make gifts for general maintenance as this will be provided by the State, but as the new National Health Service will by no means cover all requirements, there will be every opportunity for the public-spirited and benevolent-minded to assist and endow the Hospital of their choice. This will enable a particular Hospital to make exceptional and original contributions, in Research and in other ways, to the welfare of the National Health.

In the words of the British Hospitals Association, "Parliament has required the Act to provide that any gift made to a particular Hospital after the day the new service comes into operation may be retained by the receiving Hospital and applied in accordance with the wishes of the giver."

It follows then that ample scope is provided for the development of that public and individual interest which has always enriched and

distinguished the Voluntary Hospitals, and again to quote the words of the British Hospitals Association, "The Service will derive much of its vitality and its humanity from the extent to which the public continues to give its interest and support."

All that now remains to be said on this subject is to repeat that though the Voluntary System will pass away on the Appointed Day, the spirit which has made the Voluntary Hospitals the pride of our Country and the envy of the outside world need never die, but can look forward to renewed life and fresh inspiration. "The old order changeth, yielding place to new," and let us hope to better ways.

Compassion is no longer enough. Voluntary service has failed to meet the need fully, and a new system comes into existence. We who have been connected with the old way of thought are able, with the aid of our experience, to assist in launching the new system, and putting personal feelings aside, must ensure its success from the start.

At the same time, we would be less than human if we did not own to some fleeting regret at the passing of a system which, in spite of its obvious handicaps, has served the country well, and taught so much to so many.

The great defect of the voluntary system was that whereas all could avail themselves of its services, none were bound to contribute in money or in service unless they so desired, and in consequence the Voluntary Hospitals were always short of money. They would not, in fact, have been able to keep going at all during the past 20 years had it not been for the outstanding help of the great Contributory Schemes, whose magnificent record of ever-increasing support has been the means of saving the Voluntary Hospitals from disaster.

The system changes but the objective remains the same. The patient's interest will continue to come first as before, and we must hope that with the coming of the new way there will be a growing realisation that after all, disease is a thing of which we should be ashamed; and that positive health is the birth-right of every child, not merely a pious aspiration.

CHILD HEALTH INSTITUTE

We are glad to be able to say that since our last report considerable progress has been made along the road to positive health and it may well be that before these lines are printed, an appointment will have been made to the Chair of Child Health at the University of Manchester.

It will be remembered that an unconditional gift of £5,000 was made by the Board of this Hospital towards the foundation of the Chair and a similar sum spread over five years was contributed by the Manchester and Salford Hospital Saturday and Convalescent Homes Fund Incorporated.

Generous acknowledgment of these gifts is made in the Annual Report of the Joint Hospitals Advisory Board.

It is interesting to note also that the Local Authorities have promised to contribute a total sum of £3,500 per annum for five years

towards the cost of the Chair and it has been stated that the remainder of the cost will be found by the University from other sources.

We are glad to think that the great ideal we have had in mind so long is at last within sight, and may perhaps be permitted to feel a modest pride in our own share in its birth and formation.

PAEDIATRIC COMMITTEE

During the past year there has appeared the Final Report of this Committee which was set up in 1943 by the Royal College of Physicians of London, to inquire into Undergraduate and Postgraduate Education in the subject of Infant Hygiene and the Diseases of Children, and to make recommendations concerning this branch of medical practice in the future.

Not the least interesting feature of this important document is the Committee's endorsement of the earlier recommendation of the College Planning Committee that Pædiatrics should be regarded as a major clinical subject. Our friends and supporters will be glad to know that Professor Sir Leonard Parsons of Birmingham, who was Vice-Chairman of the Pædiatric Committee, has accepted our invitation to be present at our Annual General Meeting in order to tell us something of the work of his Committee.

DEATHS

We have to record with great regret the death in March last of our colleague and friend, Lady Stewart, after a long illness patiently and heroically borne. In the devoted company of her husband she had rendered great service to the Hospital and particularly to the Convalescent Home at St. Annes, of the Committee of which she was latterly Chairman. Her cheerful and friendly presence at our meetings is greatly missed, and we send our sincere sympathy to her husband and all the members of her family.

BOARD OF GOVERNORS

To fill the vacancy created by the death of Lady Stewart, Mrs. A. Pemberton Wood has been elected to the Board of Governors. Mrs. Pemberton Wood is a friend of long standing, and her useful labours on the Ladies' Council, of which she is a prominent member, are gratefully remembered.

We offer our sincere congratulations to Mr. R. J. Garrard, Vice-Chairman of the Board of Governors, on his recovery from a serious illness.

HONORARY AND SALARIED MEDICAL STAFF

In order to regularise the position occasioned by the War years, during which no permanent appointments to the Honorary Staff could be made, and in view of pending retirements under the age limit, an election took place in November last at which the following appointments were made :—

Honorary Physicians

Dr. T. Norman Fisher, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.P., D.P.H.

Dr. Magnus L. Thomson, M.A., M.D., Ch.B., M.R.C.P.

Honorary Surgeon

Mr. A. L. Kenyon, B.Sc., M.B., Ch.B., F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.

Honorary Assistant Physician

Dr. George M. Komrower, M.B., Ch.B., M.R.C.P.

Honorary Assistant Surgeons

Mr. Hans M. Goldberg, M.B., B.S., F.R.C.S.

Mr. Herbert A. Haxton, B.Sc., M.D., Ch.M., F.R.C.S.

Honorary Assistant Aural Surgeon

Mrs. Florence Cavanagh, B.Sc., M.B., B.S., D.L.O.

HONORARY PSYCHIATRIST

During the past year, Dr. W. Mary Burbury was elected Honorary Psychiatrist in succession to Dr. Hughes, who has resigned her appointment. We take this opportunity of thanking Dr. Hughes for her most valuable services to the Hospital for some time before the War and during the War years.

MR. R. W. WYSE

We take this opportunity of offering our thanks to Mr. Wyse for his valuable services to the Hospital during the War years. Mr. Wyse is now serving with H.M. Forces ; perhaps at some future date it may be possible for him to return to Pendlebury.

DR. OGILVIE M. DUTHIE

Dr. Ogilvie M. Duthie, on his appointment as Reader in Ophthalmology to the University of Manchester, has felt obliged to resign his appointment as Consulting Ophthalmic Surgeon. By the unanimous wish of his colleagues, he has been appointed Honorary Consulting Ophthalmic Surgeon.

DR. J. F. O'GRADY

We have great pleasure in recording that Dr. J. F. O'Grady has been appointed Honorary Colonel to the 42nd (East Lancashire) Division, Royal Army Medical Corps, and congratulate him on an honour which has given great pleasure to all his colleagues and friends.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Each year it is our pleasing task to thank all members of the Honorary and Salaried Medical Staff for their excellent help and valuable services during the past year, a task made all the more pleasing by the fact that relations between lay and medical continue to be of the cordial and friendly nature that we have come to regard as natural at Pendlebury.

PATHOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT

The work of this Department under Dr. H. W. Dalton and his Staff continues to expand in volume and in usefulness to the Hospital. Certain improvements have been carried out during the year, and if these improvements have not been to the full extent that would seem desirable, this is due to the limits imposed by finance and the necessity for sharing equally such benefits as have been within our resources.

DISPENSARY AND OUT-PATIENTS' DEPARTMENT

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Read, respectively Porter and Caretaker at

Gartside Street, have gone into retirement on pension, after 35 years and 29 years faithful and honourable service to the Hospital. Our best wishes for their future happiness go with them after this splendid record of loyal and devoted service.

SPEECH CLINIC

The number of new patients seen during the year was 168, and the attendances 1,385. These figures reveal that the Clinic continues to serve a wide social need despite the appointment of Speech Therapists in many districts. The co-operation with head teachers, speech therapists and social workers of all kinds continues on the excellent basis of previous years.

Clinics are now held three times a week, thus affording more frequent treatments and a choice of days for working parents. These arrangements have proved very beneficial.

The Board place on record their deep appreciation of the services rendered by the Hon. Director of the Speech Clinic, Mr. W. Hodgkins, M.A., and his Staff, and to Dr. E. P. Whitaker, Senior Medical Officer, for his co-operation.

ALMONER'S DEPARTMENT

The volume of work in the Almoner's Department has increased considerably during the past year, both at Pendlebury and at Gartside Street, and much valuable assistance continues to be rendered in the sphere of social service.

The importance of this work lies largely in ensuring that patients enjoy those favourable home conditions so necessary if full benefit is to be obtained from the medical and surgical treatment given in hospital: to this end an increased number of home visits and provision of clothing, bedding and extra nourishment has taken place during the past year.

SEASIDE HOME

The partial removal of some of the restrictions on travel has enabled members of the Committee to visit the Home more frequently than was the case during the War years. We record elsewhere increasing support from the district of Lytham St. Annes, and take this opportunity of expressing a special word of thanks to all concerned.

ZACHARY MERTON HOME

The Home continues to serve its extremely useful purpose, though it has not been possible during 1946 to use it at full capacity, owing to the fact that we have not so far been able to provide alternative accommodation for the Preliminary Training School for Nurses. Permission has been obtained to carry out certain improvements designed to protect the ends of the balcony from easterly and westerly winds, and thus enable the balcony to be more comfortable for patients sleeping and resting out-of-doors.

NURSING

The Nursing Committee has met at frequent and regular intervals and all matters connected with the welfare of the Nursing Staff have

received consideration. Nursing Staff accommodation is a problem of the first magnitude, the solution to which has not yet been found.

Owing to the recommendations of the Horder and Rushcliffe Reports in the light of which the Block system of training and a Preliminary Training School for Nurses have been introduced with very satisfactory results: owing also to some reduction in the hours of duty, a considerable increase of Nursing Staff has been necessary. Finance, shortage of labour, and the difficulty of obtaining licences, have all combined to prevent the solution of a problem to which earnest consideration continues to be given.

The accommodation for Nursing Mothers has been greatly improved during the past year by the provision and furnishing of seven bedrooms and a sitting room.

It has not yet been possible to proceed with the plans for the Nurses' Training Block, but application has been made for a licence to build.

Sisters' and Nurses' Representative Councils continue to meet regularly and the Student Nurses' Association is active and flourishing. A Pendlebury-trained Nurses' League has been formed with the desirable object of keeping alive the Hospital traditions and comradeship.

X-RAY DEPARTMENT

On the recommendation of a special Sub-Committee appointed to inquire into the X-Ray facilities at the Hospital, the Board of Governors have approved the purchase of a Westinghouse 200 milliamper. Combination Diagnostic and Fluoroscopic X-Ray Unit and accessories, at a cost of £2,000. This additional equipment, being capable of carrying out all types of X-ray examinations, together with the existing portable unit for use on the wards in special cases, will substantially increase the efficiency of the X-Ray services.

CATERING

It is too much to hope that perfection can ever be reached in the feeding of any community, but efforts have been constantly directed towards improvement, and a considerable measure of success can be recorded. New heating ovens, steamers, a boiling plate and hot water boiler have been installed during the past year, and the subject of Catering generally continues to receive the special care and attention of the Catering Sub-Committee.

THE LADIES' COUNCIL

We have long ceased to be able to find new words with which to express our gratitude to the Members of this Council, who have, for many years past, contributed so greatly by their labours to the funds of our Hospital. In our last Report we referred especially to their work during the War years but the difficulties of housewives and mothers have not ended with the coming of peace. On the contrary, it is certain that in many directions their troubles have increased rather than diminished, so that it is with a sense of amazement as well

as pride that we report that the Fund has contributed the sum of £3,179 0s. 6d. during the year 1946.

How this has been managed we do not dare to ask ; all we know is that it has been done, and to one and all we tender our grateful thanks.

GENERAL ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

We have to acknowledge with gratitude the invaluable help given to the Hospital by Messrs. Sale, Lingards & Co., Honorary Solicitors, and to Messrs. Halliday, Pearson & Co., Honorary Auditors.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS TO STAFF

A sincere expression of thanks is due to all Members of the Salaried Staff, whether Administrative or Nursing, at Pendlebury, Gartside Street and St. Annes, for their splendid services during the past year. Pendlebury is indeed fortunate in having a staff whose loyalty and devotion to their Hospital can be counted upon in every emergency.

MANCHESTER AND SALFORD HOSPITAL SATURDAY AND CONVALESCENT HOMES FUND

As in past years we have to record our undying gratitude to the Members of this Fund, without whose constant and increasing support this Hospital could not have carried on.

The Saturday Fund is an integral part of the great Voluntary System and it would be a tragedy if so vital a movement from which every one of its members has derived great moral and spiritual benefits, in addition to the great financial benefits they have bestowed, should ever cease to exist. We are glad to know however, that under the Fund's indefatigable Chairman, Mr. Charles Swinglehurst, O.B.E., M.A., every effort is being directed towards the continuance of the great work for the relief of suffering.

MANCHESTER AND SALFORD MEDICAL CHARITIES

The annual contribution and proceeds for Alexandra Day amounted to £642 10s. 6d. Whatever may be the outcome of the new way of things, the past will be gratefully remembered and is hereby acknowledged with sincere heartfelt thanks and deep appreciation.

FINANCE

Friends and supporters will not have failed to notice that the word " Finance " has acquired an increasing significance in every activity of the past year, and we feel we cannot conclude this Report without a further word on the subject.

Until the Appointed Day the Hospital continues to be dependent for its income on voluntary contributions, on patients' payments, on income from investments, on payment for work done, on grants from the Contributory Schemes, and on payments from other charitable sources.

During the past year the salaries and wages of Administrative and Nursing Staffs, Pharmacists, Almoners, Physiotherapists, Radiographers, Gardeners, Boilermen, Porters, Domestic Helpers, Care-takers, the salaries, in fact, of every grade and description of Hospital worker, have been substantially raised by recommendations of

Government-sponsored bodies endorsed in every case by our own British Hospitals Association. We make no comment beyond saying that the total of these increases reaches a quite formidable sum in the case of each and every hospital, and continues to cause great concern to those responsible for hospital finances.

A perusal of our accounts will reveal the mass effect of these increases on the Hospital's finances, an effect which will gain in intensity until the Appointed Day, by which time, owing to the increased cost of almost everything else, our free legacies will probably have been exhausted, leaving a substantial deficit in addition.

Further comment seems superfluous, but to all who for long years have regularly supported us with their gifts, with their labours, and with their money, we extend our abiding and heartfelt thanks. We ask them at the same time to see us through to the end and not to withdraw their financial support until such time as we are actually taken over by the State. Most important of all, we earnestly ask that they will not even then withdraw their personal interest in us: for though we shall remain a hospital, the vital spark will be extinguished if we lack the love and interest which for the past 118 years has made Pendlebury the place of which we are so justly proud to-day.

The receipt of the following Legacies is gratefully acknowledged:—

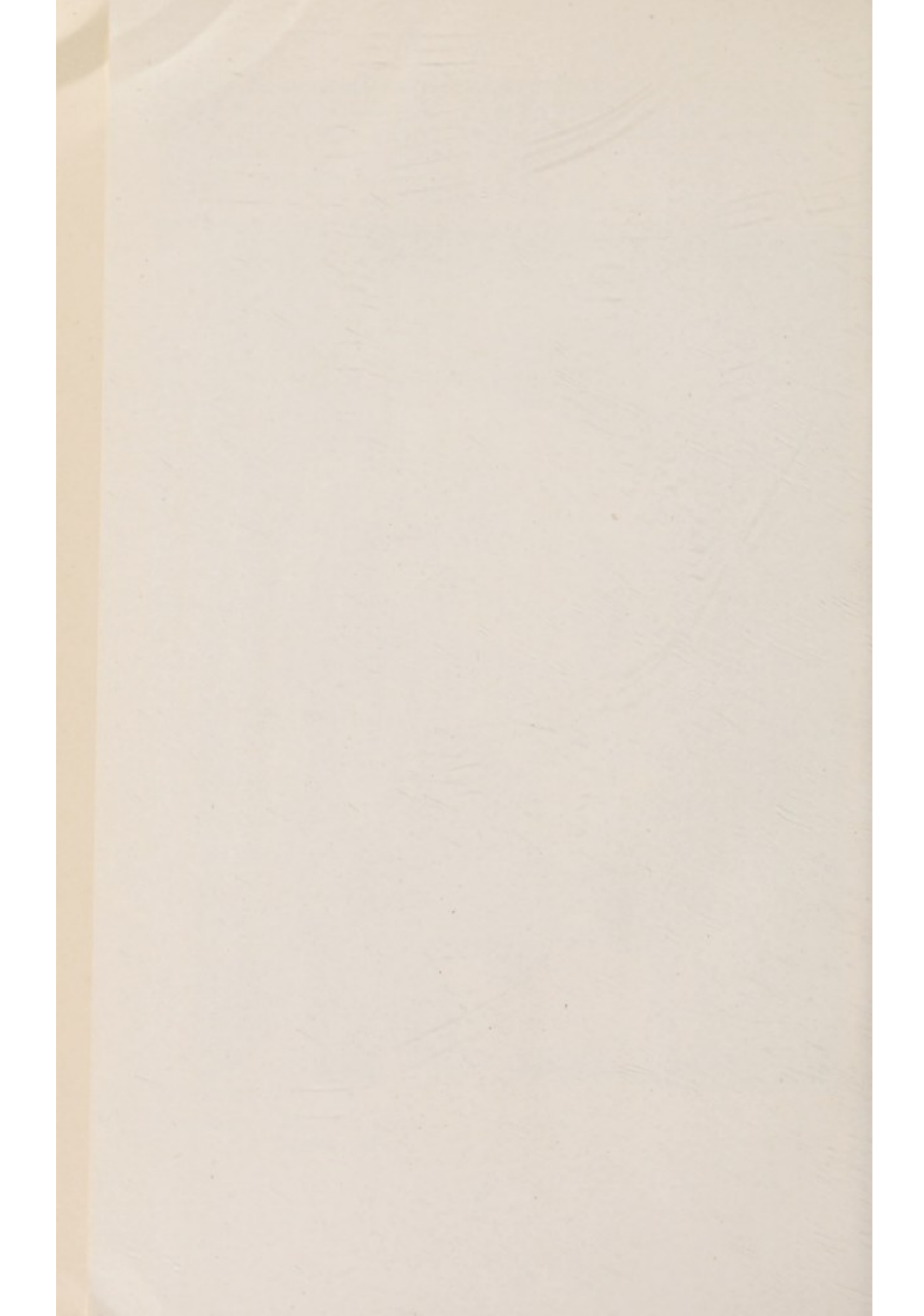
Free Legacies

	£	s.	d.
Executors of Helena Harris	7,803	19	10
„ Eleanor Owen	5,813	19	11
„ Lily Ann Howard	2,204	0	0
„ William Robinson	1,509	3	3
„ William Buckley	1,000	0	0
„ Margaret Eyton	847	4	6
„ Emily Kelsall (further payment) ..	809	14	6
„ Fanny Morris Eyton	753	12	1
„ John Pike	522	2	6
„ E. J. Cook (further payment) ..	446	10	2
„ Maggie Hulme	263	0	1
„ Harriet Mundy (further payment) ..	225	0	0
„ Henry O'Leary	221	10	8
„ James Buckley	100	0	0
„ Frances Garnett	100	0	0
„ Dorlinda Ann Twemlow (further payment)	83	10	0
„ Henry Broderick (further payment) ..	50	0	0
„ Mary Clarissa Carter	25	0	0
„ Lionel Nahum	15	0	0
„ John Summers		17	2
	£22,794	4	8

Investments Received

	£	s.	d.
Executors of John Summers	1,721	0	0
„ Harriet Mundy	750	0	0
	£2,471	1	0





REPORT OF THE MEDICAL BOARD

FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1946

*To the Board of Governors of the
Royal Manchester Children's Hospital*

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

The past year has been marked by important changes in the Medical and Surgical Staff of the Hospital.

The Board welcomes the appointment of Dr. T. N. Fisher and Dr. M. L. Thomson as Visiting Physicians and of Dr. George Komrower as Assistant Visiting Physician, of Mr. A. L. Kenyon as Visiting Surgeon and Messrs. H. A. Haxton and H. M. Goldberg as Assistant Visiting Surgeons, also of Dr. Florence Cavanagh as Assistant Aural Surgeon. The extension of their period of office as Visiting Physicians of Dr. Lapage and Dr. Ashby pending the commencement of duty of Dr. Komrower is also appreciated.

The Board is pleased that the services of Dr. W. Mary Burbury are again available for the diagnosis of psychiatric cases, and welcomes her again as a colleague.

The work in the Hospital and at the Out-patients' Department has continued to its utmost capacity. The construction of cubicles in Victoria Ward is now in progress but the Board regrets that delays in the work have caused the ward to be closed for so long a time. The beds and cots are urgently needed and it is hoped that it may not be long before the Hospital can again work with its full complement of beds and nursing staff. There is special need for cots for young babies and as babies require more nursing attention than older children, it has become an urgent matter to provide accommodation for nurses to meet this demand.

The extension of the Pathological Department has given satisfaction to the Medical Staff, as it offers opportunities for research work in addition to routine examinations.

The Board also welcomes the purchase of new X-Ray apparatus which should enable a considerable increase to be made in this very important means of investigating disease.

The Medical Board thanks the Resident Medical Staff, the Nursing Staff, Staff of the Massage and Physio-therapy Department, Pharmacy Department, and all others who have helped to carry on the work of the Hospital and Dispensary during the year.

JOHN F. WARD,

Chairman of the Medical Board.

IN-PATIENTS' STATISTICAL TABLES

	Hospital	Zachary Merton Home	Sea-side Home
1. BEDS (a) Normal Complement	192	40	30
(b) Complement at 31st December, 1946	192	25	30
(c) Average Daily Complement for 1946.	192	25	30
(d) Government Emergency Beds for year	—	—	—
(e) Average daily number of beds closed during the year on account of Repairs, Annual Cleaning, or Infection	23.135	1.281	3.395
(f) Average daily number of beds open during the year	168.865	23.719	26.605
(g) Average daily number occupied during the year	143.862	19.668	22.627
2. Number of Patients at 1st Jan., 1946	132	21	24
3. Number of Patients admitted during the year..	3538	332	393
4. Number of Patients at 31st Dec., 1946	111	20	23
5. Average number of days each patient was resident	14.754	21.737	20.962

Expenditure on In-Patients, average cost of each Patient per day and per week, and average total cost of each Patient

	Expenditure	Average cost of each patient per day	Average cost of each patient per week	Average total cost of each patient
	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Hospital	59,679	1 2 7	7 18 3	16 13 6
Zachary Merton Home	3,314	9 2	3 4 3	9 19 7
Sea-side Home	4,487	10 10	3 16 1	11 7 10

DISPENSARY OUT-PATIENTS STATISTICAL TABLES

	1946	1945
1. Total number of New Out-patients	14,863	16,310
2. Total Number of O.P. Attendances	82,353	88,065

Expenditure on Out-Patients, average cost of each Out-Patient Attendance, and average total cost of each Out-Patient 1946

	Expenditure on Out-patients	Average cost of each Out-patient attendance	Average total cost of each Out-patient
TOTAL COST O.P. DEPARTMENT..	£11,566	£0 2 10	£0 15 6

Appended are statistics in tabular form :—						1945	1946
Operations—							
Hospital	..	..	..	..	..	2,324	2,232
Out Patients' Dept.	..	..	..	..	..	1,219	1,326

EAR, NOSE AND THROAT DEPARTMENT.

New Patients	1,680	1,670
Total attendances	7,457	7,052

DENTAL DEPARTMENT

New Patients	72	100
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X-RAY DEPARTMENT

The number of cases dealt with for the last two years are as follows :

Cases examined at Gartside Street	..	..	..	2,374	2,679
Cases examined at Pendlebury..	..	..	..	1,504	1,807
				<u>3,878</u>	<u>4,486</u>

PATHOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT

A.—*Bacteriology* :

Agglutination Tests	..	..	..	..	..	45	39
Blood Culture	..	..	..	..	..	68	19
Cerebro-Spinal Fluid Examinations (micr., cell-count and culture)	..	..	..	..	..	196	134
Faeces (culture and microscopical examinations)	..					602	1,014
Pus and body fluids (microscopical and culture)	..					628	536
Sputum (microscopical and culture)	..	..	..			149	29
Swabs (Throat, Nose, Vagina)	..	..	..	..	..	11,996	11,939
Urines (microscopical and culture)	..	..	..			2,225	1,302
Vaccines	..	..	..	..	..	11	1
Wasserman Reaction	..	..	..	..	..	236	130
Coagulasc. Test	..	..	..	..	..	70	215
Miscellaneous (e.g., Penicillin susceptibility and titration ; animal inoculations, bacteriological examinations of milk)	..	..	..	..	..	161	113
						<u>16,387</u>	<u>15,471</u>

B.—*Clinical Pathology* :

Blood Counts	..	..	..	..	..	994	1,263
Other Haematological examinations (e.g. R.B.C. fragility, bone marrow, smears, coagulation time, typing, etc.)	..	..	..	..	..	280	533
B.S.R.	..	..	..	..	..	215	234
Histological examination of sections	..	..	..			234	777
Post-Mortem Examinations	..	..	..	..		69	80
						<u>1,792</u>	<u>2,887</u>

C.—*Penicillin Dispensed* : (in Mega-Units)

No. Patients who received Penicillin	252	548
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PATHOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT— <i>continued.</i>						1945	1946
D.— <i>Biochemistry</i>							
Blood Sugars	375	412
Glucose Tolerance Test and Renal Thresholds	..					62	106
Blood Calcium, Phosphorus and Plasma Phosphatase						117	61
Blood Magnesium, Cholesterol, etc.	..	..	..			60	24
Plasma Proteins (albumin, globulin, fibrinogen)	..					61	40
C.S.F. Estimations (glucose, protein, chlorides and Lange curve)	..	..	..	..	..	486	385
Complete Fat analysis of Faeces (total fats, free fatty acids, soaps and neutral fat)	..	..				29	76
Milk Analysis (fat, protein, sugar)	..	..	..			55	40
Fractional Gastric Analyses	..	..	..	..		26	24
Blood Urea and Kidney Functional Tests	..	..				160	124
Liver Functional Tests	..	..	..	..	..	52	157
Assessment of endocrine Function	..	..	..			6	28
Vitamin content of blood and urine	..	..	..			32	15
Urine Analyses (Calcium, Phosphorus, Creatin, Creatinin, etc.)	..	..	..	..	..	103	118
Miscellaneous	..	..	..	..	..	30	30
						<u>1,654</u>	<u>1,640</u>

MASSAGE AND GYMNASTIC DEPARTMENT.

Treatments	{	Massage	5,902	5,376
Out-		Electrical	1,291	1,268
Patients		Swedish Remedial Exercises ..	6,463	5,170
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			13,656	11,814

New cases during year (Out-patients)	581	472
In-Patient Massage Treatments	2,253	1,788
"	"	New cases	..	139	113

ARTIFICIAL SUNLIGHT DEPARTMENT

New Out-patients at Gartside Street	..	..	..	689	473
New In-patients at Pendlebury	..	..	..	59	60
Number of Treatments at Gartside Street	..	..	..	11,133	9,830
"	"	"	Pendlebury	443	449

SPEECH CLINIC

New Out-patients	..	..	..	..	80	132
Attendances—Out-patients	..	..	..	..	870	1,045

PSYCHOLOGICAL CLINIC

New Cases	..	..	..	..	84	45
Psychological Tests and Treatment Interviews	..				1,308	507
Visits of Social Worker	..	..	..	..	123	62

LIST OF OPERATIONS, 1946

(Performed at the Hospital.)

Appendicectomy	169
Arthrodesis	8
Bronchial Lipiodol	6
Bronchoscopy	4
Cervical Adenitis	94
Circumcision	72
Cleft Palate	92
Congenital Dislocation of Hip	41
Cystoscopy	17
Deflected Nasal Septum	5
Empyema	2
Epi- and Hypo- Spadias	34
Hare Lips	46
Herniæ, Hydroceles, Undescended Testicles	353
Imperforate Anus	2
Intestinal Obstruction	4
Intussusception	14
Mastoidectomy —Simple	19
—Radical	9
Maxillary Antrum	27
Meningocele	6
Miscellaneous—Ear, Nose and Throat	19
General	124
Orthopaedic	28
Myringotomy	3
Naevi	7
Nephrectomy	3
Oesophagoscopy	1
Osteomyelitis	15
Rectal Polyp	8
Splenectomy	2
Talipes	106
Tendon-Elongation	11
Transplantation	9
Thyroglossal Cyst and Sinus	3
Torticollis	3
Tonsils and Adenoids	848
Tuberculous Bone Joints	6
Tumours—Simple	5
Malignant	1
Webbed Fingers, Supernumary Thumbs, etc.	6
TOTAL	2,232

WORK DONE IN THE ALMONER'S DEPARTMENT

GARTSIDE STREET	1945	1946
Convalescence other than at St. Annes or Z.M. ..	36	43
Surgical Appliances where help in payment needed..	26	29
Provision of Clothing and Bedding	27	50
Provision of Extra Nourishment, etc... ..	25	73
Services of District Nurses	34	11
Transfers to local clinics for treatment	85	103
Arrangements for Transport	6	—
Home Visits	23	30
Admission to Special Schools	39	32
Admission to Special Institutions	28	23
Reports to Outside Bodies	84	113
Miscellaneous	46	96
	<hr/> 459	<hr/> 603
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PENDLEBURY

Convalescence other than at St. Annes or Z.M. ..	8	3
Surgical Appliances where help in payment needed..	17	25
Provision of Clothing and Bedding	1	14
Provision of Extra Nourishment, etc... ..	1	23
Services of District Nurses	2	9
Transfers to other Hospitals	40	34
Arrangements for Transport	35	93
Home Visits	29	60
Admission to Special Schools	6	9
Admission to Special Institutions	7	18
Reports to Outside Bodies	62	142
Miscellaneous	26	30
	<hr/> 234	<hr/> 460
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RESIDENCES OF IN-PATIENTS AND OUT-PATIENTS, 1946

	In- Patients.	Out- Patients.
LANCASHIRE		
County Boroughs—		
Manchester	1039	7247
Salford	314	2156
Barrow-in-Furness	4	4
Blackburn	6	9
Blackpool	17	19
Bolton	31	79
Burnley	16	14
Bury	34	76
Bury (Rural District Council)—		
Outwood	15	—
Liverpool	1	1
Oldham	36	83
Preston	9	10
Rochdale	12	18
Southport	1	—
Warrington	13	16
Wigan	4	20
Boroughs—		
Accrington	9	6
Ashton-under-Lyne	28	84
Bacup and Stacksteads ..	28	37
Chorley	20	28
Clitheroe	2	1
Colne	2	2
Darwen	8	6
Eccles	89	373
Fleetwood	5	—
Haslingden	26	10
Heywood	39	63
Lancaster	7	3
Leigh	77	124

	In- Patients.	Out- Patients.
LANCASHIRE (continued)—		
Boroughs (continued)—		
Leigh (Rural District Council)—		
Astley	10	20
Lowton	4	—
Middleton	25	79
Morecambe	2	1
Mossley	8	16
Nelson	8	7
Prestwich and Heaton Park..	55	136
Radcliffe	119	201
Rawtenstall	18	28
St. Annes	3	3
Stretford.. .. .	80	624
Swinton and Pendlebury ..	219	511
Urban District Councils—		
Atherton	70	102
Audenshaw	11	1
Chadderton	10	43
Crompton and Shaw	2	—
Dalton-in-Furness	—	1
Davyhulme	28	77
Denton	34	126
Droylsden	43	147
Failsworth	16	52
Farnworth	16	28
Flixton	19	68
Grange	2	1
Hindley	16	6
Horwich	9	9
Irlam and Cadishead	21	40
Kearsley	7	8
Leyland	3	1
Little Lever	8	5

Residences of In-Patients and Out-Patients, 1946—*continued*

	In-Patients.	Out-Patients
LANCASHIRE (<i>continued</i>)—		
Urban District Councils (<i>continued</i>)—		
Little Hulton	20	31
Littleborough	1	2
Newton-le-Willows and Earlestown	5	5
Ramsbottom	4	6
Royton	1	2
Tyldesley with Shakerley ..	33	89
Ulverston	1	2
Urmston	19	100
Westhoughton and Chequerbent	4	12
Whitefield	33	52
Worsley and Walkden	45	49

CHESHIRE

County Boroughs—

Chester	—	1
Stockport	47	209

Boroughs—

Altrincham & Timperley ..	41	120
Congleton	3	9
Crewe	17	38
Dukinfield	24	84
Hale Barns	2	2
Hyde	88	160
Macclesfield	7	10
Macclesfield (Rural District Council)—		
Poynton-with-Worth ..	5	3
Prestbury	1	—

CHESHIRE (*continued*)—

Boroughs (*continued*)—

Sale & Ashton-on-Mersey ..	66	268
Stalybridge	13	30

Urban District Councils—

Alderley Edge	9	7
Bowdon	—	2
Bredbury and Romiley ..	8	15
Cheadle and Gatley	44	88
Compstall	—	2
Hale	5	10
Hazel Grove and Bramhall ..	13	6
Holmes Chapel	2	—
Knutsford	6	5
Lymm	6	1
Marple	9	15
Middlewich	3	7
Nantwich	6	1
Northwich	22	48

Northwich (Rural District Council)—

Rudheath	3	5
Weaverham	1	—
Sandbach	5	18
Styal	1	1
Whaley Bridge	3	9
Wilmslow and Handforth ..	16	19
Winsford	7	7

Rural District Councils—

Chelford	—	1
Disley	2	1
Hadfield	4	11
Mobberley	1	2
Tintwistle	2	1

Residences of In-Patients and Out-Patients, 1946—*continued*

	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.
DERBYSHIRE		
County Boroughs—		
Derby	1	—
Boroughs—		
Buxton	33	37
Glossop	14	15
Urban District Councils—		
Bakewell	1	2
Chapel-en-le-Frith.. .. .	6	4
Chinley and Buxworth.. .. .	10	8
Hayfield	6	4
New Mills	7	—
YORKSHIRE		
County Boroughs—		
Halifax	1	—
Huddersfield	3	—
Sheffield	—	1
Boroughs—		
Greenfield	4	—
Todmorden	11	15
Urban District Councils—		
Shipley	1	—

	In-Patients.	Out-Patients.
WARWICKSHIRE		
Coventry.. .. .	1	—
LEICESTERSHIRE		
Loughborough	1	—
CUMBERLAND		
Whitehaven	1	—
DURHAM		
Darlington	2	1
NORTH WALES		
Colwyn Bay	2	—
Llanrystyd	1	—
Llanstrystwyd	1	—
Rhyl	2	1
Others	8	2

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CONVALESCENT HOME ACCOUNT

For the Year ended 31st December, 1946.

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ORDINARY.		INCOME.		EXPENDITURE.	
1.—VOLUNTARY GIFTS.					
Subscriptions, Donations, etc. :—					
Annual Subscriptions	42 12 6	...	...	...	...
" " Ladies' Auxiliary Fund	350 0 0	...	...	...	...
" " " " " "	4 5 6	...	...	...	...
Donations	396 18 0	...	...	...	...
2.—RECEIPTS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES RENDERED.					
Contributions for Services to Patients :—					
From Patients and their Societies	24 8 6	...	...	...	...
3.—STATE GRANT TOWARDS RUSHCLIFFE SCALE OF SALARIES FOR NURSES	272 5 0	...	...	...	...
4.—INVESTED PROPERTY.					
Interest, Dividends, etc.	76 10 10	...	...	...	...
Income Tax Refund	7 2 6	...	...	...	...
TOTAL ORDINARY INCOME	777 4 10	...	...	...	...
EXTRAORDINARY.					
TOTAL EXTRAORDINARY INCOME	—	...	...	...	...
TOTAL INCOME	777 4 10	...	...	...	...
BALANCE, BEING EXCESS OF TOTAL EXPENDITURE OVER TOTAL INCOME FOR THE YEAR—TRANSFERRED FROM GENERAL ACCOUNT...	3,710 4 11	...	...	...	...
ORDINARY.					
1.—PROVISIONS.					
1. Meat	129 13 1	...	...	...	...
2. Fish and Poultry, etc.	30 4 8	...	...	...	...
3. Butter, Bacon, etc.	107 9 6	...	...	...	...
4. Eggs	35 19 11	...	...	...	...
5. Milk	170 8 1	...	...	...	...
6. Bread	84 19 0	...	...	...	...
7. Grocery	189 2 2	...	...	...	...
8. Vegetables and Fruit	164 6 3	...	...	...	...
2.—SURGERY AND DISPENSARY					
1. Drugs	7 9 3	...	...	...	...
2. Dressings	—	...	...	...	...
3. Instruments	8 17 0	...	...	...	...
4. Sundries	1 17 0	...	...	...	...
3.—DOMESTIC.					
1. Furniture	18 13 7	...	...	...	...
2. Bedding and Linen	208 10 9	...	...	...	...
3. Hardware	41 2 2	...	...	...	...
4. Laundry	298 16 2	...	...	...	...
5. Cleaning and Chandlery	39 18 9	...	...	...	...
6. Water	40 10 0	...	...	...	...
7. Fuel and Lighting :—					
(a) Coal and Coke	273 7 7	...	...	...	...
(b) Gas	44 12 2	...	...	...	...
(c) Electricity	65 19 6	...	...	...	...
8. Uniforms	104 8 2	...	...	...	...
9. Sundries	6 18 8	...	...	...	...
4.—SALARIES AND WAGES (MAINTENANCE).					
1. Medical	50 0 0	...	...	...	...
2. Nursing	941 8 7	...	...	...	...
3. Domestic	706 14 11	...	...	...	...
5.—MISCELLANEOUS.					
1. Printing and Stationery	9 6 7	...	...	...	...
2. Postages and Telephones	41 1 6	...	...	...	...
3. Advertisements	36 1 0	...	...	...	...
4. Insurance of Buildings, etc.	10 14 4	...	...	...	...
5. Garden	149 12 0	...	...	...	...
6. Carriage of Patients	116 13 11	...	...	...	...
7. Sundries	13 13 1	...	...	...	...
6.—ADMINISTRATION.					
1. Salaries	377 2 5	...	...	...	...
7.—ESTABLISHMENT.					
1. Renewals & Repairs to Buildings and Plant	8 3 5	...	...	...	...
2. Annual Cleaning	218 0 0	...	...	...	...
8.—FINANCE.					
1. Rates and Taxes	226 3 5	...	...	...	...
	82 2 0	...	...	...	...
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	£4,487 9 9	...	...	...	...

INCOME.			
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ORDINARY			
1. Voluntary Gifts.			
1. SUBSCRIPTIONS, DONATIONS, ETC.—			
Annual Subscriptions	5,083 13 7		
Do. do. Ladies' Auxiliary Fund ..	2,829 0 6		
		7,912 14 1	
Donations	4,044 16 0		
Box Collections	131 2 11		
Hospital and Dispensary Box Collections ..	115 8 5		
		4,291 7 4	
Other Voluntary Gifts—			
Cot of Gratitude Fund	164 7 0		
Congregational Collections (apart from Hospital Sunday Fund)	73 2 8		
Workpeople's Collections (apart from Hospital Saturday Fund)	103 1 6		
		340 11 2	
Samaritan Fund		4 11 0	
2. CENTRAL FUNDS—			
Hospital Saturday Fund	1,335 0 0		
Manchester and Salford Medical Charities—			
Annual Allocation	£550 14 6		
Alexandra Day Fund	91 16 0		
		642 10 6	
Rawtenstall Workpeople's Hospital Fund ..	14 10 0		
Metro-Vickers Hospital Fund	453 4 0		
Manchester Corporation Transport Hospital Fund	26 14 0		
Borough of Hyde	125 0 0		
Todmorden Dist. Nursing Assn. & Hosp. Fund	40 0 0		
		2,636 18 6	15,186 2 1
2 Receipts on Account of Services Rendered.			
1. CONTRIBUTIONS ON ACCOUNT OF SERVICES TO PATIENTS			
(a) From Patients and their Societies—			
In-Patients	2,552 3 10		
Out-Patients	1,087 15 3		
Massage Department	39 17 0		
Splint Department	121 12 9		
X-Ray Department	98 17 6		
Dispenser's Department	254 15 0		
Manchester & Salford Hospital Sat'day Fund	21,013 1 6		
Manchester & Salford Medical Charities ..	839 0 0		
Manchester Corporation Transport Hospital Fund	335 14 0		
Metropolitan-Vickers' Hospital Fund ..	543 7 11		
L.M. & S. Railway Fund	799 2 0		
Bacup Borough Hospital Fund	142 0 0		
Rawtenstall Workpeople's Hospital Fund ..	144 0 0		
Others	629 8 6		
		28,600 15 3	
(b) From Public Authorities—			
Lancashire County Council for Tuberculous Cases	25 2 6		
Radcliffe County Borough for Tonsil and Adenoid Cases	151 4 0		
		176 6 6	
2 FEES :—			
National Health Insurance Capitation Fees ..	67 14 2		
3 OTHER RECEIPTS :—			
Buffet	165 10 6		
		29,010 6 5	
3 State Grant towards Rushcliffe Scale of Salaries for Nurses			
		3,532 15 0	
4 Invested Property.			
Interest, Dividends, etc.	3,681 3 10		
Income Tax Refund	1,922 13 10		
		5,603 17 8	
Ordinary Income		53,333 1 2	
EXTRAORDINARY.			
1 Legacies.			
Transfer from Legacies Suspense Account ..	10,167 19 10		
2 Receipts for Special Purposes—			
Lancs. County Council :—First Aid Post ..	563 13 7		
Extraordinary Income		10,731 13 5	
Total Income		64,064 14 7	
Balance, being excess of Total Expenditure over Total Income for the Year		14,203 14 3	

£78,268 8 10

EXPENDITURE.							
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
ORDINARY.							
1. Provisions—							
1. Meat	870 9 7						
2. Fish, Poultry, etc.	366 5 2						
3. Butter, Bacon, etc.	656 6 9						
4. Eggs	295 16 11						
5. Milk	1,689 13 5						
6. Bread, Flour, etc.	461 7 5						
7. Grocery	1,235 6 6						
8. Vegetables	1,150 11 6						
9. Malt Liquors	33 11 4						
10. Aerated Water and Ice	223 7 11						
		6,982 16 6					
2. Surgery and Dispensary—							
1. Drugs, Chemicals and Disinfectants ..	1,528 17 5			955 5 3			
2. Dressings, Bandages, etc.	536 15 1			84 13 3			
3. Instruments, Appliances, etc.	1,904 19 0			515 18 0			
4. Wines and Spirits	1 5 9						
5. Salaries and Wages of Dispensing Staff ..	350 0 0			1,273 2 7			
6. Sundries	395 4 6			205 15 9			
		4,717 1 9		3,035 14 10			
3. Domestic—							
1. Renewal and Repair of—							
(a) Furniture	818 5 1			45 1 3			
(b) Bedding and Linen	493 15 9			16 17 5			
(c) Hardware, Crockery, Brushes, etc. ..	401 15 7			5 14 10			
2. Laundry	3,983 1 6			80 10 4			
3. Cleaning and Chandlery	305 5 11			61 2 2			
4. Water	124 2 6			20 9 1			
5. Fuel and Lighting (a) Coal and Coke ..	2,867 10 5			241 4 1			
(b) Gas	403 19 11			39 2 10			
(c) Electricity	561 14 2			97 4 8			
6. Uniforms (Nurses', Porters', etc.) ..	1,026 5 10			16 2 1			
7. Sundries	81 9 7			7 4 0			
		11,067 6 3		630 12 9			
4. Salaries and Wages (Maintenance)—							
1. Medical	4,530 6 10			1,812 9 5			
2. Nursing	11,642 10 2			1,042 0 8			
3. (a) Massage	165 15 0			844 10 9			
(b) Mechanics, etc.	1,434 9 5						
(c) Porters	697 1 1			284 1 9			
(d) Domestic Servants	6,505 17 2			368 4 9			
(e) Other Officers	2,285 18 4			1,466 14 11			
4. Pensions	301 11 4			434 6 0			
		27,563 9 4		6,252 8 3			
5. Miscellaneous—							
1. Printing and Stationery	882 13 3			218 16 3			
2. Postages and Telephones	533 9 3			136 10 2			
3. Advertisements	183 1 8			22 8 9			
4. Insurance of Buildings, Equipment, Stores, etc.	295 17 9			29 9 1			
5. Garden	278 3 7						
6. Ambulance	483 10 3						
7. Sundries	469 10 0			77 8 11			
		3,126 5 9		484 13 2			
6. Administration—							
1. Salaries	1,372 4 2			60 0 0			
2. Pensions	222 14 0						
3. Printing and Stationery	129 13 2			30 0 0			
4. Postages and Telephones	12 3 5						
5. Advertisements							
6. Sundries	39 5 7			7 16 10			
		1,776 0 4		97 16 10			
7. Establishment—							
1. Renewals & Repairs to Buildings & Plant	2,449 13 7			663 19 10			
2. Annual Cleaning	1,300 0 0			311 14 6			
		3,749 13 7		975 14 4			
8. Finance—							
1. Property Charges				22 19 8			
2. Appeals	260 19 9						
3. Rates and Taxes	314 3 7			65 12 0			
4. Rent	98 17 9						
5. Bank Charges	22 0 0						
		696 1 1		88 11 8			
Ordinary Expenditure		59,678 14 7		11,565 11 10			
EXTRAORDINARY.							
1. Contributions to Other Institutions—							
1. To Convalescent Home (being deficiency for the Year)							
		3,719 4 11					
Total Expenditure, Hospital		63,388 19 6					
Total Expenditure, Dispensary		11,565 11 10					
Total Expenditure, Zachary Merton Home		3,313 17 6					

£78,268 8 10

GENERAL INCOME AND EXPENSE

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INCOME

GENERAL INCOME		EXPENSE	
1. Income from property	100.00	1. Income from property	100.00
2. Income from business	50.00	2. Income from business	50.00
3. Income from investments	25.00	3. Income from investments	25.00
4. Income from other sources	15.00	4. Income from other sources	15.00
5. Total income	190.00	5. Total income	190.00
6. Income from property	100.00	6. Income from property	100.00
7. Income from business	50.00	7. Income from business	50.00
8. Income from investments	25.00	8. Income from investments	25.00
9. Income from other sources	15.00	9. Income from other sources	15.00
10. Total income	190.00	10. Total income	190.00

EXPENSE

GENERAL EXPENSE		INCOME	
1. Expense from property	100.00	1. Income from property	100.00
2. Expense from business	50.00	2. Income from business	50.00
3. Expense from investments	25.00	3. Income from investments	25.00
4. Expense from other sources	15.00	4. Income from other sources	15.00
5. Total expense	190.00	5. Total income	190.00
6. Expense from property	100.00	6. Income from property	100.00
7. Expense from business	50.00	7. Income from business	50.00
8. Expense from investments	25.00	8. Income from investments	25.00
9. Expense from other sources	15.00	9. Income from other sources	15.00
10. Total expense	190.00	10. Total income	190.00

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LEGACIES SUSPENSE ACCOUNT

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1946		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1	To Cash at Bankers						
Dec. 31	By Legacies received during the year	7,803	19	10			
	By Exors. of Helena Harris	5,813	19	11			
	" Eleanor Owen	2,204	0	0			
	" L. A. Howard	1,509	3	3			
	" William Robinson	1,000	0	0			
	" William Buckley	847	4	6			
	" Margaret Eyton	809	14	6			
	" Emily Kelsall (Fur. Payment)	753	12	1			
	" Fanny Morris Eyton	522	2	6			
	" John Pike	446	10	2			
	" E. J. Cook (Further Payment)	263	0	1			
	" Maggie Hulme	225	0	0			
	" Harriet Mundy (Fur. Pay.)	221	10	8			
	" H. O'Leary	100	0	0			
	" James Buckley	100	0	0			
	" Frances Garnett	83	10	0			
	" D. A. Twemlow (Fur. Pay.)	50	0	0			
	" Henry Broderick (Fur. P y.)	25	0	0			
	" Mary Clarissa Carter	15	0	0			
	" Lionel Nahum	17	2				
	" John Summers						
		22,794	4	8			
					£40,671	19	2

Cr.

SPECIAL COLLIERY FUND ACCOUNT

Cr.

1946		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1	To Cash at Bankers						
Dec. 31	By Cash at District Bank Limited						
					£5,072	15	10

Cr.

PENSIONS RESERVE ACCOUNT

Cr.

1946		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jan. 1	To Cash at Bankers	265	19	9			
Dec. 31	By Refunds of Hospital Superannuation Contributions	227	15	6			
					£493	15	3

BALANCE SHEET as

LIABILITIES						£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1.—SUNDRY CREDITORS :—											
1.	General Account	..	..	..	..	2,719	9	4			
2.	Convalescent Home Account	..	..	..	..	340	19	11			
									3,060	9	3
2.—CASH DUE TO DISTRICT BANK LTD.:—											
	General Account	..	..	..	..				28,642	7	8
3.—CAPITAL ACCOUNTS :—											
(a) HOSPITAL ENDOWMENTS :—						£	s.	d.			
1.	Representing Endowed Cots	..	..	..	..	107,560	9	10			
2.	Special Gift (from the late Mr. Jesse Haworth) for Endowment only	..	..	..	..	10,093	3	0			
									117,653	12	10
(b) SPECIAL FUNDS :—											
1.	Special Bequest (Holden Ward)	..	..	..	..	8,314	3	4			
2.	Gartside Street Dispensary	..	..	..	..	363	16	6			
3.	Ladies' Auxiliary Fund	..	..	..	..	898	4	10			
4.	The Professor Tom Jones Memorial Bequest					300	0	0			
5. Convalescent Home Account :—											
	Representing Endowed Cots	..	..	..	..	1,571	12	2			
	For General Purposes	..	..	..	..	1,345	2	4			
									12,792	19	2
(c) BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT											
(d) GENERAL PURPOSES											
		..	..	..	..	49,035	11	6			
									179,482	3	6
4.—UNEXPENDED INCOME BALANCE OF SPECIAL FUNDS:—											
1.	Special Colliery Fund	..	..	..	..				5,072	15	10
5.—LEGACIES SUSPENSE ACCOUNT											
		..	..	..	..				30,503	19	4
6.—PENSIONS RESERVE ACCOUNT											
		..	..	..	..				493	15	3

To the Chairman and Board of Governors of The Royal Manchester Children's Hospital.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,

We have attended at the Hospital and have audited the books for the year ending 31st Dec., 1946.

We have vouched the Income received, and have seen that the disbursements have been duly authorised and vouched.

We have verified the Bank balances as shown in the Accounts with certificates obtained from the Bank, and have also verified during our audit Cash Balances in the hands of Officers of the Hospital.

The investments held on behalf of the Hospital have been verified by us.

The books continue to be well and efficiently kept.

We are, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Yours faithfully,

HALLIDAY, PEARSON & CO.,

11 SPRING GARDENS, MANCHESTER 2.

Chartered Accountants

10th, March 1947

£247,255 10 10

at 31st December, 1946

ASSETS							£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1.—SUNDRY DEBTORS —												
General Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,550	10	7			
Convalescent Home Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	8	9			
										7,579	19	4
2.—CASH IN HAND :—												
General Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	200	0	0			
Convalescent Home Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	0	0			
										240	0	0
3.—CASH AT DISTRICT BANK :—												
Convalescent Home Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	311	11	2			
Special Colliery Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,072	15	10			
Capital Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,882	13	1			
Legacies Suspense Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	30,503	19	4			
Pension Reserve Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	493	15	3			
										38,264	14	8
4.—INVESTMENT :—												
(a) HOSPITAL ENDOWMENTS —							£	s.	d.			
1. Representing Endowed Cots	..	..	..	..	..	..	107,560	9	10			
2. Special Gift (from the late Mr. Jesse Haworth)												
for Endowment only	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,093	3	0			
										117,653	12	10
(b) SPECIAL FUNDS :—												
1. Special Bequest (Holden Ward)	..	..	..	..	..	..	8,314	3	4			
2. Gartside Street Dispensary	..	..	..	..	..	..	363	16	6			
3. Ladies' Auxiliary Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	898	4	10			
4. The Professor Tom Jones Memorial Bequest	..	..	..	..	..	..	300	0	0			
5. CONVALESCENT HOME ACCOUNT :—												
Representing Endowed Cots	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,571	12	2			
For General Purposes	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,345	2	4			
										12,792	19	2
(c) BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT												
(d) GENERAL PURPOSES	..	..	..	..	..	..	37,878	7	2			
										168,324	19	2
5 —LAND, BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT OF THE HOSPITAL												
(not valued)	..	..	..	..	..	..
6.—CAPITAL ACCOUNTS :—												
Child Health Institute	..	..	..	..	..	..				5,000	0	0
Property in Young Street, Hardman Street and Barclay Street	..	..	..	..	..	..				1,022	16	6
Nurses' Home—"Sunny Bank"	..	..	..	..	..	..				1,796	16	7
Nurses' Home—"Pensarn"	..	..	..	..	..	..				1,454	18	2
7.—GENERAL ACCOUNT :—												
Balance as per last Account	..	..	..	..	..	..	9,367	12	2			
Add Deficit for Year to December 31st, 1946	..	..	..	..	..	..	14,203	14	3			
										23,571	6	5

H. CON. SMITH, Hon. Treasurer

£247,255 10 10

INVESTMENTS—31st DECEMBER

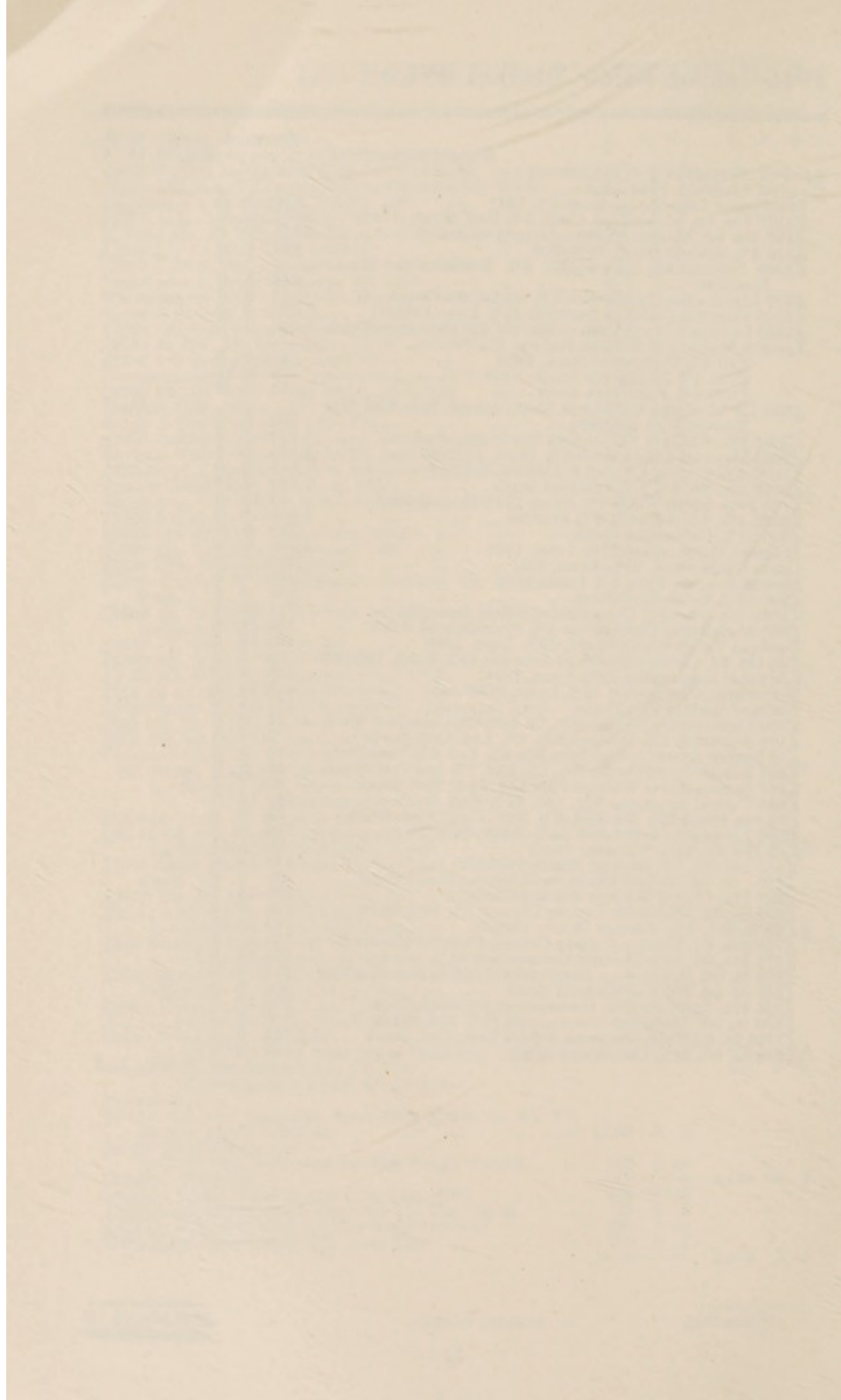
A—FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES :—		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
(a) REPRESENTING ENDOWED COTS :—							
£9000 Salford Corporation 3½% Stock 1953/63	...	8,505	0	0			
£2700 Manchester Corporation Consolidated 4% Stock	...	2,632	10	0			
Manchester Corporation Loan 3% 1947	...	2,000	0	0			
£4260 3½% Conversion Stock	...	4,004	8	0			
£10,312 14s. 3d. 3½% Conversion Stock, Inscribed	...	9,693	18	9			
£1250 4% Funding Loan 1960/90	...	1,337	10	0			
£2200 L.M.S. Rly. 4% Preference Stock, 1923	...	638	0	0			
Manchester Corporation Loan, 3% 1958	...	500	0	0			
Mortgages received under Will (Burrows Bequest)	...	500	0	0			
National Savings Certificates	...	259	7	2			
£3984 18s. 10d. Commonwealth of Australia 3% 1955/58	...	3,327	8	0			
£3114 3s. 10d. 3% Conversion Stock, 1948/53	...	3,044	2	7			
£2000 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70B	...	2,000	0	0			
Newcastle-under-Lyme Corporation Loan 3½% 1948	...	5,000	0	0			
£4136 16s. 8d. 3% Savings Bonds, 1960/70B	...	4,136	16	8			
Sheffield Corporation Loan 3½% 1949	...	3,000	0	0			
Burgh of Prestwick Loan 3% 1953	...	2,000	0	0			
£1000 Southern Railway 4% Red. Debenture Stock 1970/80	...	995	1	0			
Derwent Valley Water Board 3½% Loan 1950	...	1,382	2	3			
£899 6s. 9d. Commonwealth of Australia 3½% Stock, 1950/52	...	848	15	0			
Preston Corporation 3½% Loan 1951	...	5,000	0	0			
Warrington Corporation 3½% Loan 1948	...	4,488	3	10			
£1000 3% Defence Bonds	...	1,000	0	0			
£5013 11s. 3d. 2½% Consolidated Stock	...	4,000	0	0			
£4998 13s. 10d. 2½% Treasury Stock	...	4,740	1	10			
£3150 2½% War Bonds 1952/54	...	3,150	0	0			
£2866 London & North Eastern Railway 4% Debenture Stock	...	3,126	5	11			
£1926 2s. 6d. London Midland and Scottish Railway 4% Debenture Stock	...	2,106	13	1			
£1000 4% Consolidated Stock	...	1,000	0	0			
£9500 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70	...	9,546	15	0			
£9572 10s. 9d. 3% Savings Bonds 1965/75	...	9,572	10	9			
£173 7s. 4d. 2½% National War Bonds, 1946/48	...	173	7	4			
£1667 0s. 0d. Gt. Western Railway 4% Debenture Stock	...	1,625	6	6			
£923 17s. 6d. L.M.S. Railway 4% Debenture Stock	...	1,016	14	0			
£209 12s. 2d. 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70	...	209	12	2			
Thornton Cleveleys 2½% Loan 1955	...	1,000	0	0			
(b) OTHER SPECIAL PURPOSES :—					107,560	9	10
1.—SPECIAL GIFT (from the late Mr. Jesse Haworth) For endowment only.							
Stoke-on-Trent Corporation 3½% Loan, 1950	...	10,000	0	0			
£93 3s. 0d. Warrington Corporation 3½% Loan 1948	...	93	3	0			
2.—SPECIAL BEQUEST (Holden Ward)					10,093	3	0
£3000 Great Western Railway Consolidated Guaranteed 5% Stock	...	3,210	0	0			
£5078 15s. 6d. New Zealand Govt. 3½% (1962/65) Stock	...	5,078	15	6			
£25 7s. 10d. 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70	...	25	7	10			
3.—GARTSIDE STREET DISPENSARY					8,314	3	4
£441 Southern Railway 5% Preference Stock	...				363	16	6
4.—LADIES' AUXILIARY FUND.							
£1000 Manchester Ship Canal Co. Perp. 3½% First Mortgage Debentures (Denton Cot Endowment)	...	735	0	0			
Bolton Corporation 3½% Loan 1950 (Bolton Cot)	...	100	0	0			
£52 14s. 10d. 3% Savings Bonds 1955/65	...	52	14	10			
National Savings Certificates	...	10	10	0			
5.—THE PROFESSOR TOM JONES MEMORIAL BEQUEST.					898	4	10
Manchester Corporation Loan 3% 1947	...				300	0	0
6.—CONVALESCENT HOME ACCOUNT :—							
ENDOWMENT :—							
Of the Dorothy Josephine Hirst Cot, £1068 3s. 4d. 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70B	...	1,068	3	4			
Of the Sarah Davies Cot :—							
£503 8s. 10d. 2½% National War Bonds 1949/51	...	503	8	10			
GENERAL PURPOSES :—					1,571	12	2
Derwent Valley Water Board, 3½% Loan 1950	...	426	18	6			
£500 South Australian Government 3% Con. Stock	...	345	0	0			
£323 3s. 10d. 2½% National War Bonds 1949/51	...	323	3	10			
Manchester Corporation 3½% Loan 1948	...	250	0	0			
					1,345	2	4

Carried forward ... £130,446 12 0

1946—at or below Market Price.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Brought forward ...				130,446	12	0
B.—FOR BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENT :—						
C.—FOR GENERAL PURPOSES :—						
Manchester Corporation Loan 3% 1947 ...	800	0	0			
£3121 13s. 4d. Manchester Corp. 3% Red. Stock (1891) ..	2,372	9	5			
£136 10s. 9d. Madras Railway Annuity—Class B. ...	3,276	0	0			
£795 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70B ...	795	0	0			
£1060 Nottingham Corporation 3% Irredeemable Stock, Inscribed ...	816	4	0			
£270 Manchester Corporation 3% Red. Cons. Stock ...	243	0	0			
£2000 Commonwealth of Australia 3½% Loan 1956/61 ...	1,690	0	0			
£1325 London & North Eastern Rly. Co. 4% Debenture Stock	1,093	2	6			
London Midland & Scottish Railway Co. :—						
£70 4% Preference Stock, 1923 ...	21	0	0			
£481 4% Debenture Stock ...	430	9	11			
£826 4% Preference Stock ...	413	0	0			
£500 1st Mortgage Debenture Stock, Joseph Holt Ltd. (Sir Edward Holt Bequest) ...	500	0	0			
£2055 13s. 8d. 3½% Conversion Stock, Inscribed ...	1,932	7	2			
£2000 Hastings Corporation 5% Stock, 1947-67 ...	2,120	0	0			
£1000 Ayr County Council 5% Stock, 1947-57 ...	1,045	0	0			
£1095 19s. 8d. 4% Consolidated Stock ...	1,134	6	10			
£100 New South Wales 4% Stock 1942/62, Inscribed ...	95	10	0			
£2322 17s. 4d. Australia 3% 1955/58 ...	1,939	12	0			
£800 3½% Conversion Stock ...	752	0	0			
Bradford Corporation, 2½% Loan, 1952 ...	2,200	0	0			
Leeds Corporation, 3½% Loan, 1957 ...	2,200	0	0			
Newcastle-upon-Tyne 3% Loan, 1961 ...	1,000	0	0			
£200 3½% Conversion Stock ...	186	0	0			
£1060 18s. 9d. 2½% Consolidated Stock, Inscribed ...	714	15	6			
£803 Manchester Corporation 4% Consolidated Stock ...	782	18	6			
Derwent Valley Water Board, 3½% Loan, 1950 ...	190	19	3			
£90 18s. 6d. Commonwealth of Australia 3½% Stock, 1950/52	88	7	9			
Liverpool Corporation 2½% Loan, 1954 ...	583	0	0			
Warrington Corporation 3½% Loan, 1948 ...	418	13	2			
National Savings Certificates ...	171	14	6			
£300 Argentine Gt. Western Rly. Co. Ltd. 5% Cum. Pref. Stock	21	0	0			
£100 Argentine Gt. Western Rly. Co. Ltd. Ord. Stock ...	6	0	0			
£84 Buenos Ayres Gt. Southern Rly. Co. Ltd. 5% Pref. Stock	18	1	2			
£333 Buenos Ayres Pacific Rly. Co. Ltd. 5% 2nd Pref. Stock	18	6	3			
£167 Buenos Ayres Western Rly. Ltd. 4½% Pref. Stock ...	28	7	9			
£646 Central Argentine Rly. Ltd. 4½% Pref. Stock ...	119	10	2			
£99 San Paulo Rly. Co. Ltd. 5% Non. Cum. Pref. Stock ...	59	3	0			
£750 Liverpool Corporation 4½% Stock, 1951/71 ...	750	0	0			
£26 17s. 9d. 2½% Treasury Stock ..	25	4	11			
£433 18s. 0d. 3% Savings Bonds, 1965/75 ..	433	18	0			
£100 0s. 0d. Mersey Docks and Harbour Board Bond ..	100	0	0			
£213 19s. 7d. 3% Savings Bonds 1955/65 ..	213	19	7			
£275 0s. 0d. Middlesex County Council 3% Red Stock ..	275	0	0			
£40 0s. 0d. 3% Savings Bonds 1960/70 ...	40	0	0			
£755 13s. 6d. London County Council Consd. 3½% Stock	755	13	6			
£675 14s. 9d. New Zealand Government 3½% Stock ..	675	14	9			
£275 0s. 0d. Birmingham Corporation 3% Red Stock 1956/58	275	0	0			
£500 0s. 0d. 4% Consolidated Stock ..	500	0	0			
£336 17s. 7d. Australian Government 3% Reg. Stock ..	326	17	7			
£750 0s. 0d. Australian Government 3½% Reg. Stock ..	750	0	0			
£1721 0s. 0d. John Summers & Sons Ltd., Ord. Stock	1,721	0	0			
£750 0s. 0d. 3½% Conversion Stock ..	750	0	0			
				37,878	7	2

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
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OF THE
Royal
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PENDLEBURY
FOR THE YEAR 1946

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ANY FRIDAY, FROM 2 TO 4 P.M.

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MANCHESTER CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL
PENDLEBURY**



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Vice-President

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Hon. Secretary.

Mr. C. F. HARWOOD, M.C.

Executive Committee.

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54th ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

LADIES' COUNCIL

OF THE

ROYAL MANCHESTER CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL,
PENDLEBURY

FOR THE YEAR 1946

The Executive Committee has pleasure in presenting the Fifty-Fourth Annual Report of the Ladies' Council.

It is with deep regret that the death is recorded of Lady Stewart, a member of the Board of Governors since 1935, and President of the Alderley Edge and Wilmslow District Committee since 1939. Her deep interest in the welfare of the Hospital and its branches was most valuable, and the loss of her services will be keenly felt.

During the year, Mrs. Pemberton Wood, President of the Hale District Committee, was co-opted a Member of the Board of Governors.

It is gratifying to record that notwithstanding the many difficulties which have been encountered, the activities of the Ladies' Council have been well maintained. The results achieved testify to the unflinching interest in the welfare of the Hospital by a large section of the generous public, and in particular, to the devoted efforts of all connected with the Ladies' Council, in their endeavours to ensure that, so far as lies within their powers, the efficiency of the work of the Hospital shall not be impaired through lack of funds.

It will be noted from the comparative Statement of Accounts accompanying this Report, that with few exceptions, the level of contributions in former years has been maintained, and in some instances, actually increased.

Mention was made in the last Report of the services rendered by the reconstituted Committee at Lytham St. Annes under the Presidency of Mrs. G. Openshaw, and it is pleasing to record that success has again rewarded their efforts.

The District Committees of Alderley Edge and Wilmslow, Atherton, Bramhall and Cheadle Hulme, Little Hulton, Lytham St. Annes, and Worsley, have all exceeded their contributions of 1945 by substantial amounts, and are to be congratulated on this achievement.

The following District Committee changes have been made during the year :

Mrs. Taylor, President of the Worsley Branch, having removed from the District, has resigned, and has been succeeded by Mrs. Wilson.

Miss Fletcher has resigned from the Honorary Secretaryship of the Kearsley Branch, and Miss Slack has now taken over her duties, Mrs. E. Roberts succeeding Miss Slack as Honorary Treasurer.

Mr. C. E. Donovan, having removed from the District, has resigned from Office as President of the Altrincham and Bowdon Branch. A successor has not yet been appointed, but with the valuable assistance of Miss Shipman, contributions are still being maintained.

Mrs. Williamson has very kindly accepted Office as Honorary Secretary to the Eccles, Hope and Monton Branch, thus relieving Mrs. Orr, who unfortunately, is unable to take an active part, owing to ill-health. Although Mrs. Orr offered her resignation, the Committee prevailed upon her to continue in Office as President and thus her connection with the Hospital, which already extends over a period of 40 years, will be continued.

The Executive Committee takes this opportunity, with the support of the Board of Governors, to place on record its deep sense of gratitude to all who have so generously given of their time and energy to the services of the Hospital.

The total contributions received for 1946 amounted to £3,179 0s. 6d., as compared with £3,543 12s. 10d. in 1945.

This Report would not be complete without reference to the National Health Service Act which is expected to become operative from 1st April, 1948. The provisions of the Act are briefly referred to in the General Report of the Hospital insofar as it affects the Hospital Services. It will be noted that although the general maintenance expenditure of the Hospital will be covered by Government Grants, it will be permissible for Hospitals to accept and indeed solicit voluntary contributions. Sums received from this source will be utilised for special objects not covered under general maintenance charges. Scope is thus provided for continued local and particularly humanitarian interest in our Hospital. With this important provision, the Board of Governors look forward to the continued interest and support of the Ladies' Council, which has meant so much to Pendlebury since the inception of the Council in 1893.

To the Presidents, Committees and Collectors of the contributing districts, the Executive Committee tenders its very sincere thanks for the valuable help which their endeavours continue to render to the Hospital.

C. F. HARWOOD,
Honorary Secretary.

LADIES' COUNCIL

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Fifty-fourth Annual General Meeting of the Ladies' Council was held at the Hospital, Pendlebury, on Monday, March 24th, 1947, at 3 p.m.

Mr. Alan V. Sugden was in the Chair, supported by Mr. C. F. Harwood, Hon. Secretary of the Ladies' Council ; Mr. F. S. Stancliffe, Chairman of the Board of Governors ; Mr. James Sillavan, Honorary Secretary ; The Hon. H. Con. Smith, Honorary Treasurer.

The meeting was well attended by Presidents of District Committees, Honorary Secretaries, Collectors and other friends of the Hospital.

Mr. C. F. Harwood, Hon. Secretary, referred to letters of apology from several Ladies unable to attend.

The Minutes of the last meeting as printed in the previous Annual Report, were taken as read, and signed by the Chairman.

The Honorary Secretary submitted the General Report and Statement of Accounts, copies of which were available to all present.

FIRST RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. Alan V. Sugden, J.P., seconded by Mrs. Woodward, and resolved unanimously :

“ That the Reports of the Council and the Hon. Treasurer be adopted and printed for circulation.”

SECOND RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mrs. Stancliffe, seconded by Mrs. Hartley, and resolved unanimously :—

“ That the following Gentlemen be elected Hon. Officers for the year :—

Chairman : Mr. Alan V. Sugden, J.P.

Hon. Treasurer : The Hon. H. Con. Smith, J.P.

Hon. Secretary : Mr. C. F. Harwood, M.C.

THIRD RESOLUTION :

Moved by the Chairman, seconded by Mr. Sillavan, and resolved unanimously :—

“ That the Members of the Executive Committee as recorded in the books be re-elected for the ensuing year.”

FOURTH RESOLUTION :

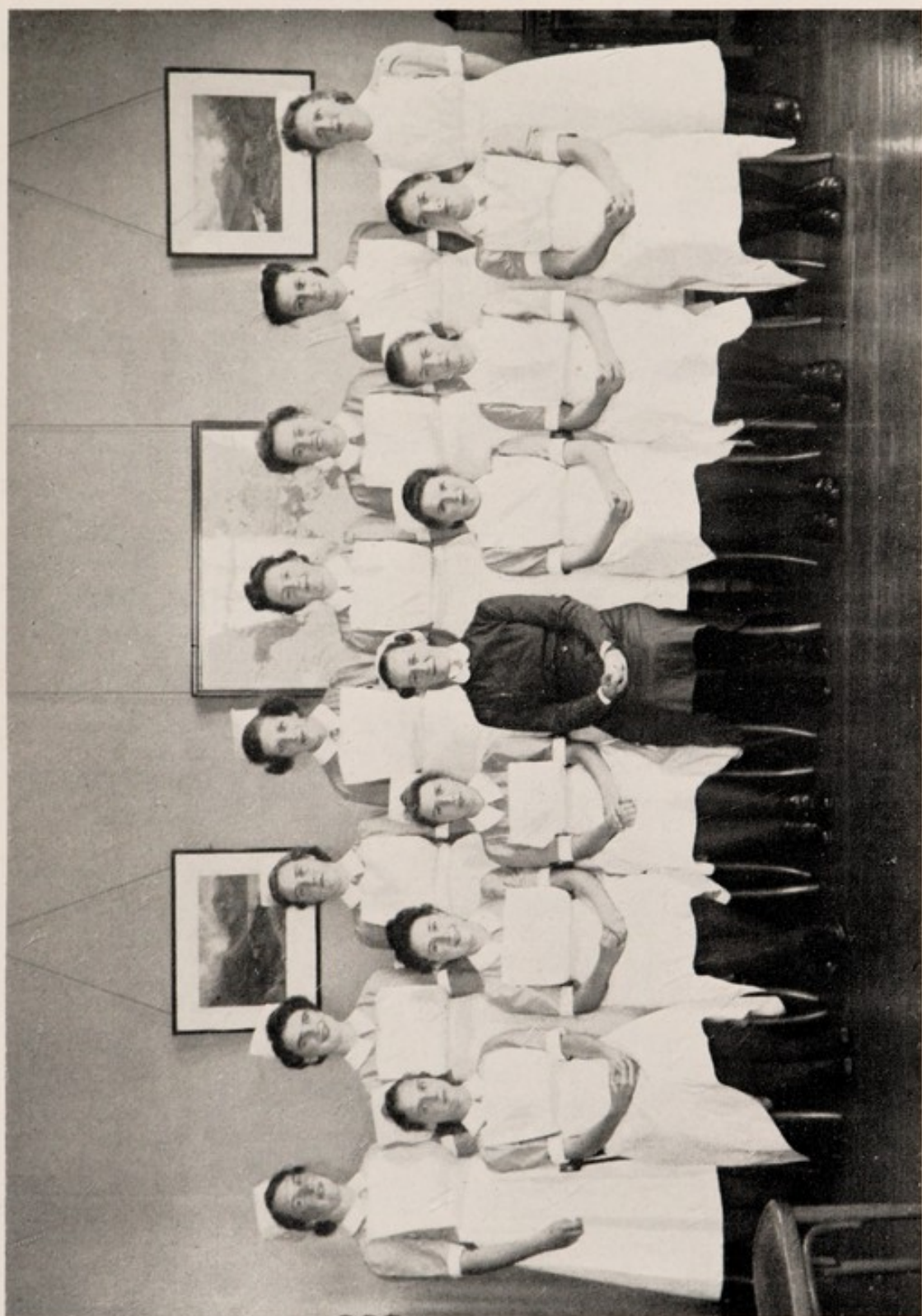
Moved by the Chairman, seconded by Sir Kenneth D. Stewart, and resolved unanimously :—

“ That the thanks of this Meeting be accorded to the District Officers, Committees and Helpers for their valuable services during the past year.”

FIFTH RESOLUTION :

Moved by Mr. Stancliffe, and resolved unanimously :—

“ That a hearty vote of thanks be accorded to Mr. Alan V. Sugden for presiding at this Meeting.”



LADIES' AUXILIARY FUND

*District Branches, Presidents and Committees, and Amounts
Collected in 1946.*

Alderley Edge and Wilmslow

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. HARWOOD

Committee :

Mrs. Allison.	Mrs. Sopwith.
Mrs. J. P. Barnes.	Mrs. Stancliffe.
Mrs. Eadie.	Mrs. F. Stockdale.
Mrs. R. Furnival.	Mrs. Sugden.
Mrs. C. R. Hughes.	Mrs. D. Sutherland.
Mrs. N. Hall.	Mrs. H. G. Watts.
Mrs. J. F. Linney.	

£280 15 0

Altrincham and Bowdon

Miss Shipman.

£33 16 6

Atherton

President—Miss FLETCHER.

£68 0 0

Bolton

President—Mrs. LEVER TILLOTSON.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer :

MRS. J. PEARCE.

Committee :

Mrs. F. W. Coope, Jnr.	Mrs. B. Ryder.
Miss A. Lord.	Mrs. R. D. Ryder.
Mrs. Mullineux.	

£1 12 11

Bramhall and Cheadle Hulme

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. J. F. WARD.

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. J. MORRIS.

Committee :

Mrs. W. L. Anderson.	Mrs. A. L. Kenyon.
Mrs. J. V. O. Andrew.	Mrs. W. H. Mills.
Mrs. J. J. Battersby.	Mrs. Arthur Morris.
Mrs. E. H. Cooper.	Mrs. Redfearn-Williamson.
Mrs. E. A. Entwistle.	Mrs. B. E. Spurgin.

£210 15 0

Bury

Mrs. JOHN WHITEHEAD.

£70 14 4

Denton

£50 0 0

Disley and High Lane

President—Miss MONTGOMERY.

Committee :

Mrs. Arrowsmith	Miss Holding.
Miss Dean.	Mrs. Linney.
Mrs. Filshie.	Mrs. McKie.
Mrs. Greaves.	Mrs. J. Nelstrop.
Mrs. Halliwell.	Miss Quarmby.
Mrs. Harthan.	Mrs. Sherratt.
Mrs. Higgins.	Mrs. Statham.

£52 13 7

Eccles, Hope and Monton

President—MRS. ORR.

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. I. M. Williamson.

Committee :

Mrs. Clark.	Miss Foden	Mrs. Walker.
Miss Cunningham.	Mrs. Gresty.	Mrs. Whittaker.
Mrs. Dempsey.	Miss Houghton.	Miss Wibberley.
Miss Derbyshire.	Mrs. Sadler.	Mrs. Wiles.

£162 10 5

Farnworth

President—Miss LASLETT.

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. M. WILSON.

Hon. Secretary—Miss LASLETT.

Committee :

Mrs. Birnie.	Mrs. Royley.
Mrs. Brownlow.	Mrs. Schofield.
Mrs. Clarke.	Mrs. Warrington.
Mrs. Johnston.	Mrs. Whiteside.
Mrs. Mottershead.	Mrs. Wilde.

£100 0 0

Hale

President—Mrs. A. PEMBERTON WOOD.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—Miss EDMUNDS.

Committee :

Mrs. Atkinson.	Mrs. Fernie.
Mrs. Chadwick.	Miss Timpson.
Miss Clanahan	

£70 8 6

Heaton Moor, Heaton Mersey and Heaton Chapel

President—Mrs. BRITAIN.

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. NEWSOME.

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. LEECH.

Committee :

Mrs. Cook.	Mrs. Sawyer.
Mrs. Couch.	Mrs. Sharp.
Mrs. Fisk.	Mrs. Taylor.
Miss Holt.	Miss Vickers.
Mrs. Hudleston.	Miss Whitaker.
Mrs. King.	Mrs. Whitley.
Mrs. Riley.	

£168 10 0

Kearsley

President—Miss PICKERING.

Hon. Secretary—Miss SLACK

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. ROBERTS.

Committee :

Mrs. Bond.	Mrs. McNamara.	Miss Partington.
Mrs. T. Fletcher.	Mrs. H. Martin.	Mrs. F. Roberts.
Miss N. Fletcher.	Mrs. J. H. Martin.	Miss Tyldesley.
Miss Gittins.	Mrs. Matthews.	Mrs. Wolstenholme.
Mrs. Holdsworth.	Miss Oakes.	Mrs. Worthington.
Mrs. Kilner.		

£100 0 0

Knutsford

President—Hon. Mrs. H. CON. SMITH

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. BOWRING.

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. BLATHERWICK.

Committee :

Mrs. Bird.	Mrs. Dempster.
Mrs. Cooke.	Mrs. Fildes.
Mrs. Davies.	Mrs. Proctor Green.

£100 0 0

Leigh

President—Mrs. JOSEPH JONES.

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. JOSEPH JONES.

Hon. Treasurer—VACANT.

Committee :

Mrs. Crompton.	Mrs. J. Horrocks.
Miss Guest.	

£93 3 0

Little Hulton

President—Mrs. COWAN.

Hon. Secretary—Miss CLARK.

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. KAY.

Committee :

Mrs. Atherton.	Mrs. Collier.	Mrs. Lomax
Mrs. Barnes.	Mrs. Cooke.	Mrs. Lunn.
Miss Barker.	Mrs. Crompton.	Miss Marsh.
Miss Barber.	Mrs. Crooke.	Mrs. Mullineux.
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Mrs. Chadwick.	Mrs. Jones.	Miss Tyldesley.
Mrs. Charlton.	Mrs. Kay.	Mrs. Wharmby
Mrs. Collier.	Mrs. Lomax.	

£150 0 0

Lymm

President—Mrs. F. B. WEST.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. L. C. TAYLER.

Committee :

Mrs. H. Beech.	Mrs. R. Clayton.	Dr. J. E. S. Wraith.
Mrs. W. Bromage.	Mrs. T. Jones.	

£62 6 9

Lytham St. Annes

President—Mrs. G. OPENSHAW.

Committee :

Mrs. B. H. Harvey.	Mrs. A. Liebert.
Miss A. Harvey.	Mrs. H. Madgwick.
Mrs. W. H. Ingham.	Miss P. Shoesmith.

£350 0 0

New Mills

President—Mrs. HIGGINBOTTOM.

Committee :

Miss Bates.	Mrs. Burgess.	Mrs. Evans.
Miss Bowden.	Mrs. Cochrane.	Mrs. Kitchen.
Mrs. Brownbill.	Mrs. Dranfield.	Mrs. Warrington.

£10 13 5

Northenden

President—Mrs. CHIGNELL.

Life Member—Mrs. TURNBULL.

Hon. Treasurer—Mrs. HARTLEY.

Hon. Secretary—Mrs. J. WOODWARD.

Committee :

Mrs. Allison.

Mrs. M. R. Davies.

Mrs. J. Guest.

Mrs. Ruscoe.

Mrs. Yeomans.

£89 4 8

Radcliffe and Whitefield

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Committee :

Miss S. G. Allen.

Mrs. T. Gardner.

Mrs. W. Lomax.

Miss Holland.

Mrs. E. Nuttall.

Mrs. Wrigley.

£283 9 6

Rusholme and Victoria Park

President—

£4 4 0

Sale and Ashton-on-Mersey

President and Hon. Secretary and Treasurer :

Mrs. ALISON JONES.

Collectors :

Mrs. Ingram.

Mrs. Jones.

Miss Kenyon.

Mrs. Lord.

£29 10 0

Swinton, Pendlebury and Irlams-o'-th'-height

President—Mrs. COLLIER.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. COLLINGE

Committee :

Mrs. Brown.	Mrs. Heardman.	Mrs. Tyler.
Miss Crossley.	Mrs. Lowthian.	Mrs. Wallace.
Mrs. Green.	Miss Randall.	Mrs. Wheeldon.
	Mrs. Stuttard.	

£75 0 3

Tyldesley

President—Mrs. JOS. WALSHAW.

Committee :

Miss Abbott.	Mrs. Collins.	Mrs. Partington.
Miss Catchpole.	Mrs. Greenhalgh.	Mrs. Jas. Smith.
Mrs. Chapman.	Mrs. Hunter.	Miss A. Tyldesley.
Miss Chapman.	Miss Lees.	Miss E. Tyldesley.
Mrs. H. Charlton.	Mrs. Marsh.	Miss Wright.
Mrs. J. Charlton.		

£102 0 0

Walkden

President—Mrs. E. T. HALL.

Chairman—Mr. C. PENNINGTON.

Hon. Secretaries :

Mrs. G. FAULKNER, Mrs. G. MERRYWEATHER and Miss K. SEPHTON

Committee :

Mrs. C. Berry.	Mrs. Friday.	Miss Johnson.
Mrs. P. Boardley.	Mrs. J. Hall.	Mrs. Salt.
Miss E. Brown.	Mrs. R. Hall.	Mrs. Sephton.
Mrs. F. Cocker.	Mrs. Higham	Miss K. N. Sephton.
Miss Fearnley.	Mrs. F. Higham.	Mrs. W. H. Walton.
Mrs. Foy.	Miss Hilton.	Mrs. L. Yates.

Whaley Bridge

President—Mrs. GLADWELL.

£29 12 10

Whalley Range

President—Miss E. D. WILLIS.

Hon. Secretary—Miss L. SWANN.

Committee :

Mrs. Antrobus.	Mrs. Harrison.	Mrs. Smith.
Mrs. Baylis,	Mrs. Mackay.	Mrs. Stevens.
Mrs. Brocklebank.	Mrs. Muth.	Mrs. T. L. Swann.
Mrs. Giles.	Lady Nall.	Mrs. Warrener.
Mrs. Ginever.	Miss Richardson.	Mrs. Weeks.
Miss Hargreaves.		

£104 3 6

Withington, Fallowfield and Didsbury

President—Mrs. W. E. SAVAGE.

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Committee :

Mrs. Ashby.	Mrs. Dobson.
Mrs. J. Barlow.	Mrs. Guard.
Mrs. Box.	Mrs. Jelly.
Mrs. Bullivant.	Miss Lofthouse.
Mrs. Clay.	Mrs. McKay.
Mrs. Davies.	

£155 16 4

Worsley

President—Mrs. BLANCHE WILSON.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. W. J. COLLIER.

Committee :

Mrs. Andrew.	Mrs. Mitchell.
Mrs. Cardwell.	Mrs. McGown.
Mrs. H. Collier.	Mrs. Musker.
Mrs. Cooper.	Mrs. Richardson.
Mrs. Ford.	Mrs. Scholes.
Mrs. Fox.	Miss Taylor.

£170 0 0

Total Subscriptions per Districts	£3,179 0 6
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Encourage your employees to become members of a Hospital Contributory Scheme, covering their dependents.

Organise a Concert, Whist Drive or Dance for the Funds.

Send Gifts of Fruit, Vegetables, Eggs and Groceries.

Give generously on Hospital Sunday.

Royal Manchester Children's

Cash Statement for the Year ended

1945			1946		
RECEIPTS					
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
180	0	0	280	15	0
49	4	6	33	16	6
30	0	0	68	0	0
6	11	4	1	12	11
120	0	0	210	15	0
50	19	6	70	14	4
50	0	0	50	0	0
50	0	9	52	13	7
160	7	7	162	10	5
150	0	0	100	0	0
72	8	6	70	8	6
266	4	0	168	10	0
100	0	0	100	0	0
100	0	0	100	0	0
93	3	0	93	3	0
75	0	0	150	0	0
134	0	0	62	6	9
320	0	0	350	0	0
25	12	6	10	13	5
90	14	2	89	4	8
358	11	8	283	9	6
4	4	0	4	4	0
40	0	0	29	10	0
250	0	0	75	0	3
130	0	0	102	0	0
95	0	0	—	—	—
17	17	10	29	12	10
92	0	0	104	3	6
290	7	6	155	16	4
140	0	0	170	0	0
1	6	0	—	—	—
£3,543 12 10			£3,179 0 6		

Hospital — Ladies' Auxiliary Fund

31st December, 1946 with comparative figures for 1945

1945							1946						
£	s.	d.		PAYMENTS			£	s.	d.				
			BY BALANCE TRANSFERRED TO THE ROYAL MAN-										
			CHESTER CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, as follows :—										
3,223	12	10		General Income and Expenditure Account	..		2,829	0	6				
				Convalescent Home Account (Lytham St.									
320	0	0		Annes)	350	0	0

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