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THE EUGENICS SOCIETY

# Annual Report

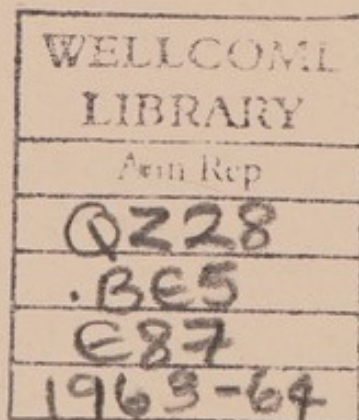
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*Bankers*  
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# Annual General Meeting

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The Annual General Meeting was held at 4.30 p.m. on Wednesday, 22nd May, 1963 at 69 Eccleston Square, London, S.W.1. *Chairman*: Sir James Gray.

## ANNUAL REPORT

The General Secretary presented the Annual Report and briefly outlined its contents mentioning, in particular, the publication in *The Eugenics Review* of Dr. Blacker's articles on sterilization, and the Darwin Research Fellowships.

He also drew attention to the legacy of £100 bequeathed to the *Society* by the late Sir Charles Darwin and reported a further gift, which had just been received, of books presented by Lady Darwin from her husband's library.

The adoption of the Report was then proposed from the Chair and carried unanimously.

## STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AND BALANCE SHEET

These were presented by the General Secretary on behalf of the Honorary Treasurer who was unable to attend.

Their adoption was proposed from the Chair and carried unanimously.

## HONORARY OFFICERS AND COUNCIL FOR THE YEAR 1963/64

### HONORARY OFFICERS

The following appointments by the Council were announced:

|                          |                        |
|--------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>President</i> :       | Sir James Gray         |
| <i>Treasurer</i> :       | Professor J. E. Meade  |
| <i>Librarian</i> :       | Dr. C. O. Carter       |
| <i>Secretary</i> :       | Professor A. S. Parkes |
| <i>Vice-Presidents</i> : | Dr. Eliot Slater       |
|                          | Dr. A. C. Stevenson    |
|                          | Dr. F. Yates           |

(Under Article 35 the following Vice-Presidents had retired: Mrs. M. A. Pyke and Professor C. H. Waddington.)

### COUNCIL

There having been no nominations for membership of the Council from

Fellows outside it, the election of the following, presented by the Council, was proposed from the chair and carried unanimously:

|                               |                            |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Colonel J. Campbell           | Dr. H. G. Maule            |
| Mr. N. H. Carrier             | Dr. A. E. Mourant          |
| Mr. P. R. Cox                 | Mr. J. Peel                |
| Professor P. Sargant Florence | Dr. J. A. Fraser Roberts   |
| Dr. G. Ainsworth Harrison     | Dr. J. R. Seale            |
| Mrs. V. Houghton              | Professor J. M. Thoday     |
| Dr. W. M. Keynes              | Sir Gerard Thornton        |
| Dr. H. Lehmann                | Professor C. H. Waddington |

(Under Article 36 Dr. Eliot Slater had retired from the Council.)

The Chairman then expressed the *Society's* gratitude to Mr. Geoffrey Seligman who had served as Honorary Treasurer since 1961 but who had had to resign owing to pressure of other work; to Dr. J. M. Tanner, for his services both as a Councillor and during his term of office as Honorary Secretary; and to Mrs. M. A. Pyke, for her services as a Councillor and later as a Vice-President and for much help on special committees.

Both Dr. Tanner and Mrs. Pyke had completed their nine years of service (Article 37).

#### AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

The Chairman reported that Messrs. West & Drake would continue to serve as the *Society's* Auditors.

The following was RESOLVED:

"That the Auditors' remuneration for the current year to 31st December, 1963, shall be the sum of eighty guineas with a further charge for additional accountancy as may be agreed between the Auditors and the Treasurer."

The resolution was proposed by the Chairman and carried unanimously.

# Extraordinary General Meeting

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An Extraordinary General Meeting was held at 5 o'clock on Thursday, 21st November, 1963 at 69 Eccleston Square, London, S.W.1.

*Chairman:* Sir James Gray, President.

Ten Fellows and two Members were present.

The Chairman drew attention to the explanation, which had been previously circulated to the *Society's* membership, of the revisions to the Memorandum of Association. These were necessary to ensure the *Society's* registration as a Charity under the new Charities Act, 1960.

The General Secretary having read to the meeting those clauses under consideration for amendment, and the new clauses with which it was proposed to replace them, the following SPECIAL RESOLUTION was put to the meeting from the Chair and carried unanimously:

"That the Memorandum of Association of the *Society* be modified (I) by omitting sub-clauses (2) and (5) of Clause 3, and by substituting the following sub-clauses in lieu thereof, viz:

- (2) To expound the importance of genetic responsibility in parenthood in the light of advancing knowledge.
- (5) To suggest suitable public action or to take any other steps which the Council of the *Society* may consider desirable to improve the genetic well-being of mankind in the light of advancing knowledge provided that the *Society* shall not undertake any political or other activities which would cause it to cease to be a charity in law.

and (II) by omitting sub-clause (11) of Clause 3 and renumbering the subsequent sub-clauses of Clause 3 accordingly, and substituting the figure (12) for the figure (13) in the first line of the first proviso to Clause 3."

# Annual Report: 1963-4

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IN THIS REPORT the accounts relate to the period from 1st January, 1963 to 31st December, 1963 inclusive. The rest of the Report covers the period from 1st April, 1963 to 31st March, 1964.

## COUNCIL AND COMMITTEES

Council meetings were held on the following dates:

|                     |            |
|---------------------|------------|
| 12th June, 1963     | 14 present |
| 3rd October, 1963   | 10 present |
| 19th February, 1964 | 10 present |

The Council decided at its meeting in June, 1963 that, in view of the new arrangements for the *Society's* investments (see under *Finance* below) the Executive Committee should take over the residual duties and title of the Finance Committee. During the year under review the Executive and Finance Committee met four times; the former Executive Committee had one meeting before this reconstitution.

## CONSULTATIVE COUNCIL

There have been no changes during the year in the Consultative Council.

## CENTRAL REGISTER OF CHARITIES

Following the revision of its Memorandum of Association by Special Resolution at an Extraordinary General Meeting on 21st November, 1963, the Minutes of which precede this Report, the *Society* made successful application to the Charity Commission for registration required under the Charities Act, 1960. The *Society* was entered in the Central Register of Charities in December, 1963.

## THE SOCIETY'S PREMISES

The Council has decided that it would now be appropriate to house the *Society* in smaller premises. This would first entail depositing the Library in a University centre in London where, while still remaining the *Society's* property and fully available to its membership, it would undoubtedly be more used and therefore more influential; at the same time members of the *Society* would probably gain access to the rest of the main Library in which the *Society's* books were deposited. Negotiations are now in progress. Subject to the agreement of the Lessors it might be possible, thereafter, to sub-let the house at 69 Eccleston Square entire on a full repairing lease and to rent suitable accommodation in the Bloomsbury area. Alternatively, the *Society*, while remaining at Eccleston Square, might be able to let a greater proportion of the premises.

The decision to explore such possibilities has been taken unanimously after the fullest consideration of all the factors involved, and on the

strong recommendation of the Executive and Finance Committee which, for the past year, has had under review the use and cost of the *Society's* premises in relation to its total resources. The effect would be to increase the *Society's* net income sufficiently to cover a considerable level of current activities without having, as hitherto, to draw on capital for their finance.

The three rooms on the *Society's* second floor, occupied rent-free by the International Planned Parenthood Federation until its removal to new premises in September, 1963, have accordingly been kept vacant since that date.

The *Society* has continued to make one room on its ground floor available, rent-free to the British Social Biology Council.

### MEETINGS

*The Galton Lecture.* Owing to the indisposition of Professor Jan A. Böök his Galton Lecture was postponed. He will now deliver the Lecture, on "Some Mechanisms of Chromosome Variation and their relation to Human Malformations", at 5 o'clock on Wednesday, 20th May, 1964 in the Rooms of the Royal Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, W.1.

*The Darwin Lecture in Human Biology.* The fourth Darwin Lecture in Human Biology, scheduled for 1963, will instead be delivered at 5 o'clock on Monday, 11th May, 1964, by Professor P. B. Medawar, on "Natural Selection and the Concept of Fitness", in the Lecture Hall, Natural History Museum, Cromwell Road, S.W.7.

Notices of both lectures will appear in next year's Annual Report.

### THE EUGENICS REVIEW

*The Eugenics Review* has continued to appear quarterly under the Editorship of Mrs. K. Hodson.

### LIBRARY

During the past year fifty-six books have been added to the Library by gift or purchase: 107 books and periodicals have been borrowed, thirty of them by the National Central Library.



The Editorial and Library Committee, which has met four times during the past year, has consisted of Mr. P. R. Cox (Chairman), Dr. C. O. Carter, Professor P. Sargant Florence, Dr. H. Lehmann, Dr. H. G. Maule and Mr. C. W. Usher.

### DARWIN RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

On the 19th July, 1963 Dr. John R. Gibson, of the Department of Genetics in the University of Cambridge, was appointed to an honorary Darwin Research Fellowship in respect of his work, with Dr. Michael Young, on social mobility and differential fertility, in support of which the Council had earlier made a grant (see below). Dr. Gibson receives a small allocation for expenses.

No other appointment was made in 1963.

## GRANTS

During the period under review the Council has made the following grants:

- |                                                       |                                                                                                                                                                                                     |
|-------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <i>Dr. M. Young and<br/>Dr. J. R. Gibson</i>          | A sum of £1,000 in support of a research project on social mobility and differential fertility.                                                                                                     |
| <i>The Oliver Bird Trust</i>                          | A sum of £250 in support of the fifth year's work of a special-problem birth control clinic in Newcastle upon Tyne, under the direction of Dr. Mary Peberdy.                                        |
| <i>The Society for the Study<br/>of Human Biology</i> | A further sum of £50 towards travelling expenses of overseas speakers to its symposia. (The original grant made by the Council in 1960 to this organisation was fully drawn by the Spring of 1963.) |
| <i>Dr. G. Ainsworth<br/>Harrison</i>                  | The sum of £50 in support of an anthropological expedition to Lanzarote, Canary Islands, by students in the University of Liverpool.                                                                |
| <i>Mr. D. R. Triger and<br/>Mr. R. J. Morgan</i>      | The sum of £50 in support of a biochemical investigation in Jamaica.                                                                                                                                |
| <i>Dr. D. R. Brothwell</i>                            | The sum of £100 for the preparation of material for the section of the International Biochemical Programme concerned with human variability.                                                        |

At 31st December, 1963, the Grants Fund stood at £485 16s. 10d. representing two undrawn balances—by the A.I.D. Investigation Council (1958) £370 9s. 11d., and by Professor Parkes (1962) £65 6s. 11d.—and the grant to the *Society for the Study of Human Biology* (1963) £50, which had not been drawn upon at that date.

## PUBLIC OPINION SURVEY

In October, 1963, the analysis by Social Surveys (Gallup Poll) Ltd. of the *Society's* second survey of public opinion on eugenics was completed.

The survey in this instance was carried out in the *Society's* name and on two samples drawn at random: the first, of 3,992 names, from the membership list of the Association for Science Education, the second, of 1,349 names, from the membership list of the Classical Association. In both cases, alternate names were selected, provided the person named was resident in the United Kingdom, to each of which was sent a questionnaire identical with that used in the first survey. In all, 1,089 completed questionnaires were received from scientists and 312 from classicists, representing response rates of 27 per cent and 24 per cent respectively.

A report comparing the findings of the two surveys appeared in the January, 1964 issue of *The Eugenics Review*.

### VOLUNTARY STERILIZATION

In the Spring of 1963 the Council appointed an *ad hoc* Committee to consider what policy on voluntary sterilization, in the light of the present position, would be expedient for the *Society*.

On the recommendation of this Committee, which consisted of Professor A. S. Parkes (Chairman), Dr. P. H. Addison, Sir Dugald Baird, Dr. W. M. Keynes, Professor W. C. W. Nixon and Mrs. M. A. Pyke, the Council has decided that nothing active should be undertaken at the present time, the activities of a pressure group being likely to do more harm than good, in view of the present trend of medical opinion and practice.

The balance of Mr. Rumbold's legacy will therefore continue to be reserved.

### SYMPOSIUM ON BIOLOGICAL ASPECTS OF SOCIAL PROBLEMS

The Council has decided that the *Society* will organize in the Autumn of this year a two-day symposium on *Biological Aspects of Social Problems*, for discussion of the many trends and problems of mutual interest to those working in biology and the social studies.

Arrangements have been made for the symposium to be held on Thursday and Friday, 1st and 2nd October, in the Rooms of the Royal Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, W.1.

The general topics of the four sessions, each comprising about three papers, will be: population trends, social mobility and education, aspects of fertility control, and genetic aspects of medicine. The *Society's* President, Sir James Gray, will take the Chair at the opening session. The papers will be presented both by biologists and social scientists and the Council envisages that the proceedings will be published in volume form.

A full programme of the symposium, to which admission will be free but by ticket, will be obtainable from the *Society's* Administrative Secretary at the end of May.

### THE MARIE STOPES MEMORIAL FOUNDATION LIMITED

The Balance Sheet and Revenue Account for the year to 31st December, 1963, of the Marie Stopes Memorial Foundation Limited will be found at the end of this Report. There was an excess of income over expenditure for the year amounting to £2,785 which, added to the Revenue Account balance at 31st December, 1962 of £4,504, increased the revenue surplus to £7,289. Of this balance £4,518 was carried forward, the sum of £1,771 having been expended during the year on training, research activities and grants, and £1,000 having been allocated to The Eugenics Society.

The grants included £500 (the balance of the one-year grant made in 1962) in support of the special-problem birth control clinic in Newcastle, under the direction of Dr. Mary Peberdy; and £750 for the continuation of the similar research project being directed by Dr. Dorothy Morgan in

Southampton. In addition, a grant of £150 was made to the York and District Branch of The Family Planning Association in aid of a new project in this field recently initiated there by Dr. Sheila Dronfield.

Professor J. E. Meade, Honorary Treasurer of The Eugenics Society, and Mrs. Helen Brook, Director of the Memorial Clinic, have been appointed to membership of the Board.

Dr. Elizabeth Horder has continued in a small area of London her domiciliary birth control research which, it will be remembered, was initiated by the Board. She now has thirty families in her survey and it is hoped that a nurse will shortly be appointed, part-time, to undertake the follow-up visiting.

In January, 1964 the Board made a cash grant of up to £500 for the current year to Dr. Faith Spicer in support of an advisory centre, under her direction, for young people, and also made available to her the facilities of the Clinic. It is envisaged that in 1964 this experimental research will call for up to three doctor-sessions a week.

On 3rd October, 1963 a party to publicize the Clinic was held in The Mary Ward Hall. The speakers were Professor G. M. Carstairs and Dr. Faith Spicer, and The Lord Brain, President of the Foundation, was in the Chair. The party was organized by the Clinic Committee with the support of The Family Planning Association London Federation of Branches, and about 130 people were present.

Six training courses for overseas nurses were held during the year; a total of thirty-seven nurses attended.

The oral contraceptive is now being prescribed for sixty-four women. In March this year a special session for check visits was started for them, to be held once a month.

Attendances at the Clinic have shown a satisfactory increase during the year.

### OBITUARY

We regret to report the death of the following Fellows and Members of the *Society*: Mr. C. Wicksteed Armstrong, Dr. Leslie Housden, Professor Tage Kemp, The Earl of Lucan, Miss E. L. Newbold and Mrs. Ursula Scott.

### FINANCE

DONATIONS AND LEGACIES. During the year to 31st December, 1963, the *Society* has gratefully received the following *donations*: Mr. C. M. Goethe, £3 2s. 1d. (\$9.00), and Mr. G. R. S. Snow, £8 0s. 0d.

The *Society* has also received with gratitude two donations, as follows, as contributions to the cost of reprinting in bound form Dr. Blacker's articles on voluntary sterilization: The Human Betterment Association, Inc., £8 14s. 3d. (\$25.00), and The National Committee on Maternal Health, Inc., £17 11s. 9d. (\$50.00).

The *legacy* of £100 bequeathed to the *Society* by the late Sir Charles Darwin was received in May, 1963.

LEASEHOLD AND FREEHOLD PROPERTY. Messrs. John D. Wood & Co., Estate Agents, of 23 Berkeley Square, W.1, have continued to manage the *Society's* properties.

By the terms of the Lease granted by the *Society* in 1959 the tenants (Safety Products Ltd.) of the Factory at Redhill, Surrey were given the option to purchase at £10,000 the freehold reversion in the premises on giving six months' notice during the year to 25th December, 1964. Part of the purchase price has already been paid by means of additional rent.

Formal notice has now been received of the tenants' wish to exercise this option, and the *Society's* Solicitors, Messrs. Currey & Co., are carrying out the sale. On completion, the *Society* will receive a balance payment of £5,425 less costs estimated at £45.

QUOTED SECURITIES. At its meeting in June, 1963 the Council agreed that new arrangements should be made for the management of the *Society's* securities and, after full consideration then and at subsequent meetings, decided that as soon as the *Society* was registered as a charity, the list be subscribed in its entirety to the Charities Official Investment Fund which has been established by scheme of the Charity Commissioners under Section 22, Charities Act, 1960. All participating charities pool their resources to create a common fund, and are allotted a number of "shares" in the Fund proportionate to the value of the investments or cash they contribute to it, on the lines of a Unit Trust. Income due to each charity is remitted, free of U.K. tax, four times a year.

Subscription was therefore made to the Fund at its quarterly application date on 4th December, 1963. Those securities not acceptable to the Official Custodian were sold, and of the proceeds (£55,067) £50,000 was contributed in cash to the Fund, the balance being placed on Bank deposit; the remaining securities were contributed *in specie*. Five of these, however, were not transferred in the Companies' books by the application date (4th December) and had therefore not been converted into shares of the Fund by 31st December, 1963. They were so converted on March 1, 1964, and, until that date, the *Society* received from the Official Custodian, free of tax, dividends due on these securities.

A schedule of the *Society's* investments at 31st December, 1963 is on p. 19.

ACCOUNTS FOR 1963. The Balance Sheet and the Income and Expenditure Account for the year to 31st December, 1963 will be found at the end of this Report.

For the year under review ordinary working expenses exceeded income by £843. In addition, grants made during 1963 (£1,500) were debited together with costs of the Darwin Research Fellowship (£125) and the Public Opinion Survey (£221); this produced a deficit of £2,689 which was reduced by an allocation of £1,000 from The Marie Stopes Memorial Foundation Limited.

The General Fund which stood at £85,781 at 31st December, 1962 has been increased by £15,202 in respect of profits on the sale of investments,

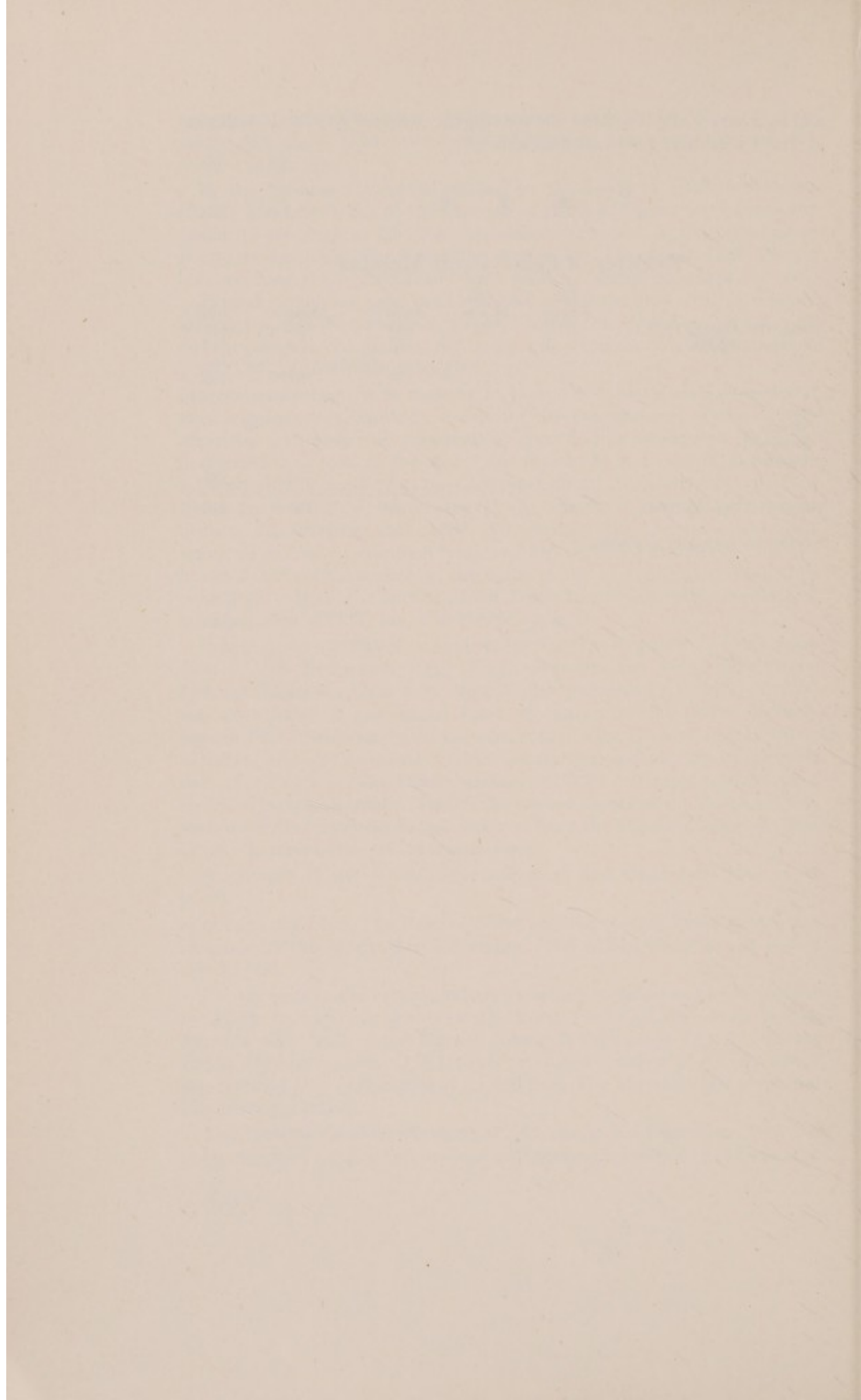
and by a legacy of £100. After transferring the deficit of £1,689 the balance at 31st December, 1963 was £99,394.



### Register of Fellows and Members

|                            | <i>Life<br/>Fellows</i> | <i>Life<br/>Members</i> | <i>Fellows</i> | <i>Members</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|----------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|
| Total, 31st March, 1963 .. | 91                      | 27                      | 160            | 158            | 436          |
| Elections, 1963/64 ..      | —                       | —                       | 13             | 9              | 22           |
|                            | 91                      | 27                      | 173            | 167            | 458          |
| <i>Less:</i>               |                         |                         |                |                |              |
| Deaths .. .. . 4           | —                       | —                       | 2              | 6              |              |
| Resigned .. .. . —         | —                       | 3                       | 5              | 8              |              |
| Lapsed .. .. . 5*          | —                       | 2                       | 1              | 8              |              |
|                            | 9                       | —                       | 5              | 8              | 22           |
| Total, 31st March, 1964 .. | 82                      | 27                      | 168            | 159            | 436          |

\* Addresses no longer available.



Accounts for 1963

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BALANCE SHEET  
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE  
INVESTMENTS

## Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1963

| 31.12.62                                              | £ | £      | £        | £ | £      |
|-------------------------------------------------------|---|--------|----------|---|--------|
| GENERAL FUND                                          |   |        |          |   |        |
| Balance as shown by annexed Account ..                |   | 99,394 |          |   |        |
| 31.12.62                                              | £ |        | 31.12.62 | £ | £      |
| 35,781                                                |   |        |          |   |        |
| STAFF PENSION FUND                                    |   |        |          |   |        |
| Balance at this date ..                               |   | 1,000  |          |   |        |
| SPECIFIC PURPOSES FUND                                |   |        |          |   |        |
| Balance at 31st December, 1962 ..                     |   | 1,000  |          |   |        |
| Donations—Human Betterment Association Inc. ..        |   | 9      |          |   |        |
| National Committee on Maternal Health Inc. ..         |   | 18     |          |   |        |
| 1,000                                                 |   |        | 1,206    |   | 1,090  |
| Less: Cost of reprinting "Voluntary Sterilization" .. |   | 106    | 3,991    |   | 3,843  |
| GRANTS FUND                                           |   |        |          |   |        |
| Balance at 31st December, 1962 ..                     |   | 1,166  |          |   |        |
| Grants made during the year ..                        |   | 1,500  |          |   |        |
| Less: Expended during the year ..                     |   | 2,180  |          |   |        |
| 1,166                                                 |   |        | 5,938    |   | 5,188  |
|                                                       |   |        | 68,155   |   | 78,384 |
|                                                       |   |        | 5,000    |   | 3,750  |
|                                                       |   |        | 79,093   |   | 87,322 |

A. S. PARKES *Honorary Secretary*  
J. E. MEADE *Honorary Treasurer*

|                |       |                                        |                 |
|----------------|-------|----------------------------------------|-----------------|
| <u>£88,947</u> |       | <u>£101,801</u>                        |                 |
|                |       | CURRENT ASSETS                         |                 |
| 1,253          |       | Income Tax Recoverable                 | 1,249           |
| 972            |       | Sundry Debtors and Payments in Advance | 1,066           |
| 4,575          |       | Cash at Bank and in Hand               | 8,150           |
| <u>6,800</u>   |       |                                        | <u>10,465</u>   |
|                |       | Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES              |                 |
| 2,103          | 4,697 | Sundry Creditors and accrued Expenses  | 1,236           |
|                |       |                                        | <u>9,229</u>    |
|                |       | SPECIFIC PURPOSES FUND                 |                 |
| —              |       | Cash at Bank                           | 921             |
|                |       | GRANTS FUND                            |                 |
| 1,166          |       | Cash at Bank                           | 486             |
| <u>£88,947</u> |       |                                        | <u>£101,801</u> |

# REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE EUGENICS SOCIETY

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and annexed Income and Expenditure Account and have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for that purpose. So far as appears from our examination, proper books of account have been kept by the Society. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Account which are in agreement with the books of account, give the information required by the Companies Act, 1948, in the manner so required and also a true and fair view of the state of the Society's affairs as at 31st December, 1963, and of the deficit for the year to that date.

SARDINIA HOUSE,  
52 LINCOLNS INN FIELDS,  
LONDON, W.C.2.  
24th February, 1964.

WEST & DRAKE.

*Chartered Accountants*

Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st December, 1963

| Year to<br>31.12.62                                                                                                                                                                                            | £  | £  | £     | Year to<br>31.12.62                        | £  | £  | £     |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----|----|-------|--------------------------------------------|----|----|-------|
| 69 ECCLESTON SQUARE                                                                                                                                                                                            |    |    |       | SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS                |    |    |       |
| 100                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 100   | General Subscriptions                      | .. | .. | 651   |
| 28                                                                                                                                                                                                             | .. | .. | 31    | Donations                                  | .. | .. | 11    |
| 71                                                                                                                                                                                                             | .. | .. | 79    |                                            |    |    |       |
| 1,255                                                                                                                                                                                                          | .. | .. | 225   |                                            |    |    | 662   |
| 209                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 211   | INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS                    |    |    |       |
| 271                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 419   | Rentals of Freehold Property less Expenses | .. | .. | 834   |
|                                                                                                                                                                                                                |    |    |       | Interest and Dividends                     | .. | .. | 3,719 |
| 1,934                                                                                                                                                                                                          |    |    | 1,065 | Ricarde-Seaver Bequest                     | .. | .. | 166   |
| 121                                                                                                                                                                                                            |    |    | 512   |                                            |    |    | 4,719 |
| 1,813                                                                                                                                                                                                          |    |    | 553   |                                            |    |    |       |
| <p><i>Note:</i><br/>The following Office Accommodation has been let rent free: I.P.P.F. to 30th September, 1963. Rental Value £900 per annum. B.S.B.C. to 31st December, 1963. Rental Value £75 per annum.</p> |    |    |       |                                            |    |    |       |
| ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES                                                                                                                                                                                        |    |    |       |                                            |    |    |       |
| 2,739                                                                                                                                                                                                          | .. | .. | 3,006 |                                            |    |    |       |
| 400                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 400   |                                            |    |    |       |
| 172                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 173   |                                            |    |    |       |
| 172                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 268   |                                            |    |    |       |
| 84                                                                                                                                                                                                             | .. | .. | 84    |                                            |    |    |       |
| 42                                                                                                                                                                                                             | .. | .. | 77    |                                            |    |    |       |
| 291                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 290   |                                            |    |    |       |
| 3,900                                                                                                                                                                                                          |    |    | 4,298 |                                            |    |    |       |
| SUNDRY EXPENSES                                                                                                                                                                                                |    |    |       |                                            |    |    |       |
| 931                                                                                                                                                                                                            | .. | .. | 934   |                                            |    |    |       |
| 6                                                                                                                                                                                                              | .. | .. | ..    |                                            |    |    |       |
| <p>Editorial Salary and Expenses of Review 332<br/>Copies supplied for Members, Exchange, etc. 602<br/>(Hire of Halls) .. .. .</p>                                                                             |    |    |       |                                            |    |    |       |

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General Fund Account for the year ended 31st December, 1963

|                                                              |                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <p><i>Year to</i><br/>31.12.62<br/><br/>9,105<br/>85,781</p> | <p>£      £<br/>1,689<br/>99,394</p>                           | <p>DEFICIT on Income and Expenditure Account ..<br/>BALANCE AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1963<br/>carried forward</p>                                                                                                                                                                                               |
|                                                              | £                                                              |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                              | <p>31.12.62<br/>85,060<br/>1,942<br/>2,854<br/>—<br/>5,030</p> | <p>BALANCE AT 31ST DECEMBER, 1962 brought forward 85,781<br/>PROFIT ON SALE OF INVESTMENTS] .. .. .<br/>(Freehold Property) .. .. .<br/>Quoted Securities .. .. .<br/><br/>LEGACY—Sir Charles Darwin .. .. .<br/>(Net premium on grant of underlease in respect of 69 Eccleston Square Mews) .. .. .</p> |
|                                                              |                                                                | £                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
|                                                              |                                                                | <p>15,202<br/>100<br/>—</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |
|                                                              |                                                                | <p>£101,083</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |
|                                                              |                                                                | <p>£94,886</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |

## INVESTMENTS

at 31st December, 1963 (at cost, less Capital Recoupments)

|                                                                 |                                                                           |        |                |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|----------------|
|                                                                 |                                                                           | £      | £              |
| FREEHOLD PROPERTY                                               |                                                                           |        |                |
|                                                                 | Factory, Holmethorpe Avenue, Redhill .. .. .                              |        | 5,188          |
| CHARITIES OFFICIAL INVESTMENT FUND                              |                                                                           |        |                |
| 67,604                                                          | Shares at cost .. .. .                                                    | 68,026 |                |
| Stocks and Shares held in specie and not converted at this date |                                                                           |        |                |
| £2,500                                                          | British Petroleum Co. Ltd. 6% Convertible Debenture Stock 1976/80 .. .. . | 2,619  |                |
| 2,500                                                           | Albright and Wilson Ltd. 5/- Ordinary Stock Units ..                      | 2,806  |                |
| 1,251                                                           | Great Universal Stores Ltd. 5/- "A" Ordinary Stock Units .. .. .          | 1,216  |                |
| £2,250                                                          | Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. Ordinary Stock ..                       | 1,377  |                |
| 990                                                             | Stewarts and Lloyds Ltd. £1 Ordinary Shares ..                            | 2,340  |                |
|                                                                 |                                                                           |        | 78,384         |
| CASH ON DEPOSIT                                                 |                                                                           |        |                |
|                                                                 | United Dominions Trust Ltd. .. .. .                                       |        | 3,750          |
|                                                                 |                                                                           |        | <u>£87,322</u> |

## DEFERRED LEGACIES

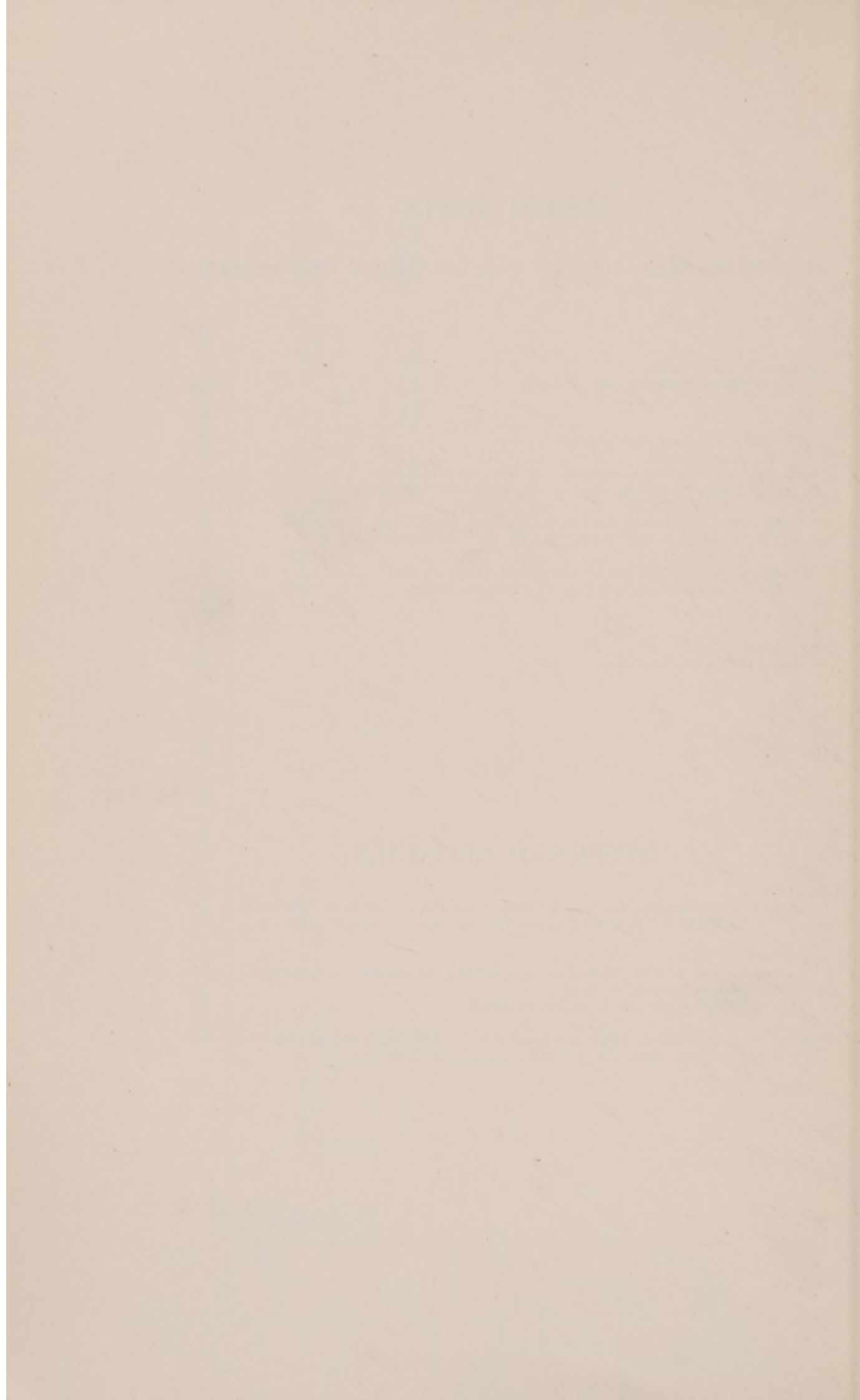
### *Syers Trust*

(Income payable to Mrs. Syers for life with remainder to *The Eugenics Society*.)  
£1,186 17s. 6d. British Transport 3% Guaranteed Stock 1978/88.

### *Drake-Brockman Trust*

(Income payable to Mrs. Drake-Brockman for life, then to each of the children for life with remainder to *The Eugenics Society*.)  
£A4,020 Australian Consolidated Stock.

NOTE: The *Society* has an interest in a number of other Trusts and Estates from which the amount eventually receivable is at present unknown.



THE MARIE STOPES MEMORIAL  
FOUNDATION LIMITED

Accounts for 1963

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BALANCE SHEET

REVENUE ACCOUNT

## Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1963

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE MARIE STOPES MEMORIAL FOUNDATION LIMITED

SARDINIA HOUSE,

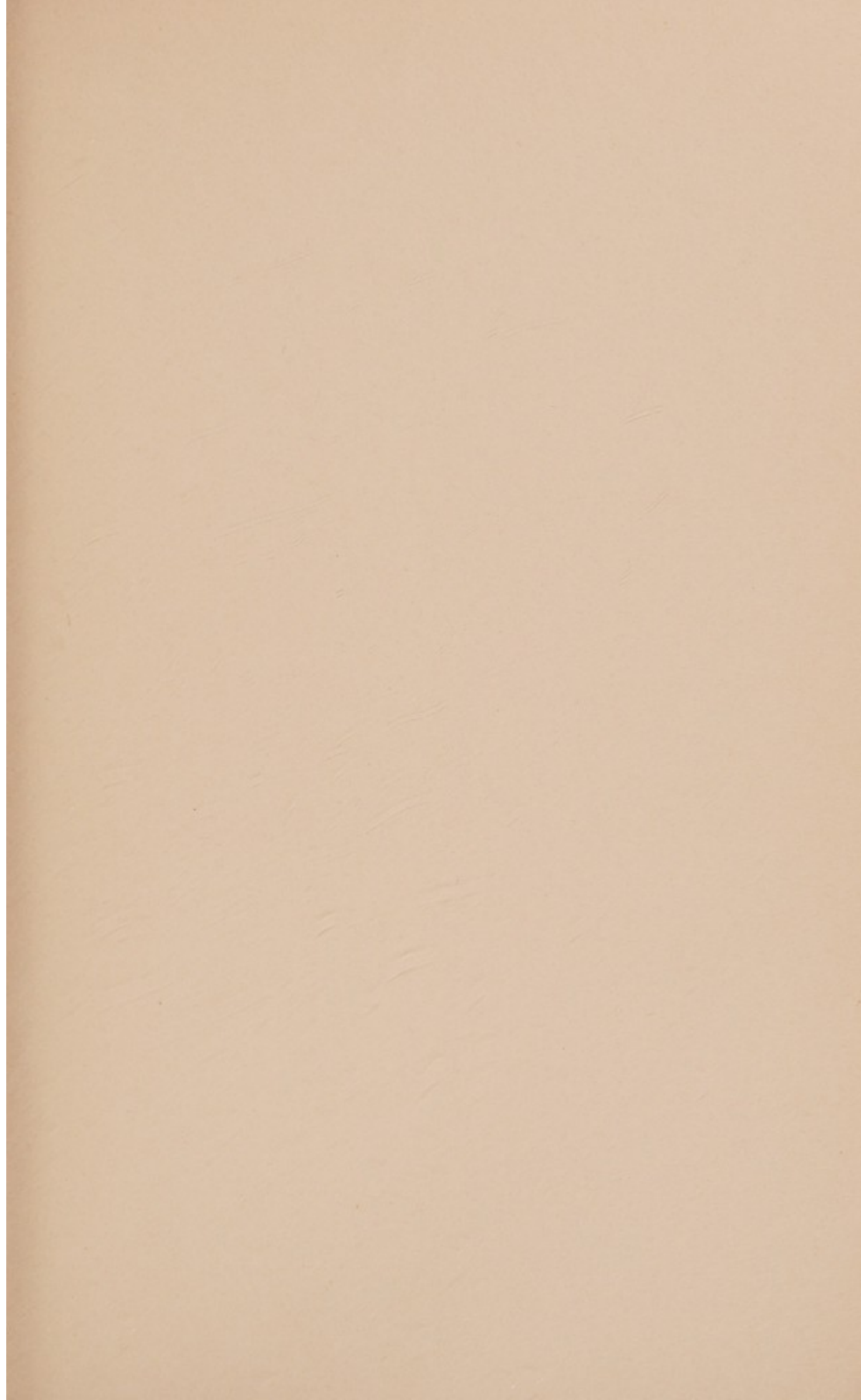
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